

FRESH BATTLE ON YPRES FRONT

British Gain on Two Fronts; French Repulse Foe Attacks

Railway Strike in Britain is Averted by Agreement

Italians Sustain Drive, Gaining Further Successes

Operation Launched by British at Dawn To-day

Italian Drive is Gaining Impetus; Selo Village Taken From the Austrians

Rome, Aug. 22.—The present Italian offensive is on a vaster scale than any previous one. New features were the shortening of the usual period of artillery preparation, which lasted 24 hours, but was so arranged that it increased steadily and rapidly until a hurricane of shells was falling. Then when it suddenly ceased a squadron of airplanes flew in advance of the assaulting troops forming the first line, using their machine guns on the Austrians at short range. Many prisoners were made deaf by the violence of the detonations. They had believed their positions quite impregnable.

Losses Admitted Vienna, Aug. 22, via London.—The new attack of the Italians has forced back the Austrian line at some points, the war office announces, and the village of Selo, on the Carso plateau, has been lost.

The statement follows: "The eleventh battle of the Isonzo is in full swing, the enemy not having succeeded in the ten preceding battles in breaking our victorious defensive strength. South of Anzusa and east of Canale (on the Isonzo south of Tolmino) the enemy succeeded in driving our front slightly. After an attack at Vrh (southeast of Canale) some of our detachments held their positions until they were surrounded completely, after which they cut their way out. Between the Deersla and the Wappach, an assault failed in the face of the heroic defense of our lines. On the Carso, the enemy, at the cost of thousands of men, obtained a local success, in the conquest of the village of Selo.

"During two days of fighting we have taken more than 5,600 prisoners and more than fifty machine guns."

French Official Paris, Aug. 22.—The Germans made a violent counter-attack last night on the Verdun front, west of the Meuse. They penetrated the French lines at points in their attempts to retrace the ground taken from them in the French offensive. The War Office announces were driven out.

German attacks east of the river were also repulsed. The number of prisoners taken has reached 6,116. The statement follows: "The Germans last night violently bombarded our first lines at various points on the Aisne front. They made several strong attacks in the region of Mennejean, east of Braye-en-Laonnais, south of Bovel, between Ailles and the Hurtelise Monument and on the California plateau. Everywhere our troops maintained their positions entirely. Prisoners were taken.

"On the left bank of the Meuse (Verdun front) late yesterday, we repulsed a violent German counter-attack between Hill 304 and Dead Man Hill. Certain enemy detachments, which succeeded in gaining a footing in our new first line trenches were ejected by a brilliant attack which gave us 60 prisoners. Our reconnaissances were pushed as far as the village of Forges.

"On the right bank of the river, the enemy also made several attempts to drive us from the positions."

AIR RAID By Courier Leased Wire. London, Aug. 22.—German airships made a raid off the Yorkshire coast last night, it is announced officially. The damage inflicted was small. The announcement follows: "Enemy airships, in numbers not definitely ascertained, appeared off the Yorkshire coast (on the North Sea) last night. One of the raiders attacked the mouth of the Humber and was fired on by anti-aircraft guns. She dropped some bombs then made off to sea.

"The damage so far reported is slight. One man was injured."

An air raid warning was issued in London this morning. About an hour later the announcement "all clear" was made, indicating the raiders had been driven off.

GERMANY STILL OBDDURATE UPON ISSUE OF PEACE

Will Not Reply to Papal Note Before Consulting Her Allies

STALLING FOR TIME Situation Auspicious On All Fronts, Declares Chancellor Michaelis

Berlin, Aug. 21.—via London.—Chancellor Michaelis informed the main committee of the Reichstag this afternoon that Germany would not reply to the papal peace note, until she had consulted her allies. Dr. Michaelis added that in view of the fact that Germany had previously repeated and positively indicated her readiness to enter peace negotiations, the Vatican's appeal, of course, is looked on with sympathetic approval. Germany, however, could not again offer peace in face of the summary rejection of previous proposals and continued declarations by the Entente that no peace is possible until the Central Powers are defeated and crushed.

The chancellor informed the committee that no steps would be undertaken toward peace without fully consulting the reichstag. He then declared that the military situation on all fronts was exceptionally auspicious and read a message received from the German headquarters, in which the U-boat campaign was given liberal credit for its effect in successfully warding off the allies' offensive in Flanders.

Dr. Richard von Kuehlmann, the new foreign secretary and other newly appointed government heads, were presented to the committee, which then took a recess. Constantin Peltach, one of the Central party members, was elected chairman of the main committee to succeed Dr. Peter Spahn.

Dr. Michaelis conferred confidentially with the reichstag leaders during the day, while party factions were also in session in the morning. The Vienna Reichsoost says it has taken note of the Pope's peace note in "in absolute harmony with the aims of the monarchy. Austria-Hungary, according to the paper is willing to evacuate occupied territories and renounce claims to territories and international arbitration and freedom of the seas are guaranteed and world peace is carried out but all the consequences deducible from the Pope's proposals must be understood to be included therein.

Namely, the disappearance of the British naval bases at Gibraltar, Malta and the Suez canal and also the Italian abandonment of Valona. New Treaty. Paris, Aug. 22.—A wireless dispatch from Zurich says a new economic convention between Switzerland and Germany was concluded and signed Monday evening at Berne. Recent dispatches from European capitals indicated that hitch in the economic relations between Germany and Switzerland had been straightened. Continued on Page Five

Langemarck Sector, Scene of Last Week's Heaviest Fighting, Once More Hotly Contested; Gains in Lens District Also Maintained

British Front in France and Belgium, Aug. 22.—(By the Associated Press)—The British began another operation northeast of Ypres at dawn today, on the battle scarred ground between Langemarck and Frezenberg. No details are yet available from this sector which was the scene of some of the heaviest fighting last Thursday in the assault by the British.

Meanwhile the conflict continued about Lens, though apparently greatly diminished in intensity, with the Canadians still holding the Germans off from the positions which they had gained in the southwestern part of the city yesterday and at the same time clinging tenaciously to the numerous new posts in the German line on the northwestern section.

Fierce hand-to-hand fighting continued late into the night, especially in the northwest portion which lies between the Germans and Hill 70. The Germans continued to fling heavy counter-attacks against the Canadians. The battle surged back and forth amid the ruined buildings and trenches.

This morning the advantage rested with the British and nowhere had the Germans been able to reach the lines from which the Canadians began their offensive yesterday morning.

GAINS MAINTAINED London, Aug. 22.—In the face of heavy German counter-attacks, the British have maintained the newly gained positions on the outskirts of Lens, the war office announces. Further progress has been made at some points.

The following is the official statement: "South and southwest of Lens, the new positions captured by us yesterday morning on the outskirts of the town have been maintained and further gain has been made at other points. Northwest and north of Lens also, as a result of heavy fighting in the course of which German counter-attacks were repulsed by our rifle and machine gun fire or broken up by our artillery, some additional ground has been secured in advanced positions captured on the 15th. There has been great artillery activity during the night on both sides east and northeast of Ypres."

ANOTHER AIR RAID London, Aug. 22.—Ten German airplanes approached the English coast in the County of Kent today, the British office announces. Two of the raiding machines were brought down. Bombs were dropped at Dover and at Margate. Three persons were killed and two injured. The statement says the raiders were unable to penetrate far inland.

RAILWAY STRIKE IN OLD LAND AVERTED; AN AGREEMENT REACHED

Government Quells Agitation Among Engineers and Firemen of Britain; Eight Hour Day Question to be Discussed After the War

London, Aug. 22.—An understanding has been reached between the government and the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen, who have been threatening a general strike of railwaymen. The society had demanded the adoption of an eight-hour day, but a delegation which visited Sir Albert Stanley, president of the Board of Trade, was informed on Sunday that the government would discuss the question of an eight hour day only when the war was ended. Later, however, the two sides entered into further negotiations, and it was said yesterday that a way would be found to reach an agreement.

It is officially announced that the negotiations continued at the Board of Trade office between Sir Arthur Stanley and the executive of the Associated Society until very late Tuesday night, when the understanding was arrived at. The understanding, it was added, is embodied in a letter to Sir Albert, written by the executive secretary of the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen. Mr. Bromley, the text of this letter issued by Sir Albert recalls a series of statements Sir Albert had previously made, including the following:

"That the government was pledged to return the control of the railways some time after the war, when there would be an opportunity within one month to bring forward the request for a shorter working day on the railways; that any reasonable request for them would have immediate sympathetic consideration by the government, that adequate machinery existed for dealing with the questions of excessive hours and insufficient pay arising from war conditions, had been amicably adjusted, and that he (Sir Albert) had no reason to doubt that any future demands would be met in the same spirit.

The letter concludes with an assurance that Sir Albert will use his good offices to arrange for a discussion of outstanding matters between the representatives of the two sides.

TO ACCEPT? By Courier Leased Wire. Copenhagen, Aug. 22.—A telegram from the official correspondence bureau in Vienna, seems to indicate that Austro-Hungary will accept the Pope's proposal. A summary of Austro-Hungarian press opinion circulated by the Bureau says: "The newspapers regard the Pope's proposals as a suitable basis for beginning peace negotiations but doubt whether the Entente shares this hope."

In view of the well-known practices of the Corr Bureau in producing such summaries this may undoubtedly be regarded as the government's voice. The Bureau then ingeniously suggests when the Pope referred to territorial questions between Austria and Italy he could not have Austrian soil in mind because the alienation thereof is not to be discussed.

CANADA TO CUT DOWN OUTPUT OF MUNITIONS Unnecessary To Continue Production Work on The Present Scale NEED IS LESS URGENT

Instruction By Minister of Munition May Throw Many Out of Work

Ottawa, Aug. 22.—Towards the close of 1916 the capacity for producing munitions in Great Britain had so increased that the minister of munitions advised that it was unnecessary to continue the production of munitions in the United States for British account, except for a few special lines. The production in Canada, however, was continued as before.

The minister has now been advised that it is unnecessary to continue production in Canada on the present scale. He has directed that certain lines shall be discontinued, that other lines shall be produced in lessened quantities; while some lines are to be continued as at present.

The effect of this will be to stop the production of shells and components at some places which are now producing sizes no longer required. In other plants where shells are made of sizes of which a reduced output only are required, it will mean working during the day only, thus stopping night work. In other plants, however, where sustained production is required, operations will be continued night as well as day.

These changes have been anticipated by several important firms, who have already resumed, or are planning to resume, their pre-war activities in their own lines, while others are engaged in the production or preparing for production of equipment needed for ships now under construction or to be built during 1918.

CASUALTIES Ottawa, Au. 22.—One hundred and twenty-four casualties were listed at noon to-day, including 24 killed and 5 prisoners.

Immortal Glory Will be That of Irish Forces in Latest Fight at Ypres---Story of Battle

British Front in France and Belgium, Aug. 22.—(By the Associated Press)—The story of the valiant fight waged by Irish battalions, both Ulstermen and South of Ireland men, in the latest British offensive northeast of Ypres, forms one of the most remarkable pages in the history of this sanguinary battle. As was the case with the intrepid Londoners in Polygon wood to the south, they did not achieve the success which they sought, but the struggle they made against overwhelming odds will make their names immortal in Irish annals. The immortal Irish units, the Irish troops fought Thursday may roughly be placed as lying between Fortuin on the north and Frezenberg on the south. Before them lay strong Bavarian positions scattered over a terrain which at first blush, made an advance seem impossible. Stretching from the Sonnekebeke-Langemarck road across the centre of the battlefield is a ridge which had dominated all surrounding ground and from which could be poured a deluge of bullets in advancing ranks. Through the southern portion of this section the swollen Sonnekebeke River poured its muddy water and scattered along both banks of the stream were many steel and concrete redoubts holding from 20 to 100 Germans, all well armed. Immediately in front of the Irish was undulating ground. Every knoll was a strong Bavarian position and the whole section was filled with concrete redoubts and shell holes lined with machine guns. Depressions in the ground were a mass of knee-deep mud caused by recent rains and the flood of the river. The Irish battalions were muddy and wet when they began the attack. The Ulster men were on the left of this battlefield and the men of the South on the right.

Shoulder to shoulder they moved out among the heart-breaking obstacles at the break of day, bogging at every step, and all that human beings could have done under such circumstances they did. As they advanced they first encountered the tommy thins held ling of German outposts among shell craters. These Bavarians fell back and almost immediately the Irishmen found themselves facing a fire from every machine gun before them. A vicious fire, whipping out a steady stream of lead breast high across the whole battlefield.

