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EDITION

Turkish Positions Shelled By Allied Warships

GERMAN BRUTALITY TOWARDS BRITISH PRISONERS EXPOSED

BRITISHERS IN GERMAN CAMPS BEG FOR DEATH

Treatment So Bad They Want
Torture and Starvation
Ended.
GUNS BROKEN OVER BACK
Help For Sick Refused, Says
White Paper Just
Issued.

[Canadian Press.]

London, April 10.—A white paper, published last night, says the Daily News, gives the correspondence which passed between the British and German foreign offices through the United States ambassador with respect to the treatment of British prisoners of war in Germany. It contains many "painful statements," according to the News, and the following is made by a French priest, referring to the treatment of prisoners at Minden.

The German soldiers kicked the British prisoners in the stomach and broke their guns over their backs. They forced them to sleep out in marshy places, so that many are now consumptive. The British are almost starved, and such has been their torture that thirty of them asked to be shot.

Officers Insulted.
The testimony is quoted by Sir Edward Grey in a letter dated December 26. Grey stated that information on the bad treatment of British prisoners had reached him from a variety of sources.

A Russian doctor (who had returned to Petrograd after being detained three weeks near Ralsund, said that British officers were openly insulted by a lieutenant who was in charge.

A letter received by the Speaker of the House of Commons from a Frenchman, unknown to him, contained this statement: "At Minden for a long time the prisoners were camped on marshy ground with no shelter."

No Help for Sick.
Sir Edward Grey also quoted the statement of Major Vandalen, of the 1st Cameronian, who escaped from the internment at Crefeld, the contents which have already been published.

A report from an American states that the British prisoners are in "very short rations, and there is a report giving details of the terrible conditions of the beds."

A letter from the internment camp at Ruhleben says: "The officers were treated the prisoners with great brutality, even using personal violence. The men sometimes have not received a scrap of meat." (Continued on Page Three.)

SAYS DARDANELLES NOT IMPREGNABLE

Italian Admiral Believes Allies
Can Force Their Way
Through.

LAND FORCES NECESSARY
To Complete Destruction of
Fortifications and For
Scout Duty.

[Canadian Press.]

Rome, April 10.—Admiral Bettiolo, who several times has been Italian minister of marine, in an interview with the "Declaring," always has believed and still believes the Dardanelles can be forced, although the difficulties today naturally are greater than they were a few years ago, because of improvements made in the defenses under the direction of German officers.

Range Would Help.
After describing the land and sea resources of the Turco-German forces, Admiral Bettiolo added that in spite of this formidable array, his country's triumph in the end over land forces because the long range of their artillery would enable them to destroy coast batteries while they were in such a position that shells from the enemy's guns could not reach them. One of the essentials to success in such an operation, he said, was the complete destruction of each fortification attacked and the annihilation of its garrison by the landing of troops.

Land Forces' Duties.
In explaining the necessity for sending troops ashore to aid the fleet, the Italian admiral said they would be expected to complete the destruction of fortifications, pursue retreating forces and discover the points from which mines and torpedoes were launched. Such a campaign, he said, should be attempted only after thorough preparation. It should be executed with daring, tempered with prudence, both of which qualities he believed were possessed by the British and French.

Needs European Shore.
Occupation of the European shore would be indispensable to the mastery of the Dardanelles in the opinion of Admiral Bettiolo, since the capture of Constantinople must be the ultimate aim.

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German Officers Killed in Wreck

Petrograd Reports Several of High Rank Victims of Train Derailment.

[Canadian Press.]
London, April 10.—A semi-official statement issued at Petrograd, says a train carrying the staff of an army corps was derailed in the section of Poland occupied by the Germans.

UNKNOWN INFLUENCE SECURED RELEASE FOR THOMAS RILEY

Young Railroader Who Killed
George Blackburn Is Back
Home in Missouri.

[Canadian Press.]

Having served less than one year in Kingston penitentiary, to which he was sentenced to fifteen years for manslaughter, Tom Riley, the young railroader who shot and killed George Blackburn, bartender of the Hotel Cecil, last winter, is back home in Everton, Missouri. He was released from Kingston and deported to the United States recently.

Riley surprised his parents in Everton when he walked into his old home for his arrival was absolutely unexpected. They had not expected to see him for at least a dozen years.

Writing to Governor Carter, of the county jail here, Riley says that some influence unknown to him must have been at work to have him released. He declares that he intends to make good back in Missouri, and adds that he is grateful for the treatment he received in London.

Rev. H. H. Bingham, pastor of the Talbot Street Baptist Church, has also received a letter from Riley. Mr. Bingham accompanied Riley from London to Kingston, when Riley expected to spend fifteen years there. The pastor advised Riley to live a Christian life while he was in jail and when he became free.

"I believe that Riley has continued the Christian life he was living during his incarceration in this city, and that the authorities recognized this, and believed he would be a safe man at large," said Mr. Bingham.

Mr. Bingham had heard seven weeks ago, through a Toronto minister, that Riley had been released. He himself is a model prisoner, and that he had made the Bible his mainstay while he was in Kingston.

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TEN SHOTS A SECOND IN EACH OF THESE GUNS!



Machine gun section of the 18th Battalion in command of Capt. Forbes-Mitchell, who is seen to left of centre. Photographed for The Advertiser by Mackintosh & Roy.

JAMES MURRAY LIBERAL CHOICE

Will Be Selected To Contest
the Riding of East Middlesex.

MANY NAMES HONORED
But Consensus of Opinion Was
For Westminster Town-
ship Man.

[Toronto World (Conservative).]

The revelations at Ottawa in connection with the purchase of army supplies call for drastic action on the part of Sir Robert Borden and his Government and the Conservative party. They must dissociate themselves with any wrong-doing, with any attempt to take advantage of the country or of our soldiers in the field. They cannot stand for graft, for unfair profit or for worthless or inferior goods. If members of parliament did wrong they must take the consequences; if officials were parties to fraud or were lax in duty they must be dismissed and punished; if any contractor was guilty of the law, and wherever contractors acted unfairly or took undue profit they must make restitution. In other words, the Department of Justice must be put in operation in the most vigorous way, and more than anyone else the Cabinet must be held to strict accountability.

The Conservative party as a party must clear itself before the country. It has an active opposition in front of it, and the people will await an immediate statement and the action that must follow. The system of purchases by way of a patronage list, no matter how long in use, must now be wiped out forever. There must be open competition, and every contractor must be compelled to put in a declaration as to his good faith in every respect in filling any and every contract. War graft of every kind must go, and The World believes the Conservatives have the opportunity and the duty of saying so now.

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All sections of the riding were represented. Delegates from the various townships occupied the sections of the hall allotted to their divisions.

Mr. Ramsay, Hyde Park, president of the East Middlesex Association, presided as chairman. He introduced the speaker of the afternoon, F. F. Pardee, M. P., in a brief speech.

Selection of a candidate to contest the riding at the next general federal election was the chief business of the meeting.

Before the meeting opened it was clear that the delegates' choice lay with James Murray, of Westminster Township, ex-reeve of that municipality, and one of the most prominent Liberals in the riding.

The veteran ex-reeve, by virtue of his unbroken record of more than a score of years as a township and county councillor and his prominent position in the Western Fair Board and similar organizations, is possibly the best known farmer of the district. No better choice for representative in a rural riding could be chosen, according to delegates.

Hoped For Consent.
On several occasions strong pressure has been brought to bear on Mr. Murray to stand as a candidate. He has always declined the honor, but the hopes of the delegates that he would at last consent to allow his name to go before the convention.

He welcomed the delegates from Lucan and Etobicoke present for the first time as the result of the recent gerrymandering.

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The following were nominated as candidates: James Murray, Westminster, by W. E. Grievie, seconded by S. H. Chown; R. G. Fisher, Lucan, by Joseph Wilson, Dorchester; Alfrey, W. Nisour, by Squire Flaherty, of Thorncliffe; Dr. George A. Routledge, Lambeth, by Angus Beattie; S. H. Chown, police magistrate, Lucan; Daniel McKenzie, ex-M.P.P., Thomas Ramsay, Hyde Park; J. H. Elliott, Westminster; Lieut.-Col. Bart Robson, London Township.

J. W. Laidlaw, Westminster; Dr. Banghart, Dorchester; Dr. Banting, Lucan.

CASUALTY LIST

No Deaths Recorded, But Four Canadians Wounded.
Ottawa, April 10.—The following casualties are announced today:
Wounded—No. 2288, Private T. Kavanagh (formerly 12th Battalion), at No. 11 general hospital, Boulogne, gunshot wound in head. Next of kin, O. Kavanagh, New Waterford, N.S.
18th Battalion.
Wounded—April 1, No. 2081, Private Robert Craig. Next of kin, James Craig, 1225 Duke street, Glasgow, Scotland.
12th Battalion.
Wounded—March 29, No. 24756, Private Guy Ralph Lewis Potter, next of kin, Mrs. Constance Potter, Coniston, England.
15th Battalion.
Wounded—April 1, No. 27023, Private Kenneth Miller. Next of kin, Harry Miller, Gladstone Terrace, Edinburgh, Scotland.

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ONLY 5 CRACKERS IN SCHOONER'S PANTRY WHEN RESCUERS CAME

Crew of Wrecked Oriole Near
To Starvation Off Seal
Island.

[Canadian Press.]

Liverpool, N. S., April 10.—When but five crackers remained to feed the crew, the wrecked schooner Oriole, 123 miles off Seal Island, the Oriole landed the crew of the Herald here today. It consisted of S. R. Cooke, master; Robert Cooks, Whelp and Oscar Olsen, Calais, Me.; and Charles Griffin and B. W. Preston, Lubec.

The deck of the schooner was swept away by a heavy east and northeast gale soon after it left La Have on April 1. The crew was five days on the wreck and was put on an allowance of six crackers a day. This was reduced to three. The men suffered in a daze from hunger and cold, and had to sleep in a temporary cabin made of lumber and covered with seal.

The schooner Herald was bound from Bridgewater to New York with 400,000 feet of lumber.

HAS SEVEN BROTHERS AND DAD AT FRONT



Corp. Herbert Bevis, D Company, 18th Battalion, who has his father and seven brothers all ready to do or made by Corp. Bevis, he has been unable to learn of any other family equalling this proud record, which he believes is world-wide.

