HUNS PRESENT PEACE PROPOSAL VIA DUTCH?

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ALLIES PUSH BACK THE ENEMY

HAIG MAKES GOOD GAINS AND BREAKS UP ATTACKS

ALLEGED OFFER OF HUN AGENT SHOWS ENEMY COMING DOWN

Would Renounce All West Claims and Restore Belgium

AUTONOMOUS ALSACE

Concessions to Italy and Other Disputes To Be Arbitrated.

London, May 6.—Foreign Secretary Balfour told the House of Commons today that no peace offers had been made recently by the enemy. He added: "There is no representative of a neutral nation in this country who has made tentative or informal suggestions of peace negotiations."

London, May 6.—The proposals made by Jonkheer Colyn, the German peace emissary, are said there to have been as follows:

1. Germany to renounce all claims in the west.
2. Restoration of Belgium.
3. Alsace-Lorraine to be autonomous, within the German federation.
4. The status in the east to remain as at present.
5. Austria to make certain concessions to Italy in the Trentino.
6. Balkan questions to be solved by an international conference.
7. All colonial questions affecting Africa and Asia Minor to be settled by a conference of all the belligerents.
8. Germany to abandon all claims to her former Chinese protectorate of Kiao-Chow, but in exchange to receive certain economic concessions in China.

"NOTHING DOING."

London, May 6.—Germany's peace emissary, according to the Daily Mail, has been busily working here, but has made no progress in any direction. There is reason to believe, it says, that the German agent, who has been reported to be a Dutch financier, returns to Germany to report that there is nothing doing.

Colyn the Man.

A Central News dispatch from The Hague says the Dutch intermediary is reported to be Jonkheer Colyn, former minister of war.

Jonkheer Colyn went to England last week at the head of a mission whose purpose was said to be to explain to the British Government the difficulties caused by Germany's demand on Holland concerning the transfer of German materials across Dutch territory to Belgium.

GERMAN EDITORS ARE TALKING OF REPRISALS FOR PRAGER LYNCHING

Amsterdam, May 6.—The lynching at Collinsville, Ill., last month, of Robert P. Prager, a German, who was accused by the mob which hanged him of disloyalty, has infuriated German editors. The Zeitung Am Mittag of Berlin calls on the German Government to make strong representations to Washington, reminding the American Government that Germany holds a number of American prisoners on whom reprisals might be taken so as to prevent the lynching of Germans in America from becoming a fashionable sport.

WILSON DENIES SAYING FARMERS WOULD BE FREE

Montreal, May 6.—Major-Gen. E. W. Wilson, G.O.C., said that statements in Ottawa and other newspapers quoting him to the effect that under the new enforcement of the military service act exemptions were to be given to farmers, were quite erroneous, and that he had never made any such statement.

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, 83; lowest, 43.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 78; lowest, 63.

TOMORROW—FAIR, QUITE WARM.

Toronto, May 6—8 a.m.

Forecasts.

Moderate to fresh south to southwest winds; mostly fair and quite warm, but some local thunderstorms or showers, chiefly on Tuesday.

Temperatures.

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

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	58	44	Cloudy
Calgary	54	36	Fair
Winnipeg	78	38	Clear
Port Arthur	58	42	Fair
Parry Sound	72	54	Cloudy
Port Stanley	64	42	Cloudy
Buffalo	64	46	Rain
Toronto	64	48	Cloudy
Kingston	60	42	Fair
Ottawa	70	48	Fair
Montreal	66	54	Clear
Quebec	48	38	Fair
Father Point	40	34	Rain

Weather Notes.

Since Saturday, with the exception of a few light scattered showers, the weather has been fine over Canada, warmer in Ontario and continued warm in the West.

ANOTHER DRUBBING FOR ENEMY AT HANDS OF THE ANZACS, WHO SWEEP IN 500 YARDS

With the British Armies in France, May 6.—By the Associated Press.—Last night the irrepressible Australians gave the Germans west and southwest of Morlancourt, between the Ancre and the Somme Rivers, another drubbing and advanced the Entente line to a depth of 500 yards along a front of 2,000 yards. The enemy offered strong resistance, which was entirely to the liking of the hardy Australians, who inflicted heavy casualties, and came back with more than 150 prisoners.

The losses of the attacking troops were light.

AIR SQUADRON HAD GREAT BAG FOR SIX WEEKS

106 Machines Brought Down by One Group of British Fliers.

SWOOPED ON INFANTRY

Enemy Refuses To Fight Unless Every Advantage Is With Him.

London, May 6.—Wounded British airmen back from France report that the squadron operating in an important sector on the Amiens front, has probably made a record by bringing down 106 enemy machines in six weeks, including 21 in one day.

The only member of the squadron known to have been wounded up to this time this man returned to London, said it was hard work getting the German airmen to fight. "Practically the only times they would come out," he said, "was about 9 a.m., when the sun's glare would be in our faces, and in the evening. Even then they would slip away if they had half a chance.

"The supreme confidence of our fellows is half the battle. During the great offensive they have been doing four 'shows' a day, returning only for ammunition and an occasional meal, and possibly a game of cards, if the morning's work was particularly good and the afternoons threatened to be heavy.

"Nearly all the machines we brought down were two-seaters. In fact, few of the German airmen will fly in anything else. The pilots like a man with a gun behind them."

The airman said the German infantry was bombed and machine gunned by the aviators four times a day regularly, and that when the enemy came forward in masses they were easy prey for the air forces.

"We would swoop down while flying at a speed of 130 miles an hour, firing our machine guns all the while. Sometimes we came within fifty feet of the ground, going so fast they could do nothing with us."

STILL TALKING OF PEACE WITH SWORD

Germany Replies to Cecil's "Peace Offensive" Words.

Amsterdam, May 6.—"The assertion of Lord Robert Cecil that Germany will undertake a 'peace offensive' if she does not succeed in overcoming the Allies is the latest means whereby Entente statesmen are seeking to stimulate the war ardor of their people, whose belief in the justice of their own cause is vanishing," says Baron von Dem Bussche-Haddenhausen, German under-secretary for foreign affairs, in an interview published in Berlin newspapers in reply to the statement of the British minister of blockade last week. In this statement Lord Robert said the failure of Germany's "knockout offensive" on the western front would result in a great peace offensive, in his opinion.

"Let the British people deal with such manoeuvres as they will," says the German under secretary. "The sword first has to speak. Our task is to break with hard steel our enemies' destructive aims against our existence and our integrity. We have attained gigantic successes. We can see the future with firm confidence."

PARLIAMENT WILL RUSH ALL BUSINESS THROUGH; PROROGUES NEXT WEEK

Ottawa, May 6.—The budget debate in the Commons is likely to be concluded on Tuesday evening, but it will take a couple of additional days to consider the details of the taxation proposals in committee. It was authoritatively stated this afternoon that the Opposition will not move any amendments in regard to the movement for free agricultural implements or matters at the present stage of the discussion, but it is not so certain what will happen when the details are being considered in committee.

One Opposition proposal has been that the new automblie tax should not become immediately effective in order to give dealers an opportunity of disposing of stocks in hand. An amendment may be moved along these lines.

With morning sittings commencing tomorrow business will be rushed, and prorogation is hoped for before the end of next week. Considerable legislation, which it was planned to deal with, may be dropped, including the civil service act and the bill to consolidate the railway act. It is said that the supplementry estimates may include salary increases for postmen and the lower grades of the civil service in the form of a war bonus.

MRS. POTTER PALMER DEAD.

Sarasota, Fla., May 6.—Mrs. Potter Palmer of Chicago is dead at her winter home here.

WHAT SMITH'S PLACE MUST LOOK LIKE, TO JUDGE FROM HIS STORY



Advertiser Illustrations. —Passing Show, London.

THREE DAYS WITHOUT FOOD OR FUEL LIVING IN BARE ONE-ROOMED "HOME"

Aged Couple Finally Aided by Salvation Army—Husband Says Appeal for City Aid Brought No Response.

Three days without food or fuel last week, an aged couple, Mr. and Mrs. John Park, lived in a little room over 183 Dundas street, which serves as a bedroom, dining-room, kitchen and living-room. The only furniture consists of a bed, a small table, two chairs and an old stove. The floor is bare and the room has none of the appearances of a home.

The Salvation Army officers heard of the couple's condition last week and supplied them with enough food and fuel to last for a few days.

John Park says he applied to the city for relief, but was given to understand that he is a foreigner and not entitled to any consideration. He says he has lived in London for over fifty years, where he worked first as a printer, next as a painter, and lastly as a carpenter.

A daughter in the south sends some money once in a while, but she has not sent any for three months. The aged couple owe three months' rent, and they do not know what they are going to do. They think that if they had a small plot of garden ground they could eke out a living, but they hardly seem able to do the work. Grocers in the vicinity have been supplying them with a few necessaries of life for some time. They have no relatives who are able to provide for them, and the future certainly is not very bright, they think.

Truck Driver Gives Blood To Save Life Of Famous Actress

Transfusion Resorted to in Unusual Illness of Anna Held.

New York, May 6.—To offset the ravages of the rare disease, multiple myeloma, or softening of the bone tissue, an operation for blood transfusion was performed on Miss Anna Held, the actress, Saturday afternoon at the Savoy Hotel, where she has been critically ill for some time. Since Friday her condition has been growing worse, and late on Saturday it was decided that she was so weak transfusion would have to be resorted to.

Miss Held's physicians stated last night that the operation had an immediate good effect on the patient. Ernest Lane, a motor truck driver, volunteered to give his blood in order to save Miss Held's life. Fifteen minutes after the operation, he left the hotel, saying he felt as strong as ever.

EASTERN FRONT COLLAPSE HAS HEARTENED GERMANY, SAYS REPATRIATED OFFICER

Caused Reversion From War Weariness Apparent Even in 1916 — Boxes From Home Form Big Bulk of the Prisoners' Food.

"I am afraid the Germans have been a good deal bucked up by the collapse on the eastern front. I noticed a change in the spirit of the people before I was transferred to Switzerland last November. When I was taken a prisoner in June, 1916, they were pretty well fed up with the war. Of course, food conditions are pretty bad in Germany, but no worse than in 1916, and possibly a little better since the taking of Rumania. So far as relief of the food situation through the breakdown of Russia is concerned, that is simply living on hope. The trouble in Russia has at present put a block of food, and until another harvest, conditions can't be improved any for Germany. The moral effect on the people is the thing to be reckoned with. On the other hand, the scarcity has been increasing of leather goods, clothing, and things like that, and prices have been going away up. When I first was taken prisoner, it was possible to get almost anything along these lines I wanted, but all that has changed in eighteen months."

This story was told to The Advertiser today by Capt. J. E. Lattimer, the first repatriated Canadian officer to reach London, and who is visiting his sister, Mrs. Alfred Raymond, 16 Cove road. Capt. Lattimer went overseas in July, 1915, as a lieutenant with the 4th C. M. R., and was promoted to the rank of captain while on service in Belgium. When wounded in the fighting at Zillebeke, he was taken prisoner and transported to Stuttgart Prison Camp Hospital. Owing to the fact that he has been incapacitated by wounds for further service, along with other allied prisoners, he was exchanged some months ago for German prisoners held by the Allies.

Was With London Boy.

Becher Ward, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ward, King street, was taken a prisoner at the same time as Capt. Lattimer, and was for several weeks in the same hospital with him. When Capt. Lattimer left the hospital to go to a prison camp at the end of ten weeks, the London boy had almost entirely recovered. Like Becher Ward, Capt. Lattimer was first reported missing, and at no time reported wounded.

In his experience as a prisoner of war, Capt. Lattimer passed through several camps, finding conditions fairly tomfortable so far as treatment was concerned in Bishopswerde, in Saxony, owing to the comparatively friendly attitude of the Saxons. Next, he was taken to Cresweld, in the Rhine provinces, in his estimation a "good camp," owing to the fact that the food was "fairly good."

From Bad to Worse.

"What about the food?" he was asked at this point.

"It's only a question of from bad to worse," he said, "depending on where you are, ranging from not so bad at Cresweld, to practically nothing at Schwarmstedt, in Hanover, the worst camp in every sense I encountered. In the heart of Prussiandom, the camp is run according to Prussian ideas. From there I was taken to Holzminden and ended up at Heidelberg. The famous university town is the place the men are taken before being transferred to Switzerland. They say good-bye to us there, and apparently try to leave a good impression on us, consequently, Heidleberg is among the good camps.

Depend on Boxes From Home.

"The boys in the prison camps live largely on the boxes they get from home and from England. My experience has been that the boxes come through about as well from Canada as from England. The boys need all that can be sent to them, and the fellows are in pretty hard luck who don't get them. I know, the first ten weeks I was there, in the hospital, I, with others, was hungry every day. So far as the bread from Switzerland was concerned, the distance was so great to the camps in which I was located, that it was not in good condition when it arrived. The bread from Copenhagen was better. Now, I understand, the French system of sending hard biscuits instead of bread to the prisoners of war is being adopted by the British. This is far better. Again, comparatively speaking, hard biscuits are much to be preferred to blue bread."

Swiss Conditions Bad.

"What about food conditions in England," was asked of the returned officer.

"They have rationing there, of course," he said, "but they haven't yet begun to know what it means. That is, they aren't suffering hunger yet through the rationing. In Switzerland, food conditions were getting pretty bad."

"What of food control in Canada?"

Capt. Lattimer laughed. "I haven't yet been able to make out if Canada knows there is a war on," he said.

"What about the continual reinforcements which Germany seems to get for the army? It puzzles people here to know how the men hold out. It looks as if every time one was killed, two more popped up in their places," said the reporter.

500,000 Every Year.

"Study Germany's birth rate for a number of years back and you will see," he said, adding, "according to the most reliable statistics that can be obtained, Germany has a new army of about 500,000 coming on every year."

NEWFOUNDLAND JOINS THE DAYLIGHT CLUB

St. Johns, Newfoundland, May 6.—Newfoundland began the daylight saving system last night. At midnight the clocks were advanced one hour. The new time will prevail until the first Sunday in October.

RECORD SHIPBUILDING.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 5.—All records for rapid construction of a ship were broken yesterday, when the 5,548-ton steel collier, Tuckahoe, was launched at the yard of the New York Shipbuilding Corporation in Camden, N. J. The keel of this wonder ship was laid on April 8, and only 27 days were required to prepare the hull for launching. The boat was 90 per cent completed when it slid into the water, and in fifteen days more it will take its place in the commerce of the world, complete and ready for a cargo.

ALL BRITISH NATION UNITED FOR THE WAR

Montreal, May 6.—Declaring that a mass of misconceptions regarding labor conditions in Great Britain throughout the war had arisen in the western hemisphere because of comparatively meagre cable information, S. F. Ratcliffe, late of the Manchester Guardian, told the People's Forum yesterday afternoon that from the beginning the entire British nation had been united in the determination to carry the war through to a successful issue. There had been divisions of opinion among labor leaders, but there was not, and never had been, a "peace at any price" party or group.

ANOTHER DIRTY TRICK OF GERMANS EXPOSED

Paris, May 6.—Germans are credited, in reports received here, with injecting asphyxiating gas into letters sent home by prisoners in their camps. A woman living in the village of La Sicotiere recently was ill for several days after opening a letter from a French prisoner in Germany.

On the same day, it is said, another woman received a letter, also containing poison gas, from her husband, a captive in Bavaria. Other cases have been reported.

NORWAY'S SUB LOSSES 776 SHIPS, 1,006 MEN

Washington, D. C., May 6.—Ten vessels, aggregating 13,794 tons, and 20 seamen, were Norway's losses during April, the Norwegian legation here was informed today by a cablegram from the foreign office. The April totals bring Norway's losses due to the war to 755 vessels, aggregating 1,115,5519 tons and the lives of 1,006 seamen, in addition to about 700 men on 53 vessels missing, two-thirds of which are declared to be war losses.

ASK BILLION DOLLARS FOR AIRCRAFT DRIVE

Washington, D. C., May 6.—A billion dollar appropriation for aircraft production was asked of Congress today by the war department. This would add to the $640,000,000 appropriation already made and expended.

SIXTEEN SHIPS TURNED OUT BY U. S. LAST WEEK

Washington, D. C., May 6.—Ten steel ships of 57,695 tons, and six wooden ships of 21,500 tons were launched by American yards in the week ended May 5, the shipping board announced today. Twelve steel ships of 80,180 tons were delivered to the board complete in the same period.

WELL KNOWN AT GALT.

Montreal, May 6.—Douglas McNaught and Ethel McKinnon, who appeared in court last week charged with forgery and false pretenses respectively, in connection with an alleged false check, are known in Galt, Ont. McNaught will probably be turned over to an official from Galt. McNaught was arrested on the charge of having signed the name of Goldie & McCullough to a check, while Ethel McKinnon was charged with having attempted to pass the check.

BRITISH GUNS SMOTHER ENEMY; ALLIES ADVANCE ALONG SOMME; SEVERAL ATTACKS ARE BEATEN

NEW YORK CHEERS FIGHTING ALLIES

New York, May 6.—The Canadian Club, this city, raised $20,000 at the Hippodrome last night toward a fund of $100,000 for the benefit of dependents of Canadian, British and American soldiers from the United States, who are fighting with the Canadian forces.