Amidst this hail of bullets and crashing shells, the Irishmen pushed doggedly forward. The first struck a position called Pond Farm, below Fortuin. Here were many machine guns placed in concrete pits behind trenched strong redoubts and deep dugouts. The Irishmen plunged into the gun pits and a fierce struggle followed. The Bavarians would not surrender and they fought until the last German lay crumpled beside his gun. A small sarrison was left to hold this place and the Irish pushed on. There was a constant bitter fighting at every step.

Near Pond Farm they were held up by party of overhauber wire entanglements, and as they struggled through this they were swept with bullets. Numerous redoubts were encountered beyond and in most cases it was hand-to-hand fighting to finish with a stubborn enemy. The Southern Irish at a given hour went forward with all the coolness which made them famous at Ghinchy and other places. They surged on through the mire to some of their objectives, but they had passed numerous unslighted machine gun emplacements, and following waves of infantry were held up by these.

North of Frezenberg was a redoubt called Borry Farm, holding sixty to eighty Bavarians with machine guns. The position was too strong for the infantry to take, but the Irish battled on until these troops which had essayed an attack on the fortification lay dead or wounded before it. Others pushed forward to Hill 35, as this ridge which dominated the surrounding ground was known and for a time that eminence was actually held. Continued on Page Five



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NEWS OF NORFOLK FEARED HE COULD NEVER WORK AGAIN

Holidayists From Scotland Passed Through Simcoe Yesterday
A LIFE SAVING CASE
Ted Richards To Be Honored For Heroism in the Water

Write Simcoe Agency Box 311 or 'phone 356-3 all matters regarding delivery or subscriptions; News items or advertisements.

Simcoe, Aug. 22.—(From our own correspondent)—Scores of autos, passed through town, southward during the forenoon yesterday. They returned before nightfall, and we learned that Scotland was holding a civic holiday. The Baptist and the scattered procession was the best of its kind this year. Rev. L. H. Fall and Rev. A. J. Orr, ministers of the respective churches, were along with a twin Sabbath school picnic, and business men all turned out for a gala day and they had it.

The Call Answered
We had advice last evening that our suggestion regarding public recognition for young Ted Richards, for life saving, has been acted upon, and our informant assures us that something will be done promptly. We have been reminded that Chas. Wetherspoon, mentioned by Richards as having taught him to swim, on a former occasion, with assistance from Robert Franklin, then very little had, were granted scout honors for life saving, somewhat more than a year ago, but the thing was done under a bushel. On enquiry we learn that the Franklin boy's family have up to the present heard nothing what ever of the incident.

Press Photographs
Mr. and Mrs. K. J. McCall, of St. Williams, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Misner. Miss Underhill, of Jarvis, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Fess, Colborne street.
At Waterford, last evening, Mrs. John McCool gave a farewell party in honor of her niece, Miss Lulu Wamsley, of Saskatoon, who leaves to-day for home, after a few weeks' visit "down east."

Postmaster I. D. Lawson, returned last night from a fortnight's visit beyond the border in Michigan.
Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Martin have taken up residence at 76 Norfolk St., south.
Mrs. H. W. Knight and two sons, of Walton, N.Y., left yesterday for home after a six weeks' visit with Mrs. Knight's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stinson.
Mrs. Thesita Melick, of Dunville, is visiting her brother, Mr. Oscar Clark.
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCreedy are on a holiday trip to New Brunswick.

Odd Ends of News
The fire brigade practice on Monday night was held in the vicinity of the Woolen Mills. The policy appears to be to get the men acquainted with all parts of the town, as successive practices are held in different sections of late. This was Chief Kendall's first outing at the head of the brigade, and by the way, Mr. Kendall was regularly appointed. Nothing remains but the formal recognition of the council at its next meeting. Mr. Kendall did not "assume" the position, as has been stated by the Simcoe Reformer.
Mrs. Lucy Matthews, of Frogmore, was brought to Simcoe on Saturday afternoon and awaits removal to Hamilton, for medical treatment. The unfortunate woman is but 26 years of age.
She appears to have overtaken her energies in the care of her three small children. Her ultimate recovery from slight mental affliction is hoped for.

A Fourth Partner?
For some time past residents in the vicinity have considered that a fourth partner had joined the trio who have produced such an excellent garden on the parish glebe. It turned out however that the new comer came of his own accord and carried off what he willed, onions or spraying equipment, boot, blacking and brush—anything desired. Rumor has it that part of the missing property has been returned but the "find" are not going to let the crown know anything about the matter lest some legal proceedings should follow so we have decided not to say anything more about it. By Jimmie perhaps we've said too much already.

Good Roads.
The good roads committee had a
A GOOD COMPLEXION MEANS PURE BLOOD
Everybody that wants a fine, glowing, youthful skin, should take old reliable Hood's Sarsaparilla, a physician's prescription, which gives a clear, healthy color. When your blood is made pure, pimples, boils, bites, eczema disappear.
Languor, loss of appetite, tired feeling, weakness are symptoms of impure, unhealthy blood.
Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood. Get a bottle today.

SHEPPARD HAD BREAKDOWN AND WAS FORCED TO LEAVE HIS JOB

A few evenings ago Mrs. Florence Sheppard, wife of Augustus Sheppard, a well known employe of P. E. Elliot & Co. who resides at 87 McRoberts Avenue, Toronto, went into Tamblin's for a bottle of Tanlac and said: "Tanlac certainly is fine medicine. Why a little over a week ago my husband got in such a bad condition he had to stop work. He was told he must go to the hospital and be operated on, and I was almost crazy. A week ago to-night I bought a bottle of Tanlac for him and in two days he was back at work and he has been working regular ever since."

In an interview a day or so later Mr. Sheppard said: "I had what you would call a general nervous breakdown, and for six or seven weeks was in terrible shape. The trouble seemed to come on me all of a sudden and before I hardly knew it I was in a serious condition. I was under treatment and kept taking medicine without getting any better, and was finally told I would have to be operated on, and to get ready to go to the hospital. My appetite left me entirely and I got so all I could take when I went to the table was a cup of tea. My strength and energy all seemed to leave me, and while I was in no particular pain, I kept getting weaker. I would have dizzy spells, when everything seemed to be going round and round. I would have to grab hold of the nearest support to steady myself, and one day I was so overcome with weakness, that I fainted and had to be carried out of the shop. I lost over ten pounds in weight, and was dwindling away to nothing. I worked just as long as I could hold my head up, and finally I was forced to give up. I was off for ten days, and when I returned to my job, I was back to work any more."

"So on Saturday night my wife came home with a bottle of Tanlac and urged me to take it, saying she had read so much about it, she believed it would help me. Well, I started in on it and you may believe me or not, but Monday morning I was so much better that I went back to work and I haven't lost an hour since. I have picked up every day since I started on Tanlac, and my friends are already talking about how much better I look. I certainly do feel a thousand times better, and I have never had a better appetite, and I eat just anything set before me and I'm feeling strong and good. Tanlac has simply given me a new lease on life, and saved me from the operating table. Things were looking pretty bad for me and my wife and we both were feeling mighty blue, but the gloom is all gone now, and we are grateful for what Tanlac has done for me."

Tanlac is sold in Brantford by Milton H. Robertson & Co. Ltd., in Orillia by M. H. Cooke, in Elmhurst by W. J. McDevote, in Letroy by C. E. Ardill, in Stagnier by N. B. West, in Coldwater by C. G. Millard, in Midland by George Gerrie.

busy session yesterday at organization work. The designated roads now being county roads are under county control and up keep. They are to be grouped in divisions over each of which a superintendent is to be appointed by the engineer. In order to draw from the legislature the 40 per cent or 60 per cent expended on these roads must be done along permanent lines, and according to the Engineer's instructions. It would appear that Engineer Marston had enough to do just now, if the trunk sewer had only thought so and behaved better.

The Boys in Khaki.
Henry Howarth is improving from shell shock, at Sussex, Hastings. Thos. Payne is still instructing with the 7th Reserve at Seafor. Robert Keith away over age, and a heavy stout man, when last heard from was doing his 10 miles daily in Belgium.
James Deans, is back to Canada, located at Hillton Hills, was in town last week. The family have gone down over the Mountain.
Wm. F. Hooker, of 119 Maple st. came to Simcoe yesterday evening. Too many children and probably some matches about the place. The brigade was not called out.
Pte. Chas. Bradow got his discharge yesterday.

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J. M. GODFREY, K.C.
of Toronto, is mentioned in connection with appointments to be made to the Ottawa cabinet.



HUGH GUTHRIE, M.P. for Wellington who is mentioned in connection with appointments to be made to the Ottawa cabinet.

BURTCH
(From our own correspondent)
Rev. Mr. Orr, of Scotland Congregational Church, officiated at the afternoon service on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Vale being away on his vacation. The sermon was very interesting in spite of the warmth of the day, and was appreciated by quite a large congregation. Rev. Mr. Orr will conduct the service next Sunday also at 3 p.m. There are accommodations for every one who is inclined to come.

Mr. and Mrs. David Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell and family spent Sunday at Mr. George Campbell's.
Master Irwin McIntyre spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Smith.
Misses Laura and Marion King spent Thursday with Miss Jeanetta Chaplin.
Miss C. Cook has returned from spending a few days with her cousin Miss Edith Secord.
Misses Minnie and Evangeline McIntyre, Miss Annie Swift, Mr. Douglas Eldridge and Mr. Charles Eadie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Reeder.

Master Lloyd Buckwell had the misfortune to run a pitch fork through his hand while assisting on the farm of Mr. Charles Thompson. We sincerely hope the result will not be serious, and that he may soon be able to resume his work, as every available help is necessary in these busy times of harvest.
Mr. Gordon Johnson has been the holiday guest of his aunt, Mrs. Walter Thompson.

Miss Edith Buckwell spent Sunday with friends in Brantford.
Mrs. Clarence Wheeler and baby Margaret, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Aca Wheeler.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smington and Mrs. John Smington, from Brantford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Franklin.
Miss Annie Swift was a week-end visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Will Eadie.
The Misses Bauslaugh were the guests of the Misses Buckwell on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Chapin were visiting friends in Canning last Monday and Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bellhouse and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Emms on Sunday.
The Philathea Cities held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Miss Edith Wheeler, on Wednesday afternoon. Quite a number of the girls were present, and an enjoyable as well as profitable time was spent. The hostess, with the assistance of her mother, served a very dainty lunch, after which the girls, in a merry group, attended prayer meeting at the church. Miss Esther Wheeler was also a welcome guest at the meeting.

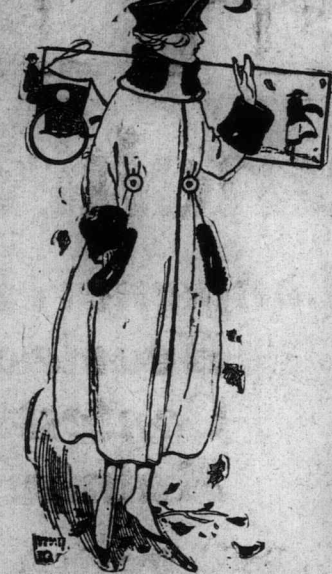
Miss Joseph Bygraves, of Brantford, has been spending a week at the home of her aunt, Mrs. John Campbell.
The mid-week prayer meeting was led by Miss Nellie Houlding, on Wednesday evening, and her talk, taken from II Chronicles, 5th chapter, was very interesting.

HARVEST HELP EXCURSIONS.
\$12.00 TO WINNIPEG
The Grand Trunk Railway System will sell Harvest Help Excursion tickets to Winnipeg on the following dates:
August 21st and 30th from all stations, Toronto, and East to Lyn, Ont., and north to Huntsville, Meaford, etc.
August 23rd and 30th from all stations Toronto and West and South.
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And further that notice such date all the assets of will be distributed among entitled thereto.
Dated at Brantford this August, 1917.

CONDENSED TIM TABLE
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Table with columns: BRANTFORD TILSONBURG, Departure, Arrival, Station names like Brantford, Tilsonburg, etc.

Table with columns: G. T. R. ARRIVALS, Main Line, Station names like Brantford, Toronto, etc.

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Notice to Creditors. Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Nancy March, late of the City of Brantford...