Another remarkable thing about this great patriotic family is that his father and seven brothers are all commissioned officers, his father being a colonel, one brother a major, three brothers captains, and three lieutenants. Six of his brothers are on the firing line in France at the present time, and the other members of the family are anxiously awaiting the call to get into the great conflict.

Indeed, this loyal family seem bent on breaking all records, for again, every member stands over 6 feet. Corp. Bevis himself is 6 feet 3 inches.

BRITISH CASUALTIES

London, April 10.—The fourth British casualty list issued by the war office this week, showing 1,238 additional losses, was given out today. Of the total, 403 were killed and the others wounded.

These losses were due largely to the fighting last month, which resulted in the capture by the British of the French town of Neuve Chapelle. Today's list brings up the total of casualties announced this week to 5,323, of which 1,734 men were killed.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 67; lowest, 32.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 59.

TOMORROW—FAIR, COOLER.
Toronto, April 11—3 a.m. Forecasts.

Today—Fresh southerly, shifting to westerly and northwesterly, winds, occasional showers, but fair intervals. Sunday—Generally fair and slightly cooler.

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

Stations. High. Low.
Victoria.....58 44
Calgary.....58 28
Winnipeg.....60 40
Port Arthur.....68 44
Perry Sound.....68 44
Toronto.....63 44
Ottawa.....69 42
Montreal.....56 44
Quebec.....46 30

Weather Notes.
Comparatively low pressure now covers the Great Lakes, attended by numerous showers in Ontario and Quebec, together with local thunderstorms over Lake Erie. Showers have also

Germans Acknowledge Loss of Trenches and Some French Advances

Official Statement Also Claims Many French Repulses and
the Complete Rout of Company Southwest
of Chateau Salines.



[Canadian Press.]

GRAND, April 10, 3:05 p.m.—The official war office statement of today follows:

"The booty taken at Dret Grachten in Belgium was increased to five officers, 122 men and five machine guns. In Champagne, north of Beaupreux, our troops evacuated trenches taken on April 4, which were destroyed yesterday by French heavy artillery. French attacks in this district were repulsed.

"Battles between the Meuse and the Moselle continued with the same ferocity. Near the villages of Frouzeux and Gussainville, east of Verdun, which the French reported had been taken by them, no fighting place up to the present. These villages are situated far in front of our positions.

French Gained Foothold.
"Between the Orne and the banks of the Meuse the French suffered a heavy defeat yesterday. All their attacks broke down under our fire. In the Combos Hills they obtained a temporary foothold in a certain section of

our outer line trenches, but were partly driven back again by a night attack. These battles continue.

"Attacks against our positions north of St. Mihiel also were without success. Minor advances on the front at Ailly and Apremont were repulsed. Engagements at Flirey were of a less lively character, probably on account of the heavy losses suffered by the enemy on April 8. Two machine guns were captured by us.

Claims Company Routed.
"At the front at Remenauville and in the forest of Le Petre the French attacks were repulsed. On the western border of Le Petre forest the enemy finally lost that part of our positions which they penetrated at the end of March.

"A repeated attempt to wrest from us the village of Bezaune La Grande, southwest of Chateau Salines, was paid for by the French with the loss of a company which was completely routed, while two officers and 101 men remained prisoners of our hands.

"The situation in the Vosges was unchanged.

"In the eastern theatre of war, the Russians had no luck with their attacks to the east and the south of Kalvaryia. They everywhere were repulsed with heavy losses. Likewise the situation in the eastern arena was unchanged.

EIGHT ALLIED WARSHIPS OFF TO HELP AT DARDANELLES

Squadron Shells Turkish Positions While Steaming Towards
Gulf of Saros, Then Leaves in Direction
of Straits.

[Canadian Press.]

London, April 10.—Four battleships and four cruisers, conveying several transports, were seen yesterday from Dedeagatch steaming toward Enos, on the Gulf of Saros, according to a dispatch to the Times from Sofia. The warships opened fire on Turkish positions at a distance of what appeared to be three miles. After the bombardment had continued for about two hours, the squadron withdrew in the direction of the Dardanelles.

SERVIAN STREET NAMED AFTER LADY PAGET

Honor Paid in Recognition of Her Devoted Services.

[Canadian Press.]

Nish, Servia, via London, April 10.—In recognition of the devotion of Lady Ralph Paget, the municipality of Uskub has decided to rename the finest street in that city after her.

Lady Paget, who is the wife of a Spanish diplomat, has been in Servia working with the Red Cross for some time past. She became ill, but in no way lessened her devotion to the cause. Her death was at one time erroneously reported.

The death roll of Servia doctors from typhus fever is very heavy. During the last two months 197 doctors and 452 have lost their lives.

DESERVED ADVANCEMENT

William Fulton Made C. P. R. Assistant District Passenger Agent.

[Canadian Press.]

Chicago, April 10.—Judge Corcoran, in the United States District Court today, denied an injunction restraining the annual meeting of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad from being held in this city next Monday.

The application was filed yesterday by a minority of stockholders, who asserted that they had been hindered in their attempts to get in proxies.

THE DIARY OF MARS

Austria is reported to have abandoned her campaign against Servia, bringing to a close the offensive operations which were the immediate cause of the general European conflict. Despatches from Switzerland say that Austria has given up the plan for a new attack on Servia, for the sake of sending additional troops to the Italian frontier. It is also reported from the same source that the decision has been reached at Vienna to sound Russia as to peace terms. The official organ of the Vatican, however, denies the report that Austria has requested the assistance of the Pope in such negotiations.

Popular attitude in Italy concerning the attitude of that country has increased to a point which has necessitated energetic action by the authorities to prevent disorders. The factions for and against war have arranged mass meetings for tomorrow, which their leaders say will be held in spite of a police prohibition.

A French sailing vessel, from London for New York, has been sunk by a German submarine off the Isle of Wight. The Germans allowed the crew of 25 men ten minutes in which to quit their vessel, and all were saved. A wrecked British schooner has been sighted off the American coast, and is believed to have been attacked by a German warship several weeks ago.

Russia is said to have made important captures of guns and war munitions in the Carpathians. What is represented as information from the Austrian general staff is that in the battle

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LONDON ADVERTISER GRAND CONTINENTAL TRIP DAILY BALLOT

GOOD FOR TEN VOTES.

If Credited to Miss or Mrs. Address

On or before April 16, 1915. District No.

This ballot, to be good, must be clipped and sent to The Advertiser before the above expiry limit. Clip along edges.

GIRLS FIGHT WITH BANDIT'S WHILE MEN COVER IN CORNER

[Canadian Press.] Escaping the notice of the robbers, Miss Robertson broke away and ran to the door leading to the factory, and one of the men fired at her, the bullet passing close over her head. The men then gathered fifteen hundred dollars into a bag and made their way to the street. A third man, who had been keeping watch outside, joined them and the trio disappeared along the railroad tracks at the back of the factory. There is no clue as yet to their identity. The robbery had evidently been carefully planned.

WHITEWASH GIVEN THE BOOT SCANDAL

Tory Members of Committee Plead Lack of Time For Inspection.

MIDDLEMAN OVERLOOKED

Minority Report, However, Cites Flagrant Defects and Other Things.

[Special to The Advertiser.] OTTAWA, April 9.—Two boot reports will be presented to Parliament Saturday morning. The Conservative and the Liberal members of the committee were not able to agree. There is a majority report, signed by the four Conservative members, Messrs. Middleboro, McCurdy, Sir James Aiken and Mr. Rainville. There is a minority report, signed by the three Liberals, Messrs. E. N. Macdonald, E. W. Nesbitt and Hon. Charles Murphy. The Conservative majority apologize, plead haste of time, and say there was no time for inspection; that the department did all that could have been reasonably expected under the circumstances. The minority report, however, which was unsatisfactory, rested with the late administration, which adopted the model from which the present administration worked.

THE BLOOD IS THE STREAM OF LIFE

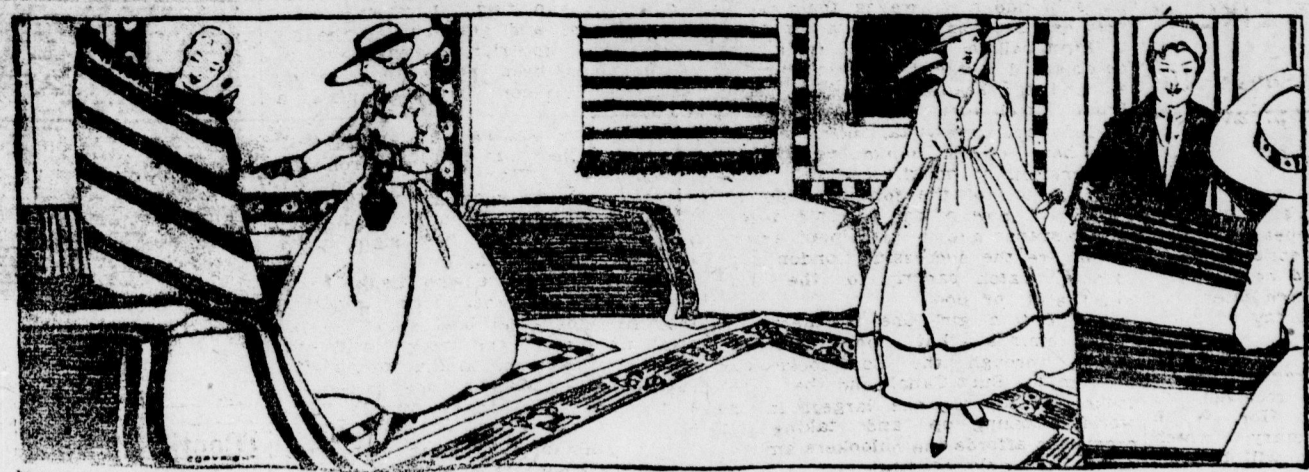
Pure Blood Is Absolutely Necessary to Health.

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" PURIFIES

These Wonderful Tablets Made of Fruit Juices, Are the Best of All Tonics to Purify and Enrich the Blood.