Governor Whitman, in a brief speech, appealed for aid for these families, who by their residence in this country are cut off from the British-Canadian patriotic fund. The governor said: "We're going to win this war. The cause is a holy one. The dead who lie in Flanders' fields have not died in vain."

The Hippodrome was packed, and in the course of the long program, on which were many theatrical stars, everybody had a chance to cheer for all of the Allies. Bagpipes led a company of Anzacs on the stage, and the soldiers were enthusiastically greeted with the Australian yell. Another shout was given the Alpine Chasseurs, the "blue devils" of France, who sang "La Marseillaise."

COUNTING COLONIES BEFORE THEY'RE WON

Foe Hopes to Get Material by Threat, Conquest.

London, May 6.—Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.—With reference to cable messages announcing Germany's commercial preparations for after the war, the newspapers of that country are featuring German dependence on raw materials controlled by the Allies and the consequent necessity of making the question of raw materials one of the most important at the peace negotiations. Herr Dittmann, a former German consul, advocates playing off the Allies against one another, telling America, for instance, that she cannot have peace except supplies of cotton and copper are guaranteed to Germany and influencing Australia through her interest in maintaining the German wool market.

Wants Colonial Empire.

Herr Zimmermann, well-known colonial enthusiast, in a remarkable article goes farther, and says that the remedy is a vast colonial empire. "We shall have to make our deductions ruthlessly," says Zimmermann, "from our military superiority after further great events in the west. Our colonial demands must not be confined to the Belgian and French Congo." Proceeding in this strain, he draws attention to Nigeria's exports of palm kernels and palm oil, and says that Nigeria, Cameroon and the Congo territories are in a position to deliver immediately 300,000 tons of palm kernels and palm oil, and he would conceive a German colonial empire in Central Africa and the South Seas, which would supply immediately 300,000 tons of mill fruits and more than a million tons at an early date, thus making Germany almost entirely independent.

THE PRESENT NOT HOUR TO DISCUSS A PEACE

London, May 6.—James H. Thomas, Liberal M. P. for Derby, speaking at Derby today, said that the millions already killed or wounded must make every good citizen long for such a peace as would render impossible a renewal of the conflict in ten or fifteen years with whatever additional horrors science might devise. In the meantime, however, he said, it was futile to talk of peace in the present military situation. He believed Germany would accept a peace tomorrow on the basis of the status quo ante in the west, and would even give France some territorial compensation in return for a free hand in the east. But that would only lay the foundation for another war, as Japan and America would have to maintain large armies and navies, and militarism, instead of being defeated, would be triumphant.

CROP CONDITIONS IN FAR WEST EXCELLENT

Calgary, May 6.—Crop conditions are as good as they possibly could be, and the farmers are optimistic, declared Mayor Costello, who has just finished a two days' tour between Calgary and Edmonton, and east of Lacombe.

Mayor Costello asserts that he found a good tone everywhere, and in the districts visited from 12 to 28 per cent more acreage is in wheat than last year.

MANY DROWNED THROUGH A SUDDEN RISE OF TIDE

San Diego, May 6—Two soldiers were drowned and eleven other persons are missing as the result of a terrific tide rise late yesterday at Ocean Beach, a resort 12 miles from San Diego. Sixty persons were rescued.

Dozens of bathers were caught in the rise which, as the result of a rough sea, and an unusually high tide, started with scarcely a moment's warning.

LITTLE COAL FROM SYDNEY.

Quebec, May 6.—Dominion Coal Company officials say that owing to lack of shipping facilities, it is unlikely much coal will be sent from Sydney up to the St. Lawrence this summer. The company is taxed to find bottoms to supply the maritime provinces' trade.

Haig's Line Moves Ahead On a Considerable Front Between the Somme and Ancre, and Position In Flanders Is Improved—British Artillery Breaking Up Every Attempt of Germans To Get Started On New Drive.

London, May 6.—The British line has been advanced on a considerable front between the Somme and the Ancre rivers west-southwest of Morlancourt, says the official statement from Field Marshal Haig's headquarters today.

The British positions in the neighborhood of Locre and the Law River, on the southern leg of the Lys salient in Flanders, have been improved as the result of local fighting.

BRITISH GUNS SMOTHER FOE.

London, May 6—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency).—Correspondents in France state that the British gunfire in Flanders during the past three days has completely prevented any enemy movement. The enemy had undoubtedly prepared to attack the Allied positions on Saturday, but the British gunners smothered the attack before it could be launched. This increased the disorganization in the enemy's rear. The French prevented the attack on their front by attacking first.

MAY RETAKE KEMMEL.

Experts emphasize the difficulty of the enemy finding the target which is to take the Allies by surprise. Certain points of importance are carefully watched, and if other points are attacked the Allied reserves reach the battlefields as quickly as the German reserves. The experts are confident that Mont Kemmel can be recovered if the enemy fail to advance his line in this region.

FRENCH STOP LOCAL RUSH.

Paris, May 6.—After an intense bombardment the Germans last night attempted to carry out a local attack near Anchin Farm, southeast of Amiens. Today's official statement says the enemy was repulsed completely.

ATTACK REPULSED.

LONDON, May 5.—German troops this morning attacked the new positions gained by the British Friday night on the Flanders battlefront, near Hinges, northwest of Bethune. They were repulsed, the war office announces, the British line remaining intact. The artillery on both sides is continuing its activity along the Lys battlefront.

The British positions were improved in local operations last night east of Amiens, near Sailly-le-Sec, and north of Albert, in the vicinity of Hebuterne.

ALLIES' ACTIVITY UPSET FOE'S PLANS

With the British Army in France, May 5. — Luck seems to be going against the German along the crucial northern battlefront. Sunday still found the Prussian commanders working desperately to whip their organizations into shape for a renewal of the delayed offensive, while the Allied forces, aided by the weather, continued counter-operations which are most disconcerting to an enemy playing against time.

Planned New Assault.

It was quite apparent the Germans intended another assault in Flanders yesterday morning, but the arrangements were upset by a combination of events. There were the Allied operations and the heavy rain, which converted the ground into mud baths, over which it was difficult to move either infantry or artillery. There was also confusion arising from wholesale reliefs and the arrival of strange troops in the German area.

The Allied artillery has been maintaining an incessant bombardment of enemy territory, and Friday night, before the projected German attack, the French and British gunners played havoc with the German preparations. The Allied troops also have been carrying out in succession local operations which improved their lines and upset enemy schemes to a marked degree.

Attacks Smashed.

Yesterday the Allies occupied a large number of important positions at various points along the front of 4,000 yards west of Kemmel. The British also made an advance of 500 yards along the front of 1,000 yards northwest of Locon, thereby gaining a number of positions which had been contested many days. This morning the Germans tried to regain some of these positions, but were repulsed. An enemy attack yesterday morning in the Locon area under cover of a heavy barrage likewise was smashed.

On the southern battlefront the British last night near Sailly-le-Sec, advanced their line in a minor operation without casualties. The German prisoners taken in all these local engagements make a considerable total.

Allied Spirit High.

The spirit of the Allied troops remains at the highest pitch. They know that every day's delay is in itself a victory for them. Each twenty-four hours that slips by makes the United States loom larger on the horizon and brings the much needed overseas troops nearer the battle lines.

Interesting comments by German civilians have been furnished from an enemy mail bag captured by the British before it was delivered to the soldiers along a section of the Flanders front. Almost without exception references are made in the letters to the stoppage of leave and the parcel post from the front. The tone is resigned rather than recalcitrant. One letter from Berlin, dated April 25, said:

Peace Hopes Vanish.

"Peace does not seem to be coming along as we fondly hoped. All this in the west is too wicked for anything. Four years of it now, and no sign of the end. We hope every day it will come to a decision and that the British will be driven into the North Sea, but they stand firm."

"We have such a scarcity of shoes in Ettlingen it is impossible to get them. If here are any in Belgium, please send me a pair," says a letter, dated Ettlingen April 26.

"Are you not coming home on leave soon? How much longer is it going to last?" reads a third letter.

A note from Rhumsprunge, dated April 23, says: "The mustering of the 1920 class took place here last Friday. Most of them were accepted."

GERMANS ARE FACING A GREAT DILEMMA

NEW YORK, May 5. — Writing in the New York Tribune, Frank H. Simonds declares the Germans are facing a dilemma of great magnitude. Amiens is the kaiser's main objective, and the chances of a Teuton defeat in this endeavor are very great. Von Ludendorff may possible get to the channel, in Mr. Simonds' opinion, but this will not smash the British. He cannot split the British and French forces. Haig's armies can swing south, just as the Belgians came out of Antwerp in 1914. Therefore, concludes the noted war critic, a colossal blow against Amiens is likely; there alone lie the Teuton hopes.

C. W. Gilbert, in a dispatch to the Tribune from Washington, says von Hindenburg has reorganized the German army to escape the psychology of a deadlock. He made over the German command till the names of his generals now read like a roll call of the east front.

But Foch is onto all of Hindy's curves, and will fight him with chiefs who know their opponents' style.

IMPORTANT GAIN FOR FRENCH AND BRITISH

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, May 5.—Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.—Some disorganization is indicated among the enemy troops, who are hindered by heavy rains.

Franco-British forces, in the course of a successful operation between Locre and Drancourt, advanced their positions on a thousand-yard front to an average depth of five hundred yards. We took 48 prisoners and the French about 32. We drove out the enemy from two or three ruined farms, and took some high ground near Keoudekot. The French, continuing their operations on our flank, carried some strongly-held buildings in the neighboring sector. All the enemy counter-efforts were broken up with considerable loss. These local successes are of distinct tactical value, strengthening our defences of the approach to Scherpenberg and Mont Rouge.

"There is little doubt that the new German tanks are proving a disappointment, developing defects in actual service. Their ponderous weight makes manoeuvring over bad ground difficult. Generally they are much inferior to ours."

99TH ANNIVERSARY OF I. O. O. F. MARKED BY CHURCH PARADE

Brethren March to Church of St. John Evangelist Sunday.

In commemoration of the ninety-ninth anniversary of the Independent Order of Oddfellows, a church parade was held to the Church of St. John the Evangelist Sunday afternoon. Past Grand Sire Dr. Cl. T. Campbell; Past Grand Master Murray of Niagara Falls; P. D. D. G. M's. L. W. Crawford, A. Borland, M. E. Brady, D. D. G. M. J. W. Coutts, and Past Grand Joseph Sanders were among the officers of the society who attended the service. Visiting members were present from St. Thomas, Ilderton, Dorchester, Glanworth and other county lodges.

The members of Canton London, No. 1, in uniform, Harmony Encampment, Eureka Lodge, Forest City Lodge, Dominion Lodge, Chorazin Lodge, Victoria Rebekah Lodge, and May Queen Rebekah Lodge took part in the parade. The W. O. R. Brass Band led the parade.

The members met at the lodgerooms, Alma Block, Richmond street, at half-past three. They marched up Richmond to St. James, and thence to St. John the Evangelist Church.

Rev. Canon Craig welcoming the members to the service remarked that as long as he lived, he could never forget the kindness of the Oddfellows.

Rev. Professor Wright, also a member of the Oddfellows, preached on "The Good Samaritan." The work of the order in relieving the enlisted members from dues, and other patriotic efforts was eulogized.

Rev. Canon Craig and Rev. F. Hardy also assisted in the service. Clarence Gilmour presided at the organ.

The I. O. F. ode, "Brethren of Our Friendly Order," was used as one of the hymns at the service.

STORY OF BRITAIN'S FLEET BY CHAPLAIN STIRS AUDIENCE

Heroic War Record Cited at Navy League Rally.

At a meeting in the Auditorium Sunday afternoon, Rev. S. Boal, a chaplain of the British navy, and organizer of the Ontario Division, Navy League, made an appeal for funds to assist in providing comforts for dependents of men who have given their lives while on duty as members of the navy.

There was only a small attendance at the meeting, but those present listened with closest attention to the story of the British fleet.

Chaplain Boal is touring Canada in the interests of the Navy League, an organization whose aims are the furnishing of assistance and the looking after of sailors' widows and children. A branch of the Navy League will be formed in this city on Tuesday evening at a meeting at the Tecumseh House.

The story of how the fleet had bottled up the German navy in the Kiel Canal, the way in which Britain's cruisers had swept the seas clear of enemy boats and how millions of troops were protected during transport was told in a graphic manner.

"Without the protection of the British fleet Canada would today be in the hands of the ruthless Hun," said Chaplain Boal.

Speaking of the wonderful work done by the British navy, the chaplain referred to the fact that 375,000 men had been transported overseas from Canada all protected by ships of the British fleet.

"Before the kaiser's troops can place a foot on English soil they must face the British fleet. That is our great salvation and hope in our darkest hours."

The British fleet was made up today of 475,000 men, and not one of these had been conscripted.

The events leading up to the outbreak of war were outlined in detail by Chaplain Boal.

"No man in the British Empire has any right to enjoy the freedom and liberty of this great land if he refuses to fight for that freedom and liberty when the occasion arises."

The situation in Ireland was referred to by the speaker, who expressed the opinion that conscription would be enforced there by the English Parliament regardless of what opposition might arise. A collection in aid of the Navy League was taken up at the close of the meeting.

BILIOUS SPELLS BECOME A HABIT

And It Requires Active Treatment to Break Up the Sluggish, Torpid Condition of the Liver.

Drumbo, May 4. — So often you meet people who are feeling miserable and out of sorts, unable to relish their food and suffering from headaches and indigestion. "It is only one of my bilious spells," they will tell you. "I have had them for years."

In other words, they have allowed this condition to become so established that it is like a habit to them to have periodical spells of biliousness.

It is easy to break up such an unfortunate habit by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. By acting directly on the liver they insure the activity of this organ in removing bile from the blood, the action of the bowels is corrected, and the digestive organs resume their natural functions.

Mr. D. C. Maynard, retired farmer, Drumbo, Ont., writes: "I was subject to sick headache and poor appetite. These bilious spells would come on me about every two weeks, and often I would have to go to bed and could not eat. This trouble was overcome by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which aroused the action of the liver, kidneys and bowels and made me feel like a new man.

"As I had also suffered from catarrh for years and was quite deaf, I began using Dr. Chase's Catarrh Powder. This treatment has done wonders for me, clearing the stuffed-up air passages, restoring hearing and overcoming foul breath. It is a pleasure to recommend medicines which have done so much for me."

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STOMACH PAINS EIGHT YEARS, NOW FEELS FINE—ASKS ME TO TELL OTHERS.

Wm. Fullarton, R. R. 1, Listowel, writes as follows: "I want to write to you and let you know what your Heart and Nerve Remedy has done for me. I doctored for eight years with Stomach Troubles and Pains all through my Body; got no relief until I used Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy, which fixed me up all right. I used Hacking's Kidney and Liver Pills along with the Remedy. I want you to publish this and let other sufferers know about your valuable medicine." Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy sells for 50c a box, 6 for $2.50, and the Kidney and Liver Pills 25c a box, 5 for $1.00, from your dealer or by mail. C. B. Hacking & Co., Listowel.

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PRODUCTION IS ENDANGERED BY VACILLATING POLICY, SAY INDIGNANT COUNTY FARMERS

Speakers at Coldstream Meeting Declare Agriculture Will Be Demoralized—Middlesex Townships Will Send Delegates to Ottawa on May 13 to Protest — Government Member for East Riding Admits M. S. A. Has Fallen Down, But Fails to Say Why here.

That an extremely critical situation has been brought about by the recent Government order cancelling the exemption of farmers' help, and that the whole effort towards greater production is imperiled, was the view expressed by Middlesex farmers at the biggest meeting at Coldstream on Saturday that has ever been held by the farmers of Middlesex. Not a few farmers are of the opinion that they have been dealt with most unjustly and unfairly by the Government. Representatives gathered from every township in the county. There was no mincing of words. The farmers have been hit hard by the Government's action, and they intend to let the Government know just what may happen unless the order-in-council is repealed.

Unanimously Adopted.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted and signed by the farmers, and will be taken by S. F. Glass, M. P., to the Government at Ottawa:

"Resolved, that this meeting of representative farmers of Middlesex County, realizing from its personal knowledge the present undermanning of our farms and recognizing that the provisions of the new man-power bill adopted by the Parliament of Canada threatens to demoralize agricultural production, we respectfully urge the reconsideration of the act, and also suggest that before taking any action that will inevitably paralyze the farming industry, a conference be held between the cabinet and a representative committee of farmers, approved by independent agricultural organizations of Canada, to determine the extent to which the provisions of the bill can be safely applied."

Callings Meetings.

Another resolution was passed requesting that a meeting be called in each township for the purpose of choosing delegates to go to Ottawa on May 14 in company with other delegates, to wait upon the minister of militia, and urge that some action be taken whereby the farms will not be depleted of competent help.

Representatives from each township were chosen to call the meetings in their respective localities.

Donald Graham, warden of Middlesex, occupied the chair, and addresses were delivered by S. F. Glass, M.P.; William Hall, ex-warden of Lambton; E. K. Grieve, deputy reeve of Westminster; Peter MacArthur of Ekfrid, and others.

Warden Graham stated that the farmers could not be said to be slackers or unpatriotic, as they have given their sons as well as their money to help defeat the Prussian.

Are Doing Their Share.