THE CORRESPONDENCE

Which Passed Between The Prime Minister and Rogers

Affords Still Further Evidence of the Union Government Sincerity of Sir Robert Borden

Ottawa, Aug. 21.—The correspondence which passed between Sir Robert Borden and Hon. Robert Rogers in regard to the treatment of the Premier's minister of public works was read to the House by the Premier today and created keen interest.

The correspondence reveals the intense earnestness and sincerity of Sir Robert Borden in his negotiations with the Hon. Robert Rogers. The Premier's minister of public works was read to the House by the Premier today and created keen interest.

Canada's Situation. Never in my long experience have I witnessed more clearly than I do today the opportunity that rests with us for great good. We have only to remember that we are in a war in which Canada's all is at stake.

General Proposal. When Sir Wilfrid Laurier two months ago refused your minister's proposal to play a part in forming a union war government he was not in the least less sincere than he is now.

A Great Burden. The Canadian people understand that at the outbreak of the war the Government have had forced upon them conditions of the like of which no Government in Canada had been before.

Refresh Memory. As to inaction, let me call the following consideration to your attention. Since my return to Ottawa in the middle of May, numerous questions of the very highest national importance have been taken up and dealt with.

MARKETS. VEGETABLES. Corn, dozen 20 Cucumbers, basket 0.50 Cabbage, each 0.05 Tomatoes, box 1.15 Radishes, bunch 0.50 Potatoes, large basket 0.60 Potatoes, small basket 0.50 Peas, green, shelled, per quart 0.20 Peas, peck 0.40 to 0.40 Celery, bunch 0.05 to 0.08 Turnip, basket 0.30 to 0.30 Cabbage, each 0.05 to 0.10 Onions, pk 0.75 to 0.80 Potatoes, small basket 0.50 Cabbage, dozen 0.50 to 1.00 Cherries black, basket 0.80

MARKETS. FRUITS. Cherries box 2 for 0.25 Strawberries, basket 0.75 to 1.00 Red Currants, box 0.25 Black Currants, box 0.20 Black Raspberries, box 0.20

MARKETS. EAST BUFFALO MARKET. East Buffalo, Aug. 22.—Cattle, receipts 300; slow. Veals—Receipts 150; slow; 8.00 to 10.00. Hogs—Receipts 400; slow. Heavy mixed and Yorkers, 19.75 to 20.00; light Yorkers, 16.75 to 17.50; pigs, 16.00 to 16.75; roughs 17.75 to 18.15; stags, 14.00 to 15.50.

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Under these circumstances, your suggestion that there has been inaction on the part of the Government seems entirely unwarranted.

Party Controversy Avoided. I do not intend, admit (and perhaps your charge relates to this) that during that period I have not occupied myself in party controversy or resorted to partisan attack.

Settlement of Soldiers. The Government also gave close attention to arrangements for assisting the settlement of returned soldiers upon the land and suitable provisions for that purpose were made in the soldiers' settlement bill which has passed both the House of Commons and the Senate.

1. Compulsory military service. All my colleagues know the enormous amount of time and labor bestowed upon this question and in the preparation of the measure in which it passed through the various stages introduced by me on the 11th of June, and has passed the House of Commons and the Senate, and it now stands for the consideration of some important amendments made in the Senate.

2. The imposition of a tax upon incomes above a certain amount. This subject required the most attentive study in the consideration of its scope and details. After much deliberation the measure was introduced by me on the 11th of June, and has passed the House of Commons and the Senate, and it now stands for the consideration of some important amendments made in the Senate.

3. Extension of Parliamentary term. While this subject did not involve the consideration of the course of the Government had to be most carefully considered; and you will agree that in importance it does not rank below any of the great questions which have been determined by the Government.

4. Railway legislation. Only those who have been called upon to face the problems which have confronted Canada during the past few years can realize the difficulties and complexities which had to be met in dealing with this question. It demands and received the most earnest and unremitting study and attention ever given to any subject.

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Wednesday, Aug. 22nd, 1917.

THE SITUATION

Canadian forces at the front continue to "carry on." There is nothing of a referendum nature about their course of conduct, but straight driving at the enemy to the full value of every ounce there is in them.

The Verdun front, the French are continuing their recently launched offensive with unstayed success. They have taken more villages, more trenches, more prisoners and more material.

The Italians, also, in the Isonzo operations, are commencing to make the Austrian lines crack, and in addition to a number of fortified positions, they have, up to date, bagged over ten thousand prisoners.

In Washington yesterday, another loan of \$50,000,000 was made to the Allies, making a total to date of \$1,966,400,000.

SIR WILFRID WRITES A LETTER. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is manifestly getting anxious with references to the number of Liberals who, all over the Dominion, have declared that they cannot follow a leader who fails to endorse him out and out win the war policy.

And well he may be. In Winnipeg, at a mass meeting, the rank and file of the party in Manitoba have repudiated the outcome of the machine dominated convention previously held, and in Ontario the Liberal members and candidates who met in caucus in Toronto have had their attitude generally challenged. It turned out later that a false report of proceedings had been given out to the press, which in itself constitutes another evidence of the desperate tactics of the men who are vainly trying to keep Sir Wilfrid's followers in line.

In a letter sent to Mr. Wise, secretary of the "Win the War League" of Toronto, but intended for the general public, Laurier, tries to square himself and doesn't succeed.

He was asked by Mr. Wise to put a "definite limit" on the time he desired for the continuation of voluntary enlistment and his answer is once more the evasive one of "Referendum".

In plain English he refuses to come out four square for conscription because of Quebec, and that is why Liberals in the other Provinces will continue to balk with regard to his leadership.

During the course of his epistle Sir Wilfrid severely arraigns the Borden administration. That of course is in his opinion the Borden Government has not done well in war matters.

As to that does any sensible man, or woman, believe that with himself in power, and under Quebec domination one title of the things would have been accomplished which have been done?

For himself Laurier declares that there should be a conference with "Great Britain and her Allies" to ascertain how and to what extent Canadian participation in the war can be "utilized to the greatest advantage." Anyone would suppose from such a statement that the struggle was just commencing. This Dominion knows full well what she can do. It is men, and produce and munitions and in all these respects up to date, the record is an excellent one.

He further asserts that a Government should be brought into being composed as far as "possible of the ablest men of all classes." No reference here it will be noticed to Conservatives whom he evidently regards as taboo.

A third postulate is that voluntary

enlistment can still be continued with success. The facts are all against that and the method would enable Quebec to continue as a slinker.

Altogether this latest effusion of the Liberal chief will serve to still further demonstrate that he is an utter impossibility in the present crisis.

THE BORDEN-ROGERS CORRESPONDENCE.

The publication of the correspondence which passed between Premier Borden and Hon. Mr. Rogers serves to still further bring into bold relief the earnestness with which Sir Robert has been seeking to bring about a coalition government in this testing period. Mr. Rogers considers that he has been too patient and hence his withdrawal from the cabinet. His charge that the government has been inactive is fully and unanswerably met by the first minister while the latter has once again demonstrated his sincerity and singleness of purpose on behalf of establishing a strong ministry representative of all elements irrespective of party affiliations. If he cannot do this with recognized leaders he proposes to go to others prominent in the ranks.

THE GLOBE BALKS

The following extracts are taken from a leading editorial in the Toronto Globe of this morning: "Sir Wilfrid's formula will not reconcile the conflicting views of Liberals, because it attempts the impossible. He adheres to the device of a referendum, which even his Western Liberal friends declined to endorse. He would consult Great Britain and her allies as to the contributions desired from Canada, but he outlines no plan to insure a compliance with their requests. "A vigorous and compact system of voluntary enlistment, conceived and carried out on a strictly non-partisan and broadly national basis," would not answer the purpose unless accompanied by a pledge to apply compulsion if the recruiting campaign failed. Such a pledge Sir Wilfrid does not give."

KELVIN

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Mr. Ben D. Livingston of Tillsonburg, was calling on his aunt in this section on Sunday.

Mr. Earl Racher of Norwich, spent Sunday with his uncle in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, spent one day last week with relatives in Waterloo.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McMicking and daughter of Toronto, were guests at Cedar Lawn on Friday.

A number from here attended the funeral on Sunday afternoon of the late George Howey of Vanessa.

Mrs. Charles McNelles, spent Saturday in the Telephone city.

Mr. David Phillips, spent over Sunday with his brother, Mr. John A. Phillips, of Brantford.

Mr. Andrew Slaght and daughter, Miss Beulah, are spending a few days with relatives in Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Racher spent Thursday with the former's brother in Norwich.

Mrs. F. A. Goring has returned home after spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. John McCombs of La Salette.

Mr. Pursley of Simcoe, was thru here on business one day last week.

We had a nice shower of rain here on Thursday which was greatly appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Clark and children spent Sunday with the latter's parents in Testerville, Mr. and Mrs. James Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. McCombs and sons, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Clarke.



ITALIANS FINE VICTORY

The renewed Italian drive on Trieste is illustrated on the accompanying map, which locates Ancona, about midway between Tolmino and Gorizia where the Italians crossed the Isonzo, and Plava, from which point down to the sea they crossed the enemy's front line. The possession of three heights viz: Monte Santo, San Gabriello, and Hermaza are necessary to the Italian plan of campaign against the Adriatic seaport.

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Alisa Craig ... Oct. 5
Alvinston ... Oct. 9, 10
Amherstburg ... Oct. 1, 2
Atwood ... Sept. 18, 19
Ancestor ... Sept. 18, 19
Beamsville ... Sept. 21, 22
Blenheim ... Oct. 4, 5
Blyth ... Oct. 2, 3
Bothwell's Corners ... Sept. 20, 21
Bowmanville ... Sept. 18, 19
Brampton ... Sept. 21, 22
Bridgen ... Oct. 1, 2
Brighton ... Sept. 13, 14
Brussels ... Oct. 4, 5
Burford ... Oct. 2, 3
Caledonia ... Oct. 11, 12
Barrie ... Sept. 17, 19
Brookville ... Aug. 20, 23
Collingwood ... Sept. 19, 21
Campbellford ... Sept. 25, 26
Cayuga ... Sept. 25, 26
Charlton ... Sept. 26, 27
Hanover ... Sept. 20, 21
Chatham ... Sept. 18, 20
Chesley ... Sept. 18, 19
Leamington ... Oct. 8-5
Comber ... Sept. 28, 29
Dorchester Station ... Oct. 3
Dresden ... Sept. 27, 28
Drumbo ... Sept. 25, 26
Dunnville ... Sept. 13, 14
Elmhurst ... Sept. 14, 15
Embrow ... Oct. 4
Essex ... Sept. 18, 20
Flesherton ... Thanksgiving Day
Pergus ... Sept. 26, 27
Forence ... Oct. 4, 5
Forest ... Sept. 26, 27
Fore Erie ... Oct. 9, 10
Galt ... Oct. 4, 5
Georgetown ... Oct. 3, 4
Glencoe ... Sept. 25, 26
Godardich ... Sept. 26, 28
Gorrie ... Oct. 6
Highgate ... Oct. 12, 13
Ingersoll ... Oct. 1, 2
Jarvis ... Sept. 26, 27
Kincaidine ... Sept. 20, 21
Kirkton ... Oct. 4, 5
Kingston ... Sept. 25, 27
Lakeside ... Sept. 27, 29
Lambeth ... Sept. 27, 28
London (Western Fair) ... Sept. 7-15
Luoknow ... Sept. 27, 28
Listowel ... Sept. 20, 21
Colborne ... Sept. 11, 12
Medco ... Oct. 3
Meaford ... Sept. 27, 28
Merlin ... Sept. 20, 21
Melbourne ... Oct. 2
Midland ... Sept. 27, 29
Minto ... Sept. 17, 19
Milton ... Oct. 9, 10
Milverton ... Sept. 27, 28
Mount Brydges ... Oct. 5
Mount Forest ... Sept. 19, 20
New Hamburg ... Sept. 23, 24
Norwich ... Sept. 25, 26
Norwood ... Oct. 9, 10
Orangeville ... Sept. 28, 19
Ottawa (Central Canada) ... Sept. 27
Oshawa ... Oct. 8-5
Onondaga ... Oct. 1, 2
Palaley ... Sept. 25, 26
Palmerston ... Sept. 18, 19
Paris ... Sept. 27, 28
Parkhill ... Sept. 24, 25
Petrolia ... Sept. 20, 21
Ridgeway ... Oct. 8-10
Ripley ... Sept. 25, 26
Rodney ... Oct. 1, 2
Sarnia ... Sept. 25, 26
Seaforth ... Sept. 20, 21
Shedden ... Sept. 19
Simcoe ... Oct. 8-10
Stratford ... Sept. 17-19
Sturtevant ... Sept. 17-19
Tara ... Oct. 2, 3
Taystock ... Oct. 2
Teeswater ... Oct. 2, 3
Thamesville ... Oct. 2, 3
Theford ... Sept. 20, 21
Thorndale ... Sept. 24, 25
Thornhill ... Sept. 18, 19
Tipton ... Oct. 2, 3
Toronto (C.N.E.) ... Aug. 25-Sept. 10
Wallaceburg ... Sept. 26
Wallacetown ... Sept. 20, 21
Waterford ... Sept. 27
Walford ... Oct. 2, 3
Welland ... Oct. 1-5
Weston ... Sept. 14, 15
Wingham Centre ... Sept. 25
Wheatley ... Oct. 1, 2
Winston ... Sept. 25, 26
Windsor ... Sept. 24-27
Wingham ... Oct. 9, 10
Woodstock ... Sept. 19-20
Wyoming ... Oct. 4, 5
Zurich ... Sept. 19, 20