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Spring Showing of Room Rugs and Carpets in New Designs and Colorings Will Take Place Monday---THIRD FLOOR



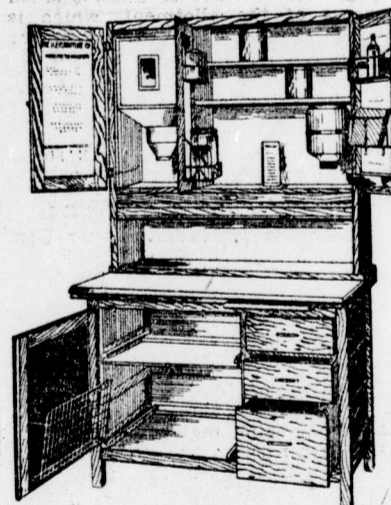
In presenting this splendid showing of rugs and carpets for spring, that have been imported direct from the looms of John Crossley & Sons, Halifax, England; Jas. Templeton & Co., Glasgow; Bond-Worth, Stourport, England; Harrison & Humphreys, England, and Firths, Scotland, our customers are guaranteed the finest and most reliable floor coverings it is possible to secure. It is an interesting fact that England and Scotland have enjoyed for centuries the reputation of producing the best qualities in carpets and rugs, and Monday's display here will emphasize this fact and prove their right to claim perfection in the art of carpet-making.

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Table with columns for rug types (SCOTCH WOOL RUGS, VELVET RUGS, BRUSSELS RUGS, TAPESTRY RUGS, AXMINSTER RUGS) and their respective prices.

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Our new "Kitchen Aid" Cabinet, "made in Canada," solid oak, removable flour bin with sifter attached, sanded glass in doors, disappearing roller curtains, seven-piece set mission glass jars, glass sugar bin on swinging bracket, sanitary white enamel interior. This is the best cabinet on the market. Price \$35.00

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WM. FORRESTER FOR SOUTH PERTH

Well-Known Flax Dealer Is Chosen Candidate For the Federal Election.

MITCHELL, April 9.—Liberalism found ample means of expression at the convention of the South Perth Reform Association held this afternoon, when Wm. Forrester, of Mitchell, was chosen as the party representative for the next federal election. The attendance was large, every municipality being well represented. M. J. F. Pardee, M.P., of Sarnia, chief Liberal whip, was the principal speaker, and his telling arraignment of the Government and its methods was attentively listened to. Mr. Forrester is a prominent flax dealer, and well known throughout the county as a man in every respect worthy to carry the Liberal standard. George Kastner, of Downie, was in the chair. The officers elected were: President, George Kastner, Sebringville (re-elected). First vice-president, Jesse Loder, Logan. Second vice-president, John Murray, Avonorton. Secretary-treasurer, W. Elliott, Mitchell. Auditors, W. Martyn and John Rogers, Mitchell. When nominations were called for a candidate, the following names were advanced: Valentine Stock, ex-M.P.P., Tavistock; Duncan McVannell, St. Marys; John Murray, Avonorton; Peter Smith, Downie; F. G. Sanderson, St. Marys; F. A. Campbell, Mitchell; W. Forrester, Mitchell; W. Elliott, Mitchell; Messrs. McVannell, Campbell, Murray, Elliott, Sanderson withdrew their names, and on a ballot being taken on the three remaining, Mr. Forrester received the call. A motion to make his nomination unanimous was then enthusiastically carried.

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MEXICANS PREPARE TO WELCOME HUERTA

Colony in New York Expects Ex-President To Arrive Today.

[Canadian Press.] New York, April 10.—There was activity in the local Mexican colony today in anticipation of the arrival here of Victoriano Huerta, deposed president of Mexico. Huerta sailed from Spain on the steamer Antonio Lopez, due here this afternoon or tonight. Mexicans here believed that a number of General Huerta's most intimate friends would greet him and confer concerning Mexican affairs. Only On Pleasure. In a wireless dispatch Gen. Huerta, replying to an inquiry, sent word that he was on a pleasure trip only and had no plans.

At the Carranza consulate it was said that no move had been made to prevent Huerta's landing. The steamer on which he is a passenger will proceed to Havana after remaining in New York two days and one report was that he would remain aboard and proceed to the Cuban capital.

NOT WORRYING. Washington, April 10.—Secretary of Labor Wilson and Commissioner General Caminetti, of the immigration bureau, declare that they are not worrying about the expected arrival of General Huerta in New York. "There is nothing in his coming to New York," said Secretary Wilson, "that warrants the department of commerce and the immigration officials in treating General Huerta any differently than any other arriving immigrants."

PAPER SUSPENDED. Paris, April 10.—The Royalist newspaper Libre Parole has been ordered to suspend publication for 48 hours for publishing news which had not been approved by the censors. This is the second time the paper has been disciplined.

COURT-MARTIAL BEGINS

French Officer Charged With Killing His Wife.

[Canadian Press.] Paris, April 10.—Keen public interest is being displayed in the court-martial which will begin today of Capt. Herait, an officer in the French cavalry, who is charged with killing his wife at Compiègne when she insisted upon remaining at the front that she might be near him.

THAW MAY BE ALLOWED TO WALK ABOUT STREETS

[Canadian Press.] New York, April 10.—Harry K. Thaw, held in the Tombs Prison awaiting a decision of the appellate division of the supreme court on his appeal from an order of Justice Page to send him back to Matteawan Asylum, may enjoy today his first stroll about the streets of New York in many a day. Under order

of Supreme Court Justice Ingraham, obtained by Thaw's counsel Sheriff Griffenhagen was permitted with his discretion to allow Thaw to take "reasonable exercise at reasonable hours." The nature of this exercise depends upon the sheriff's judgment.

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Six Thousand American Bales Lost in Naples Harbor.

[Canadian Press.]

Naples, April 10.—Six thousand bales of American cotton aboard the steamer San Guglielmo were destroyed by fire in the harbor here yesterday. The loss is estimated at 1,000,000 lire (\$200,000). Firemen, customs guards and troops were unable to extinguish the flames before the cargo was ruined.

The San Guglielmo, an Italian steamer of 5,000 tons, sailed from Galveston on March 15 for Genoa and Naples by way of New York.

GERMAN SCIENTIST DEAD.

[Canadian Press.]

BERLIN, April 9.—The death is announced of Prof. Friedrich Loeffler, the German scientist, who, in 1884, discovered the diphtheria bacillus. Dr. Loeffler was born in 1852.

ITALIAN POLICE FORBID MEETINGS

But Peace and War Parties Insist Mass Gatherings Will Be Held.

[Canadian Press.]

Rome, April 10.—Both the parties which favor the intervention of Italy in the war and those which favor a continuance of neutrality have made preparations to hold mass meetings Sunday throughout the country, but the police have forbidden such gatherings. The leaders in both movements, however, insist that the meetings will be held either privately or in public squares. The authorities are arranging police and military measures to prevent disorders.

WOMEN AND GIRLS

gain particular benefits from SCOTT'S EMULSION in the spring season. It creates healthful blood to overcome drowsiness and prevents anaemia. SCOTT'S is free from alcohol.

PUT SALOON IN HELL OR NATION WILL GO THERE SUNDAY

Evangelist Hobbles, Leaps and Vaults Chairs in Acrobatic Sermon Before Record Paterson Crowd—Hopes To Preach At Funeral of Liquor Business.

Paterson, N. J., April 10.—Billy Sunday entertained a gathering that filled every seat in his Paterson Tabernacle last night.

The evangelist was at his best. He hobbled around the platform like an old man, leaped upon a chair or vaulted over it like an athlete and imitated children and women in a way that convulsed his hearers to illustrate points in his discourse. The meeting was the largest he has addressed in Paterson.

"Home" was the theme of his sermon, and as he finished with his description of the tribute paid by the nation to John Howard Payne, author of "Home, Sweet Home," when his remains were brought back to this country, the immense choir sang a few bars of the refrain in a way that left few of the vast throng unaffected.

"I believe in blood," shouted Sunday, leaping upon a chair. "It is in the blood of the Jew to make money. Solomon had over five billion dollars. He could have hired Andrew Carnegie for a chauffeur, J. Pierpont Morgan for a butler, and John D. Rockefeller to cut his lawn. The mother of No. 1 was a murderer. No wonder the drunken lobster played the fiddle while Rome was burning."

Answers "Graft" Charge.

"Some man has called me a grafter," shouted Sunday at the opening. "He's a liar. If Caruso sings and gets a thousand dollars, it's talent. If a preacher gets a thousand dollars for preaching, it's graft. It is none of your business what I do with my money any more than it is my business what you do with yours."

"I have been offered a thousand dollars an hour for 30 days on the Chautauqua platform. I could make enough money in a week to take care of my

family for a year. I have been offered \$10,000 for one week by a New York theatrical man to do a stunt on the stage. The movies have told me to sell my own price. I won't accept any of their offers for all the money in the vaults of the banks of New York.

"Jack Johnson stood up for an hour or more and got licked, and then pulled down \$125,000. I will be doggone if I would have done it. I don't think the fellow stands on two feet who could have the help of old Johnnie Eke goody."

"The downfall of most men and women can be traced to some defect in the home," said Sunday, getting down to his sermon and pounding the table. "Broken homes and blighted lives are inseparably associated. The normal is to stop raising the drunkards and thieves and get rid of them. Make my words, if America does not put the saloon in hell, America will go to hell."

"I hope to preach the funeral service of the liquor business in this country. I think when I die the brewers will run excursions to my funeral."

"Now I have no faith in the woman who wears heaven and make a hell out of her home. The brewers will make a nation great without the proper home surroundings."

"What is he call his father the old man, wears a hat on the back of his head that looks like a fried egg; rolls his breeches up at the bottom with a pair of pins; and puts in a good share of the night trying to open a jackpot. Lies up against a quart of crawls into the hay at four in the morning, he thinks he is a man. He is a fool. The fellow who is tied to his mother's apron strings is laughed at and gazed by the other boys. Well, my boys, I don't know of a safer anchorage on earth than your mother's apron strings."

"Some women could die and their husbands would not miss them," Sunday suddenly diverted, leaping to the front of the platform and nearly toppling over the edge. "One of the danger signs of our day is the curse of idle mothers. I will give you some good advice. Don't tell your child what you do not mean, don't talk about your neighbors."

Then Sunday gave a laughable impersonation of a woman getting ready to receive an unexpected and unwelcome caller. He went through all the motions of adjusting woman's clothing and dressing his hair, all the time keeping up a chatter of scandal about the other woman. Then he showed the woman entering her parlor and greeting her friend with a kiss. Stopping over Sunday kissed each of the imaginary children with the visitor. Then he drew a moral from the little scene. "This woman's children lied because she lied when she made believe she was glad to see her friend. 'Don't punish children when the company is there,' he urged, 'but wait until the company goes and dust the youngster on both hemispheres if he needs it. And don't overdress your brats, so that they will make your neighbor's children feel they are pikers.'"