"Every man in the county and every woman also is doing everything possible to increase the production of food this summer."

The chairman quoted some passages from a pamphlet issued from the organization of resources committee bearing the title, "Hunger, Famine, Disease and Death," which emphasized the fact that the shortage of food is a serious crisis, and that Ontario must produce more food than in 1917. He had called several meetings to bring the situation to the attention of the farmers, and to ask their aid at this time. They had responded nobly, and although help is very scarce, larger acreages are being made ready for cultivation than ever before. The latest order-in-council cancelling all exemptions and calling up all single men between the ages of 20 and 22 inclusive had come like a bolt from the sky. Mr. Graham sent a telegram to the minister of agriculture asking for some information, but had received a reply that was not satisfactory from the deputy minister of agriculture.

Serious Situation.

That the situation is very serious is emphasized by some going so far as to say that starvation is a probability before another year. In the face of all these facts there must have been some miscalculation; the authorities surely could not have realized the seriousness of the situation from the producers' standpoint, declared the warden.

"This meeting has been called because we thought it our duty to lay the facts before the Government," he said. "We are glad to have S. F. Glass, M.P., direct from the agricultural committee at Ottawa. Possibly things pertaining to agriculture have not always been referred to this committee. It is reported that Mr. Glass thought that this question should have been referred to the Imperial Government first."

S. F. Glass said that he was at the meeting in response to a telegram asking him to meet the farmers of the county, and he thanked them for the opportunity.

"I will say, as I have said before throughout the country, that the agricultural districts have done as much as any other communities to aid in winning the war," he said. "There are few homes in Middlesex that are not represented at the front. There is an urgent need of foodstuffs, and that the Government has impressed this fact upon the people by the propaganda waged there can be no doubt. It is quite possible that starvation may come and the need for wheat is so great that the time may come when the Government will say that no wheat may be used in the country at all."

That there is a serious shortage of farm labor, Mr. Glass admitted, adding that it is even more serious than he thought. The supply of man power in this country is absolutely inadequate at the present time. Exemptions were granted to allow the men to work the farms.

Says M. S. A. Was Faulty.

The M. S. A. did not meet the expectations of the Government. It was too faulty in the machinery, he admitted. The situation was so desperate that the tens of thousands of cases in Quebec could not be dealt with. So the new order-in-council was passed cancelling all exemptions.

Mr. Glass did not take the trouble to explain why the machinery was faulty or which part of it was faulty. Whether it was the main drive wheel or some of the smaller cogs, or whether all of them were equally at fault, he did not say. This was left to the imagination of his audience.

"There are some exemptions Mr. Glass would grant. The only son of a widowed mother on a farm as well as the only son of aged, infirm, or physically unfit parents should be exempted. Bachelors who are working farms and producing a fair quantity therefrom he would also exempt. Every farm which is being made productive should have one competent man left to work it.

That the men in khaki are more afraid of being short of food than of any other contingency is evident from the conversation of the men. The country must produce to the limit, and anything that is done to lessen this is hurting the boys at the front. The London Post was quoted to the effect that there were too many men in non-essential occupations, and that the Government should conscript all labor and allocate it where most needed. Mr. Glass thinks that would meet the situation here also.

An Unfair Deal.

Ex-Warden William Hall of Lambton declared that the farmers had not been squarely dealt with by the Government. Their sons had been promised exemption to aid production, and these exemptions had been done away with by a secret session.

"Taking these boys off the farms will do a great harm," he said. "They cannot be replaced by men from the cities who are unfit for overseas duty. These lack the experience, and four of the city men would not do as much good as one farmer lad. This latest action on the part of the Government will be a setback to the winning of the war." He had been in a similar meeting one week ago in Petrolea, and the feeling there was the same.

Peter MacArthur of Ekfrid was introduced as an authority on the food question. There had been no hesitation on his part about addressing this meeting until he had read Sir Robert Borden's reply to a delegation of farmers. It was not so very long ago that Sir Robert made the statement that the question of food was the first and most serious consideration; now he says the shortage of food is of secondary importance. He should weigh his words well before speaking, thinks Mr. MacArthur.

Raised a Question.

"I note that Mr. Glass, who was at the secret session where perhaps information was given out, still states that food is all important. I take the credit of being one of the first to raise the question of food shortage. I find in looking over the files that I first made mention of it eight years ago. Even before the war the food situation was such that there was only one month's supply in excess of the yearly demand. Since the outbreak of the war one-quarter of the former food producers have been made non-producers by being taken for other occupations. This means that with a normal crop there will be three-twelfths less food on account of the lack of producers. Thus there will be only ten months' food supply to last the twelve months. The men at the front are menaced by this condition. Nothing is so hard for an army to fight as hunger."

Every Action Counts.

"Patriotic Canada is at war as a government, as an army and as an individual, and every action counts in the scale for or against victory. Everybody is bent on winning the war, but the greatest menace today is famine, no matter who wins the war. Why does the Government overlook the danger of the food situation? The answer is plain. The business of the war is conducted under four heads. The first is the army, second, transportation; third, munitions, and similar supplies, and fourth, the food production. The first three of these are well organized, and the Government can give an estimate of their condition on short notice. The producers of food are not organized, and, therefore, no authoritative information can be quickly secured. The farmers must get together, and enlighten the Government on the conditions."

That the farmers are not entitled to, nor do they claim, any special claims to exemption as a class, was emphatically stated. In the interest of the Allied nations the man-power of the farms should not be decreased to the extent of taking all the young men as proposed by the new order-in-council. It is a short-sighted policy of the Government, that would seriously endanger the food supply.

Seriously Affected.

E. W. Grieve, deputy reeve of Westminster, stated that the new draft is seriously affecting the farmer and more seriously the food supply. The vacillating action of the Government caused as much harm as the actual draft. Farmers with sons above the present age are cutting down their acreage since the new order-in-council, as they do not know how soon the other boys will be called up. So they are planting only what they think they can harvest under adverse conditions. Possibly there is an urgent need of fighting men, but what good will they be without the food to sustain them. Ontario did not grow enough wheat in 1917 for its own use, and if the farms are further depleted of competent help, what the result will be is very plain.

A. Topping of Adelaide, who acted as secretary, thought it was as much the duty of the farmer boy to face the battle as any other boy, but production cannot be increased if the boys are all taken off to fight. If the Government would only state plainly what was wanted, the farmers would endeavor to act accordingly. He could not understand the call for greater production, in view with the cancellation of all exemptions.

David Smith of Dorchester urged the formation of farmers' clubs as being of great benefit to the community. He reported that his club was sending a delegate to Ottawa, and there was another one appointed by the independent farmers of the same municipality. Other farmers present in the audience reported that many delegates had been appointed in the various districts.

B. C. Brooks, London township, was of the opinion that, while this year's crop might not suffer, next season's wheat crop will most certainly be short if the boys are taken away.

Scores Glass as Fossil.

S. F. Glass was designated as an antediluvian fossil Tory by M. S. Leach, who has two sons in Shaki. "We are not pleased with the dilly-dallying of the Government," he said. "There is some fluke somewhere. The boys of the draft age are mainly the ones who are left to till the farms, and if they are called, the farms will go unfilled. If the Government took the action it did not knowing the condition there is something radically wrong. There are many farms productionless from lack of labor." He thought that men could be secured for the army from the non-essential industries instead of crippling the farms. Why were not the men taken from the age of 20 to 50, and thus get some who could be better spared than farmers. There is not a word said about the big fellows at Ottawa who failed to keep their promises. The farmers who waited on the great Rowell and others equally great should have spoken freely, but they were palavered over and taffied by the men at Ottawa. They were promised great things, but the promises were not fulfilled.

Harold Currie of Adelaide, a cousin of Gen. Currie, thinks the farmers have been discriminated against by the Government to the advantage of the "big interests," the manufacturers, etc.

Thomas Turnbull of Lobo, ex-warden of Middlesex, urged that a delegation be sent to Ottawa to let the Government know that the farmers of Middlesex think of the treatment they have been receiving from the powers at Ottawa.

Manslaughter in Second Degree.

Cutting corns with a razor is dangerous and useless. The only remedy is Putnam's Corn Extractor, which removes corns and warts in one day. Because painless and safe, use only "Putnam's," 25c per bottle at all dealers.

WEDDING BELLS

HOWLETT—WADSWORTH.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wadsworth was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday afternoon, when their daughter, Gladys Frances, was united in marriage to John Claude Howlett, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Howlett, second concession, Delaware Township. Rev. R. L. Wilson, of Lambeth, performed the ceremony, which was under an arch of evergreens tastefully decorated with smilax and pink and white geraniums, etc. Miss Rhea Crowe played the wedding march. The bride, looking charming in a white gown combined of georgette crepe and crepe de chine, with pearl and floss trimmings, and wore the customary veil. The shower bouquet was of cream roses and lilies of the valley. The ribbon holders were Thelma Wadsworth, Olive Pincome, Stuart Wadsworth and Donald Bowering. Miss Alice Prince was bridesmaid and wore pale blue crepe de chine, and carried a bouquet of cream roses. Alex Howlett, brother of the groom, was best man. During the signing of the register Miss Annie Smith of Byron sang very sweetly "The Call of a Perfect Day." Following the ceremony over 70 relatives and friends partook of a dainty wedding breakfast. The groom's gifts were: To the bride, a silver tea set; to the bridesmaid, a lavalier set; to the best man, a gold watch; to the organist, a silver mesh bag. The "Merry Workers" of the Byron Methodist Church Sunday School's gift to the bride was a lovely cutglass vase, the presents showing the wide esteem in which the newly married couple are held by their many friends. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. John C. Howlett left for their future home on the second concession, Delaware Township.

QUERIES REGARDING MILITARY SERVICE

Send In Your Problems and They Will Be Answered From Official Information by The Advertiser.

Y. T. Q.—1. I was graded B and later B2. What is the difference?

2. I have leave of absence till May 31 on the farm. I am 20 years old. Could I get leave of absence till the other B men of my age are called? To whom would I apply? Or would I go back at the right time and then ask off again?

A.—1. No difference as far as you are concerned. The numbers refer to training and its effects.

2. Write to your officer commanding, asking that you be granted an extension of leave. If you get no reply before your time is up, return to your battalion, otherwise you will be liable to a charge of being absent without leave.

J. P. Q.—My son is overseas. I have since been obliged to take my farm back from the man renting it. Can I get leave of absence for him?

A.—Men are not granted leave from overseas on those grounds.

T. N. M. Q.—1. I am in category E, aged 22 years. If called up for a re-examination and placed in a higher category, could I choose the unit in which I would serve?

2. Would an A2 man, 22 years of age, whose father is in ill-health and owns 200 acres, have to go?

A.—1. Yes, anyone can choose his unit, if he reports for duty before notified to do so.

2. Yes, unless he could secure leave of absence because of the service, disablement, or death of some members of his family overseas.

H. R. K. Q.—I have a son in the R. N. A. S. in France, and another son, aged 19, a divinity student. In case boys of 19 are called would the latter have to go, when there is one son already in the service?

A.—He might be granted exemption, or if not that, he might be granted leave of absence, on the ground that he was the sole remaining son of military age, the other being in the service in France.

E. R. B. Q.—1. We are twins, 21 years old, operating a planing mill. One brother is in the war. Would both of us be taken?

2. Would a person have to be examined before he reports for service under the M. S. A.?

A.—1. If you are both in category A, you will both be drafted. One of the two might secure leave of absence on the ground that he was the sole remaining son of military age.

2. No; but he would be examined on reporting.

W. J. T. Q.—1. I am 33 years of age and placed in E. Could I cross into the United States on my exemption papers, without a passport?

2. Would I have any trouble with the United States military authorities with regard to registration?

A.—1. You would need a passport. Write to John Riggs, Dominion Immigration Office, Carling Block, London, Ont.

2. It is unlikely that you would have any trouble, though the United States regulations are not known here.

CANOISTS DROWNED.

Winnipeg, May 6.—Two men, named Burrier and Regan, of Redditt, Ont., on the Canadian Government railway, lost their lives while canoeing on a small lake five miles south of Redditt, Ont. The body of Regan has been recovered.

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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE FOOD CONTROLLER.

Food Controller, Ottawa, Ont.:

Dear Sir,—As a reader of various newspapers, an earnest follower of all the laws which are being passed and enacted, and an elector in the past election, I, as a farmer's wife, enter my protest against the order-in-council recently passed affecting the storage of sugar and flour. Both these commodities are essential for the feeding and sustenance of the people, and I will place a few facts before you, the knowledge of which might have prevented the passing of the law in its present form.

Farmers as a class are very provident. Most of them in the fall of each year, when selling their harvest, purchase sufficient flour and sugar to last them until the following fall. With many thousands of farmers, at that time of the year all bills and notes and insurances become payable, and with numbers just at that time, and at no other, do they sell anything at all, many confining their farm work almost absolutely to the growing of grain. Looking ahead to the feeding of their families, they purchase the year's supply of flour and sugar, with many the supply amounting to 1,000 or 1,200 pounds of flour and 300 or 400 of sugar. Such was the case last fall. We, among others, purchased one year's supply of both articles, and have in the house at present more than the lawful amount of flour and sugar. The law as presented to us reads: "No person, with the exception of manufacturers (etc.), living at a distance of two or under five miles shall have in his possession more flour or sugar than is necessary for his ordinary requirements for a period not exceeding fifteen days (etc.). Any person holding more than is provided in the order must forthwith return such flour and sugar to the miller or dealer (if in good condition) from whom it was purchased (etc.)" The violation of any of the provisions of the order making the offender liable to a fine of from $100 to $1,000, or imprisonment, etc.

Now, our little stock—we haven't a large family, so do not keep on hand as much as many others—was partly purchased at Chatham, fourteen miles distant. I have part of a barrel of flour from there, and possibly enough for three weeks. Again, perhaps, a bag was bought at Tilbury, seven miles away, when my husband was up to either sell some crop or take grain to be chopped for food. Yet a little more was purchased through a farmers' club from a mill at Toronto. We are supposed to return the surplus to the dealer purchased from.

This order comes out at the busiest time, when there isn't any male help available. We are asked to produce more, and still more, and yet the law says we must return such goods to the dealer. Must my husband take a day off at this busy time to return part of a barrel of flour, which we are illegally holding, to Chatham? And yet another part of a day to return a bag of sugar to a dealer in another direction? And then each two weeks as I run out of my lawful store, must my husband leave his productive employment to drive me to the store—two miles—to get my lawful amount of flour and sugar, perhaps to be informed upon arrival there that expected shipments have not come? Go the next day to discover the same fact, and so on each day for a week? In the meantime we must be fed, and can we, without the wherewithal?

Last fall there were people in our nearest little village who purchased a 100-pound bag of flour and sugar, not to hoard, and not because it was usual for them, but because, day after day, the storekeepers expected shipments which did not arrive, and the people got their friends to bring them a little stock, in automobiles and buggies, in case the like should happen again, and that it will happen there is not the slightest doubt. How are the storekeepers going to keep enough on hand to supply the farming community in their mouse-run stores? When the farmers store their food it is usually in a mouseproof place—and can be stored in a humanproof place, too—on most farms, how is the food controller going to act?

That was the case

We don't wish to be lawbreakers. We don't wish to be hoarders. What we do wish, though, is to be left alone to do as we have always done, and which will prove eventually the best for us and the country. We, the growers of grain and sugar, are not going to grow these very necessary articles, and put all our efforts in the production of such only to be deprived of judgment in our daily lives. My husband and his brother run a 250-acre farm, with 200 acres in crops of hay, grain, corn and sugar beets. They keep, between them, 50 or more head of cattle (nine milking cows), ten work-horses, besides others, and 100 or more hogs, hundreds of chickens, and some geese and ducks. They do all this work alone, except for the help of two small boys, 11 and 9 years of age, and occasional help at haying time. Now, when do you think these men are going to find time to take surplus stock back to the stores, or run fortnightly to get the lawful dole? If you can explain how it can be done, or can spare one of your numerous assistants to come down and help us out on shopping days, we would be awfully obliged, otherwise, we, for one family, will keep what we lawfully bought and paid for, and when the time comes that such stock can be seized, my husband will take the three months' imprisonment. In the meantime, perhaps the food controller will send eight or nine of his assistants to run the farm and attend to the stock.

Awaiting further developments, I am, dear sir, yours, etc.,

MRS. CHARLES SKIPPER.

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Ladies' Black Lisle Thread Hose, with natural cashmere sole, soft and easy on the feet, seamless, double sole; sizes 9, 9½ and 10. Price ..... 55c pair

Children's Fine Ribbed Mercerized Lisle Thread Hose, in black, white, pink or sky, very neat, seamless, double feet; sizes 6½ to 10. Price ..... 50c pair

Children's Fancy or Plain Socks, sizes 6½ to 9. Prices, per pair ..... 20c to 50c

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FLIGHT WHICH ENDED IN CAPTURE ONE OF FIRST OVER HUN LINE

Lieut. Cecil McCann Was Just Starting Real Work.

Four letters have been received by Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McCann since their son, Flight Lieut. Cecil McCann, was reported missing on April 12. Lieut. McCann is now a prisoner in Germany, the news having reached his parents on Friday, just eighteen days after he was first recorded as missing.