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CANADIAN RENEW LENS DRIVE; ENEMY IS ENCIRCLED

Canucks Fought Their Way With Bombs and Bayonets, Defying the Efforts of Enemy Officers to Rally Their Men

By R. T. SMALL. Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press. British Headquarters in France, Aug. 21.—Two thousand yards of German positions, west and north-west of Lens have been captured by the Canadian forces in a drive started early to-day. Three counter-attacks by the Germans met with repulse. The fierce battle which began at dawn, continued throughout the day at close quarters, and late yesterday afternoon there was no diminution in the intensity of the struggle between the attacking Canadians and the Germans, but the Canadians have the upper hand. The Canadians this morning fought their way forward with bombs and bayonets, and occupied important enemy defences north-west and south-west of the heart of the city, and since then the Germans have been sending in wave after wave of infantry in desperate counter attacks. The Canadians have held strongly and the Germans have suffered very heavy casualties, as they must have expected from the nature of their counter-attack, in which no thought is given to the cost in life. The striking feature of the battle lies in the fact that the Germans also had massed troops for a counter-attack to draw against the newly acquired Canadian positions in the north-west environs of Lens and had actually started their advance, when they were surprised by encountering the outstanding Canadians in No Man's Land. Both offensives had begun at the same hour, but a heavy mist hung over the ground, and the Germans were apparently unaware of one of the most sanguinary conflicts which the battle scarred theatre has seen. On the north-west the Canadians threw themselves upon the enemy lines just as the first gray streaks of day were appearing. From the start and taken up new posts, which they were already advancing to attack, it was a struggle with hand bombs and bayonets, but the Canadians attacks.

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LOCAL

WOUNDED. Pte. D. Post, 13 Bowers was reported in this afternoon's list, as wounded.

CARDS FROM FRONT. Post cards from Sergt. Rhodes and Private Charles were received from the front. Col. H. F. Leonard this morning.

LETTER FROM FRONT. An interesting letter was this morning by city clerk H. H. Jones with the 1st Co. Corp. Jones states that the his unit are "getting thinned moved" to other places so they are now scattered.

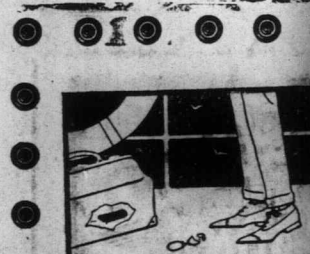
VISITORS BEATEN. Four rinks of bowlers from Sydneyham Street greens, via George last evening, being the four shots.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

WOUNDED

Pte. D. Post, 13 Bowers Avenue, was reported in this afternoon's official list, as wounded.

CARDS FROM FRONT.

Post cards from Sgt. William Rhodes and Private Charles Platt were received from the front by Lt.-Col. H. F. Leonard this morning.

LETTER FROM FRONT.

An interesting letter was received this morning by city clerk H. F. Leonard from Corp. H. J. Jones who left Brantford with the 1st Contingent Corp. Jones states that the men of his unit are "getting thinned out and moved to other places so that they are now scattered."

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LIFE BOUY ON HAND.

Ample precautions against drowning accidents are being taken by the city engineer's department that has supervised the construction of the municipal swimming pool in West Brantford. A life buoy has been prepared and plainly marked "For Danger Only" and will be placed in a convenient place near the pool where it can be secured in a few seconds by any intrepid youngster venture beyond his depth.

CONSCRIPTION

Orders are expected soon in the city in regard to the procedure to be adopted, now that the Conscription Bill has passed both houses of parliament. No instructions have yet been received, but it is practically certain that when the measure is enforced, every man of military age will be considered as a soldier; if his services are not immediately required, he will be placed on leave of absence without pay until called up.

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BOOST FOR INTER-CITY BASEBALL

Negotiations are now proceeding toward the formation of an Inter-City League, composed of various cities of Western Ontario. Games will be played on Saturdays and the winners of the schedule will be acclaimed the champions of Western Ontario. Local baseball enthusiasts are entering heartily into the proposed scheme, which it is expected, will include Brantford, Toronto, Hamilton, London, St. Thomas, Windsor, Woodstock and Sarnia.

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GALLEJA HAS LITTLE TO SAY

Maltese Held on Murder Charge Maintains Inconspicuous Demeanor

There has been no perceptible change in the demeanor of Carmon Galleja, the Maltese now in custody at the county gaol for the alleged murder of Gio Barta Bornoello, a fellow countryman. The accused man goes quietly about the performance of the daily routine at the gaol, spending most of his time in looking over books and pictures. He occupies a corridor by himself and is segregated from the other prisoners. Occasionally a guard follows him out in the order yard for exercise and does small duties falling to the lot of the ordinary prisoner.

No visitors, with the exception of his lawyer are allowed in to see him. A Maltese arrived in the city yesterday from Windsor and applied at police headquarters for an opportunity to confer with him. The applicant stated that he had formerly been employed in this city and had worked as a mate with Galleja but as the officials at the gaol, knew nothing of the man, permission was refused unless a reliable interpreter could be secured who could understand the effect of the conversation and faithfully report it to the police. He was told that if the interpreter who acted at the hearings in the police court could be secured, admission would be allowed but not under any other circumstances.

The prisoner gives little trouble and accepts his confinement with solid indifference. As he can speak English only with difficulty and has only an elementary knowledge of the language conversation with his goalers is difficult. He has a good appetite and sleeps well. The date of his trial has been set for the 19th of November at the Court of Assizes for which the Honorable Mr. Justice Masten has been slated to preside with a jury.

DOLAN BACK.

Another well known Canadian Leaguer is back paying a short visit to the circuit. "Cosey" Dolan the right handed twirler who performed for Hamilton is back in the Ambitious City for a short holiday and is renewing old acquaintances. He has played but little ball this year.

POLICE COURT.

A government inspector of shells at the Dominion Steel Products factory, in the Holmedale, suspicions of the actions of a foreigner employed on munitions, and thinking him an alien, communicated his suspicions to the superintendent, and when he received no satisfaction, reported the matter to the police and requested that an investigation be made. Constable Boylan was sent down to the factory yesterday to secure the necessary particulars. He was refused the name of the man by W. R. Thompson, a clerk in the office. As a result of his refusal to assist the officer, Thompson appeared in the docket at the police court this morning to face a charge of obstructing the police in the execution of their duty. He was admonished by Magistrate Calbeck and Spence to be more obliging in the future, and it was pointed out to him, that being a Britisher, it was to his interests and in the best interests of the firm to assist in the detection of any aliens who might be employed there. The entire trouble turned out to be a false alarm, however, as the supposed "alien" upon investigation, was discovered to be an Armenian.

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Obituary

M. C. Watt

Word has reached the city of the death in St. Paul, Minn., on the 16th of August, of Melvin C. Watt, in his sixty-second year, second son of the late Robert Watt, and last surviving brother of R. E. Watt, 31 Durham Street, of this city. A widow and two adult daughters are left by the deceased.

G.T.R. Must Act Says Mayor

"The mills of the gods grind slowly, but at that I think that the Grand Trunk Railway has had plenty of time to consider the proposal of the city in regard to the St. Paul's Avenue subway, made some time ago," stated Mayor Bowley this morning, "and unless some action is taken very soon I shall again take up the matter with the company."

The city offered to allow the company to close up the Great Western station on Colborne street for general traffic, and to waive all claims to the fulfillment of the terms of the original agreement, whereby the railway promised to construct a spur into the Holmedale and to provide shunting facilities into Eagle Place. In return the city wants the Grand Trunk to bear the entire expense in connection with the building of the St. Paul's Avenue subway and to turn over the land adjacent to the Colborne street station to allow Clarence Street to proceed to the canal.

"It is certainly in the interests of the Grand Trunk to agree to the offer," concluded His Worship.

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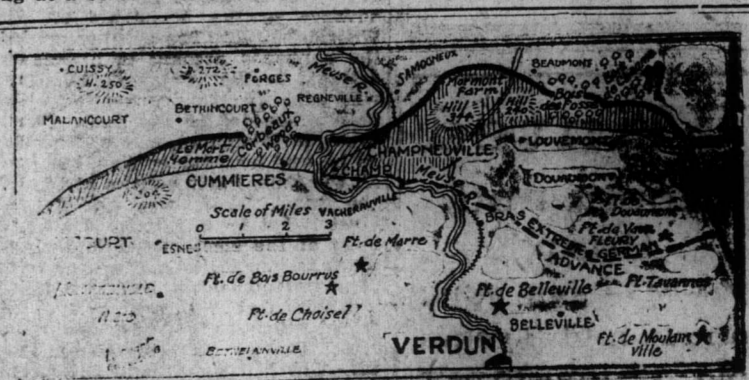
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WESTERN LIBERALS INSIST ON WIN-THE-WAR LEADER

Laurier Repudiated by Gathering in South Winnipeg; Declaration Made For Non Partizan Government

Winnipeg, Aug. 21.—The meeting of South Winnipeg Liberals held today as a protest against the machine-made conclusions of the recent convention gave unmistakable evidence that it will support no leader who is not definitely and unalterably pledged to a most vigorous win-the-war programme and to the principle of national government for the distinct purpose of carrying that programme into effect. The meeting was held in the great Convention Hall of the Industrial Bureau S. Winnipeg which with an electorate on the Dominion franchise of over thirty thousand, regards itself as one of the pivotal constituencies of the West. Ex-Mayor R. D. Waugh acted as chairman, and E. E. Bowles, a local barrister, was secretary of the meeting. Mr. Waugh, in opening the meeting, said he was not going to say anything about the late Liberal convention held in the same hall. The present was not a machine-made meeting, but a meeting of citizens, freely gathered together to discuss serious public questions. He struck a resounding note in the audience when he recounted how in his term as Mayor of Winnipeg, in the opening years of the war, he had promised the boys of Winnipeg and the boys of the West passing through Winnipeg that they would be upheld in their fight even as in the stress of battle Moses had upheld the hands of Aaron. So he had spoken their own words, he said, and he now still spoke the people of Winnipeg and the West. (Prolonged applause.)

Mr. Waugh appealed to the individual elector to cast his ballot solely in relation to his duty to the boys at the front. "Are we tied up on the war? Are we at home slackers?" asked the speaker. "Can't we be as loyal as our heroic boys at the front? What can we do? We can do this. We will support no Government at Ottawa that is not there save for the sole business of winning the war. I am not speaking of Tory or Liberal. I am speaking of a non-partisan, union Government, devoted to that purpose only." (Renewed cheers.) "We Liberals," said Mr. Waugh impressively, "can follow no leader who is not pledged to this single purpose."

Mr. Waugh appealed to the individual elector to cast his ballot solely in relation to his duty to the boys at the front. On the invitation of the chairman, Isaac Pitblado, G.O. addressed the meeting on the objects of the convention. Many Liberals in South Winnipeg had been shocked and angered by the result of the Liberal Convention in Winnipeg, when the world was told the Liberals of Western Canada were against conscription, and for Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Therefore this meeting of protest had been called—not to criticize nor to justify the delegates at that convention, but for the purpose of putting in concrete form the sentiment of the electorate of South Winnipeg on national issues.