"We have taken from the teachers the right to lick kids," said Sunday, decrying also teachers and preachers are paid so poorly.

"Taking away that right is only another fool thing we have done. I got many a licking when I went to school, but I wore three pairs of trousers," and he grinned while a tumult of laughter shook the tabernacle.

"They have kicked the Bible out of the public schools. I will never stand on earth without protest while a lot of dirty, cheap skate politicians try to pay their political debts by using the schools as political pawns. I say to them if you don't like the way we do things in America beat it."

"I like the mothers who said she raised her boys with prayer and a good hickory. I don't mean that you ought to lambaste them all the time. There are homes though where they ought to have a hickory switch on the wall and beneath it the motto: 'I need thee every hour.'"

"A cow was watching its calf. She wanted to know where the calf was going. I take my hat off to that cow (raising his hat to an imaginary cow) in preference to the mother who does not watch her children. Too many fathers and mothers plunge into the social stream, and get beyond the reach of the Bible and the voice of God. That is why our boys and girls are going down in the depths of licentiousness. Young men and women must have fun, but if they cannot get it in their homes, they will get it in the haunts of dissipation."

"We are going to have a prohibition president in ten years," was a prediction made by Sunday, as he poked one foot on the chair. This brought another tremendous outburst of applause from his hearers.

About 8,000 persons heard Sunday at his afternoon meeting, a showing that evidently pleased him in view of the inciting weather that made the interior of the tabernacle decidedly uninviting. He showed great good humor and got more laughs from his hearers than at any of his previous meetings in Paterson.

The subject of Sunday's afternoon discourse was "Pentecost," and the devil-fighting evangelist was at his best.

"Why is it that 1,900 years ago 120 praying men had more power than 12,000,000 church members have today?" he exclaimed. "I'll tell you. They were all in accord here. The church has increased in numbers, but not in power. We need accord today, we need it more than we need a high-priced opera singer stuck up in the choir loft scraping the kalsomine off the ceiling."

"I did not come here because I wanted to, but because you begged me on your knees to come. Let us get together now, and you will have the devil in the hospital before the Fourth of July."

"Now that I am here, I will preach the truth, too, in Paterson. If I have to put my trunk in a wheelbarrow to get it back to Chicago."

Sunday ridiculed fads in the church and fads in society.

"I would need an asbestos paper to publish my opinion of the society handshake and other habits and customs of society," he said. "As for the church, what it needs is a baptism of horse sense."

Daniels Is After Sunday.

Sunday has received a petition signed by Secretary Daniels, the mayors of Portsmouth and Norfolk, Va., and ministers representing 150,000 evangelical church members, urging him to conduct a revival campaign in the south. Sunday will not say whether or not he will accept.

The local school board has refused to permit announcements of Sunday's activities to be made in the schools or to let him have the use of a schoolhouse for a children's revival. A committee of the board had promised this, but yesterday the board unanimously voted the matter down.

Plan To Spoil Sermon.

"How many food will religion buy?"

Does appetite leave when religion enters? And what does the working man need most—a living wage or a road map?"

These questions are to be debated in Paterson next Tuesday night by Frank Tannenbaum, Carol Tresca, Jim Larkin, Elizabeth Gurley Flynn and other leaders of the I. W. W., who will seek to keep the workers in the Paterson silk mills away from Billy Sunday's Tabernacle. Naturally only one side will be debated.

If Adolf Wolf, the anarchist-poet, can finish it in time, those who attend the I. W. W. meeting in Tann Hall will see a tabloid comedy entitled "Sunday in the Silk Mill."

At the Francisco Ferrer School it was said memories of other days in Paterson are still vivid in the minds of Tresca, Miss Flynn and their associates. Even now it is not a certainty that the police will permit the anti-Sunday meeting.

If the Paterson police insist upon censoring the program the meeting will become a memorial service for Pat Quinlan, now in prison for his part in the strike.

Tresca and Larkin argue that Sunday has been brought to Paterson by the mill owners.

Frank Flood, "Billy" Sunday's first convert yesterday recanted.

His views on the subject of conversion were explained through his two sons, "Marsh" and "Fat."


Search for Flood brought the reporter to No. 45 Butler street, Paterson, the address given by Fred Seibert, "Billy" Sunday's aide, who announced the "conversion" to the newspaperman.

A pretty girl answered the door and blushing admitted that Mr. Flood lived there. He was not at home, she said, but he might be found in a corner cafe, owned and operated by his eldest son, Severy.

"We all feel very badly," said the son. "Dad (Frank Flood) wanted to get a train out of town to hide his face, when he found out this morning what the papers said about his conversion. So, you can't see him. He's sneaking home after dark to avoid the neighbors."

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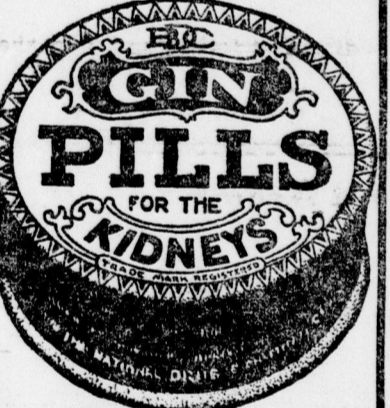
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A DOUBTFUL EXPERIMENT.

All people will be disposed to agree with the theory that men who are temporarily absent from home on their country's business, whether in the performance of civil or military duties, should be given opportunity to vote at elections. And not simply for Dominion elections, but provincial and municipal as well.

When this present European war is over, English, French, Russian, German, Servians, Belgians, will have added to their richest possessions a new record—records of heroism, of chivalry, of noble deeds, of complete sacrifice.

Certain conditions and limitations should be taken for granted. The franchise should be the same; the same care should be taken to secure an honest vote; the ballot should be as well safeguarded, and the punishment for offenses should be as severe, and as thoroughly inflicted.

In the first place, as we understand the measure, the franchise is not necessary the same. We require of the civilian voting at home that he shall be a British subject, 21 years of age, and resident for a certain length of time in the locality where he proposes to vote.

The ballot cannot be in any way safeguarded. The voter hands his paper in an envelope to his commanding officer. He forwards it to the Government office in London; from there it goes to a Government official in Ottawa, and he sends it to the returning officer in the constituency where it is to be counted.

So far as results are concerned, if the election were conducted fairly, the Liberal party would have no cause for complaint. The proportion of Liberals in the ranks is fully equal to that of the Conservatives.

And the men who have been tramping around in rotten boots, no matter what their politics, will not be any too favorably inclined to the Government. But the circumstances are not such as to justify any bright hopes. There can be no special day set for the voting; that will have to depend on conditions at the front, and must be left to the discretion of the officers.

And how far these latter may interest themselves in the voting will be another question. Some of them will be indifferent, and the voting season may pass by without a convenient opportunity for the gathering of the ballot. Others may be too much interested. One who is strongly partisan—whether Liberal or Conservative—will take special pains to get out all the vote on his own side.

MR. MCCOIG'S GOOD SHOOTING.

The Liberal member for West Kent, Mr. Archie McCoig, though temporarily in the cool shades of Opposition, has already done his country more than one splendid service. He was successful in securing concessions for the farmers of the country on ditching machinery, which now comes into the country free, thanks to his determined and finally-recognized effort.

And now Mr. McCoig has been successful in having brought into the court of public opinion the scandal in connection with the purchase of a dilapidated herd of horses for military use by the Conservative member for Kings, N. S., Mr. A. Dewitt Foster, and the secretary to the chief Conservative whip, Mr. W. P. McKay.

Mr. Foster bought a horse for the Government that had been rejected for service at the time of the South African war, another that was traded for a drake and two ducks, and, in fact, all the aged cubs that low-down horse hucksters cared to bring to the buyers. They were the men who stazed what has probably proved to be Canada's sorriest comedy, and when Mr. McCoig sought to have the matter taken up by the Government early in March he was squelched through the influence of those concerned, and called a "sniper" by a Western Ontario Conservative paper.

At the time Mr. McCoig sought to have this tragedy of the lame, the halt and the blind made known to the people of this country, he was told that "Mr. Foster had only assisted the buying, and endeavored as far as possible to prevent graft." At the time the Liberals, knowing what had gone on under the supervision of Mr. Foster, laughed at this virtuous declaration, and now the vindication of the charges of Mr. McCoig has come, and come with stunning force.

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A SMASHING SENTENCE.

The Outlook, of New York, always talks like a stout defender of the faith when it comes to the brutalities practised by land and sea in this war, and the following extract from an article headed "Assassination—Not War," dealing with the sinking of the Falaba, is probably as strong an arraignment as has been written by the pen of man in centuries:

When this present European war is over, English, French, Russian, German, Servians, Belgians, will have added to their richest possessions a new record—records of heroism, of chivalry, of noble deeds, of complete sacrifice. But this deed of shame will also be remembered, and it will overshadow the deeds of many German heroes. That is the worst thing about it. The German submarine commander and his superiors are proud of the deed that brought about this thing, and traiders of the German man, and committed an irreparable wrong against every high-minded and chivalrous German. The men who were responsible for this foul deed robbed Germany of something more precious and more necessary to the empire's existence than hosts of soldiers, or mints of money, or treasures of art. They robbed Germany of the spirit and hearts of its men. One reason for Great Britain's naval power is to be found in Great Britain's naval traditions. Germany has now introduced her own naval traditions assassination.

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A Soldier's Protest

"Your King and country need you" is a stirring battcry. That has rallied millions to the flag, firing every patriot's eye. Each town in our Dominion fair gave freely of her sons. To wear the British uniform and man the British guns. But some four or five years ago, a lawbreaker named Peart, that they saw a soldier there to quench his natural thirst. And his soul was filled with anger, tears obscured his sight like mist. And he said: "I'll put all soldiers on the prohibition list."

And a certain writer tells us we are honored by that act. But that chap won't wear the khaki, you can bank strong on that fact. When a man becomes a soldier why should critics interfere. To make a chap an outcast 'cause he wants a glass of beer? The meanest bug that walks the street can have his 'arf and 'arf. And when he meets a soldier hands him out a real horse laugh: "Your King and country need you," pal, to meet the German fist. But when you don the khaki, chum, you're on the Indian list. 18th Battalion. —FRED YOUNG.