Two days before the flight which resulted in his capture by the Germans, Lieut. McCann wrote to his father: "We have it all over the Hun in the air. He never comes over our side unless he is up to 18,000 to 20,000 feet, and then very seldom. We always have to go miles over his side to see anything of him, and then he nearly always runs away. So far I have had little excitement in the air. Still it is all experience."

In this letter he refers to the fact that he saw Major Gregory, drill instructor of the Collegiate, who went overseas with the 135th Battalion, and later transferred to the Imperial service. "I saw Major Gregory, and he asked to be remembered to everybody," wrote Lieut. McCann. "I also saw Farncombe and John Bowen. Both of them are in the Flying Corps."

In another part of the same letter, he said: "I have got started all right. I have my own machine. It is not quite as good as it might be, but I can't get another till I crash it. There has been considerable bad weather since I came here, so I haven't been overworked yet."

In a letter written from the officers' pool, before he was posted to his squadron, Lieut. McCann commented on the fact that everything is much cheaper in France than in England, and also that it seemed possible to get as much sugar as was wanted.

In still another letter, written just before he took a trip over the German lines, and this trip may have been the one on which he was taken prisoner, he says: "Tomorrow may be my first trip over the line. Today I was going over just to look at things, but my bus has been dead, so I had to stay on the ground. However, my machine will be ready in the morning, and I will be going over." He adds: "I have had a lot of flying the last few days. We have a good time over here in spite of the war; in fact, better than we had in England."

ALL A2 MEN

Week-End Recruits All Pass Into Combatant Unit.

Thirteen volunteers were accepted at the local mobilization centre over the week-end. All of the volunteers were first-class men and were placed in category A2.

Five volunteers were sent from the British-Canadian Recruiting Mission at Detroit; three signed up at Windsor; one at Sarnia; one at Cleveland; one at Ridgetown, and one at Ann Arbor. One local boy enlisted with the 63rd Battery.

The following is a list of week-end volunteers: K. C. Rose, Canada, C. E., Detroit; R. Carroll, West Indies, W. O. R., Detroit; C. E. Kittredge, C. E., Canada, W. O. R., Ann Arbor; R. E. Wilson, England, C. E., Detroit; J. C. Wilberts, U. S. A., C. E., Detroit; S. Sagatalan, Turkey, W. O. R., Detroit; W. J. Hewitt, Canada, 63rd Battery, London; James Lynd, N. Ireland, C. E., Windsor; W. H. Geal, N. Ireland, W. O. R., Windsor; C. Thomas, England, W. O. R., Windsor; T. J. Beaton, Canada, C. E., Ridgetown; R. C. Montgomery, Canada, C. E., Sarnia, Ont.; L. W. Mann, Canada, C. E., Cleveland.

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VICTOR E. SMITH IS NOW PRAISING IT TO ALL OF HIS FRIENDS

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"If any of the boys here haven't heard all about Tanlac yet, it is not my fault, for ever since this wonderful medicine fixed me up so fine I've been praising it to everybody I know," recently said Victor E. Smith, a well-known switchman in the yards of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and who lives at 445 Pacific avenue, Toronto.

"I suffered terribly from stomach trouble," he continued, "that had worried me constantly for the past six or seven years. My appetite was poor, and soon after eating anything I would have indigestion so bad that I could hardly breathe. Bitter, acid water would rise up in my throat, and my stomach would burn like I had swallowed coals of fire. Vegetable or any sore of acid food would upset me, and I would have a heavy feeling like a lump of lead right in the pit of my stomach that distressed me for hours. Often I'd have such severe attacks that I would have to stop working until I could get that sour fluid off my stomach. I got so I couldn't even chew tobacco without having trouble, and my life was made miserable from one day to another.

"I had tried all kinds of medicines, but nothing helped me. One day a friend told me how much Tanlac had benefited him, so I decided to try it. I have taken only two bottles so far, but they have entirely relieved my stomach trouble. I can eat anything now, and never have a touch of indigestion in any form. That awful burning, and the heavy feeling in my stomach are gone, and even tobacco does not hurt me now at all. Tanlac is the only medicine that ever gave me any relief, and I can't say too much in its praise."

Tanlac is sold in London by Standard Drug, Limited, under the direction of a special representative, and by an established agency in every town.

SPIRITUAL ASSISTANCE NEEDED AS GREATLY AS THAT OF MATERIAL TYPE

"Pray for Boys at Front," Says Returned Catholic Chaplain.

That the spiritual as well as the material assistance of those at home has been needed and is still needed by the men at the front was the message delivered by Major (Father) Edward Doe, who returned to London Friday after over three years' service as a chaplain in France, to a large congregation in St. Peter's Cathedral Sunday evening.

"I wish to thank you in the name of the men at the front for the assistance of your prayers," he declared. "They should not cease. Your prayers have been needed since the beginning of the war, they are still needed, and will be until the war is over. Continue to give your spiritual assistance. It is needed by both the living and the dead over there."

Major Doe based his discourse on the duties of a chaplain at the front, the difficulties encountered, and the consolations met with in his work.

On leaving here for the boat in September, 1914, he had not the least idea of what his duties would be, he said. On going aboard ship he found that there were no facilities for his work, and that such necessities as an altar, he had to provide for himself. In addition to acting as chaplain to the Catholic troops, he had also to look after all those of other denominations on board.

The same condition he had found to exist many times in France, where he was the only chaplain to look after troops of many denominations.

One of the chief difficulties had been the shortage of chaplains in the 1st Canadian Division. There were so many units that the chaplains found it impossible to cover the ground. This had now been remedied, and there were now sufficient chaplains, and the work was well done, and all the men well looked after.

The chaplains had systematized the work now, and instead of trying to look after certain areas, they now attended to all the troops in certain units.

Among the consolations of the work had been the fact that occasionally one who had been careless regarding his religion would become less careless, and these and similar instances had resulted in much good spiritually among the men.

NO RELEASE POSSIBLE

"Wrong Age" Excuse No Longer Goes for Drafted Men.

No man drafted into the C. E. F. is to be released on the ground that he made a mistake in giving his age.

Instructions received at district headquarters from Ottawa make this fact plain, and call attention to the order-in-council which provides that the age given by a man on registering is to be taken as conclusive proof of his age.

Those who gave the wrong age can obtain no redress now, as the age given will be taken as the real age in each case.

STOP SHORT CUTS

Guards on Corner Lots Proposed for Amended Law.

City Clerk S. Baker is receiving many messages of approval from citizens over the proposal to amend the streets bylaw and abolish fences on the boulevards. Several citizens have communicated their views to the city clerk on the question. There is another phase which has been brought to Mr. Baker's attention and which will likely be considered. It is a request that provision be made to enable residents of corner lots to erect a guard on their lawns to keep pedestrians from cutting the corners.

WHOLE ROAD UNIONIZED

Street Railway Organization Adds 30 New Members.

A special meeting of the street railway employees' union for the purpose of initiating 30 new members was held Saturday evening. Another meeting will be held Thursday evening and one Friday afternoon, when the remaining employees who could not attend Saturday's meeting will be initiated.

Barn men, track men, blacksmiths, carpenters, and electricians were among the 30 employees who joined the union Saturday. Every man in the employ of the company except the office staff will be in the organization before this week is over, it is stated.

RECRUIT MORE BOYS

"Earn and Give" Campaign of Junior Y. M. C. A. Takes Well in Sunday Schools.

The "earn and give" campaign introduced on Friday for the Y. M. C. A. juniors of London and in all branches of the association throughout Canada, was brought to the attention of Sunday school members by the teachers and officers on Sunday. Many new volunteers for this campaign, which is to aid the overseas work of the association, each boy being pledged to earn $10 and give it to the fund, were secured. In the First Presbyterian Sunday School 20 boys were enlisted.

There are now more than 120 boys enlisted for the campaign here.

SUFFERED WITH NERVES

COULD NOT KEEP QUIET

Diseases of the nervous system are very common.

All the organs of the body may be sound while the nerve centres may be affected.

Many women become run down and worn out by household duties never ending, and sooner or later find themselves with their nerves shattered, and the heart action weakened.

On the first sign of any weakness of either the heart or nerves, flagging energy or physical breakdown, do not wait until your case becomes hopeless.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will at once quieten the shaking nerves, strengthen the weak heart and build up the entire system.

Mrs. F. Bailey, 221 Earl street, Kingston, Ont., writes: "I was suffering very much with my nerves, so much so that I could not keep myself quiet at all. I was recommended to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, so I bought three boxes, and I must say I have derived much benefit from them, so much so that my friends have all noticed the change in me."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c per box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

LOCAL NEWS

FIRST COMMUNION.—About fifty girls and boys received first communion at the 9 o'clock mass Sunday morning at St. Mary's Church.

POSTPONED FOR WEEK.—Owing to the absence from town of several of the members, the Presbyterian Monday Club regular monthly meeting has been postponed one week.

IN HYDRO SHOP JULY 1—The utilities commission plans on getting into its new building on July 1. It has given notice to the owners of its temporary quarters that it will vacate June 30.

SOLOIST RESIGNS.—Miss Edith Fetherston has resigned her position as soprano soloist of Askin Street Methodist Church, the resignation to take effect the end of May.

TO JOIN FLYERS.—Ptes. Melburn C. Rudd, of the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. Regiment, and William C. Oliver of A. M. C. Training Depot No. 1, have been released to enlist in the Royal Air Force.

STARTING THIS WEEK.—It is expected that a start will be made this week on the construction of the automobile subway into the fair grounds ring at Queen's Park. The work will be done under the supervision of the city engineer.

PUPILS' RECITAL.—The recital at Conservatory Hall Saturday afternoon was given by the following pupils: Constance Tufford, Kenneth Cooper, Gladys Grierson, Lillian Brady, Marian Manning, Mary Campbell, Dorothy Johnston, Verna Dobbyn and Garde Wigley.

HONOR FORMER COLLEAGUE.—Frank Hughes, who recently left the city treasurer's staff to accept a position of teller in the Bank of Montreal was honored by the city hall employees on Saturday. They presented him with a combination sectional bookcase and writing desk.

REVIVAL WELL ATTENDED.—The special evangelistic services being conducted in the Kensington Mission Hall, Dundas street and Wharncliffe road west, are attracting considerable attention. The meetings will be continued all this week with good speakers and special singing.

BEAR ADDED TO ZOO.—The large male black bear, which Secretary A. H. Keene of the London Motor Club secured for the Zoo at Springbank, arrived on Saturday and was placed in his cage. The animal is said to be one of the finest specimens ever seen in Western Ontario. A female is expected in a short time.

SURPLUS OF POWER AT OTTAWA.—General Manager E. V. Buchanan of the utilities commission is back after a trip to Ottawa, Toronto, Hamilton and Brantford. He says Ottawa has a surplus of hydro energy, due to the innumerable waterfalls in the vicinity. The municipal plant there carries practically nothing but a lighting load.

TO ADDRESS I. O. D. E.—Under the auspices of the Senator Coffey Chapter, I. O. D. E., Major (Rev.) Edward Doe will deliver an address on his experiences at the front in St. Peter's Parish Hall on Wednesday, May 8. Major Doe has spent three and a half years at the front, and will give a vivid description of an army chaplain's work in France.

COURT OF INQUIRY.—For the purpose of inquiring into the conduct of Gunner Sandy Salavan of the 63rd Depot Battery, C. F. A., whilst away from his unit on leave which he overstayed, a court of inquiry has been named under the presidency of Major B. B. S. Campbell, staff officer, assisted by Lieut. T. Todd and Lieut. W. H. O'Loane of the First Depot Battalion, W. O. Regiment.

ABSENCE CAUSES POSTPONMENT.—wing to the fact that a number of the Anglican clergymen of the city were out of town in connection with the missionary campaign throughout the archdiaconate of London on Sunday, it was necessary to suspend the regular meeting of the Anglican Clerical Association today. Among those who were unable to get back in time was Rev. J. Quintin Warner, who had the paper for the day.

RIGHT OF WAY.—Editor of The Advertiser: Will you kindly advise through the columns of your paper which automobile has the right of way? For example, a man going north on Richmond street meets a man going east on King street. Who would have the right of way?—J. S. Answer: The man on the right has the right of way. In the instance you cite, it would be the man going north on Richmond street, he being on the right of the man going east.—Ed.

MUSICAL PROGRAM, TOO.—In addition to the lecture to be given in Talbot Street Baptist Church this evening on "Russia's Historical Past and Hysterical Present," by Rev. Dr. R. S. MacArthur, president of the World's Baptist Union, the program will include solos by Miss Cochrill and E. Webster. Dr. MacArthur, who will be the guest of relatives during his stay in London, has been pastor for 41 years of Calvary Baptist Church, N. Y. The doors of the church, it is stated, will be open tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

VETERANS' BAND SUCCESS.—The reorganized band of the Great War Veterans' Association is already an assured success under the leadership of Bandmaster J. G. Knipper, late of the 33rd and 80th Battalions. Another practice will be held Tuesday evening in the association rooms. Twenty-five instruments have been secured already, and it is expected that more will be secured later. If arrangements can be satisfactorily completed a route march will be held next Saturday in connection with the veterans' tag day.

FINAL DEBATE

Inter-Church Series of Presbyterians Finishes Tonight.

A feature of much interest in connection with the big rally of Presbyterian young people of the city this evening in the First Presbyterian Church will be the final debate of the inter-church series between the Hamilton Road and St. Paul's churches on the subject, "Resolved, That Details of Crime Should Not Be Published in the Press." Reports for the year will be presented, and officers elected. It is expected that all the Presbyterian churches will be largely represented at this meeting.

FORDS DISAPPEAR

"Borrowed" Machine Goes on Police List as Missing.

The disappearance of two Ford cars was reported today to the local detective department.

Clive F. Wigle of Leamington, reported that a friend of his, Thomas Hinds, who came up from the South Essex town with him, had borrowed his Ford on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Up to 2 o'clock this afternoon Hinds and Wigle's Ford were still listed "missing."

Both men are returned soldiers, having enlisted together with the 99th Battalion and returned home together. The license number is 73019 and the engine number 34430. Hinds' family lives in the city.

The Ford car of Morris White, manager of the London Rag and Metal Company, was taken Sunday evening from in front of the city hall. The license number is 47952.

Detectives are endeavoring to recover both cars.

TALKS TO ROTARIANS

Rev. E. S. Boal, who is in London securing members for the navy league, and who has already addressed several different organizations, was the speaker at the Rotary Club today. His effort was really an appeal for members, and in the course of his appeal he cited a few facts about what the British navy and the merchant marine has been doing in the war. He wanted each member of the Rotary Club to join the league and help with the work that they were carrying out.

Pres. F. Jewell suggested that membership applications be sent to each member in the next week's announcement, but Rev. Boal circulated applications among the members present.

LYING YARNS SENT FROM CANADA OVER THE RECENT RIOTS

Correspondents Forwarded Disgraceful, False Reports.

GOVT. TO TAKE ACTION

Amendment to Laws Will Curb the Fake News Writers.

Quebec, May 6.—Authors of fake Canadian news published either in Canada or elsewhere will have short shrift, if a movement set on foot here culminates as planned, to secure amendments to the criminal code. The matter is to be brought to the attention of Sir Lomer Gouin, and an endeavor will be made to secure his aid. The subject has been discussed of late in the political circles both here and in Montreal, notably at the Reform Club in the latter city. A past president of this club made a visit to Quebec over the week-end and related recent experiences in New York, where he has been told by leading French-Canadians residing there that as a result of lying reports concerning French Canada, forwarded by "correspondents," they were ostracized and even ashamed to admit that they were of French-Canadian birth.

Sensational Yarns.

Sensational stories recounting the burning of the city halls at Montreal and Quebec had been sent broadcast, it is claimed, and had even been published in the British Isles.

Specific reference was also made to an article appearing in a New York paper last summer on the subject of church litigation in Quebec. This article was described as being erroneous in subject matter as it was malevolent in intent.

To cope with the fake news writers, it is proposed that the criminal code be so amended as to force all telegraph and cable companies to furnish on demand by proper authority, the originals of all news or other stories filed by correspondent in any part of Canada and the authors of such news are to be amenable to a heavy fine, or imprisonment, or both. A tentative draft of the amendment has already been made, and will be submitted to the authorities shortly.

COMMITTED TO TRIAL ON TWO COUNTS OF FORGERY AND FRAUD

Man Who Changed Plea Goes Before Judge on Tuesday.

Frank F. Pohlmann, charged with forgery and fraud on two separate counts, received a preliminary hearing in police court today. The prisoner was committed to trial on both charges, and will come up for trial before one of the county judges on Tuesday morning.

Pohlmann was arraigned on April 26 before Magistrate Graydon on a charge of forgery. He pleaded guilty on that occasion, but subsequently changed the plea to that of not guilty. At the trial on Tuesday, it is understood that the defence will introduce evidence in an effort to show that Pohlmann was not in the city the day on which he is alleged to have passed the forged check.

Miss Margaret McGregor, teller in the Market Branch of the Huron and Erie Mortgage Corporation, testified that Pohlmann had passed a check for $65, the name of M. M. Fergusson being signed to the check. Miss McGregor had made a trip to Hamilton, where she identified Pohlmann as the person who had passed the forged check.

Willis Wilkins, 108 Wharncliffe road, ledgerkeeper at the bank, identified Pohlmann in court as the man whose check he had marked. The check was later cashed by Miss McGregor.