Honor Before Politics. That convention had its good effects; it should be the rough jolt that had awakened the people from their lethargy and had crystallized public opinion to put the Liberal Party before partisan politics and the business of winning the war before party opportunism. Personally the speaker was out-and-out in favor of compulsory military service and of the compulsory contribution of wealth. He could not, in the crisis, endorse the leadership of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, however much he might admire his sincerity and the great contribution he had made in the past to Liberalism. Mr. Pitblado proceeded to read the resolution introduced by Dr. Neely at the Liberal convention, declaring the resolution had been drafted to indicate the conscription of men. But subsequent events had shown that some at the convention had regarded this as an equivocal resolution, facing two ways, for the purpose of playing politics. This, said the speaker was proven by the fact that the resolution had proved satisfactory and cheering to Sir Wilfrid Laurier. "Knowing," said Mr. Pitblado, "Sir Wilfrid's views on conscription I cannot be satisfied with a resolution on a conscription that he finds satisfactory and cheering."

"Were the Liberals of South Winnipeg satisfied with such a resolution?" "No, no," from many parts of the hall. Sinister Influence. There were, said Mr. Pitblado, in that convention, a large number of sincere win-the-war delegates, but over the whole convention was the sinister influence of men who pledged in advance to the leadership of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The speaker quoted the published account of a Calgary delegate in the Calgary Albertan, who said that the convention had been stamped by the Hon. Chas. Cross, of Edmonton, who had declared he was for Laurier first, last and all the time. Party politics had ruled the roost. What was the moral? Must it not be to inflame the sentiment of the electorate of South Winnipeg to put patriotism before party? Mr. Pitblado said he had been called a traitor to the Liberal party. He would rather suffer under that innuendo than be a traitor to his true self and to his Liberal principles. (Loud applause.)

The speaker said four resolutions would be presented. The first in favor of conscription of men and wealth; the second, in regard to the leadership of Sir Wilfrid Laurier; the third, in promotion of a union Government; and the fourth, of the necessary measures to that end.

LAURIER'S POLICY OF DEFERRENT REPLY

Urged to Specify Position on War Measures, Deals in Generalities

TO WIN-WAR LEAGUE Contends That a Federal Election is Imperative at Present Juncture

Ottawa, Aug. 22.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied yesterday, in a letter to Frank W. Taylor, secretary of the Win-the-war League, to a resolution of the Hamilton Branch of that organization, urging him to place a definite limit upon the time he desires for the continuance of the voluntary enlistment, to specify the method of stimulating enlistment he proposes, and to state that if the voluntary system fails to produce the required reinforcements for the front he will support conscription measures. The leader of the Opposition complies with none of the requests. Instead, he asserts that in 1914 he was convinced that in the present struggle the very existence of democracy and civilization was at stake, and that Canada should exert its full strength in that struggle through an intelligent organization and mobilization of all resources. He says he was never invited to join a national, union war government, but to join the Borden administration after the Prime Minister had committed himself to a policy which, according to evidence of not a few of our fellow-citizens in all the provinces, was in the saddle.

It had been the hope of himself and the other Manitoba delegates to the late Liberal convention that a middle way would be found on which the country could agree. They had been disappointed, and now the responsibility devolved on those who led the negotiations in hand for forming a win-the-war government.

Not in Favor of Laurier. Premier Norris, who followed said that the Liberal convention held four months previously had been called because the Parliament of Canada had reached a deadlock, and appealed to Western Canada for a lead. Great had been the expectations. Conservatives had hoped, perhaps, the Liberal convention would deliver the Western Liberals, bound in the hands of the Conservative party.

Some Liberals, perhaps, had thought that the convention would lead the Liberal party away from the leadership of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, they knew not where. He himself had been greatly disappointed by the result of the convention. (Cries of "Quit stalling." "Come out flat-footed.")

After order was restored Premier Norris said that the resolutions adopted by the convention might be endorsed by any Liberal at all. But the war resolution and the resolution dealing with Laurier's leadership had been laid open, and stung by the result of the Liberal Convention in Winnipeg, when the world was told the Liberals of Western Canada were against conscription, and for Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

"I am not in favor of it now," said the premier, amid cheers. Will Support Premier Borden. Mr. Norris then read a resolution he had submitted advocating the formation of a western Liberal party, and pledged to no leader. But this had been defeated by the delegates from further West. He believed that his solution of a solid Western Liberal party was a better one than the general declaration of policy adopted to support any government, single in its aim to win the war was the correct one.

Canadian Liberals, said Premier Norris, have not yet abandoned the idea of a solid Western group. But if that was impossible of attainment the next best thing would be a national government which would have the authority to enforce conscription. It was the duty of all Canadians to do what they could to form a national government, and to form it at once. The present Conservative government, in his opinion, had failed in its task. Influence should long ago have been brought to bear on Sir Robert Borden in the formation of a national government pledged to win the war. Manitoba Government Behind War. Whatever mistakes had been made in the past, it was up to the citizens of Western Canada to forget them for the moment, and to unite for a national government, that was ready to join hands with anyone prepared to work to that end. Sir Robert Borden had shown his sincerity by offering to retire if that would facilitate the carrying out of them. Incidentally, amid great applause, Premier Norris mentioned the name of Sir Adam Beck as big enough and trusted by them all for such a heavy responsibility.

Premier Norris stated that he considered that if a united government of the business men of Canada could be formed it would get the support of all Canadians, and thus remove the need of an election. Premier Norris concluded by saying that the Government of Manitoba and every member of that government stood for conscription, and was behind the war to the last man and the last dollar. (Great applause.)

GIRL SHOT. Montreal, Aug. 21.—Fifteen year old Annette Daoust, shot on the doorstep of her home, Delorimier avenue, by Rene Larocque, 18 years old, who was showing her a revolver, was taken last night to the Royal Victoria Hospital in a very critical condition. The girl was shot through the chest. Larocque was taken into custody.

BENDER HELD CUBS TO ONE SAFE SINGLE

Big Chief Back in Old-Time Form Against Chicago Yesterday

REDS DEFEAT GIANTS Pittsburg and Brooklyn in a Thirteen Inning Tie, 3-3

Philadelphia, Aug. 21.—Bender's remarkable pitching featured the double header with Chicago here today, Philadelphia winning the first game, 6 to 2, and Chicago the second 4 to 2. Bender held Chicago to one single in the first game and he gave only two bases on balls, while he pitched to only 28 batters. An error by Luderus and the hard hitting in the sixth inning gave Chicago the victory in the second game. The scores: First game R.H.E. Chicago 6 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 Philadelphia 2 30 0 0 10 6 8 0 Batteries—Vaughan, Aldridge and Elliott; Bender and Killifer.

Second game R.H.E. Chicago 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 6 0 Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 2 4 1 Batteries—Carter and Wilson, Rixey, Lavender, Mear and Adams. AT BOSTON St. Louis, with Goodwin pitching good ball defeated Boston 1 to 0 in six innings today, the game being called because of rain. The one run came in the second—Hughes and Fischer, Wagner sacrificed, and after Baird had been thrown out Snyder's double scored a run. The score R.H.E. St. Louis 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 4 1 Boston 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 Batteries—Goodwin and Snyder; Hughes and Meyers.

Brooklyn and Pittsburg battled 13 innings to a tie yesterday, the score being 3 to 3. All the excitement was confined to the tenth inning, when with two out Pitler singled and scored with Fischer on the latter's home run drive to the scoreboard. Brooklyn tied the score again in his half on Daubert's single, Myers triple and Stengel's single. Pfeiffer gave way to a pinch hitter in the eleventh and Smith finished the game. The score: Pittsburg 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 3 8 1 Brooklyn 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 3 11 1 Batteries—Steale and Fischer, W. Wagner; Pfeiffer, Smith and O. Miller.

AT NEW YORK The New York Nationals lost their third straight game here yesterday, being beaten by Cincinnati 7 to 5. The winning streak of Pitcher Sallee of New York was broken after he had won ten straight games. Cincinnati won in the seventh inning, breaking a tie score by scoring twice on hits by Kopt, Chase and Magee. Outfielder Robert Christie of the Giants was called to his home in Norfolk, Va., for examination for the army draft. The score: Cincinnati 7 0 0 2 0 0 0 7 15 0 New York 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 9 2 Batteries—Ragan, Eller and Wingo, Sallee and Rariden.

Upon 3) To organize a vigorous and compact system of voluntary enlistment, conceived and carried out on strictly non-partisan and broadly national methods. 4) To devise and apply ways and means so that the full duty of Canada be generously performed toward our returned soldiers and the dependents of those who are called to contribute to the weight of Canada's burden. 5) To secure the just and proper share of our burdens, and the mass of the people efficiently safeguarded from the greed of war profiteers."

EIGHT KILLED. Saybrook Junction, Conn., Aug. 22.—Eight persons were killed when an engine struck an automobile at the grade crossing last night. The driver of the party is a ten year old girl, who gives the name of Louisa W. Weyel. The dead are two men, three women and three children. The identifications, made by means of messages from New Haven, are: Robert H. Rohloff, who owned and was driving the car; Gustave Weyel, his wife and three children; Mabel Wagner. The remaining body is that of an elderly woman.

CONDITION UNCHANGED. Paris, Aug. 22.—The condition of "Bobby" Walthour, the American bicycle racer, whose skull was fractured by a fall from his machine in a race on Sunday, was unchanged last night.

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Rippling Rhymes Walt Mason THE CANKERING COST The cost of living is so beastly my bank account it kills; my language is not chaste or priestly, when I pay up my bills. Retrenchment has to be my motto, if I'd survive at all, and so I use the same old auto you saw me buy last fall. You see me with all vain expenses remorselessly cut down; I only use two residences, one rural, one in town. It keeps me bustling, toiling, scuttling, to pay my bills when due, though I have but one butter writing, when I am used to two. My wife is raising a commo-

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London R Base Game Played in Britain U. S. Soldiers.

A Canadian soldier over the following from the London Mail of July 30. The O.K. reporter is apparently having a time of his young life trying up to baseball parlance. The effort: The turf arena of class invaded by a shouting crowd of derelict blue bank of hung wounded soldiers; a din-rattled on tins, horns, me and other instruments of amusement and encouragement; puzled, somewhat lonely Londoners on the stands; players padded like crusaders the middle of the playing field white goat in a brilliant coat!

That was the scene at 12 to 3, beat the United States the great baseball game of the century. "Now, then you are puzzled, somewhat lonely Londoners on the stands; players padded like crusaders the middle of the playing field white goat in a brilliant coat!" If the ghost of any old habitue glided on Saturday into the pavilion, what he saw would have shocked him. Baseball, it may be said, with is a superb evolution of British game of "rounders," partly a game played by "nines" (corresponding to cricket "elevens"). It is a game played by the two and crowd against the umpire Mr. Frederic William W. is a stirring, glorious game paralytically than cricket, players, for spectators, and all, for the umpire.

When, as a friend of the I was invited to witness a baseball game from the unique point of a position on the ground in a few yards of the batsmen, they were "swiping" looked at the wire netting shielded the stands and as I espied my chances of getting "Of course you may get hit the umpire. "Have you ever baseball travel from the U.S. say this—it's quick and especially if it gets your head."

Behind the batsman stands "catcher," close behind the stands the umpire. The batsman wears a sort of mattress-midriff. He needs it—half that the batsman falls to the fielded by the "catcher's" bo

SCENE OF NEW MALANCOURT CUMIERES AVOCOURT Ft Chase? Where the French opened both sides of the Meuse from

Pa Isn't Part ?

London Realizes That Baseball Beats Cricket

Game Played In British Capital Between Canadian And U. S. Soldiers, An Exciting Encounter; Was Won By Canucks

A Canadian soldier overseas sends the following from the London Daily Mail of July 30. The Old Country reporter is apparently having the time of his young life trying to warm up to baseball parlance. Here's his effort:

"The turf arena of classic Lord's invaded by a shouting crowd; a wonderful blue bank of hundreds of wounded soldiers; a din of sticks rattled on tins, horns, megaphones, and other instruments of encouragement and discouragement. It is a puzzle, somewhat lonely minority of Londoners on the stands; grey-clad players padded like crusaders; and in the middle of the playing field a macaw white goat in a brilliant red coat."

That was the scene at Lord's on Saturday afternoon when Canada, by 12 to 3, beat the United States in the great baseball game before ten thousand spectators.

If the ghost of an old M.C.C. habitue gilded on Saturday afternoon into the pavilion, what happened? Can ghosts swoon?

Baseball, it may be said forthwith, is a superb evolution of our British game of "rounders." It is partly a game played between two "nines" (corresponding to our cricket "elevens"). It is still more a game played by the two "nines" and crowd against one another. It is a stirring, glorious game, incomparably livelier than cricket, for players, for spectators, and, above all, for the umpire.