STIRRING UP TROUBLE.

THE ugly incident of the raid into a Serbian territory from Bulgaria may slip away without any serious results. At first it appeared dangerous as it looked as if it might lead to another general Balkan war. Later investigations, however, show that the Bulgarian Government was innocent of any complicity in the affair. The Government at Sofia declares that it can prove beyond any doubt that the raiders were Albanians, bribed, equipped and led by Austrian army officers, and disclaims all responsibility.

This is an entirely new version of the affair, but weight is given to it by cables from Rome, which assert that the masses of the Bulgarians are overwhelmingly opposed to any alliance with the Turk. The Bulgarian does not love the Serbian, but he loves the Turk less. Also it does not seem likely that Bulgaria desires at this time to have Roumania and Greece to fight, and that is what would assuredly happen should Bulgaria war on Serbia. The raid, however, shows that Germany through Austria is intriguing to drag the Balkans into another war. With Austria nearing the end, Berlin is getting desperate and an explosion that would involve Greece, Roumania, Bulgaria and Serbia would at least postpone and make the more costly the inevitable triumph of the Allies.

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THE WEEK IN REVIEW

HIGHLY important as are the operations in Flanders, Northern France and the Dardanelles, the eyes of the world are turned on the Czars' mighty army as it sweeps over the crests of the Carpathians into the heart of Hungary. Ever since the fall of Przemysl, without pause the Russians have been pressing forward, and three passes through the mountainous hills, Luplow and the Col of the Usok is still in doubt. The struggle for the Usok Pass is likely the southernmost of all, as it is Galicia to Hungary, and passes from the Austrian army that is fighting in Bukovina. As usual, conflicting reports are sent out from Petrograd and Vienna, the Russians claiming decided successes for the land operations, and the Austrians asserting the advance of the enemy. It is not clear, however, that Berlin there is no doubt but that the Russians are sure of winning a way to Budapest, and they can keep up the pace another week or two before a complete collapse of the Austrians.

The Austrians still have an army north of the Carpathians in Bukovina, apparently is endeavoring to draw off some of the pressure of the invasion of Hungary.

In Northern Poland and East Prussia, the conditions of the rivers and roads has completely halted operations.

DAILY the French continue to nibble away at the German positions. Their progress is being made in the FRENCH ADVANCING TOWARDS METZ FORTRESS, district, which is to the northeast of the fortress of Verdun and in the direction of Metz.

The Belgians report taking the enemy out from the Germans on the banks of the Meuse, and are putting up a stiff resistance, but there is reason to believe that they are outnumbered. In Thursday's fighting the French claim a fine gain of two miles, turning the enemy out of trench after trench. The French advance is neither as rapid nor as spectacular as that of the Russians, but it is steady, continuous and is slowly sapping the invaders.

In the British-Belgian zone of the fighting the lull of last week continues. The British have in the trenches, and the French report successful mining operations at the town of La Gohelle, the nature of which are not made public. It is reported that the Germans are pouring

A Hopeless Task. Paris dispatches make the Belgian commander at Liege, Gen. Lemans, and the French turning the enemy out larger than ever as heroic personages; the crippled Lemans because as a German prisoner of war he refused parole, declaring that he would not surrender, and offering his services to King Albert before the war ends; and Gen. Manoury who had an eye shot out in the trenches, because of the enemy's remark that "the loss of an eye means the loss of one one-twenty-fourth of the night" exclaimed "Well, if that is so, my eyes seem almost a luxury."

It appears a hopeless task to attempt the conquest of nations that produce men of such great soul.

Let's Clever Grab. (Montreal Journal of Commerce.) Pierre Loti, the author, certainly had all producers out-distanced when he secured the rights to the play, "The Prince and his chauffeur" drove their machine into the German lines in a fog. They were seized and thrown into a but. Here they discovered the services of the great French actress after her operation!

Prince Arthur's Close Shave. Princess Arthur of Connaught is being congratulated on her husband's daring escape from the Germans, whose prisoner he was for an hour or more. The prince and his chauffeur drove their machine into the German lines in a fog. They were seized and thrown into a but. Here they discovered the services of the great French actress after her operation!

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At nineteen a real "Lochnivar" came a-courting me, and while I believed him a peer among men, yet I felt I must have a few years to "be" and "do" before I should marry...

In these days when there are so many avenues open to girls, I do not think our girls do wisely by marrying young. But don't fret the years away...

Some husbands are so settled down and easy going that anyone could get along with them. Some women who their husbands going about with other

women can easily be happy. I have met people of that class who think they are giving great advice, and say: "I would do this; I would do that..."

in regards to "Star That Guides", I like to hear her say how much she is going to do for her new home and husband. I earnestly hope he will help and do his part, for one cannot do all...

With the approach of warmer weather the nature of the articles for the men at the front is necessarily changing. No knitted goods except socks are now required and the London Red Cross Society asks that workers turn their attention to sheets, towels and other hospital supplies...

Every electrical vacuum actually draws every particle of dust from "SALADA" tea, insuring its perfect cleanliness before it enters the bright aluminum teapot...

must always look upwards and onwards, if our trials are heavy they won't last forever. CHEER UP.

MOTHERS' CLUBS' WORK DEALT WITH IN A CLEVER BOOKLET

Fourteen Clubs Now in London's Schools--Mothers and Teachers Work Together.

A very bright pamphlet, setting forth the aims and objects of the Mothers' Clubs of London, has been issued by that organization for circulation amongst interested women of the city.

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News of the Canadian War Contingent Association

When small groups of workers gather in various centres to labor for one united object, it is wonderful the amount of work which results. This is perhaps never more clearly shown than in the War Contingent and Red Cross activities.

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LES EPARGES NOW IN FRENCH HANDS

Four Days' Battle Ends in a Victory For the Allied Forces.

GERMANS ARE DESPERATE Make Fifteen Attempts To Retake Trenches Lost On Thursday.

[Canadian Press.] PARIS, via London, April 9.—11:55 p.m.—The following French official statement regarding the progress of the war was issued tonight:

"After a new and brilliant attack the important position of Les Eparges, which dominates the plain of Woivre, and which the enemy defended obstinately, is now completely in our hands. We carried yesterday 1,500 metres (about 1,600 yards) of trenches, and this morning the Germans held in strength on the plateau only two isolated positions of some metres. We carried these this afternoon, taking 150 prisoners. We have thus attained one of the principal objectives of our operations of the last few days.

"Further to the north, in the forest of Ally, we have maintained all the ground gained—200 metres on a front of 600 metres—and repulsed three counter-attacks. In the forest of Montmorency the Germans delivered fifteen attacks to retake trenches which we wrested from them yesterday. They were repulsed fifteen times. Heaps of German bodies are lying on the ground. "On the rest of the front actions to

Bringing Up Father



BY GOLLY—OUR NEW MAID IS A BEAUTY—I'M GON' TO GIVE HER THIS DIAMOND PIN!

MINNIE—YOU'VE BEEN A GOOD GIRL SEE THIS DIAMOND PIN—WELL—I WANT YOU TO TAKE IT—

THE VILLAIN!

OH! ISN'T IT A BEAUTY—

OH! THE DARLIN!

AND PUT IT ON MRS. JAGGS'S DRESSER—IT'S A LITTLE SURPRISE GOT FOR HER

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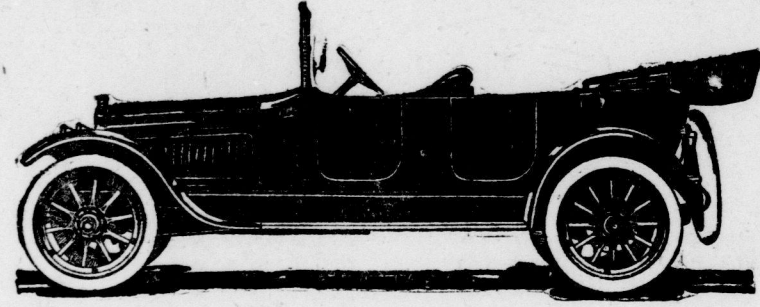
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be reported are as follows: "In Belgium, near Drei Grachten, the Germans by an attack occupied part of a trench on the left bank of the Yser. "In Champagne there have been infantry attacks of quite local, but very vigorous character. To the north of Beaunejour the Germans endeavored to retake part of the trenches lost by them last month. They were mown down except at one point, where they

succeeded yesterday evening in installing themselves in an advanced French position. Today we made a counter-attack. We recaptured the place, and pushed the enemy back to his point of departure, inflicting appreciable losses upon him. "On the southeastern slope of Hartmanns-Wellerkopf the number of prisoners taken by us during the last few days was 150."

LEGAL QUERIES LEASEHOLDER.—My twelve months' lease as tenant expires on May 1. Can landlord demand a month's notice to terminate tenancy on that date, or does tenancy lapse automatically on termination of lease? Nothing is stated in lease as to any notice being required. ANS.—Lease expires on May 1. No notice is required.

CHANDLER SIX \$1750



A Letter From Mr. Chandler

Hendrick's Garage, London. Gentlemen:

We are not surprised to learn that you heard some people express doubts as to whether the Chandler selling for \$1750 is the real Chandler, the same car that has been selling for \$2150. We get the same kind of reports from all over the country. But at the same time we are getting such a quantity of orders that we are convinced thousands of people are taking the trouble to find out for themselves that it is the same car.

It isn't strange at all that there are some doubters. It does seem too good to be true. I recall that you had some doubts, too, at first. It is difficult, indeed, to realize the progress that has come in the automobile industry in the past two years. You remember what a sensation the Chandler Light Six was at \$2350 two years ago. And again last year when the car had been beautifully refined and perfected in every detail at \$2150. Is it any wonder that people should marvel at the \$1750 price?

The fact remains—you know it, and we know it, and anyone else can easily convince himself of it—that the Chandler at \$1750 is the identical model that set the quality standard for light sixes and sold for \$2150. We are standing absolutely pat on this model. We haven't changed a single part or feature of material, and we won't. This is our car for the year—and doubtless for years to come—and \$1750 is the price.

The people who come into your store and examine the Chandler, and who go out and drive it, or ride in it, are convinced; and we won't worry about those folks who doubt without investigating. I feel pretty sure that every man who thinks of spending more than \$1000 for an automobile is, at least, going to look at the Chandler. And if he does—well, we will be satisfied with his decision.