Chief of Police W. T. T. Williams was placed in the witness-box for the first time in years. He stated that he was in court on April 26 and heard Pohlmann plead guilty to the charge of forgery.

On a second charge of fraud, Pohlmann was also committed for trial.

CAPT. GORDON COOPER WINS HIS MAJORITY

A. E. Cooper of this city has received word that his son, Captain Gordon Cooper, who went overseas in October, 1914, with the C. A. S. C., has been promoted to major and is now in France in command of No. 1 Company of the Fifth Divisional Train. The young Londoner has been several times mentioned in dispatches by General Haig for efficient work. Soon after the war broke out he went to Montreal and joined the C. A. S. C., going over in charge of No. 6 Company. He was home for a short tife about a year ago. A brother, Gunner Astley Cooper, is in France with the Fourth Artillery Brigade.

TO ASK CHURCH AID

Baptist Ministers Endorse Naval League Fund Scheme.

After hearing an appeal made by Rev. S. Boal of the naval chaplaincy service, on behalf of the widows and orphans of sailors who have given their lives in the war in the merchant marine, the members of the London Baptist Ministerial Association at the monthly meeting today decided to ask their own congregations to contribute to the fund which Mr. Boal is raising in Canada.

Rev. J. M. Norton of Maitland Street Baptist Church gave an interesting paper on "The Prophetic Message of Daniel." Baptist ministers within a radius of 30 miles of the city were invited to attend this meeting, which was an open one, and with the local Baptist ministers had luncheon at Smallman's at the close.

CITY BONDS POPULAR

There has been a large rush from citizens to purchase city bonds. In the past few weeks no less than $100,000 worth of bonds has been disposed of by City Treasurer James S. Bell over the counter. These bonds have been taken in various sized lots from $100 to $1,000. They bear six per cent and are for three, five and ten years. They can be secured for a longer period if necessary. Mr. Bell says he has a few bonds still left.

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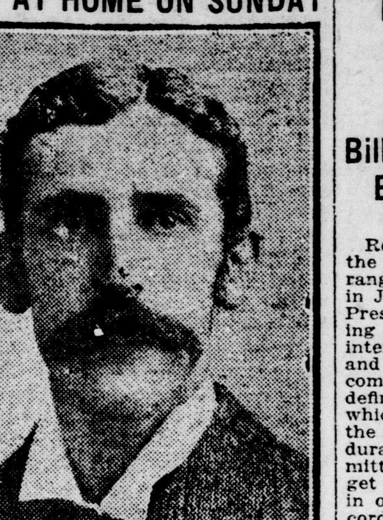
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MEDICAL BOARD HEAD WHO DIED SUDDENLY AT HOME ON SUNDAY



Advertiser Illustrations.

MAJ. T. CONNOLLY COWAN, A.M.C.

Major Cowan, M. D., president of the medical board of the London mobilization centre, and a resident of London for the past twelve years, died suddenly at his home on Sunday morning. Major Cowan left the Armories as usual on Saturday at noon. He did not mention any illness to any member of the staff, and the news of his death came as a shock to military men of the city, for Dr. Cowan was universally popular.

Major Cowan came to London from Sombra twelve years ago, taking over the practice and home of the late Dr. J. M. Piper, 117 Wortley road. He was active in militia work and a former commanding officer of the 15th Field Ambulance. He has been on the mobilization centre examining board, as president, for some time.

A widow, Mrs. C. Cowan, survives.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday to Woodland Cemetery.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

BURIAL OF MRS. ELLIOTT.

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Elliott, wife of George P. Elliott, who died in St. Joseph's Hospital on Thursday, was held Saturday from the family residence, 763 Colborne street to St. Peter's Cathedral. Requiem High Mass was sung by Rev. Father Finn. Interment will be made at Port Credit.

The pallbearers were: A. E. Chapman, H. W. Walcott, E. A. Smith, R. E. Taylor, A. B. McLeod and F. D. Stenton.

BURIED AT DELAWARE.

The funeral of Edward Gould Hacker, who died on Wednesday, was held from his late residence, 138 William street, on Saturday afternoon. The services were conducted at the house by Rev. A. A. Bice, of All Saints' Church.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. A. McQueen, J. Miller, E. Brant, J. Calhoun, Dr. Smith and W. McKay.

Interment was made at Delaware Cemetery, the services at the grave being conducted by Rev. Mr. Hartley of Christ Church, Delaware.

The pallbearers at the grave were: Messrs. Archie Thompson, John Leach, William Leach, John Lockwood, J. Miller and A. McQueen.

PASSED AWAY AT HOSPITAL.

The death of Mrs. Ethel Smith, aged 31 years, occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hardy, of this city, and five brothers, Leonard Hardy, Charles Hardy and Robert Hardy, all of this city; Reg. Hardy in England, and Harold Hardy in France; three sisters, Mrs. John McPhee and Mrs. Chas. Johnstone of this city, and Mrs. Carl C. Clixbey of Detroit, also survive.

The funeral was held from the residence if her parents, 101 Forward avenue, this afternoon. Interment was made at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

COMMUNITY CHURCH IN RURAL CENTRES BY CHURCH UNION PLAN

Arrangements were made today at the meeting of the Methodist Ministerial Association for the banquet to be tendered ministers of the city and district, who are leaving the district at the conference year. Among these will be Rev. Dr. H. S. Dougall of this city, and Rev. T. E. Sawyer of Ilderton, the latter the secretary of the London Methodist Conference. The president, Rev. Dr. Barber; Secretary Rev. W. J. Ashton and Chairman of the District Rev. J. E. oHlmes, were appointed a committee to make final plans for the banquet.

Rev. Dr. R. G. Peever received the congratulations of the association on obtaining on merit his doctor of divinity degree.

The program feature today was a paper by Rev. J. R. Peters of Delaware on "The Rural Problem," as it relates to the church. Mr. Peters declared that the church must identify itself with all that affects the rural community life as well as that which is specifically religious. He presented a plan for a "community centre church," with the central auditorium and other rooms associated to permit of community activities. In this connection, he emphasized the need of church union of the various denominations in rural districts to make possible a community church ministering to the social and intellectual needs of the rural community as well as the spiritual, a church that will aid in solving the community problems.

COUNCIL MEETS TONIGHT

The city council will hold its first May meeting tonight. There are a few contentious questions coming up. That of soldier insurance may be revived. The proposal to place Paving Superintendent Hunter in charge of road work, a contentious proposal, may be aired. If it is the fur will likely fly. W. E. Saunders will present his proposal to tax cats. All in all the gist for the mill looks voluminous and a long, weary session seems in order.

HERE MAY 14

Food Controller Thompson will come to London on May 14, according to a telegram received by James Gray, district chief of the Canada Food Board.

The controller will address a public meeting in the evening of his local visit.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.]

Toronto, May 6.

	Asked.	Bid.		Asked.	Bid.
Am Cy..	34	30	Spanish	17	15
Ames, c.	18	16½	do pfd.	53	51
do pfd.	57½	56	St Ch, p.	57	..
Barcel...	9¾	9⅜	Stl Can..	60½	60⅛
Brazilian	33¾	33¼	do pfd.	91	90
B C Fish	50	48½	T Paper.	..	70
Burt, c..	..	65	Tor Ry.	58	..
do pfd.	..	85	Tre'wey.	17	16
C Bread.	17⅜	17⅛	Tucketts	19	..
C Car...	31½	31	Tw City.	46	42
do pfd.	78	77	Win Ry.	48	..
Cement.	60	59½	Banks—		
C S L...	40¼	39⅞	Com'rce	185¼	..
do pfd.	76½	76	Dom ...	202	..
CG Elec.	103	..	Hamil'n	188	..
CLoco,p.	82¾	..	Imperial.	185	..
C Dairy.	..	31	Merch ..	167	..
do pfd.	..	75	Montr'l.	210	..
ConLife	375	..	NScotia	248	..
Coniag.	300	290	Ottawa	201	..
C Smelt.	24¾	..	Royal ..	208	..
Con Gas.	144½	..	Stand ..	200	..
Canners.	31½	29	Toronto	187	..
Dome ..	750	725	Union...	..	150
D Steel..	60½	60	Loans, etc.—		
Duluth..	41	..	C Land.	148¾	..
La Rose.	50	45	C Perm.	162½	..
Mackay.	76	75	C Invest.	63	..
do pfd.	66	64½	H Prov.	..	135
M Leaf..	98	97	H & E..	..	204
do pfd.	94	92	20% pd	..	196
Monarch	40	39	L Bank.	..	141
do pfd.	80	..	L & C..	126½	..
N St Car	8½	7	N Trust.	199	..
do pfd.	..	30½	T Trust.	..	200
Nipis'g.	910	890	T Mort..	134	..
NSSteel.	65	..	Bonds—		
P Burt..	34	..	C Loco..	..	85
do pfd.	77¾	..	D Iron..	..	84
Penmans	75	73½	Elec Dev	..	85
Petrol.	1375	1312	Penmans	..	85
P Paper.	55	..	Ontario.	..	76
Riordon	125	122	Rio Jan.	..	83
Russell..	..	55	Stl Can..	..	92
do pfd.	70	69	War Loan,		
Sawyer..	15	..	1925...	95½	94⅝
do pfd.	40	..	1931...	..	93⅛
			1937...	93¼	92¾

FEWER DELEGATES NOW EXPECTED AT GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Billeting Arrangements Will Be Completed Tomorrow.

Rev. W. R. McIntosh, chairman of the local committee in charge of arrangements for the coming to London in June of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, is going down to Toronto Tuesday and will interview Rev. Dr. Neil, the moderator, and other members of the emergency committee with a view to getting some definite idea of the number of delegates which may be expected, the nature of the assembly this year and the probable duration of time. As the billeting committee meets Tuesday night, he will get information back to the convener in order that plans may be shaped accordingly.

Rev. Dr. Robert Campbell of Montreal, senior clerk of the General Assembly since the death, in 1896, of Rev. Dr. William Reid of Toronto, carried much weight in shaping the decision of the emergency committee, which met in Toronto last week, to meet as usual this year, notwithstanding the question raised of calling it off on account of the war and the big financial outlay necessitated by the increase in traveling expenses. Dr. Campbell, who is recognized as the interpreter of the laws of the Presbyterian Church, expressed his views emphatically that the assembly must meet this year, as the last assembly meeting held in Montreal in June, 1917, was "adjourned" to meet in London on the date given and it would be contrary to the constitution of the church and illegal to call the meeting off.

The decision of the emergency committee was in line with the wishes expressed by the Synod of Hamilton and London in a majority vote last Tuesday.

While 600 clerical and lay delegates attended the assembly last year in Montreal, it is probable the attendance will be much reduced this year, the increased railway fares and inability to obtain special rates hitting especially hard the delegates in the far west and east. The billeting committee is now figuring on placing 500 delegates instead of the 600 planned for earlier in the season.

The Assembly will only pay the same amount in traveling expenses of delegates as formerly, the one-way fare, and the balance must be made up by presbyteries and churches or the commissioners themselves. The idea of the finance board considered by the emergency committee was that fewer delegates than usual should attend, and these, after doing absolutely necessary business, should adjourn. Forty delegates at the assembly are required to constitute a legal meeting of the court.

It is understood now that the business will occupy about the usual length of time, eight or ten days.

TOWNSHIP MEETINGS TO NAME DELEGATES NOW BEING ARRANGED

Middlesex Farmers Will Pick Representative to Go to Ottawa.

The following representatives were appointed at the farmers' meeting at Coldstream Saturday afternoon to call meetings in the townships to appoint delegates to go to Ottawa on May 14 to protest the cancellation of all exemptions: Duncan Lyman, Caradoc; Thomas Turnbull, Lobo; A. Topping, Adelaide; Duncan McFie, Ekfrid; Henry Longfield, North Dorchester; James Robson, London; R. Fitzgerald, West Nissouri; Wm. Sterling, Metcalfe; Geo. Innes, Mosa; T. Drummond, McGillivray; J. Stewart, East Williams; John McLeish, West Williams; Ephraim Howlett, Delaware; William McFalls, Biddulph; Archie Blaikie, Westminster.

The Delaware meeting will be held in No. 4 Schoolhouse this evening. Other meetings have been called as follows: Lobo, at Coldstream, Tuesday evening; Caradoc, Tuesday evening in Mount Brydges Town Hall; East Williams, Tuesday evening at Nairn; Ekfrid, in the town hall on Wednesday evening, and Adelaide Wednesday evening in the town hall. The other meetings have not as yet been arranged.

NOT YET NOTIFIED

Registration Deputies Have No Official Word of Appointments.

Notwithstanding the fact that two well-known London barristers, R. A. Bayly and W. C. Fitzgerald, have been announced in an Ottawa dispatch as appointed registrars for the man and woman power registration in June, neither has been officially notified. Mr. Bayly's name is given as registrar for the city of London and W. C. Fitzgerald for Middlesex East. Both stated today that all they knew of the matter was what they had seen in the paper this morning, consequently they will not proceed with any plans till the official notification comes to them from the Government.

One of the first steps to be taken in organization for the registration will be the securing of deputy registrars.

ARRANGING TAG DAY

Child Welfare Association Holds One on June 8.

The London Child Welfare Association has obtained permission from the council to hold a tag day on Saturday, June 8, in order to raise money to secure the services of a welfare nurse and other necessary machinery for making the work effective. At a meeting of a special committee to arrange for tag day, presided over on Saturday afternoon by Mrs. H. W. Hill, plans were made and sub-committees struck.

Mrs. A. E. Tutt, president of the Union Mothers' Club, and Mrs. Gemmell, will take up the question with the individual school mothers' clubs and ask that a captain be appointed in each to organize the school district for tag day. Mrs. A. T. Edwards has consented to look after the downtown district.

WINNING GROUP PRAISED

Ridout Street Sunday School Honors Boys Who Captured C. S. E. T. Cup.

The "Beavers" Class received a royal welcome Sunday afternoon at the Ridout Street Methodist Sunday School. This is the group which won the silver cup in the Canadian standard efficiency test contest for juniors at the Y. M. C. A. The cup was presented to the class members at the closing exercises of the Y. M. C. A. by Rev. Dr. Peever.

Fred Holmes, leader of the group responded on its behalf, while I. B. Whale, the mentor, and Mr. Mann, the assistant, together with the pastor, Rev. J. E. Holmes, and Sunday School Superintendent Thomas Spettigue made brief congratulatory addresses.

The cup was on exhibition in the Sunday school at the morning services.

At the reception service of the church, 21 new members were received into fellowship.

WINGHAM INFANT IS SAVED FROM DROWNING

Wingham, May 6.—Saturday afternoon 4-year-old Dorothy Newells, while playing near the edge of the river, fell in the water and would have drowned had not Arthur Law jumped in and carried her to safety.

By error George Spotton was referred to as mayor of Wingham in a newspaper dispatch of Saturday. The present mayor is L. F. Binkley.

EDWARD FAUQUIER DEAD.

Ottawa, May 6.—Edward F. Fauquier, one of the most prominent of Canada's railway contractors, died here today in his 63rd year. He was a son of the late Emelium Fauquier of Woodstock, Ont.

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RECRUITING HERE FOR INLAND WATER TRANSPORT OF R. E.

Qualified Tradesmen Will Be Signed on for This Branch of Imperial Service.

A large number of trades is included in the list of those in which qualified men are wanted for service in the Inland Water Transport. Recruiting for this unit in Ontario is in charge of Capt. J. F. Pratt, R. E., and to represent him in this he has sent Corp. Thomas Cooper of the Royal Engineers, who may be interviewed at the Iroquois Hotel.

All men between the ages of 34 and 56, who are physically fit to carry on their trade, regardless of medical category under the military service act, and married men between the ages of 19 and 56 are eligible for direct enlistment into this corps.

Any qualified single men between the ages of 20 and 34 years, in lower medical category than A2, may be transferred out of the Canadian forces to this corps by their commanding officers. Application for such transfer, however, must be made through Capt. J. F. Pratt, R. E., 67 Victoria street, Toronto, Ont.

Dependents of recruits in this corps receive the benefits of separation allowance and of the Canadian patriotic fund.

The rate of pay is from 76c per day up. Men are enlisted in Canada at this rate, and upon arrival in England are trade tested, and receive pay and promotion according to trade qualification and the opportunity to give same. While, therefore, the pay may appear small, this service offers the best opportunities for qualified men to secure advancement, and no qualified tradesman need fear for his treatment after reaching England.

Recruits are forwarded overseas as soon as transports are available.

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BONUS STILL PLAN OF GOVERNMENT FOR ITS LOW PAID EMPLOYEES

Scheme Rejected by Local Postmen Again to Fore.

A salary increase, or a bonus, will be given to help the lower classes of the civil service meet the high cost of living, according to an Ottawa dispatch. It says that the Government realizes that the letter carriers, clerks, packers and messengers are not paid now comparatively as well as men in other vocations and have had a hard struggle to make ends meet. The dispatch adds: "A good case for an extra allowance, commensurate with the increase in the cost of living, was made out by a deputation representing the mail carriers and other branches of the outside service, which waited on the Government recently. Their representations have been sympathetically considered, and a bonus for them will probably be voted by Parliament before the session ends. Specific amounts and classes have not yet been decided, but it is likely that all permanent employees of the outside service now receiving less than $1,000 a year will be given a $100 bonus for the current fiscal year."