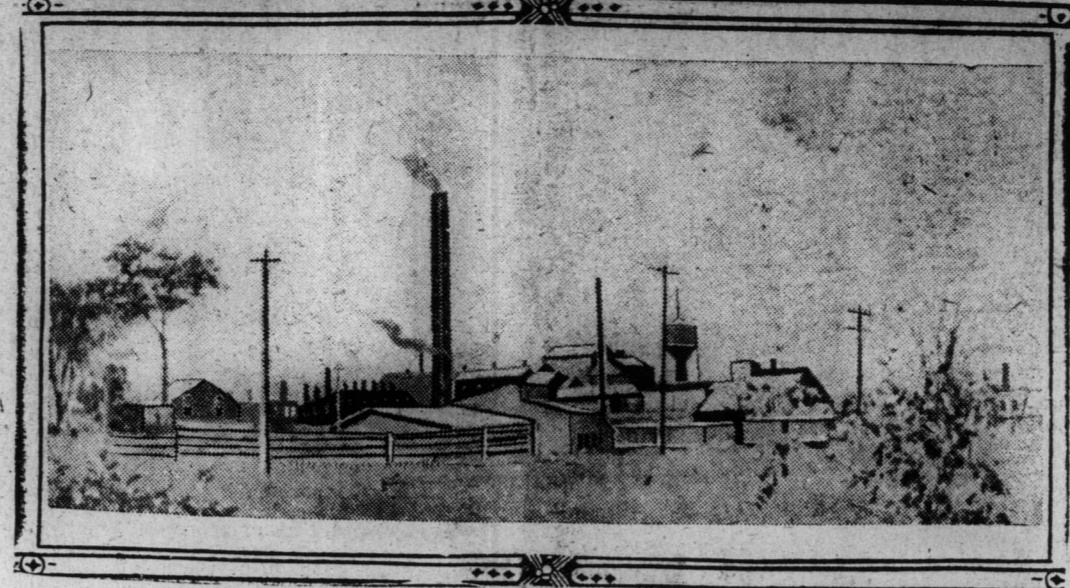
When, as a friend of the umpire, I was invited to witness Saturday's baseball game from the unique view point of a position on the turf within a few yards of the batsmen and their ferocious "swiping" clubs, I looked at the wire netting that shielded the stands and asked the umpire my chances of getting hit. "Of course you may get hit," said the umpire. "Have you ever seen a baseball travel so quick and merciful—especially if it gets you in the head."

Behind the batsman stands the "catcher," close behind the "catcher" stands the umpire. The batsman and the catcher are armored. The catcher wears a sort of mattress over his midriff. He needs it—half the balls that the batsman fails to hit are fielded by the "catcher's" body.

"Rattling" The Umpire — A baseball crowd thoroughly "rattles" the umpire even before the game starts. The umpire stands and smiles (or pretends to smile) while megaphones tell him his deplorable past and his disgraceful future. If he takes of his mask the "rooters" beg him to put it on again lest his features provoke bad weather; if he resumes his mask the "rooters" implore him to take it off and "give the ball a chance." An expert told me that Saturday's umpire was an excellent umpire, just and equitable as Rhamanthus, but it made no difference. He was an umpire—that is enough for a baseball crowd.

Another American sat by me and explained the game, explaining his discourses by tales of "baseball" fatalities, of players who have fallen, "record" distances at which spectators have been slain. No one, in America, he said, would be allowed where we sat—but there, it was at our own risk, and it would be out own inquest. When a player was struck by a ball and became unconscious the American became anxious. "There-

PLANT AT RIGUAD, QUE., WHICH WAS DESTROYED LAST WEEK



The factories of the Curtis and Harvey Co., which were completely demolished by fifty-two separate explosions on Saturday, covered five square acres and employed 2000 men and women. One man was killed in the explosion, several injured and the damage is estimated at \$2,000,000.

LEAFS BROKE EVEN TUESDAY

Won First Game, But Were Nosed Out in the Second

BEARS WON IN TENTH

Toronto, Aug. 22.—Because fate was not prepared to give the Leafs all the breaks their leadership of the International League is to-day trembling in the balance, and before night it may be gracefully reclining in second place, with Providence again on top. However, there is a possibility that the local fans do not want to confront, although when Lajoie and his men were about to take two games yesterday their kind hearts were moved with compassion, and remembering that charity begins at home, they allowed the second to be transferred to the credit of the Bears, thus splitting the double bill. In the first the Leafs battled to victory by 4 to 2, but in the second after leading practically all the way, Warhop eased up long enough to tie the score and then Newark fell upon Thompson in the tenth and batted in the winning run, which made the count 3 to 2.

Toronto deserved both games on the play; but as the second did not come to them, and Providence won, it means that they must win both games to-day to remain in front, providing, of course, the Grays also win. One must look to the Royals to see that the Grays lose while Larry grabs both from the Bears.

At Buffalo
Buffalo gave Baltimore another trimming yesterday, the score being 5 to 1. Bues saved the Orioles from a shut-out with his triple in the eighth, scoring on McDonald's error. Score:—

At Montreal
Buffalo..... 20302010x8 11 1
Baltimore..... 00000000—1 9 5
Batteries—Tyson and Onslow; Tipple and Schauffele.

At Rochester
Rochester won both games of to-day's double-header with Richmond. The first game was wild, and the home club bunched hits off them. The fielding of Lew Wendell, catcher, who has been transplanted to third base, featured. Score:—

First game..... R.H.E.
Richmond..... 001000110—2 6 1
Rochester..... 13000100x—5 9 0
Batteries—Donahue and Reynolds; Smith and Sandberg.

Second game..... R.H.E.
Richmond..... 001010000—2 7 1
Rochester..... 00332000x—8 11 1
Batteries—Young and Reynolds; Causey and Sandberg.

GAINER AND GANDIL HAVE A FIST FIGHT

Rival Firstbasemen Came to Blows After Chicago-Boston Game

WHITE SOX BEAT RED GANDIL, of Winning Team, Claimed Gainer Spiked Him

Chicago, Aug. 21.—A fight between Del Gainer, first baseman for the Boston club, and "Chick" Gandil, guardian of the initial sack for Chicago, followed the third game of the series between the two leaders for the pennant, which Chicago won 2 to 0. Gandil claimed that Gainer attempted to spike him when he slid into first base during the fourth inning.

After the game the two players met in the local club's dugout. A brief wordy argument was followed immediately by a clash between the two men. The struggle was short, as the other players stopped the men. The game itself was one of the hardest fought of the series. It was a pitchers' battle between "Babe" Ruth and "Tex" Russell, with the latter having the better of it.

Chicago won the game in the sixth. After one was out, McMullin almost knocked Ruth down with a hot grounder. Eddie Collins followed with a hit to the right field fence, scoring McMullin. The next two players went out leaving Collins on second Chicago now leading Boston by three games. Score:—

R. H. E.
Boston..... 000000000—0 5 1
Chicago..... 00000110x—2 7 0
Batteries—Ruth and Agnew; Russell and Schalk.

Cleveland
Cleveland defeated Philadelphia to-day 16 to 3, hitting Pitcher Myers at will. Pitcher Bagby in addition to keeping Philadelphia's hits scattered, made four hits and scored a many runs himself as did his opponents. Score:—

R. H. E.
Philadelphia 00002010—3 13 2
Cleveland..... 00610432x—16 21 0
Batteries—Myers, Schang and Hall; Bagby and O'Neill.

At Detroit
New York defeated Detroit 3 to 1 in ten innings to-day. Peckinpugh's safe punt, a pass to Pipp, Maise's sacrifice and Baker's single produced the winning runs. Shawkey allowed only four hits. Score:—

R. H. E.
New York..... 0000001002—3 10 0
Detroit..... 1000000000—4 4 1
Batteries—Shawkey and Nunamaker; Boland and Yelle.

BASEBALL RECORD

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost	P.C.
Toronto	73	49	.599
Providence	70	48	.593
Baltimore	68	50	.576
Newark	68	50	.576
Rochester	57	64	.471
Buffalo	53	68	.438
Richmond	45	73	.381
Montreal	45	77	.369

YESTERDAY'S SCORES

Toronto, 4-2, Newark, 2-3.
Rochester 5-8, Richmond 2-2.
Providence 5, Montreal 0.
Buffalo 8, Baltimore 1.

Games To-day
Newark at Toronto, 2 games.
Providence at Montreal.
Baltimore at Buffalo.
Richmond at Rochester.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost	P.C.
New York	70	39	.642
Philadelphia	59	48	.551
St. Louis	61	54	.526
Cincinnati	63	57	.525
Chicago	60	56	.517
Brooklyn	53	58	.477
Boston	46	60	.434
Pittsburg	36	76	.321

YESTERDAY'S SCORES

Philadelphia 6-2, Chicago 0-4.
St. Louis 1, Boston 0.
Pittsburg 3, Brooklyn 3.
Cincinnati 7, New York 5.

Games To-day
St. Louis at Boston.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	74	45	.622
Boston	69	46	.600
Cleveland	65	56	.537
Detroit	59	57	.515
New York	55	58	.487
Washington	53	60	.469
St. Louis	45	72	.385
Philadelphia	42	69	.379

YESTERDAY'S SCORES

Chicago 2, Boston 0.
Cleveland 16, Philadelphia 3.
New York 3, Detroit 1.
Washington at St. Louis, rain.

Games To-day
Chicago at Chicago.
Washington at St. Louis.
New York at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.

PRUNE WHIPS.

Take 3-4 pound prunes; stew and sweeten as for the table; stone them and add the whites of 4 eggs beaten to a froth; bake 20 minutes and serve cold with cream and sugar.

EXPOSITOR AFRAID TO PLAY FULL GAME

Arrived on Field An Hour Late and Insisted on Five Innings

WE WANT A REAL GAME

Expositor Took Another Ten Minute Affair By a Close Score

Some day we are going to go after the Expositor and force them at the point of a gun to play a full baseball game. It's the only way we can do it, it seems. The poor, dear things are afraid they will over exert their delicate selves if they play more than two or three innings in one day. And, after actually coming out ahead in a half game played yesterday afternoon, they cheered their heads off in a deluded belief that as baseball players they are some punkins. If there is a man on the team who can last for a full game, they have succeeded remarkably well in concealing the fact, and the dream of our lives is to play a full nine innings, in a

Rating the members of a ball club according to their value is a tough problem for anyone to tackle, because the value of a player often fluctuates.

There have been several vivid examples of this during the present season, for a number of pastimes who were not expected to shine with particular brilliancy have come to the front.

The question of who is the most valuable ball player on a club, if applied to Detroit, would be simple. The answer is Cobb. But whether they be pitchers, catchers, infielders, or outfielders, the fact remains that there are few Cobbs or near Cobbs.

Take the five leading clubs in the two big leagues this year and apply the elimination tests to individual players. The problem is a brain twister to say the least, but it is probably a safe bet that if the matter was left to a vote by the fans, the players who would stand out brightest would probably be the following:

American league—Eddie Cicotte, Chicago; Babe Ruth, Boston; Ty Cobb, Detroit; Tris Speaker, Cleveland, and Frank Baker, New York.
National league—Ferde Schupp, New York; Fred Toney, Cincinnati; Grover Alexander, Philadelphia; Walter Cruise, St. Louis; Jim Vaughan, Chicago.

The fact that a winning pitcher always stands out brighter in the limelight than any other player, if he is really a star, accounts for the naming for so many pitchers here. And the work of the aforementioned pitchers this season has been really wonderful. There are other players on each of the above named clubs who would come in for a lot of support if the fans were given a vote.

Swede Risberg has won his way into the hearts of White Sox fans. They attribute much of the success of the Sox in field to the little short-stopper, Carl Mays, another pitcher, has been a pillar on the Boston team. Bernie Boland has helped keep the Tigers going when it seemed that they must surely rank with the weakest of American league teams, while Wallie Pipp, Yankee first baseman, and Jim Bagby, Indian pitcher, are bright stars.