The factory is breaking all our past production records and the big new building is being rushed through to completion. Very Truly, F. C. CHANDLER, President Chandler Motor Car Co.

Come See the Chandler Now

Bosch Magneto, Grey & Davis Separate Unit Electric Starting and Lighting System, Inclosed Silent Chains for driving motor shafts, Bosch Spark Plugs, Mayo Genuine Mercedes Type Radiator, cast aluminum motor base extending from frame to frame, Worm-Bevel Rear Axle, Rayfield Carburetor, Imported Annular Ball Bearings, Genuine hand-buffed leather (not split leather or machine-buffed), pure stream-line body, Golde patent one-man top, with Jiffy Curtains, complete incidental equipment, and the MARVELOUS CHANDLER MOTOR, built in the Chandler factory.

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BRITAIN CONTINUES AMERICA TO DENY TO FINANCE WAR GERMAN ASSERTION

The Treasury Will Advance Canada Two Millions a Month At Low Rate. [Special Cable to The Advertiser.] London, April 10.—Sir George Perley has this week negotiated with the British treasury a renewal of the arrangement made in the early period of the war for the payment of Canada's war expenditure. The British treasury will continue to pay the Dominion Government on account two millions monthly, one million in the middle of the month, and another million on the last day of each month, which will be for Dominion war expenditure alone.

Germany Anxious Over Submarines' Crews Wants United States To Inquire as to Treatment of Captives. [Canadian Press.] Berlin, April 10.—(By Wireless to Skyville).—The German Government is endeavoring to ascertain through the United States embassy whether the crews of German submarines who have been taken prisoner by the British and are being held in the naval detention barracks are receiving the same treatment as other prisoners of war or not. It has been reported that the crews of submarines were not being treated as prisoners of war but as criminals. The Lokai Anzeiger demands immediate retaliation.

Fire at Liverpool Warehouse at Docks in Blaze—Ships Were in Danger. [Canadian Press.] Liverpool, April 10.—Damage estimated at several hundred thousand dollars was caused last night by a fire in the Stanley warehouse on the Mersey docks, one of the largest storage centres in the world for tobacco in bond. The flames finally were brought under control after several vessels had been moved from their berths as a precautionary measure. Six firemen were overcome by smoke. It is feared that the fire may further aggravate the serious congestion of freight on the docks.

Prohibition Draws Nearer For Alaska Juneau, Alaska, April 10.—The Alaska Senate yesterday passed a bill submitting territorial prohibition to the voters at the November election in 1916. The bill has already passed the House. If the voters approve prohibition, it will become effective January 1, 1918.

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Strikers Give Up London, April 10.—12:12 p.m.—The formation of a docks battalion, coupled with the threat of the executives of the unions to suspend the strikers, had the anticipated effect at Birkenhead today; the week-end strike of the dockers collapsed. After refusing for six weeks to work overtime or on Saturdays, the men have given in and practically the entire body is helping today to relieve the freight congestion.

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Tom Haygarth Says: "I'll be away from here until the first of May—that's as certain as day. "So that my Quitting Business Sale can't be a chance for you to put off until you get good and ready—not if you want to buy your Spring Topcoat, Suit and Furnishings at half what you'll pay when this Merry War imposes its toll on prices. "I'm selling things now at half what you'll pay within the year—mark my words! I'm no prophet, but I have some business foresight, and prices are climbing—well, rather."

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Abandoned British Schooner Sighted The Robert Believed To Have Been Shelled by Germans. [Canadian Press.] Cadix, via Paris, April 10.—The steamer Legazpi, which arrived here yesterday, reported having sighted on March 11, the British schooner Robert, abandoned off the American coast. One mast was shattered, and the vessel had a heavy list to starboard. The captain of the Legazpi believes the crew was taken off by a German warship, after which the schooner was shelled. The Robert carried a cargo of textiles.

Spring Reminders Of Rheumatism Raw, Damp Weather Starts the Pain, But the Trouble Lies in the Blood. Spring weather is bad for rheumatic sufferers. The changes from mild to cold, the raw, damp winds start the aches and twinges, or in the more extreme cases, the return of the trouble going. But it must be borne in mind that it is not the weather that causes rheumatism. The trouble is rooted in the blood—the changeable weather merely starts the pain. The only way to reach the trouble and to cure it is through the blood. The poisonous rheumatic acids must be driven out. Liniments and rubbing may give temporary relief, but cannot possibly cure the trouble. The sufferer is only wasting time and money with this kind of treatment and all the time the trouble is becoming more deeply rooted—harder to cure. There is just one speedy cure for rheumatism—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They act directly on the impure, acid-tainted blood. They purify and strengthen it and thus root out the cause of the rheumatism. Here is strong proof of the above statements. Mr. J. Routley, Sydney, Man., says: "I was so badly crippled with rheumatism in my hips and knees that I could hardly go about. I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which I took steadily for a couple of months, by which time all traces of the trouble had disappeared. I can most strongly recommend the Pills to all rheumatic sufferers."

Carranza's Refusal Great Disappointment Washington Officials Hoped For Neutralization of the Mexican Capital. [Canadian Press.] Washington, April 10.—Failure of negotiations on the part of the United States Government, with the Mexican Government, for the neutralization of the Mexican capital and the railroad between that city and Vera Cruz, as the result of General Carranza's refusal to give his assent to the proposals, caused much disappointment in official circles today. The Villa-Zapata faction had agreed to the proposition. General Carranza gave military reasons for his action.

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Don't suffer! Regulate your upset stomach in five minutes.

Some foods you eat hit back—taste good, but work badly; ferment into stultifying lumps and cause sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. and Mrs. Dysepptic, jot this down: Pape's Diapepsin digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you.

With the Boy Scouts of Canada.

Hello, fellows! How are you feeling after your holidays? School starts again on Monday, doesn't it? Did I hear somebody groan?

We have chattered about the first two Scout laws and now we have come to the third. It is, you remember, "A Scout's duty to be useful and to help others."

I know that sometimes you help isn't appreciated, but seeing that you won't be able to get on without you.

One morning recently, I had an appointment down town, so I was left in charge of the house. Eleven o'clock soon came and no mother had appeared.

At fifteen minutes to twelve mother came bustling in and I told her what I had done, and she said, "Goodness, I wish you had left things alone."

When the other members of the family came home and learned that I had made the pudding they made a very face and utterly refused to taste it.

So you see my "good turns" are not always appreciated. If a Scout receives money for work he does he must not count that as his good turn.

An Interview With the Commissioner. I called on Dr. Reason, our Scout commissioner, as I promised, to see him about the Scout Camp. I was invited to sit down and "fire ahead."

"Are you in favor of the Scout Camp?" I asked. "Certainly! It will do the boys good and I am in favor of anything that is beneficial to the boys," he replied.

"Do you expect many boys?" I queried. "Yes, it was a success last year and it is going to be a great big success this year," responded our enthusiastic commissioner.

"Who will take charge of the camp?" I asked. "As head of the Scouts of London and district, I will be first in command, with District Scoutmaster Copeland as second, backed up by the other Scoutmasters."

"Do you think the parents of the boys will be in favor of our camp?" I asked in a doubtful tone. "I don't see why not. They surely can trust the boys with the camp."

"I don't see anything else you would like to say about the camp?" I asked. "Only that the cost of the camp to the boys will be very small. We are going to run everything on a large scale and have many excellent plans for raising funds to defray our expenses," responded the doctor.

WAS TROUBLED WITH CHOKING SPELLS AND SHORTNESS OF BREATH

When the heart becomes affected, there ensues a feeling of a choking sensation, a shortness of breath, palpitation, throbbing, irregular beating, smothering sensation, and dizziness and weakness, all of which give one a feeling of oppression and anxiety.

Many men and women drag along with weary step, and become worn out and haggard, when otherwise they could be strong and healthy if they would only pay some attention to the first signs of heart trouble.

Mr. James Leard, Tryon, P. E. I., writes: "Just a few lines to let you know what Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills have done for me. I had choking spells, and was troubled with weakness of the heart and shortness of breath."

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GENEVA (via Paris), April 9.—The German exports from Germany to Italy, including exports from Germany to Italy, is stopping at the frontier stations all empty Italian freight cars bound home-ward.

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It. So nowadays balloons which are made from different materials are filled with this gas and rise above the oxygen and nitrogen. At least, they would rise right above them were it not for the action of other elements, with which we don't require to trouble here.

From the simple pear-shaped balloon men have evolved the present well-known cigar-shaped dirigible. This also follows the stream line form I spoke of in regard to the aeroplane.

Next week we will finish our chats on aviation, and the following week start chats on "Poultry-Raising for Boys."

Letters From My Chums. Dear Scoutmaster.—I notice in your reply to "Ken," Southwood (March 29), you state it is against the regulations to print a list of the troops.

A.—Mr. Hammond, provincial secretary of the Boy Scouts, informed me of the rule. He claims that when a list is printed the scoutmasters are plagued by agents and others. It is the privilege of each executive to make rules to suit themselves, and we hope soon to print a detailed list of the London troops. Thanks for your good wishes.

Last week I announced that I would print the best account of a hike sent in to me during the week. The laurels go to Patrol Leader O. Wyckoff, age 15. Who will send in the best next week? The account is as follows:

One of Our Hikes. One Saturday last summer the boys of No. 11 Troop assembled at St. Matthew's Church (their headquarters), to go on one of their weekly hikes.

One of the patrol leaders and his corporal went another route, and lay in ambush to try and scare the others, because they arrived first. The other boys, under the assistant, who they had a fine time, because he let them talk every other 50 yards.

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IVAN BOX SOCIAL DECIDED SUCCESS

[Special To The Advertiser.] [Belton, April 9.—The box social held by the ladies of Ivan Presbyterian Church proved a splendid success. The program, which was lengthy was much enjoyed by all. John McPherson, of Coldstream, occupied the chair, and added much to the program by his appropriate jokes and stories throughout the evening.

BRITISH INDUSTRIES CALL FOR MALE HELP

Urgent Requests For Americans and Britons Made at Newark. [Canadian Press.] Newark, April 10.—A private employment bureau service here, it was learned today, has received urgent requests from several industrial centres of Great Britain for more than four hundred men to take the places of workmen who are at the front. The call is for American and British subjects only.