It is hardly likely, however, that this will please the letter carriers. They recently rejected the proposal that they should be given a bonus. In fact, to vote them $100 bonus would be giving them no more than they are getting now, and yet they fall over $1 a week short of what the labor department estimates it costs to keep a family.

FACE COVERED WITH PIMPLES

ASHAMED TO GO OUT

Many an otherwise beautiful and attractive face is sadly marred by unsighty pimples, blotches, flesh worms and various other blood diseases.

Their presence is a source of embarrassment to those afflicted, as well as pain and regret to their friends.

Many a cheek and brow cast in the mold of beauty have been sadly defaced, their attractiveness lost and their possessor rendered unhappy for years.

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LONDONERS WOUNDED

Former 63rd Gunner Suffers From Gunshot and Shell Gas, Too.

Gunner Duncan Aikenhead of Brucefield, who went overseas two years ago with a 63rd Battery draft, has been wounded by gunshot in the head and right leg, and is suffering from shell gas. The official message says that he was admitted to hospital on April 26.

Gunner Aikenhead, who made his home with M. S. Aikenhead, 789 Hellmuth avenue, was qualified as an infantry lieutenant, but joined the artillery as a private to see action in France.

Sergt. R. Dixon, another London soldier whose name appears in the casualty list as wounded, is a member of the old 33rd. It is the first time he has been wounded in more than a year's service at the front. The message to his wife at 121 Albert street says that he was wounded in the left leg.

Before enlisting here, Sergt. Dixon was employed as a teamster.

REAL SUMMER!

As a real treat, the weatherman treated Londoners to a little taste of summer on Sunday when he ran the thermometer up to 83, the record for the year to date. Coming, as it did, after the cold weather of the earlier part of last week, the change was a most agreeable one to the great majority of Londoners. Amateur gardeners who are working their "war gardens" to the limit, were especially pleased at the heat, which will warm up the soil and promote plant growth.

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LET US HAVE FACTS AND PROOFS.

SIR ROBERT Borden has informed a delegation of farmers that the need for men in the army is more pressing than that of increased production, and that, on this account, the Government cannot agree to exempt young farmers from military service.

If this is true (and there is an "if"), when was the knowledge of this need gained by Sir Robert and his colleagues? It is no sudden and unexpected necessity that has arisen, but one which has been foreseen for months. The premier must have documentary evidence to prove his words from those in authority overseas, and this ought to be brought down in the House. The nation wants to know what it is and when it was dated and sent to Canada. There is a strong suspicion that the information was in the hands of the premier prior to December of last year, and that he had every reason to suspect, when promises of exemption were being made to the farmers that there was little, if any, likelihood of these being kept. Only the fullest proof that the Government was acting in good faith when it made the exemption promises and that there is no alternative to its present orders, will satisfy the people.

FOOD HOARDING LAWS.

HUNDREDS, IF not thousands of people in this district, are in a state of perplexity over the new rulings issued from the food board in regard to the quantity of sugar and flour which may be kept on hand by any householder. These people have been told that they are now violating the law, yet they hesitate to take back the ordinary supplies of flour and sugar which they have on hand.

The Advertiser knows the case of one householder, who as a matter of convenience and economy, has always purchased her flour and sugar either in 50 or 100-pound lots. This has been her custom for years, and she has never changed it since war began. She has always had a fair supply in her specially-prepared containers, but in no sense of the word can she be regarded as a "hoarder." In fact, her methods have made for the elimination of waste, both financially and as a matter of supply. This householder does not feel that she has committed any offense in retaining in her bins the amounts of flour and sugar she ordered, as a matter of fact, last spring.

Many other people will become breakers of the law, and the law may become more honored in the breach than the observance. The food controller should at once modify the law to permit supplies up to 100 pounds, or even a larger amount, which were purchased prior to the enactment of the order-in-council, to be kept on hand, but enforce the order to prevent the purchase of any supplies larger than those specified after the passage of the act. This would mean that no "hoarding" worthy of the term would be carried on, while small supplies would not have to be scooped from bins and taken back to a dealer. There is a great deal of reasonable complaint about this enactment.

GERMANS NOT INTELLIGENT.

WRITING OF the German people, Lieut. Redier, a French soldier author, sums them up at last in one phrase, full of meaning: "They are not intelligent." This lack, he says, makes them odious in war and insupportable neighbors in peace.

Remembering all that has been said of German research, science, organization and efficiency it appears rather away from the mark to class the people as not intelligent, but perhaps the lieutenant has struck the nail on the head by his classification.

It is an admitted fact that Germany would not have declared war, or allowed Austria to do so, in the fall of 1914 had the kaiser and his satellites believed that Britain would enter the lists against her; had they dreamed she would attach so much importance to that renowned "scrap of paper." In this miscalculation, the Germans showed lack of knowledge of the British which can be ascribed only to deficient intelligence.

Having misjudged the British, the Huns proceeded to make similar mistakes about the Belgians and French. They imagined that they could terrorize these nations by their hideous atrocities, and could frighten them into submission. They erred; all they have done is to steel the determination of both nations to crush Prussianism for ever and insure themselves against any repetition of the fiendish cruelties. The Germans had not the intelligence to understand the psychology of even their nearest neighbors.

Following up their foolish course, the Teutons experimented with zeppelin raids on England, hoping to terrorize those at home and induce them to demand peace. How opposite was the effect the world knows.

Then came the injuries inflicted on neutrals, especially on the United States, by submarines. The German intelligence was not keen enough to foresee what was clear to everyone else—that by these acts Berlin was forcing a powerful nation of immense wealth to join the Allies and make Germany's defeat certain.

Towards the German masses the authorities have pursued the same senseless course. They have deceived them with promises and lies about achievements until there is a growing fear at Potsdam that the nation, awakened to the truth, will help in the final overthrow of militarism.

Peace will come at last, but what kind of peace for the Germans? Peace with a world which loathes Germany and all things German; peace with peoples who will refuse to associate with Germans, to clasp their hands or have anything but the coldest business dealings with them; peace in a world where Germans are avoided more pointedly than lepers and will be so ostracized for many years to come. The Germans do not expect this because they have not the intelligence necessary to look forward with the vision of civilized people. Their whole war-making, wonderful, in scheming, in organizing, in magnitude and in its disregard of all laws of God and man, has lacked intelligence. "They are not intelligent."

FOREWARNED IS FOREARMED.

BRITISH statesmen are making it known that there is no possibility of any peace terms Germany will offer being acceptable to the Allies. At first glance, this may appear a rather impetuous and arrogant stand to take; it may be thought that they ought to wait until the terms are before them before reaching any decision, in case Germany is prepared to offer something really worth while.

Militarism must go; that is one of the essentials. Terms can be made with Germany only when those intrusted with making them are directly representative of the nation and can give full assurance that their promises will be kept; that is another essential. There is no possibility that the present government of Germany will meet these demands. At best (an unlikely best), it will suggest a status quo ante bellum agreement with, it might be, the return of the stolen French provinces to France. To those who are longing for peace and have lost sight of the real objects for which the Allies are fighting, this would seem attractive, but it would not do. It is to minimize the German appeal to such as these that British leaders are now bending their energies.

However attractive any terms used in the Teuton offensive may appear, their effectiveness already has been weakened by the British statements. The people have been warned to regard them as deceitful, and are prepared to meet them with disdain, realizing they are merely propaganda. In the peace battle the Allies have counter-attacked before the first attack has been launched; strategy which should prove fatal to the German assault. The move is entirely wise in its conception.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Wonder how many of these wives of Helmuth Schmidt would have appeared if he had left debts instead of $15,000 cash.

Why does Britain permit pro-German Dutchmen to land in the Isles? It would seem safer to keep them out altogether.

Germans are now being told that their army command may decide not to take Ypres. It's a case of Germany proposes, but the Allies dispose.

Looks as though some members of parliament would rather vote against their beliefs than support any motion emanating from the Opposition.

That "small material" damage at Zeebrugge is taking a lot of repairing. It is to be hoped all is in good repair again by the time the Germans have to leave.

Senator Cloran perhaps overestimates the importance which women attach to the franchise when he suggests that a vote for each child would stimulate the birth-rate.

When a millionaire is forced to don the khaki, the news is flashed all over the country, while no attention is paid the $20 a week man. Strange in such a democratic country!

The statement of French soldiers that the Verdun battle was child's play compared with Ypres takes nothing from the magnificence of the defence of the former place.

THE EARLY BIRD.

Old Mother Hubbard went to the cupboard,
She wanted to quench her thirst;
But when she got there the cupboard was bare,
The old man had got there first.

A YOUNG FELLOW OF 95.

[Chicago Tribune.]

Maine has come to the front with a young fellow of 95 who has gone to work as a sawyer for a lumber company. Last year he retired and went to live with a son, but a rest so improved his health that he has gone back to work at active labor, says Capper's Weekly. This husky veteran has one son, known as the baby of the family, that he is very partial to. The "baby" recently celebrated his seventy-second birthday anniversary.

IN THE GARRET.

Cold—is it? Maybe so. I'm used to it.
(But chillier still that notice—"Please remit!")
Why do I do it? Why do birds sing?
And night stars shine—and flowers fling
Their fragrance to a quiet world at night?
Ah, if you knew one thought of the delight
Pulsing the veins, when one's whole being throbs
With ecstacy, like laughter amid sobs!

Joys?—There are many. Sorrows?—Maybe, too.—
She dwells not here—and I am glad, 'tis true—
But oft she comes with violets in her hair,
And lingers lovingly about my chair,
While her warm fingers flit o'er mine—so cold!
And then, ah, then,—My life holds wealth untold!
—AMY E. CAMPBELL.

THE CAGED GOLDFINCH.

[Thomas Hardy.]

Within a churchyard, on a recent grave,
I saw a little cage
That jailed a goldfinch. All was silence save
It hops from stage to stage.

There was inquiry in its wistful eye,
And once it tried to sing;
Of him or her who placed it there, and why,
No one knew anything.

True, a woman was found drowned the day ensuing,
And some at times averred,
The grave to be her false one's who when wooing
Gave her the bird.

THE NEW MOON.

[Boston Herald.]

The beautiful crescent moon, nightly holding the shadow of the round earth in its encircling arms of late, is one of more than ordinary charm. The Passover of old came when the moon, for the first time after the spring equinox, was 14 days old and so at the full; and the moon now growing from a thin silver crescent to a gleaming expanse, is the first to do this since the sun turned back to bring us summer again. Of old, watchers in Israel waited to catch the first glimpse of this moon, whereupon they hastened with joy to bear witness in the temple. "We have seen it." A custom of beautiful simplicity it was—this childlike watching for the first sight of the moon that marked nature's new year. Then came preparations for the great feast of the Passover at the full of this moon, when, with nature's abounding new life of field and fold to aid their joy, they commemorated the ancient safekeeping granted them in Egypt's bondage. Now, this same moon is waxing more glorious night by night in our sky. A few nights ago its mystic line of light only rimmed the full shadow-sphere of our earth. That line of light has grown now to a half-globe of glowing radiance. Soon it will be full orbed. Then the shadow of our world will be no more seen. By this majestic sign we shall know that the time has once more come in our lives to remember when "for us men and our redemption" the Nazarene gave his life.

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HIS FAULT.

By Susan E. Clagett.

As they stood by the big elm facing the woodland road with the cabin branch murmuring at their feet, Rachel wondered why he had returned to disturb her hardly won serenity, for she was frank enough with herself to admit that she was disturbed by his proximity. Quite naturally their step had turned toward the tree that had been their objective point during that summertime when both were young, but there had been little talk between them.

She wished to avoid personalities, yet she could not bring her mind to bear upon the trivial things that would make conversation. Emotion, that had long been buried, dominated her, and she was conscious that resentment more than any other feeling had held her in its grip; resentment and the memory of months of suffering, now long past, but still capable of moving her, and it was against this she rebelled; that he still had power to cause her one moment's distress.

But it was different with Randolph Galbost. For the time being he had forgotten past transgressions and was feeling to the full her strong personality and yielding to the joy of seeing her once more. He flicked the goldenrod with a switch he carried, tossed a chip at a chattering chipmunk; his eyes sweeping the fields, the coloring woods, only to return and rest upon her face.

"There is little change," he said at last. "The sumacs are beginning to color; there is the same shimmer of silver in the leaves of the beech over there, and I verily believe the same minnows are flashing through the water." He leaned over the bank peering down into the branch. "Look, Rachel." His voice was excited and he caught her hand, drawing her forward. "Look. There is the same old mullet we tried so hard to catch, and he is playing the same old tricks, darting in and out the roots, catching tadpoles as he can. No. Nothing is changed." He picked up a pebble and dropped it into the water, watching the ripples that extended across the narrow stream. "Nothing, except Rachel Talbort, and I am accountable for that."

His voice had altered. All the lightness was gone. "You have no reason to give me a kindly thought, Rachel, yet it was the hope you still feel an interest that has brought me back; that has kept alive the little spark of good there is in me."

Her voice was low, slightly hesitant, as she answered. "Let us keep to generalities, Randolph. It will be best."

"Generalities! I have not come from the ends of the earth to talk of any thing but ourselves. I was in Egypt when I heard of your father's death; far up the Nile. I left for Cairo that night and was fortunate in catching a steamer for Marseilles. I did not even pause in Paris, such was my haste to reach you. And you ask me to talk generalities. We will not talk at all, if not about that which brought me here."

"I had no reason to believe you would come to me."

"That is true. But even before I knew you were in trouble I had determined to return. Something happened. Material as I have always been in my beliefs, years in India and Egypt have cast their spell upon me. I now give heed to many things that before would have aroused derision. It was only a dream, and I heard you calling me, calling in great distress. Not one night, but night after night. I became obsessed by the fear of I knew not what and made arrangements to leave. Then I heard of your father's death. Do you think I will talk platitudes after that?"

She smiled somewhat sadly as she watched a squirrel scampering across the wood path. "I still think it best not to look back. There is nothing to be gained by doing so, and personalities will make us emotional, something to be avoided."

"We will have to face that, for I have come to ask you to give me another chance, Rachel." For an instant he laid his hand over hers. "You are a self-controlled, self-contained woman, while I have always been given to extremes. For you I gave up my old companions and forced myself to walk in that straight and narrow path whose straightness and narrowness needs a powerful incentive at the further end to make a man, who all his life has followed the caprice of the moment, keep in the middle of it. Yet for one small lapse you shut the door in my face, shut it and the greater temptation was awaiting me."

"Oh, I beg of you," she interrupted in a stifled voice, "why bring it all back?"

"I must. I do not mean to be cruel, but we must talk this thing out; talk it over from an entirely different viewpoint. At that time you were right. I realize it now. Then I thought differently, for the accursed spirit of opposition that made me obstinate in wrong had full possession of me. The years that have passed between now and then I have lived in the Orient and I have had opportunities in plenty to sound the very depths of remorse and despair. I did not deserve that shut door, Rachel, but pride and obstinacy kept me silent, for appearances were against me. Yet I loved you then; I still love you."

She had turned so that he could not see her face and the silence lasted so long he touched her to attract her attention.

"I wrote to you," she said at last. "There were often times I felt that nothing mattered but your nearness. You did not answer. You did not come."

"When the letters reached me my own hurt was too recent. I had but one thought. To make you suffer as I was suffering. Oh! my dear, I do not seek to justify myself. That is not possible. I left your letters unanswered, knowing well you were fighting distrust. You know my weakness and what they have cost me in friends and success in life, and knowing them, I ask you to be generous. I have wounded you beyond expression. I see it in your face. I hear it in the tone of your voice. But I still care."

Even then she did not turn to him, and her answer was slow in coming, but at last she said:

"The fault was mine in the beginning, Randolph. "I was no child. I was old enough in the world's ways to realize that a man, whose chief aim in life had been the pleasures of the moment, could not put them at once out of his life. I was as foolish as any girl of fifteen who sees nothing in the great experience but the glamor of love; who believes her devotion is all that such a man requires. I did not realize that I needed patience to counteract habits of a lifetime; patience as well as devotion and a certain reserve of manner. I know that now, yet knowing it, I must hesitate to begin again a struggle between my pride and what I should feel was right to you. For I am not the self-contained woman you think. My self-control has been hardly won, but it is not iron, and when least expected would break."

"I know that I ask much, but you have always believed in the merit of sacrifice, and you are generous." His voice was strained in its intensity. "I hope that I am man enough to take my medicine without whimpering, if that is necessary, but one that is drowning clings to the hand that offers safety. Your belief in me is my one hope of salvation. At this moment I feel that without it I am morally and spiritually lost."

"You have no right to throw such responsibility upon me," she exclaimed indignantly.

"I did not mean quite that, Rachel. The responsibility was mine throughout. But I am fighting for my happiness, and I hope yours. I would not explain, and appearances were against me and our young life has been spent apart in consequence. But there are many years before us, years in which I will try to make up for what my pride and obstinacy has cost us, if you are willing. I was with the crowd that night. But I left early. I did not touch wine. Neither did I play. The stories told you were lies."

"And Edna Harwich?"

He looked puzzled. "What about her?"