In the National league Eddie Rixey, Pep Hornsby and Fred Merkle have proven of great value to their respective clubs. Roush has



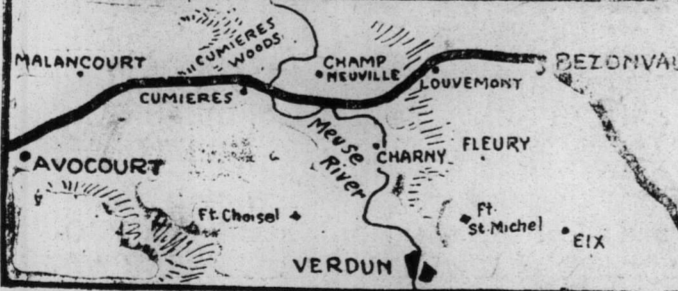
This was the height of the Expositor's ambition.

game that will start on time. But it's even better whether that or the millenium is the nearer.

Last week, the Expositor accepted The Courier's challenge to a SEVEN INNING baseball game to commence at 4:15 Tuesday afternoon. At 4:15 Tuesday afternoon, The Courier team was ready and waiting at the park, and exactly two representatives of the Cupola corner were in evidence. The rest straggled in at odd intervals thereafter, the last man arriving at 5:15, when just one hour of The Courier's precious time had been wasted.

And then! Seven innings? Bless their souls, the Expositor could not think of such a thing. Five innings! Five innings! They howled for five innings, and finally they got their way. Being, like all good looking persons, also good natured, we gave in and gave them their stick of candy. We were beaten. We are willing to come back and admit it, which is more than a certain hockey team would do last winter. We lost out in a titillating encounter, but our appetite is only whetted, and we long

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Where the French opened an offensive along an eleven mile front, on both sides of the Meuse from Avocourt Wood to Bezon Vaux region.

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23 THE PHARMACEUTICAL BUILDING

CANAL TO ACCOMMODATE LARGE VESSELS



The map shows a proposed canal to connect the Ottawa and St. Lawrence rivers and allow large vessels to go to the head of the Lakes, giving a route to boats which cannot be accommodated in the St. Lawrence Canal. The distance would be increased but the number of locks would be reduced.

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AUSTRALIAN PRISONERS VICTIMS OF BRUTAL GERMAN TREATMENT

Battalion of Australians Captured by Huns Put Through Methodical Series of Torture—Men Forced to Eat Grass and Otherwise Abused

With the Australian Forces in France the Kaiser, preaching his doctrine of hatred of the British...

our men had any bully beef. They were British prisoners. Another gang was passed in smock frocks harassed by ropes to wagons which they were pulling.

There have arrived back from the German lines, across many lines of German trenches, two Australians who were captured in the Hindenburg line after the brave attack of April 11.

At a siding they were put into cattle trucks, which were presently hitched up and jolted along till after dark. Then they detrained and were marched into certain village cellars.

At Their Mercy. They have these Australians completely at their mercy for the time being; they can starve and ill-treat them as much as they like.

Around the station the roads were full of German soldiers and civilians, as if the town were on a holiday to see them arrive.

When the two were standing in the yard of a German headquarters with 700 other Australian prisoners, a big German in a distinguished uniform, who was managing affairs, stood up and harangued them.

The column marched through the streets of the great city—only two houses were noticed to be damaged though it is but a few miles from the British line.

Seven hundred and fifty-six Australians from all states of the Commonwealth were sent into German territory, and it was from this time that the deliberate German policy towards them began to appear.

Jammed in Boom. For five nights and six days 110 Australians lived in a room where the escaped men were. It was probably the worst experience which the hands of their fellow-men.

The road was slushy after snow. They passed a gang of men scraping the mud off it. These were civilian tweed caps—some had on old blue French overcoats.

The windows had to be shut, for they slept on the third floor without a blanket, though snow fell at night, and their food was too little to keep life together.

They were glad to eat it, though they were not to get through the wire. Well, there are plenty of you lying on it now.

Two hundred and forty of the Australians were sent by train on the sixth day to work on a dump close behind the front. Lord knows what happened to the rest, or where they are now.

They were divided into parties of 110 each, and each of those was marched into a separate room in the upper story.

The work was in two shifts—the Australians in the morning and the British in the evening. The Australians were turned out at 4.20 a.m. Coffee at 4.45, march to work, 5.15. Work on the dump until 1 o'clock, and then march back. For this day's work they were given a daily ration of one-third of a loaf.

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From right to left: Sir William Meredith, Mr. Justice R. F. Sutherland, and Mr. Justice T. Kelly, who have been appointed to report on the quantity of water which the Electrical Development Company of Ontario is entitled to use and the quantity it has been using at Niagara Falls.

mented manoids each day, with one cup of coffee at night and one at morning. When one man asked for a glass of water the guard would not offer for a little bread. They were not once allowed to wash until the last day when they cleaned up to leave.

The result was that these Australians were driven to beg their guards to let them cut any sort of grass that could be eaten—dandelions, stinging nettle and rape, such as we feed sheep on.

At the end of it a German corporal came into the room. He asked them if they knew what they were there for. They said "No."

After a series of adventures the two men who broke away succeeded in reaching the British lines.

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After Girls With Money. The trouble and escaped punishment for his misdeeds through making the supreme sacrifice in the war was, according to those who knew him, an unusually handsome, attractive fellow, always well dressed and of pleasing manner.

When complimented on her work in "Her debut" Ora Carew, the clever little Keystone actress replied: "Oh, I was all in the air." She certainly was and her parachute descent from the aeroplane was one of the most dangerous things ever attempted in a picture.

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FOUR WOMEN TO CLAIM PENSION

Mother and Three Wives of Dead Soldier Present Complicated Case

MARRIED FOR MONEY Milbank Girl Was One of Them—She Has Married Again

London, Aug. 20.—No less than four women are possible claimants for the pension of a soldier who went overseas from London and was killed in France.

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By accident, through an item in a newspaper, the Windsor wife has discovered the existence of still another who considers herself the widow of the dead soldier.

Proof Just Established. The discovery on the part of the district pensions officer in regard to the Millbank marriage was made just after proofs had been established of the marriage to the Windsor girl in 1916.

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HATCHLEY

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Several from here attended the New Durham garden party.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Malcolm welcome a young son who owns several children motored from Ancaster and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Morris.

Mr. Wilson Young, of Toronto, is spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Young.

Two members of the Norwich Baroque class conducted the service here on Sunday. There will be no service on August 26th.

Mr. J. Scott has been visiting Mrs. Birch, Norwich.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Dean motored to Grimsby recently and spent the day with relatives here.

Mr. M. Burtis sold a carload of coal last week at \$5.7 a ton. A few from here attended the funeral at Norwich Gore on Sunday of the late Miss Mary Hilliker.

Mr. Silverstone, Frank Powell, weekend at Mt. Elgin. Mrs. Silverthorne and her mother, Mrs. Stokley, returned with him.

The Hatchley Mission Circle will entertain the circle of the Norwich Baptist church on Thursday, August 30th, at the home of the Mesdames Rush.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Rish, Mr. and Mrs. F. Rush, Mrs. J. Burtis and Miss Nettie Burtis motored to Port Stanley recently.

A young lad, Henri Marsie, son of a farmer, residing six miles east of Callander, accidentally shot himself through the heart yesterday with a .44-calibre rifle.

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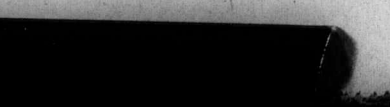
Man-power is at a premium! The time and strength of every man in Canada should be devoted whole-heartedly to really useful work—work that will help, directly or indirectly, in the struggle.

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(From Tuesday's Issue Through this the girl was a back room of generous size boasted a top-light, together generic name of studio, art furnished with an ill-assorted pany of lame and dismal pie several quotations of its tenant indicated by a typewriting beneath a rubber hood this dust, a folding metal music-st a violin-case, and a large case, supplemented by a nu scrubby canvases. A door partition wall communicated small bedchamber of the ki monly termed "hall room."

Near the window, on the herb couch, a young woman perched, thin shoulders round the ink-stained drawings-boasting on her knees. She had self-willed mouth and dark hair, and wore a cream kimono over a silk petticoat past had been lurid. One clutched gingerly a bottle of ink, the other wielded a steel drafting-pen.

Interrupted, she looked up at that all but spilled the ink, the other wielded a steel drafting-pen. My land, Sally! What time in the act of unpinning her straw that even a drowning would have hesitated to get Miss Manvers paused to consult invalid alarm-clock which was suffering palpitations on an shelf. "Twenty past three," she ed, sentimentally.

The artist cocked her head and eyed manfully at her cramped, and busily scratched "Secured me," she explained ing home so early!"

Sally removed her collar and a grunt. "Got a 'Sure' with a sixty-cent 'Salamander stuff, eh?"

"What do you want—a this? I'm half-cooked already I guess I can go through a li for the sake of a sixty-cent 'dote and a trip to Coney. needn't worry; it'll be hott this before Sammy warms up to stirs anything. His intent so praise-worthy they pain blishes every time he has to nize the sex question long en discuss the delights of monog two-family house with a ong distance of Prospect Park. "You don't mean to say you that far along—already!"

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The other quickened with of temper. "Don't ask me! Noth to study art and ming the world of intellect and after three years I'm heads for fashion magazine dollar per, and I know a mir who's acquainted with the editor of The Scrap-Book, a one man I know who owns a suit gets fifty cents an hour ing in it. If that isn't end make me welcome even the p of married life with Sammy and a woman to do the wash don't know."

"Well, if you aren't crazy Sammy, why not chuck him? are isn't the last resource to like you. You've got just a

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An Outsider

(By LOUIS JOSEPH VANCE)

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

(From Tuesday's Issue.)
Through this the girl walked into a back room of generous size, which boasted a top-light, together with the generic name of studio, and was furnished with an ill-assorted company of lame and dismal pieces. The several vocations of its tenants were indicated by a typewriting-machine beneath a rubber hood thick with dust, a folding metal music-stand and a violin-case, and a large studio easel, supplemented by a number of scrubby canvases. A door in the partition wall communicated with a small bedroom of the kind commonly termed "hall room." And in one corner a stationery wash-stand and a gas-stove for morbid cookery lurked behind a Japanese screen of gilded panels.

Near the windows, on the end of a box couch, a young woman was perched, thin shoulders rounded over the ink-stained drawing-board resting on her knees. She had a large, well-washed mouth and dark Bohemian hair, and wore a creamy cotton kimono over a silk petticoat whose past had been lurid. One hand clutched gingerly a bottle of India ink, the other wielded a scratchy steel drafting-pen.

Interrupted, she looked up with a start that all but spilled the ink and cried in a voice heavily colored with the enervating brogue of the Southern horn:
"My land, Sally! What time is it?"

In the act of unpinning her hat (a straw that even a drowning woman would hesitate to grasp at), Miss Manvers paused to consult an invalid alarm-clock which was suffering palpitations on an adjacent shelf.

"Twenty past three," she reported, sentimentally.
The artist cocked her head, squinted malevolently at her drawing, dipped, and busily scratched once more.

"Scared me," she explained, "coming home so early!"
Sally removed her collar with a wrench and a grunt. "Got a date?"

"Sure; with Sammy—four o'clock." "Salamander stuff, eh?"
"What do you want—a day like this? I'm half-cooked already, and I guess I can go through a little fire for the sake of a sixty-cent table d'hote and a trip to Coney. But you needn't worry; I'll be better than this before Sammy warms up enough to singe anything. His intentions are so praiseworthy they pain him; he flushes every time he has to recognize the sex question long enough to discuss the delights of monogamy in a two-family house within commuting distance of Prospect Park South."

"You don't mean to say you've got that far along already?"
"That's the regard of a year's ready angling, honey."
"Heavens, but how you must carry on with Sammy!"

"Believe me, it's something scandalous!" sighed Lucy Spode.
"But why—" Sally began in a tone of expostulation.

The other quickened with a flash of temper. "Don't ask me! I came North to study art and mingle with the world of intellect and fashion, and after three years I'm drawing heads for fashion magazines at a dollar per, and I know a minor poet who's acquainted with the assistant editor of The Scrap-Book, and the one man I know who owns a dress-suit gets fifty cents an hour for posing in it. If that isn't enough to make me welcome even the prospect of married life with Sammy Myerick and a woman to do the washing, I don't know—"

"Well, if you aren't crazy about Sammy, why not chuck him? Marriage isn't the last resource for a girl like you. You've got just as many

with to live on as the next one. (This town's full of young women no better looking than either of us, and without as much intelligence, who manage pretty comfortably, thank you, on the living the world owes them.)

"Sally Manvers!" cried the Southern girl, scandalized, "what a way to talk!"