WILL CLOSE UP WELLS IN HEART OF INGERSOLL

INGERSOLL, April 9.—Action has been taken by the board of health in regard to the water used for domestic purposes. After giving the matter careful thought the board decided to

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Adelaide St. Baptist Church. Rev. Jas. M. Boyd Pastor. 11 a.m. "Why Could Not Christ Remain on Earth?" 3 p.m. Bible school and men's class. 7 p.m. "Heaven is a Real Place." Come and hear. Believers' baptism. Everybody welcome.

Associated Bible Students. Formerly "International Bible Students' Association." Opening service in Room No. 6, Power Building, 178 Dundas street, near Richmond street, Sunday, 3 p.m. Address by PASTOR L. F. ZINK, of New York. Topic: "God's Glorious Temple." All welcome.

Cathedral St. Pauls. Holy Communion, 8:30 a.m. Morning service, 11. Preacher, the rector. Evening service, 7. Preacher, Rev. E. Hawkins.

Centennial Methodist Church. Pastor, Rev. H. A. Graham. 11 a.m.—Subject, "The Honest Man." 7 p.m.—"Tragedies of Life."

CHRIST CHURCH. Corner Wellington and Hill Streets. REV. C. R. GUNNE, RECTOR. Services as usual.

Colborne St. Methodist Church. Rev. D. N. McCamus, Pastor. Class meetings at 10 a.m. The pastor will preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school, 2:45 p.m.

CRONIN MEMORIAL CHURCH. Matins, 11 a.m. Preacher, Professor Wright, of Huron College. Evening, 7 p.m.—Preacher, Rev. Joseph Ryerson, of Trinity Church, St. Thomas.

New Egerton St. Baptist Church. Pastor, Rev. W. C. Riddford. 11 a.m.—"The Third Round—What Shall We Make of It?" 3 p.m.—Bible school. Men's Baraca class. "An Important Question—Have You Cleaned House Yet?" Come. Just as you are.

Empress Ave. Methodist Church. Rev. T. Wesley Cosens, Minister. Rev. A. G. Harris, a former pastor, will preach morning and evening. Class meeting, 10 a.m. Sunday school, 2:45 p.m. All welcome.

DUNDAS CENTRE METH. CHURCH. Corner Dundas and Matiland Streets. Rev. A. J. Thomas, M.A., B.D., Pastor. 11 a.m.—The pastor, subject, "Jehovah Our Defence and Glory." 2:45—Sunday school. 7 p.m.—The pastor, subject: "The Three Tribunals." Excellent music at all services by choir and soloists. Farnell Morris, director.

First Congregational Church. DR. SILCOX. "THE MODERN DEVIL" SUNDAY EVENING. COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY MORNING

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. W. J. Knox, Minister. 11 a.m.—Tolerance. (Lanke, ix, 50). 7 p.m.—Rev. H. G. Coster, of Newmarket.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

FIRST METH. CHURCH. Rev. Chas. R. Flanders. PREACHER. 11 A.M. "THE EMMAUS JOURNEY." Anthem—"Leave Me Not" (Stainer). Soprano Solo—"The Song of the Deaf" (Grove), Mrs. W. Wyatt. 7 P.M. "THE BREADTH OF JESUS." Anthem—"Onward, Christian Soldiers" (Hudd). Anthem—"O Everlasting Light" (Wesley). Mr. A. D. Jordan, organist and choir-master.

HAMILTON ROAD PRESBYTERIAN. Anniversary services, conducted by Rev. Messrs. Millard, Knox, Mitchell and Hoste, Monday anniversary tea and entertainment. 8

Hyatt Ave. Methodist Church. Rev. J. E. J. Millard, Pastor. 11 a.m.—Rev. Dr. MacRae, 7 p.m.—The pastor, subject, "The King's Jewels." Good music. Courteous ushers. Everybody welcome.

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Rev. W. R. McIntosh, D.D., Minister. Morning—Rev. J. G. Stuart, Evening—The minister, subject, "Bible Sunday and the Old-Time Religion."

SOUTH LONDON BAPTIST CHURCH. Pastor, W. M. Walker. Morning, Rev. A. J. Bowen will preach. Evening, the pastor, All welcome.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Rev. D. C. MacGregor, Minister. Rev. Hugh MacFadyen, assistant minister. Rev. D. C. MacGregor will conduct both services.

Talbot St. Baptist Church. Rev. M. H. Bingham, B.A., Pastor. 11 a.m.—"The Life of Sonship." Baptism, 2—Sunday school. Baraca brotherhood. 7—"The Doom of the Double-Hearted." Baptism. All welcome.

WELLINGTON ST. METH. DIST. CHURCH. Rev. G. N. Hazen, pastor, will preach tomorrow, 11 a.m. "The Wages and the Gift." 7 p.m. "After Death—Will There Be a Second Chance?" Rev. A. J. Bowen will address the young men's class at 10 a.m.

YORK STREET MISSION HALL. Morning, Workers, Evening subject, "Is Christ of the Manger the God of the Throne?" Preacher, Evangelist, Belcher. Baptism.

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The 79th annual statement of the Bank of British North America for the year ended November 30, 1914, shows net profits of \$645,000. This is somewhat smaller than the earnings reported at the end of the previous year, but, in view of the unsettled conditions prevailing, the showing must be regarded as satisfactory.

It has always been the policy of the bank to maintain a substantial proportion of its assets in liquid shape, in the interests of the depositors, and on the outbreak of the war, this policy was strengthened so that at the end of the bank's year the total amount of cash, legal tender notes and bank balances was equal to 64 per cent of the liabilities.

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Out of the profits a dividend of 8 per cent has been declared, substantial appropriations have been made for the different funds for the benefit of the staff, and \$25,000 has been subscribed to the Canadian Patriotic and Red Cross Society funds.

About 15 per cent of the staff are at present at the front on active service in the defence of the empire.

Grain, Per Cwt. Wheat, per cwt. \$2.33 to \$2.33 Oats, per cwt. 1.88 to 1.88

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. THE LOCAL MARKET. A large variety of produce was on the market on Saturday, although buyers were not particularly active.

DAIRY. Liverpool, April 10.—Cheese—Canadian finest colored, 95c. LIVERSTOCK. [Special Cable to The Advertiser.] Liverpool, April 10.—There has been no change in the market at Birkenhead this week, good quality Irish steers and heifers making 17c to 18c per pound.

WALL STREET. New York, April 10.—The course of today's favorite active stock market seemed to indicate that the appetite of the speculative public had been satisfied for a time.

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London Stock Exchange. London, April 10.—The payment for £15,000,000 treasury bills was offset by the maturing of a similar amount today, and the money market was not affected.

MONEY MARKET. London, April 10.—Bar silver, 23s 3d per ounce. 1 1/2 to 1 1/2 per cent. Discount rates—Short bills, 2 1/2 per cent; three months, 3 per cent.

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FIFTH EPISODE. A Woman In Trouble.

CHAPTER I. Fat, old, black Aunt Debby was dressed in her best marketing clothes, the green percale with the big yellow flowers...

"No!" cried Mrs. Perry hysterically and reached over June's shoulder to take the phone. The new secretary had made no move toward the phone...

I've O. K'd it. You better go in and play with your neurons. The terrified little blond looked up incredulously. It was as if she had been given a drink of some strong stimulant...

ried her basket two blocks off his beat to what Officer Kernan held up the traffic both ways while she described the chicken pox she intended to make for dinner...

press the trigger, however, June's strong young arm had thrown up the woman's wrist, and the bullet which would have ended Mrs. Perry's life went into the ceiling...

up for five minutes afterward. That was enough for one day, and June ran down the street, past the little fountain, into the sanctuary of the Widow O'Keefe's house...

ner. And the husband of June had murdered in his heart. (To Be Continued.)

"You'll stop at Ned's for Mr. Moore, Debby," said Mrs. Moore. "Yasum." Aunt Debby stole a glance at June's portrait on the wall...

The page girl swished in with one of the memorandum slips. The yellow head, whose face was puffy, looked highly colored and a woman and a man sitting on a higher chair than the rest was dealing...

CHAPTER II. On the corner near Mrs. O'Keefe's home Officer Grady walked over to lift his hat and say hello to Marie...

WITH THE PLAYERS. Breezy notes and stories on the players of the "Silent Drama." Some pictures that will be released shortly featuring stars of the photoplay.

"She stole my pocketbook!" "Well, you've had two pocketbooks." And Aunt Debby's eyes dropped as she saw the stern gaze of the policeman...

Brinsley Shaw is playing the leading role of the stranger in "A Stranger In Camp," a Victor drama, the scenes for which were taken in Saratoga Lake, N. Y.

Victoria Forde was disguised as a fat lady in "The Secret of the Old House," a Victor drama, the scenes for which were taken in Saratoga Lake, N. Y.

At that moment the door of a strange house had slammed abruptly behind beautiful June Warner. And Gilbert Blye had furnished this address to June's employment agency.

"You've reached the limit, Mrs. Perry," announced the yellow-haired woman, turning on the unlucky one sharply as she crossed the door...

Jack Kerrigan confesses that his mother is his "silent partner," and he wants the whole world to know it. He receives many letters from other say...

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The executors of the late Wellington J. Barnes will offer for sale, by public auction, on the premises, on Saturday, April 24, 1915.

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SNOWDRIFT IS MADE BY PARNELL The Breadman so you can rest assured that it is as pure and clean as virgin snow. It is also wrapped and sealed in waxed paper, by electricity, to keep the goodness in. TRY A LOAF TODAY. JOHNSTON BROS. XXX Bread. Made of the richest Northern No. 1 hard wheat flour. It's thoroughly baked, through and through, so there can be no soggy, underdone spots. At your grocer's, or delivered. Johnston Bros., Phone 944.