They told me you spent the evening with her."

He wrinkled his forehead in concentrated thought. "As well as I can remember, I did not see her that evening. As I left the club a messenger boy called me. The telegram was urgent. My father was desperately ill. I caught the northbound train as it was pulling out and wired to you from Boston."

She turned to him now for the first time, a note of excitement in her voice. "I received no wire. You did not come the next day, nor the following. I was desperate with anxiety. Then Eleanor told me she heard you had been with the old crowd; had spent the evening at the Harwich's."

"It was not true. My fault was in my silence. I thought you should have trusted me and would say nothing in extenuation. Dear, that is all back of us. Will you begin again with me?"

Her eyes swept the fields as his had done earlier in their talk; rested upon the silvery beech, caught the shimmer of a minnow as it darted into the sunlight from the shadow of the bank, then extended her hand.

He caught it and drew her toward him. "Dear love," he whispered, "life has possibilities of happiness, of joy, that we little suspect. It is before us. Pray God that we grow old together."

Bits of Byplay

by Luke McLuke

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Modern Cursery Rhymes.

Baa, baa, big Hun, have you a bomb?
Yes, sir, but just keep it mum.
I drop some on the mothers,
I drop some on the tots,
And I drop some on the wounded
In hospital cots.

Poor Old Paw.

Willie—Paw, does a man have to be selfish in order to be a gentleman?

Paw—Not that I know of, my son. Why do you ask that question?

Willie—It says here that a gentleman never forgets himself.

Cheer Up!

Don't mind the storm
That now dismays,
It will get warm
Some of these days.

No Joke.

"This world is queer," said old man Roost,
"And you can bet your socks
You're lucky if you get one boost
For every hundred knocks."

Defined.

"What is your idea of a hypocrite?" asked the Old Fogy.

"A hypocrite," replied the Grouch, "is a man who turns his chickens loose on Sunday morning so they can scratch up his neighbor's gardens and then goes to church so he won't be responsible for what they do."

A Sweeping Change.

"I see they made a sweeping change in this hotel," said the Fat Man.

"That so?" asked the Thin Man.

"Yes," replied the Fat Man. "They fired one of the chambermaids and hired a new one."

Same Old Story.

The summer girl's coming with her same old wiles,
And she will proceed to enrapture the men;
They'll hang 'round the beach and they'll greet her with smiles,
And they'll teach her to swim all over again.

Not Knocking Nobody.

[Taos (N.W.) News.]

The most sympathetic social note of the week is undoubtedly the party given last night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James DuBor by the respectable Taos Madamis. Mrs. DuBor, Mrs. McCabe and Davis, in honor of their old friends. Certainly it was one of the most encouraged and greatly attended party, where the principals and oldest families in the Taos Valley participated, which also brought back thoughts of fifteen years ago, when the Taos Valley had among its population good element.

Learn One New Thing Each Day.

French briar is grown in Sicily.

The Subtler Methods.

When wooing slumber, kindly keep
The fact in mind for your own sake
That you can always get to sleep
If you'll just try to keep awake.
—Luke McLuke.

And it is much the same, my dear,
When you are wooing of a maid;
If you'll indifferent appear,
She will capitulate, the jade.
—Newark Advocate.

When wooing the Muse, if your are true,
She may embrace you right away:
But she will not get stuck on you,
For she's not made of common clay.
—J. H. W.

How Be Ya!

We don't know A. Dinger, the Cincinnati grocer. But we are acquainted with his brother Hum.

Gosh!

Of course, it is none of our business. But won't Helen Waremore of Brooksville, Ky., be out of style this summer?

Some Crew.

We were on a train on the L. and E. Railroad the other day, and Conductor Short introduced us to Engineer Long.

Our Daily Special.

Imaginary Troubles Cause More Grey Hairs Than Real Troubles.

Luke McLuke Says.

We all know that chickens are shallow. But many a man has gotten beyond his depth while chasing them.

Lots of men who graduate from medical schools are not doctors, and lots of men who graduate from law schools are not lawyers.

Our idea of tough luck would be to be a mail carrier and have an ingrowing toe nail.

When Father gets home after a day's work and finds that Mother is housecleaning and has a dozen rugs for him to beat after supper it is a bad time to talk to Father about this being a free country.

Some women use so much paint that they look like their complexions were on inside out.

You often hear of women driving men to drink. But you seldom hear of women driving men away from it.

Any husband can tell you that he isn't half as bad as his wife believes he is.

When you go to a man with a proposition and he hums and haws and says, "I'll think it over," that means that your proposition isn't going to get another thought.

To a single man pay day is an event. But to a married man pay day is merely an incident.

Do not grumble because you are poor. Maybe your poverty keeps you from making a fool of yourself.

Unless we want to borrow from him, we are prone to admire a man who keeps things to himself.

It must make the shade of the first husband chuckle when he hears his widow lying to the second husband about what a thoughtful and generous man her first husband was.

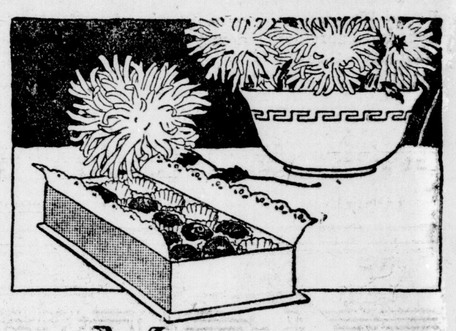
It isn't love of her that makes a man accompany his wife when she goes shopping in a department store. It is fear of her.

No married man can explain why he is afraid of his wife. All he knows about it is that he is afraid of her.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Readers are invited to phone all news of this kind to the Society Editor. Phone 3670.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at Byron at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wadsworth, when their youngest daughter, Gladys Frances, was united in marriage to John C. Hoylett of Delaware. The bride, attened by Miss Alice Prince, looked charming in a gown of ivory crepe de chine, with georgette and pearl trimmings, with wreath of orange blossoms and veil, and carried a bouquet of cream roses. Four little ribbon-bearers looked pretty in pink and white. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. L. Wilson under an arch of roses, smilax and ferns. The groom was assisted by Alex. Howlett. The groom's gift to the bride was a silver tea service, to the pianist a pearl pendant, and to the groomsman a gold watch. After a wedding luncheon the young couple left for their new home in Delaware, and will be at home to their friends after June 1.

Miss Florence Fletcher spent the week-end in Melbourne, with relatives.

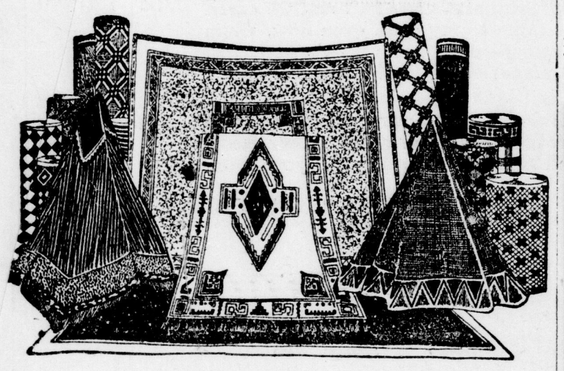
A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Southern Congregational Church last week, when Miss Violet March and Orval Crowder were united in marriage by Rev. W. H. A. Clarke. The young couple were unattended.

Miss Margery Ross was a week-end visitor in Guelph.

Removal Sale!

The lease on the store in which our drapery department is located expires in a short time, and we have to move it into our furniture store. This means that we have to greatly reduce our stock.

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PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

JIMMY COON STORIES

By Dr. Warren G. Partridge.

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JIMMY COON'S MOTHER GIVES A RECEPTION.

Jimmy Coon didn't like being thrown into Mirror Pond by his friends a little bit. He soon rose to the surface and swam to the shore, for you know Jimmy is a good swimmer, as every boy and girl Coon ought to be. You see, the Coon family are good parents, and they give their children a splendid Coon education, including swimming lessons, even when they are very young.

In this respect they set an excellent example to humans. These swimming lessons save many lives. Father Coon says that the secret of success in life is "Safety First," and he has pounded that into the noddle of Jimmy. The first thing that Jimmy did, after climbing up the bank of Mirror Pond, dripping with water, was to shake himself very thoroughly—partly so that he wouldn't get pneumonia, and partly because he desired to spatter the water all over his friends and give them all a shower bath.



It was very funny to see the airs that Teddy Possum put on.

Jimmy was very successful in this effort, and all scattered swiftly to get away from the shower which he made. When Jimmy got home, his mother told him to go at once and invite all the neighbors and friends to a reception that she was going to give that evening to her new daughter-in-law, Jimmy Coon's Mate.

And Jimmy kicked up his heels and started on the run to invite everybody. Well, everybody was delighted to come to the reception. They came all dressed up in their "best bib and tucker." They had Bobby Skunk, who is a perfect little gentleman at such functions, to open the front door. And Teddy Possum, being a relative, was chief usher.

Mr. and Mrs. Coon stood in the receiving line, and beside them stood Jimmy Coon and the bride, Mrs. Jimmy. It was very funny to see the airs that Teddy Possum put on when he led the guests in, in a very pompous way, to shake hands with those in the receiving line, including of course, Mrs. Jimmy Coon, who was a famous Southern Beauty. She wore a stunning new fur suit which her Mother had given her before she left Georgia. The color of the suit matched her complexion to perfection, and her curls were very lovely. She also had a very sweet manner, and her bright and lovely eyes were very "fetching" when she shook hands with the guests.

It was awfully funny to see Quilly Porcupine come up to shake hands with Mrs. Jimmy. Quilly was bashful, and embarrased with so much style, so that when he went to shake hands with the bride, he stubbed his toe and fell over Mrs. Jimmy; and they both went sprawling on the floor. And Mrs. Jimmy was filled with Quilly's sharp quills. It made an awful racket, and a bedlam of noise.

Patriotic Western Ontario

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

LISTOWEL.—The annual meeting of the west branch of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Ferguson on May 9 at 2 p.m. A guessing contest will be held.

BELWOOD. — A very interesting Women's Institute meeting was held at the home of Miss Tovell, when the subject of "House Cleaning" was the theme for the afternoon, as well as a talk on the rotation of garden crops. The May meetings will be held at the home of Mrs. H. Lindsay on the fourth Thursday afternoon of the month.

The Patriotic League was well attended at the home of Mrs. Garbet, when quilting was the work for the afternoon

CYNTHIA GREY'S MAIL BOX

A Good Worry Cue.

Dear Miss Grey,—Will you please tell me through your page what size to make quilts for single beds and where they are most needed, at the sanatorium or hospitals? Will flannelette quilts be acceptable if in light colors? My youngest son is training in the States, and if I keep very busy it helps to keep me from worrying.

GREAT-GRANDMOTHER.

Ans.—What a fine worry-cure you have adopted, "Great-Grandmere," especially when your particular brand of keeping busy is to be of help and comfort to someone who needs it. Now about the quilts: I am informed that while they might not be available for use at Byron Sanatorium or the military hospitals, they may be sent to Hyman Hall, and you can rest assured of their being distributed where very much needed. Best to make them double, rather than for single beds.

Is May Unlucky?

Dear Miss Grey,—1. Could you tell me if anyone could train for a nurse for overseas? What age is preferable? How much of an education would one require? Where would one write to for full particulars? Where do they train in Canada?

2. What is best to clean white kid gloves?

3. Some people consider is very unlucky to marry in May; do you?

JUST ME.

Ans.—(1) The nurses selected for overseas service are, generally speaking, either fully-trained graduate nurses from some hospital training school, or else those who have qualified for first aid work by attending such classes as those conducted by a nursing division of the St. John's Ambulance Association. If you wish information regarding the latter, write to Mrs. J. A. Thomson, 404 Talbot street, London, Ont.

(2) To wash the gloves in clean gasoline, powder with French chalk, and dry by hanging them in the open air, is a very good way. Draw the gloves on the hands and wash as though bathing; be absolutely sure to keep away from an open fire, gas jet, or any flame, during the process. Dust and wipe the chalk off thoroughly before wearing the gloves.

(3) No, candidly, I do not believe either the month, or the day, has anything to do with the "luck" of a marriage. Let us away with such weird superstition, child!

Still Bids Us Hope.

Readers of our Mail-Box (especially those with relatives in the first contingent overseas) who have followed the letters of Garrett O'Connor of Bridgeburg, in respect to a furlough for these heroes, will peruse regretfully this letter from the ministry of militia to Mr. O'Connor:

Minister's Office, Ottawa,
April 26, 1918.

Re furloughs for members of first contingent:

Dear Sir.—I am directed by the honorable the minister of militia to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 19th inst., and to inform you that the proposal contained therein has his fullest sympathy. All the moment, however, all leave for overseas has been discontinued, owing to the existing situation at the front. However, as soon as conditions warrant such action, representation will be made to the overseas authorities, and it is hoped that later on it may be possible to secure furloughs for those members of the first contingent to whom this privilege has not yet been granted.

Believe me, yours very truly,
K. C. Osborne, Colonel,
Military Secretary.

Garrett O'Connor,
Bridgeburg, Ont.

Fond of "Rusties."

Dear Miss Grey,—Could you tell me where the premier of Ontario lives?

2. There are some old-fashioned pieces I would like; one runs like this: "For mercy's sake some pity on me take, for I'm a poor soldier's little boy." And another: "Yes, my native land, I love thee; all thy scenes I love thee well"; and a third runs something like this:

"The wedding rites were over:
I took my little brother
To greet my father's chosen,
But could not call her mother."

I am sending a hard soap recipe, which I have found very good.

I do hope we will have some apples this year, so will sign myself,

RUSTY COAT.

Ans.—1. In Toronto, Ont.

2. Requests for these poems or songs are referred to our readers. I have Rusty Coat's address for forwarding purposes.

So you are fond of "rusty coats"? We're rather partial to them ourselves, so we'll join you in hoping for a plentiful harvest.

She Will Write Him.

Dear Miss Grey,—I saw where a soldier boy, "Canada," wanted correspondents. I would be pleased to have his address, if I'm not too late, and would do my best to write newsy letters. Thanks to the reader who answered my plea for biscuit recipes. I am, as ever,

THE GIRL IN THE APRON.

Ans.—You are the very first applicant for "Canada's" address, and I have been very pleased to inclose it to you.

Linen is Dark.

Dear Miss Grey,—1. Will you kindly send in the inclosed stamped addressed envelope the cure for sciatica?

2. What will whiten a brown neck? Also what kind of oil to use for brittle finger-nails?

3. Can you or a reader tell me of anything that will whiten crochet work and a linen centrepiece that are very dark in color? I have tried leaving them on the grass in the sunshine, but without success.

If you have a lonely's name to spare, will you kindly send it with the sciatica cure? I, too, received a letter full of "slush" in return for two parcels, but I am hoping to get better results from my next effort.

I sincerely hope I am not appropriating someone's nom de plume (is that correct?) It is my own nickname.

SISTER ANN.

Ans.—1. You must refer to something in Dr. Hirschberg's column, as no cure of this kind has been discussed in the Mail-Box recently. I am therefore inclosing your envelope to Dr. Hirshberg.

2. Faithful applications of cold cream, rubbed in after bathing should help; or try adding a little lemon juice to the cream; mix together well before applying to the skin. Olive oil is probably the best.

3. Have you tried soaking in a chloride solution? Use about a tablespoon of the lime and one of washing soda to two quarts warm water; let dissolve well, then pour off the clear liquid and soak the linen in this after adding as much more water. Rinse well, and bleach in the open air and sunshine.

I am sorry you received naught but "slush" in response to your parcels, but fortunately only a small percentage of our lonelies, from what I learn, repay their unknown friends in this way.

She Would Copy It.

"Busy Farmer's Wife," who is "another new subscriber"—You are honestly quite a brick to be willing to copy that poem if required, for it is such a long one. Just now, though, there is a copy at hand, so we'll accept the will for the deed, and not ask you this time. I do hope you will find our column of benefit and continue to be interested in it.

Merry Has a Mole.

Dear Miss Grey,—I have a mole on my face. Would you kindly tell me how I could get rid of it? And oblige,

MERRY SUNSHINE.

Ans.—I'm not a "beauty" doctor, "Merry," but the following method was recommended some time ago by a reader, so I gladly pass it on to you: At your druggists get a small quantity of aqua fortis; take a feather with a strong quill, strip off the feather part all but a little tuft on the end, and let someones with a steady hand dip it into the aqua fortis and touch the mole with it, being very careful, of course, not to let it come in contact with any part but the mole. It causes no pain, but, of course, there will be a sore-looking spot for a while.

Perfectly Legal.

Dear Miss Grey,—Can a soldier's wife, who is receiving patriotic fund and government grants, be employed by a business man? How can this be stopped if illegal?

ELSIE.

Ans.—The wife of a soldier has every right to work at any honest employment that she may secure, just the same as any other woman, married or single.

Rusty Coat's Soap Recipe.

Hard Soap.—Fifteen quarts of soft water, 8 pounds clear grease, 2 cans of Gillett's lye, 4 ounces borax, ½ pound rosin. Boil slowly for two hours, then turn out in tub to cool, after which cut in pieces and put to dry.



You Look As YOU FEEL

You know well enough when your liver is loafing.

Constipation is the first warning; then you begin to "feel mean all over."