"Oh, all right," said the other indifferently. "Where's Mary Warden?"

"Lyric Hall—rehearsing." "Lucky Mary!"

Lucy Spode looked up in astonishment. "Lucky!" she protested; "dancing till she's ready to drop, in this awful heat, and no pay for rehearsals!"

"All the same," Sally contended, "she's got some chance, some right to hope for better things. She's an understudy, and her principal might fall ill—or something. That's better than marrying a man you don't care for—or clerking at Hackett's for seven dollars a week."

"Cat," said Miss Spode dispassionately. "Who's been musing your fur?"

"Life." The steel pen was poised again while Lucy Spode surveyed Sally Manvers suspiciously.

"What do you mean—life?" she demanded.
"This sort of thing," Sally waved a comprehensive hand. "Living here, in this hole, and most of the time not even able to pay my share of the rent; slaving for a dollar a day, and losing part of that in just fumes; walking to and from the store to save car fare; eating the sort of food we do eat; never having any pretty clothes or any pleasures of any sort. I don't call this a life."

"You've got indigestion," Mrs. Spode diagnosed shrewdly. "I'll bet two bits you've been eating napoléons again."

"I have got indigestion, but it's mostly due to being fed up with existence—the kind we lead, at least. I want something better."

"The vote, perhaps?"
"For two cents I'd throw something at you."

The artist uncoupled her legs, stuck the pen in her hair, set the ink-bottle down on the floor, sighed, and lifting the drawing-board, held it at arm's length, studying her work through narrowed eyelids.

"Then it must be a man," she concluded absently. "When a woman of twenty-seven wants something and doesn't know what it is, it's either the vote or a man."

"Oh, shut up."
"With man an odds-on favorite in the betting," Miss Spode laid the board aside with a "Thank goodness, that's finished!" and, rising, stretched her cramped limbs. "What I'd like to know," she persisted, "is whether it's man abstract or a man concrete."

"Lucy laughed bitterly. "Take a good look at me, dear—as an exhibit not as a friend—and tell me honestly whether any man worth having would glance twice at me."
"You can be pretty enough," Miss Spode returned seriously, "when you want to take trouble—"

"But I don't—ever."
"The more fool you."
"What's the use—on seven a week? What's the good of being pretty in rags like these? It only gets you in wrong. I don't care how fetching I might make myself seem—"

"But you ought to."
"Look here; do you know how a reporter would describe me?"
"Of course; 'respectable working girl.'"
"Well, then, men worth while

AIR RAIDERS NO RESPECTORS OF WEDDINGS



Miss Maud Latcho, a postwoman, who was married at Leyton, Eng., to Petty Officer Stapleton, was petted with confetti by her colleagues as she left the church after the wedding. Note the air raid warning outside the church.

SIDE TALKS

By RUTH CAMERON

ELASTIC MINDS.
There are a great many people in the world who have what I call an elastic mind.

And I know few things that exasperate me more.

As you may guess I don't mean a mind elastic enough to hold all sorts of broad ideas and sympathies. What I mean is a mind that snaps back to any fixed idea the way an elastic does when you let it go.

And Then Their Minds Snap Back.
You are arguing some matter with one of these people. You go over the question step by step with them and they concede each point you make, and finally appear to agree with the conclusion you reach. To all appearances they are convinced.

Then some day the matter comes up again and they make exactly the same statements that they made before. In the interim their elastic minds have snapped back to the first position.

The woman convinced against her will who remains of the same opinion still is a classic example of the elastic mind.

I once had a housekeeper who belonged to this class. We are very fond of gingerbread at my home for a pantry lunch. We do not care for it at the table, and we like it best slightly stale. When my housekeeper first came I asked her to make me

mental bankrupts go to the devil because they're hungry. I'm less bothered about keeping body and soul together—Huckster's seven a week does that after a fashion—than about keeping soul and mind together.

"It sounds reasonable."
"I'm desperate, I tell you! And there's more than one resort of desperation for a girl of intelligence."
"As, for instance—"
"Well—you've named one."
"Man?"
"That's the animal's first name."
"But, you've just pointed out, a successful campaign demands a wardrobe."
"Even that can be had if one's unscrupulous enough."
"To seek happiness where I can find it. I'm game for anything. I'm north of fifty-three!"

"You're what?"
"Have you forgotten the 'Rhyme of the Three Sealers'? There's never a law of God or man runs north of fifty-three! Well, the age of twenty-seven is a woman's fifty-three, north latitude—at least, it is if she's unmarried."

"In plain language, you think the hour has struck to doll yourself up like a man-trap. What?"
"Yes—and hang the expense!"
"By all means, hance it. But where? It's a case of cash or credit; the first you haven't got, and I don't see your visible means of supporting a charge-account at Youngman's."
"There are ways," Sally insisted darkly.

(Continued in Thursday's Issue)

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Good Night Stories

By Blanche Selwyn

TOBE'S MISTAKE.
A cat's a cat, whether she's new or old," purred Tobe, the black cat, to Trim the yellow dog.
"That's true, but wait until the mistress finds her sitting on the best cushions, in the house! Gee! I'd hate to see what will happen when she finds her on the dining-room table!" replied Trim, as he eyed the object of their conversation sitting in the middle of the dining-room table. "She'll soon learn her place," and yawning he turned to the fireplace for his morning nap.

Tobe tried to get her cat language to make the new cat understand that she was breaking the rules of the household by jumping on the table, but when the cat refused to pay any attention to Tobe, Tobe became jealous.
"If she can do it, so can I!" purred Tobe to herself and, sniting the action to the word, up she jumped right on the table.
There was a nice glass of milk and a large piece of meat. "Why don't you help yourself, now that you're here?" said Tobe to her rival.
The new cat never moved. "Suppose you think it's very wrong? Well, it's no worse than sitting up here, for if the mistress finds you on this table she'll blame you for anything that happens while she was out," Tobe said, and quickly drank the milk.

The new cat never even blinked an eye.
"Hurry down," growled Trim, but the warning came too late.
A hand grabbed Tobe from the back gave her a severe spanking and pushed her out the door into a pelting rain.



Tobe's heart was sore. She pecked in at the window and saw her mistress gather up the new cat and caress her and place her on the best cushion in the house.
"Well, that don't beat all!" said Tobe. She cried to get indoors out of the rain, but the door remained closed until Trim came forth carrying the meat that Tobe always had.
"Our mistress is very angry," Trim told Tobe and he sat down before her and ate his meat without as much as offering her a bite.
"I'll say a cat's a cat. Just because she's new in the family is no reason she should be allowed to sit on the table. And to think she was even trying to eat the things that were before her silly thing when she had the chance!" growled Tobe in disgust.

"Wow, wow, wow!" laughed Trim as he finished his meat. "Good reason she had for 'not' eating—she can't eat! Say, Tobe, that cat isn't a real cat; she's only a toy. She's made of calico, and the joke's on you."

"A calico cat!" exclaimed Tobe. "Dear me, how foolish I am! Well, it serves me right, for if my mistress hadn't caught me stealing I intended blaming it on that cat. That would have been funny. A cat's a cat just the same, whether she's calico or fur," growled Tobe.

She was very glad when the mistress called her and she was given a saucer of nice milk and a piece of meat. Tobe rubbed against the mistress gratefully and tried in her cat language to beg forgiveness.
She was so happy to curl up before the fireplace and dry her coat that she resolved that never so long as she lived would she ever jump on a table again, and she and the calico cat soon became fast friends.

Courier Daily Recipe Column

Pineapple Float.
One can grated pineapple, 4 eggs, 1 cup granulated sugar, juice of two lemons, 1-4 box of Knox's gelatine; pour the pineapple in a glass dish, dissolve the gelatine in 2 tablespoonfuls of cold water first, then pour over it 2 tablespoonfuls of hot water; beat very light five yolks of the eggs with the sugar and juice of the lemons; then beat the whites to a stiff froth, stir all together and pour over the pineapple; put in a cool place to freeze, when ready serve with whipped cream without any sugar; pour over the float and cut squares of jelly and dot the tops. This is a true and tried recipe, and has found favour with all those who have tried it.
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By Anabel Worthington.

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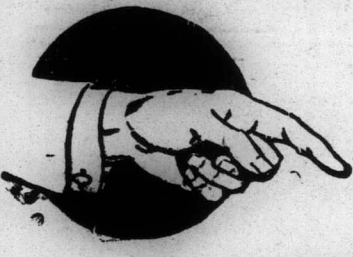
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Fought Under Kurapatkin He obtained a commission in the Siberian army, which was at that time a distinct organization from the Russian European army and the army of the Caucasus; but when the war between Russia and Japan broke out the Siberian army was taken over by Kurapatkin. The young officer advanced rapidly, and to him fell the dangerous task of fighting rearward actions, as Kurapatkin put into execution his famous strategy of "hurling them on." So well did Korniloff discharge his duties, that at the end of the war he was awarded the Cross of St. George of the Fourth Degree, and presented with a golden sword. His next appointment was to the Russian military staff at Peking, where he continued his studies and incidentally acquired the Chinese language. It might be remarked that the Russian gift of tongue is brilliantly exemplified in Korniloff, who speaks most European languages, besides Persian and Chinese. In First Russian Drive He was a brigadier-general when the present war broke out, and was put in command of an infantry division, the same one which has won great fame in this war, the "Iron" Forty-eighth, called by the enemy the "Iron Division." This division took part in the memorable sweep through the Carpathians under Brusiloff and Brusiloff in September, 1914. The Russians held their positions through the winter, but by the time the snow began to melt the shortage of ammunition had become acute. Battery commanders who used more than half a dozen shells a day were called on for explanations. The Russian position was undoubtedly well known in Berlin, and so Mackensen seized the opportunity for his famous drive. When it began at least one Russian division, the Twelfth, had penetrated the Dukla Pass, and had advanced some 29 miles along the plains of Hungary. Had there been plenty of ammunition the whole Russian army would have streamed after it, and the end of the war would have been in sight. Captured by Austrians However there was nothing for it but retreat, and again Korniloff distinguished himself by the desperate delaying actions he fought. He hung on so long that on April 28 a part of his division was cut off and captured. Korniloff was made prisoner and sent to an internment camp about 500 miles from the Russian frontier. Here he remained until last September, when he escaped with the help of a Bohemian soldier; this man gave his life for Korniloff, for he threw himself between the fleeing general and his pursuers, and his own body stopped the bullets that otherwise would have brought Korniloff down. He wandered on foot for three weeks, living for the most part on herbs and wild berries. On returning to headquarters he at once resumed command of a division, but was summoned to Petrograd to take charge of the military garrison when the revolution broke out. Sympathetic though he was with the revolutionary movement, he saw that the action of the Workers' and Soldiers' Committee was bound to destroy the discipline of the army, so he resigned, and begged to be given a command at the front. He was sent to Brusiloff, whose armies still retained most of their discipline, and at the beginning of the present month began the sensational advance toward Hal-

Gen. Korniloff has lost no time in applying the "blood and iron" tonic so sadly needed by the Russian armies. He is said to have turned his artillery on one division that showed cowardice. The army under him will have either to fight the Germans or fight each other, but Korniloff is determined that they shall fight. This brilliant soldier, who was almost unheard of outside of Russia until a few weeks ago, constitutes with Kerensky, the hope of the Allies that Russia will continue to do her share of the common task. He has the confidence of his men and the confidence of the loyal element everywhere in Russia. Kerensky believes in him. He is the most brilliant of the generals who, under Brusiloff conducted the sensational campaign last summer. His own recent drive in Galicia resulted in the capture of 35,000 Germans, and according to the usual average, this means that 100,000 were put out of action. A Famous Ancestor Korniloff is in his 47th year. He was born in Siberia, and it is said in a log cabin. From this it must be inferred that he belonged to the peasant class, for the log cabin style of architecture is popular in Siberia. Korniloff comes of a fighting family, for he is a grandson of Vice-Admiral Korniloff, one of the most illustrious of Russian sailors. It was Vice-Admiral Korniloff who was entrusted with the defence of Sebastopol in the Crimean war. In the neck of the bay protecting this port he sank the five warships under his command, and taking his men ashore, laid the foundations of that defence which held out for nearly a year against the combined cannonade of the British and French guns. Subsequently the Admiral died as the result of a wound incurred on Malakoff hill. The present general was destined for the army almost from birth, and after passing through the Siberian Cadet Corps, he picked up one scholarship after another that made his path easy and plainly marked him out for an unusual military career.

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