CANADIAN BAYONET LACKS THE REACH Germans' Weapon Nearly Nine Inches Longer—Austrians' Is Shorter. OTTAWA, April 9.—The following memorandum was issued tonight by the Militia Department, apparently in reply to comments in letters received from Col. Currie, M.P., from the front: Articles have appeared in the press recently, attempting to point out the disadvantages of the Ross bayonet, with which the Canadians are armed at the front, in comparison with other makes, particularly on account of length. The following information will, no doubt, be of general interest. Length of rifles and bayonets used by the principal nations at war are: Germany—rifle 4 feet 1.4 inches, with bayonet 5 feet 2.95 inches. Austria—rifle 4 feet 2 inches, with bayonet 4 feet 11.5 inches. Turkey—rifle 4 feet 0.8 inches, with bayonet 5 feet 8.5 inches. Belgium—rifle 4 feet 2.25 inches, with bayonet 4 feet 11.75 inches. France—rifle 4 feet 3.12 inches, with bayonet 5 feet 11.81 inches. Russia—rifle 4 feet 3.875 inches, with bayonet 5 feet 9 inches. Great Britain (short Lee Enfield rifle), 3 feet 8.5 inches, with bayonet 5 feet 1.7 inches. Canada—(Ross rifle) 4 feet 2.5 inches, with bayonet 5 feet 1 inch. It is interesting to note that the American rifle is 3 feet 8.72 inches inches long and with the bayonet, 4 feet 11 inches.

PRINCE OF WALES IN LONDON WITH MESSAGES LONDON, April 10.—2:45 a.m.—The Prince of Wales arrived in London yesterday from the front, bearing dispatches from Field Marshal Sir John French to Lord Kitchener.

30c STRONG'S BAKING POWDER French Cream Tartar is now arriving in Canada at more frequent intervals and at a more favorable price. Therefore, we have reduced the price of this household necessity. Strong's Baking Powder 30c PER POUND. A "Strong's Cook Book" free on application.

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QUALITY IS ECONOMY Pictures Printed AT CAIRNCROSS' Are Best Bring your films to our store at 216 Dundas street before 9 a.m. and you will get 'PERFECT PICTURES' by six the same day. Don't forget the address—you will not be disappointed.

HAMILTON'S Ale and Porter Cannot be excelled. It's a favorite drink with many, and will suit you if you try it. CALLS IT ABSURD TO DELAY ELECTION North Bruce Member Sees No Objection to One During War. OTTAWA, April 9.—Dissolution and election were frankly discussed in the Commons today. The soldiers' vote bill gave rise to it. The Government neither promised to have an election nor to abstain from having one until the war ends. The Opposition suggested nothing, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier let the people pass upon whatever course the Government decided upon, whether it was election now or after the war.

Keeping Faith With People of District Housewives of London and Western Ontario are beginning to realize and appreciate what the packers of Grand Mogul Tea are doing for them in refusing to increase the price. One woman pointed out what the firm might have made by increasing the price even five cents a pound, the same as other packers did. "A great many firms talk of what they do for the people, and turn right around and grind every cent possible out of them," said she. "Grand Mogul Tea should receive the support of every woman in the district, particularly the wives of workmen, to whom five cents on a pound of tea means quite a bit."

THINKS ALLIES HAVE BEGUN GREAT MOVE LONDON, April 10.—The military correspondent of the Times says he considers that the operations on the Meuse and Moselle, between the French and the British, are the opening of the Allies' offensive in the summer campaign, that they are not isolated actions, but parts of the general plan. It must be admitted, says the correspondent, that in the earlier phases of the war, owing to Germany's numerical preponderance, there was something wanting in the co-ordination of the Allies' plans, but there is no longer any excuse anticipated, he asserts, that the designs of the higher command of the Allies in the east and in the west will be the same, and that they will strike simultaneously and with all the forces united.

GREY HAIR Dr. Tremain's Natural Hair Restorer, used as directed, is guaranteed to restore grey hair to natural color, or money refunded. Positively not a dye, and non-injurious. On sale at Anderson's drug store, 288 Dundas street, London. Price \$1.50. Postpaid. Write Tremain Supply Company, Dept. 51-wty-tf., Toronto.

VON BERNSTORFF DENIES TERMS ARE PRESENTED WASHINGTON, D. C., April 9.—Published reports that Germany had presented her terms to the United States attracted attention today in official Washington, but both Secretary Bryan and Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, denied that there was any foundation for such rumors. "There is nothing definite or indeterminate," said Secretary Bryan, when asked about the peace talk, "and there has been nothing new on any phase of the subject for a considerable time."

GERMAN MULES IN LONDON. LONDON, (Correspondence)—A large consignment of mules, intended for service in drawing German ammunition wagons has just reached London, and is following a more peaceful occupation in London streets, harnessed to the delivery carts of the army and navy stores. The animals were taken from a German steamer on her way home from the Pacific.

SENATE SPEAKER GOES ON STRIKE Declines To Occupy Chair Because of Vote of Govt. Leader. DEMANDS AN APOLOGY Suggestion Made That He Be Hauled to Chair by the Sergeant-at-Arms. OTTAWA, April 9.—The Speaker of the Senate is out on strike. He laid down his name, robe and other tools of office yesterday and has not been seen in the crimson chamber since. A strike-breaker is sitting in the Speaker's carved chair at the head of the Upper House of Parliament. The strike is directed rather against the Government than the Senate, though the latter is substantially involved. A small question of patronage and a large question of dignity are at the bottom of the trouble. This is the latest in a long series of deadly differences between Speaker Philippe Landry and the internal economy committee of the Senate. The speaker has the right to nominate employees for appointment by the Senate, and claims that promotions and changes in the staff should originate with him. Instructions From Committee. Thursday the committee presented a report instructing the speaker to make some specified changes in the staff. Speaker Landry rose in his dignity and declared that the report was out of order, and could not be voted upon. In its might the Senate then arose and voted down the speaker's ruling by 23 to 12. Although the speaker is appointed by the Government, Hon. J. A. Loucheud, the Government minister in charge of the House, was one of those who voted against the ruling. Even when the chair was found vacant, when the bell rang for the afternoon sitting, few suspected that Speaker Landry's dignity had been fatally touched. The speaker is undoubtedly absent. Senator Bolduc was elected to preside, and business went on.

Russians Hold Great Stretch of Mountains Control Principal Chain of the Carpathians Extending Along a Front of Seventy-three Miles, With the Exception of One Hill. [Canadian Press.] PETROGRAD, via London, April 9.—11:25 p.m.—The following Russian official statement regarding the fighting in the eastern theatre of the war was issued tonight: "On the front west of the Niemen River there have been actions of secondary importance. "In the Carpathians our troops repulsed a number of German and Austrian counter-attacks and continued to progress. We now hold in our hands the whole of the principal chain extending for more than 110 versts (about 73 miles), from Regetovo to Volosate with the exception of Hill 909, south of Voliamekhova. On April 7 we took 1,200 prisoners. "In all other sectors of our front there is no marked change."

SENATE SPEAKER GOES ON STRIKE Declines To Occupy Chair Because of Vote of Govt. Leader. DEMANDS AN APOLOGY Suggestion Made That He Be Hauled to Chair by the Sergeant-at-Arms. OTTAWA, April 9.—The drug profits of Madame Plamoden, the sister of Deputy Speaker Sevigny, ranged from 100 to 1,200 per cent. Henry Watters, an Ottawa druggist of standing, took up the list of articles supplied and of prices paid. Twenty pounds of zinc ointment, at \$1.50 a pound, yielded a profit of 200 per cent above the cost to a druggist. Cathartics at \$2.27, gave a profit of 100 per cent. Four pounds of fluid licorice, which accounts showed \$50 were paid, should have sold for \$6.00. The profits were about 1,200 per cent. A long list of articles was thus considered, and in but few cases were the profits 100 per cent. Mr. Sevigny, M.P., wrote the department to hurry up with the payments.

JUNE 14 PROBABLE DATE FOR ELECTION Conservative Member Says This Has Been Decided—Campaign Begun. OTTAWA, April 9.—The Government is preparing for an election. One of the most prominent of the Conservative members from Quebec stated today that the Government had actually decided upon something unforeseen occurred. Parliament would be dissolved 7 to 10 days after prorogation and an election ordered, with nominations on Monday, June 7, and polling on the 14th. It had been practically agreed that prorogation of the present session will be on Tuesday or Wednesday next. All Conservative members are slipping away to organize their campaigns. The Government is sending out election posters and literature. Arrangements are being rushed for nomination conventions in all constituencies where candidates have not yet been decided upon.

ROADS TO METZ WITHIN RANGE OF FRENCH GUNS LONDON, April 9.—A fierce battle is going on in the west front between the Meuse and the Moselle. The French are resisting in their offensive against the Germans and, according to the Paris reports, continue to make progress. The French report, however, is in direct variance with the reports from Berlin, which announce that all the French attacks have been repulsed with heavy losses. The French are incessantly bombarding the West with their big guns, and at the same time are attacking the two main German lines in an endeavor to reach the roads which lead from Metz to Metz. If the progress is as rapid as the reports claim, the French claim to be the roads now should be almost within range of the French guns. The Germans have made an attack on the British lines in Northern France, which was repulsed, and have, according to the village of Dret Grachten on the Meuse, captured from the Belgians the village of Dret Grachten on the Meuse, which has changed hands several times within a few days.

BRITISH MAKE SURE THEIR BATTLESHIPS SANK LONDON, March 30.—(Correspondence)—Private cables have been received here from the Dardanelles to the effect that the British battleships Ocean and Irresistible, sunk during the bombardment of the Turkish fortifications on March 18, were torpedoed by British warships after they had been damaged badly by the fire of the Turkish forts. Information from eye-witnesses of the battle is that after the Irresistible was struck amidships by Turkish shells, she was actually finished her with a "one of our craft" finished her with a torpedo. The fate of the Ocean, it is said, was similar. Having struck the Dardanelles, she was wrecked, "she was dispatched by a British torpedo." It is said this action was taken to prevent the helpless battleships from drifting ashore, where they might have fallen into the hands of the Turks. The statement of the British admiral in command, Sir John Jellicoe, says that the Irresistible "sank, having probably struck a mine" and that the Ocean "also having struck a mine, sank."

DARDANELLES FORTS SHELLED ON WEDNESDAY LONDON, April 10.—2:02 a.m.—The allied fleet bombarded the forts in the Dardanelles all day Sunday and during part of Wednesday, but on Thursday everything was quiet in the straits, according to the Daily Telegraph Military correspondent. ARMED MOTOR BOATS TO PROTECT ZEPPS GENEVA, Switzerland, April 9.—Twenty-nine large motor boats armed with quick-firing guns have arrived at Friedrichshafen to fall from Stettin. They are to be used in patrolling Lake Constance against the Zeppelin dirigible balloon works against attack by French aviators from the French fortress of Belfort.

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