Your skin soon gets the bad news, it grows dull, yellow, muddy and unsightly.

Violent purgatives are not what you need—just the gentle help of this old-time standard remedy.

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DAILY BIBLE QUESTION CLUB

Suggestive Question on the Uniform Lesson for Sunday, May 11, 1918.

ONE GOLDEN TEXT SUGGESTION.

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

Jesus Faces the Cross. Mark 10:32-52.

QUESTIONS FOR TODAY:

1. Verse 32. May we, or not, arrive at a condition in this life, when no event will be able to "amaze" or make us "afraid?" Why?

2. Why would you say, or not, that Jesus knew from the beginning of his coming rejection by the Jews; and why did he not refer to it until the last year of his ministry?

3. Verses 33, 34. Did Jesus plan to have them reject him, or did he do his best to have them accept him? Why?

Golden Text—He humbled himself, becoming obedient unto death, yea, the death of the cross. Phil. 2:8

THE DIVINE CHRIST PRE-EXISTED.

It is true that Jesus of Nazareth was born of Mary and received his soul and spirit from his mother, as well as his body. The human Jesus Christ was just as much a man as any other man. He had all our natural appetites and passions and was subject to all the temptations of life as the rest of us. The Christ of God, however, which dwelt in Jesus, pre-existed, and was from all eternity. He came to the earth prompted by love and lived in the body of Jesus. It was a great condescension for him to do this. To leave his regal throne in heaven and come to the earth to dwell in the body of a baby, a boy and a man, was an act of stupendous humility, but this is what Christ did.

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ONTARIO BASEBALL ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED

AMATEUR BASEBALL ASSN. FOR PROVINCE IS FORMED

Ontario Amateur Baseball As sociation Born at Hamilton—Will Affiliate With T. A. B. A. and H. A. B. A. — Kitchener, Preston, Brant ford Become Members.

HAMILTON, May 5.—Under the title of the Ontario Baseball Amateur Association delegates from all parts of the province organized the game throughout Ontario at a meeting held here Saturday afternoon. As a result the Ontario Baseball Commission passed into oblivion, and the new body, which, it is hoped, will embrace amateur baseball throughout the province was given birth. Both the T.A.B.A. and the H.A.B.A. will affiliate with the new organization, and delegates gave assurances that the following cities and towns would immediately become members: Kitchener, Preston, Brantford, Dundas and Oshawa. The constitution of the T.A.B.A. was adopted, with the exception of a few amendments. The admittance fee was placed at $10, with the date for affiliation to be decided later. The ban was placed upon Sunday baseball and the National League rules were adopted. The organization will be financed by receiving one-third of the net receipts of the post-series games.

Ruled By Officers.

All leagues or associations under the new organization will be ruled by their own officers, it being pointed out that the new body did not intend to trespass upon the rights of the members. The chief aid would be to stimulate the sport, have it played on a strictly amateur basis, and declare a real provincial winner at the end of the season. The following officers were elected: Hon. president, J. A. Norris; president, W. J. Smith, Hamilton; 1st vice-president, F. E. Robbins, Hamilton; 2nd vice-president, Ald. J. J. Kelly, Brantford; secretary-treasurer, A. J. Walsh, Toronto; and auditors, C. W. Parr, Oshawa, and W. Redding, Kitchener. The executive will be appointed at the annual meeting, one delegate to be chosen from each association or league.

HUGHEY'S TIGES WALLOP CHAMPS

Detroit Bengals Clean Up in Eighth-Inning Rally.

DETROIT, May 5.—A poor return by Leibold of Heilman's long sacrifice hit with the bases filled in the eighth inning enabled Detroit to win from Chicago today, 3 to 2. Bush drove a fast one through the pitcher's box, Cobb was hit by a pitched ball, and Veach duplicated Bush's drive, filling the bases. Bush scored on Heilman's fly, and Cobb crossed when Leibold's throw went between third and the plate.

Score—										R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	9	3
Detroit	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	x	3	6	2

Danforth and Schalk; Dauss, Jones and Yelle, Spencer.

CLEVELAND TRIMMED

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—Sothoron bested Coveleskie in a pitching duel today, and St. Louis shut out Cleveland, 3 to 0. St. Louis made their hits count, while Cleveland, owing to good support behind Sothoron's masterful twirling, was helpless when hits meant runs. Five double plays were features.

Score—										R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	3
St. Louis	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	x	3	10	2

Coveleskie, Enzmann and O'Neill; Sothoron and Nunamaker.

BROWNS' RALLY IN THE EIGHTH DEFEATS INDIANS

St. Louis, May 4.—St. Louis rallied in the eighth after Cleveland had taken the lead in the sixth, and won, 4 to 3. In this inning Sisler singled, took second on Morton's wild throw to catch him napping, was sacrificed to third, and scored on a single by Demmitt. The score:

									R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	8	2
St. Louis	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	4	12	0

Morton and O'Neill; Gallia and Nunamaker.

TIGERS GRAB GAME, 2—1, FROM THE SOX

Detroit, May 4.—The Tigers recovered from the mauling by the world's champions sufficiently today to go out and beat their best pitcher in one of the best games of ball ever witnessed on Navin Field.

Although it required eleven innings for Jennings' men to turn the result 2 to 1, their way, Heilmann's wallop to the far corner of right field, with the winning run on third base and two of his mates inhabitating the other sacks, broke up the game. The scores:

										R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	1
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	6	1

Cicotte and Schalk; Boland and Yelle.

PITCHERS' BATTLE IS BROKEN BY RECRUIT

Philadelphia, May 4.—Davidson, recruit from Boston University, broke up a runless pitchers' battle between Johnson and Perry today, by beating out an infield hit in the eleventh inning, Philadelphia winning, 1 to 0. The play at first was close and, while Judge turned towards Umpire Connolley, Burns dashed home from third. The score:

										R.	H.	E.
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	9	1

Harper, Johnson and Ainsmith; Perry and Perkins.

RUTH'S POOR FIELDING GIVES YANKEES GAME

New York, May 4.—New York again defeated Boston here today, 5 to 4. The Yankees bunched hits off Ruth early in the game, and took advantage of his poor fielding in the third, when the pitcher's two errors aided the locals in scoring two runs. Ruth hit a home run with Scott on the paths in the seventh, and his double scored Agnew in the ninth. Score:

										R.	H.	E.
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	4	8	3
New York	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1*	5	8	0

Ruth and Agnew; Russell and Hannah.

BASEBALL AT A GLANCE

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	12	5	.706
Cleveland	9	6	.600
New York	8	8	.500
Chicago	6	6	.500
Detroit	5	6	.455
St. Louis	6	8	.455
Philadelphia	6	9	.400
Washington	5	10	.133

Saturday's Results.
Detroit 2, Chicago 1.
New York 5, Boston 4.
Philadelphia 1, Washington 0.
St. Louis 4, Cleveland 3.

Sunday's Results.
Detroit 3, Chicago 2.
St. Louis 3, Cleveland 0.
No other games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	14	4	.933
Chicago	12	3	.800
Philadelphia	8	7	.533
Pittsburg	7	7	.500
Cincinnati	8	10	.444
Brooklyn	5	10	.333
St. Louis	5	11	.313
Boston	3	12	.200

Saturday's Results.
Chicago 1, Cincinnati 0.
New York 4, Boston 1.
Pittsburg 5, St. Louis 4.
Brooklyn 3, Philadelphia 0.

Sunday's Results.
Chicago 3, St. Louis 0.
Pittsburg 1-4, Cincinnati 3-3.
No other games scheduled.

WEATHERMAN SLANTS

BASEBALL SCHEDULE.
National.
Chicago at Pittsburg, clear, 3:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at Brooklyn, clear, 3:30 p.m
New York at Boston, clear, 3:15 p.m.
Cincinnati at St. Louis, cloudy, 3:30 p.m
American.
Boston at New York, clear, 3:45 p.m.
Washington at Philadelphia, clear, 3:45 p.m.
St. Louis at Detroit, clear, 3 p.m.
Cleveland at Chicago, clear, 3 p.m.

DISTRICT CLUBS WILL COMPETE FOR TROPHY

Guelph Bowlers Decides to Continue Kelly-Evans Cup Competition.

GUELPH, May 4.—Plans of the local bowling season were discussed by the executive committee of the Guelph Lawn Bowling Club tonight. It was decided to revive competition of the Kelly-Evans cup. The competition is open to the clubs of South Wellington, which are Erin, Fergus, Elora and Guelph. The cup is now held in this city. The committee will make a rule that no players in the rink winning the trophy will have the opportunity of playing for it a second time until all players in the club have had a chance to compete. Arrangements for the Plumbers' cup and other competitions were left in the hands of the games committee. The greens are being put in shape rapidly, and it is expected that the opening will take place in about two weeks.

CHICAGO DEFEATS ST. LOUIS WITH JIM VAUGHN IN THE BOX

Cincinnati and Pittsburg Break Even in Sunday's Double-Header.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Jim Vaughn was in form today and held St. Louis to three hits, while Chicago bunched hits off Meadows and shut out the visitors, 3 to 0, making it nine straight victories for the locals. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0	0	0
Chicago	0	0	2

Meadows, May and Snyder; Vaughn and Killifer.

TONEY'S FINE PITCHING WINS FOR CINCINNATI

CINCINNATI, Ohio, May 5.—Cincinnati and Pittsburg broke even in the first major league double-header of the season here today. Toney, making his first appearance of the season, pitched fine ball in the first game. The locals knocked Jacobs out of the box in less than three innings.

In the second game Schneider was wild, and his error in the second inning gave Pittsburg a run. The scores:

First game—

										R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	2
Cincinnati	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	x	3	10	3

Jacobs, Sanders and Archer; Toney and Wingo.

Second game—

										R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	8	1
Cincinnati	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	11	3

Harmon, Steele and Blackwell; Schneider and Wingo.

GIANTS WIN FIXTURE WITH TESREAU IN BOX

BOSTON, May 4. — Tesreau held Boston hitless today until Wilson tripled with none out in the last of the ninth. Herzog's single scored Wilson with one out. Sallee then replaced Tesreau and retired two pinch-hitters, Rehg and Kelly, New York winning 4 to 1. The score:

	R.
New York	4
Boston	1

ST. LOUIS LOSES TO THE PIRATES IN OVERTIME

Pittsburg, May 4.—St. Louis lost to Pittsburg here today in ten innings, 5 to 4. The home team scored four runs in the opening inning, but St. Louis, by scoring one in the third and three in the fifth, tied the game. A triple by Caton, followed by Mollwitz's single in the tenth, brought the winning run. Score:

										R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	4	9	1
Pittsburg	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	10	2

Packard, Sherdell and Snyder; Cooper and Schmidt, Archer.

GRIMES ONLY ALLOWS PHILLIES THREE HITS

Brooklyn, May 4.—Brooklyn shut out Philadelphia, 3 to 0, today, winning the fifth of its last six games. Grimes allowed Philadelphia three hits in the first three innings, but for the rest of the game the visitors could not connect with his curves. Score:

										R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1
Brooklyn	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	*	3	8	0

Prendergast and Burns; Grimes and Kreuger.

CHICAGO TAKES EIGHTH STRAIGHT FROM CINCY

Chicago, May 4.—Chicago made it eight straight today by shutting out Cincinnati, 1 to 0, in a pitching duel between Tyler and Eller. Hollacher's walk, Flack's fly, Mann's single and a sacrifice fly by Paskert scored the only run of the game. Score:

										R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1*	1	5	0

Eller and Allen; Tyler and Killifer.

THREE MORE GOOD ONES REPORT TO DAN HOWLEY

Toronto, May 6.—First Baseman Onslow and Pitcher Warhop have reported to the Leafs and Infielder Bayley, late of the Braves, is expected to come in before nightfall. Manager Dan Howley has fifteen players under contract, but only twelve of the lot will be kept. Infielder Gadsby has been called to London to report for military service. It is likely that Infielder Tom Bird, a local boy, and Pitcher (Lefty) Rutledge, also a Toronto product, will be dropped.

ST. THOMAS TENNIS CLUB IS ORGANIZED

ST. THOMAS, May 4.—The St. Thomas Tennis Club was organized for the year this afternoon, and is starting the season with a large and enthusiastic membership and the prospect of a successful and pleasant one as well. The officers chosen were: President, J. W. Peart; vice-president, Miss Muriel Robinson; treasurer, W. U. Latornell; secretary, Margaret McKay; tournament and challenge committee, Miss M. Cameron, Miss Brownlee and Miss G. K. Porter, Messrs. McGinnis, E. Cotton, S. Oliver; social committee, Miss G. Brown, Mr. G. C. McConechie and E. Minus; grounds committee, Miss M. Meek, Miss M. Lewis, Mr. N. H. Scarff, Mr. A. E. Colson; patriotic committee, Miss Gladys Elliott, Miss J. Cameron, Miss H. Norsworthy, Messrs. J. A. Elliott, J. K. Johnson and M. Kerr. The courts will be thrown open to returned soldiers and those in training—volunteers or drafted. The club intends purchasing wool to be made into socks for the soldiers.

GUELPH DECIDES NOT TO ENTER NEW LEAGUE

GUELPH, May 5.—The secretary of the City Baseball League, Gerald Purcel, received a telegram from W. J. Smith of the Ontario Baseball Commission at Toronto, asking that delegates from Guelph be sent to the conference at Hamilton today. Baseball artists in this city, however, decided that they could not enter the new league. Arrangements may be made for games between Toronto and Guelph, when the season of the local league ends.

LEAFS OPEN SEASON WITH WIN FROM ALL-STAR BASEBALL TEAM

TORONTO, May 5.—The Toronto Leafs opened their 1918 season with a win over Knotty Lee's All-Stars in an exhibition game at the island stadium Saturday afternoon by a 10 to 3 score. The All-Stars were made up of players selected from the several semi-pro teams around the city, and also had First Baseman Lamond, formerly with the Hamilton Canadian League team. Graham and O'Connell did the pitching for Knotty Lee's outfit, while Howley used Justin and Aichele. Justin held his opponents to one hit and no runs in five innings, and looked about ready to go the full, while Aichele was touched up for six hits and three runs in the four innings he worked.

The Leafs grabbed a run in the first inning, when Lied walked and stole second and third, and scored when he and Wagner pulled a double steal, and Woods dropped the return throw.

The All-Stars worked a man around to third with one out in the third inning, when Murphy stole second after singling to right, and went to third on Fisher's high throw, but was left when the next two proved easy outs.

Howley's men added four more in the third, when Lied singled and was moved along when Gadsby walked. Hill fanned, but Wagner scored both the baserunners in front of him when he hit a long home run into the left field bleachers. The fourth run came in when Thrasher's grounder got away from Burns, and he scored when Woods' throw to catch him stealing went to centre field.

Fisher's single, Justin's double and Lied's triple accounted for two more in the fourth.

Bird singled to start the fifth, and scored on Fisher's two-bagger.

The All-Stars opened their scoring in the seventh. Hunt singled and Beatty walked; Burns singled to right, scoring Hunt, Beatty and Burns pulled a double steal, and Lamond walked, filling the bases. Woods popped out, but Murphy walked, forcing in Beatty. O'Connell grounded to Wagner.

Torontos added two more in the eighth, when Aichele singled and went to third on Lied's single, Lied taking second on the throw, and both scored on Gadsby's long single to right. Bird's error, followed by hits by Murphy and Westlake, gave the All-Stars their third and last run in the ninth.

Score—										R.
Toronto	1	0	4	2	1	0	0	2	x	10
All-Stars	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	3

M'CAUSLAND IS HIGH GUN AT WEEKLY SHOOT

Makes Perfect Score of Fifty Birds — Shooting Unusually Good.

J. McCausland was the high gun at the weekly shoot of the Springwood Gun Club on Saturday, making a perfect score of 50 birds. Jordan and Day tied for second place, with 49 each, while Glover captured third position with 48. McCausland and Day combined forces and grabbed the two-man team shoot from Glover and Jordan by two birds. The five-man match was won by Foster's team, who registered 112, against a team captained by McCausland, whose scores aggregated 104.

Scores.

	Shot At.	Hit.
McCausland	50	50
Day	50	49
Jordan	50	49
Glover	50	48
Foster	50	47
Coleman	50	40
A. Blackburn	50	40
Baker	50	39
Webb	50	38
N. Pettit	25	19
G. Pettit	25	14
Brown	25	12
Leeder	25	8

Two-Man Team Shoot.

J. McCausland	50	R. Jordan	49
R. Day	49	R. Glover	48
Total	99	Total	97

Five-Man Team Shoot.

McCausland	25	Foster	23
Glover	24	Day	25
Coleman	19	Jordan	25
Baker	19	Blackburn	22
Added	17	Webb	17
Total	104	Total	112

TRIS SPEAKER LEADS IN AMERICAN LEAGUE

CHICAGO, May 4.—Tris Speaker has a comfortable lead in the race for the 1918 batting honors of the American League. Averages released today which include games of Wednesday show him blazing the trail with a mark of .526 for eleven games. Speaker also leads the base stealers with seven. Ty Cobb, the 1917 batting champion, does not appear in today's averages, as illness kept him out of the early-season games, and the Detroit club was idle several days, due to weather conditions.

Cleveland is leading in club batting with an average of .301, and St. Louis in team fielding with .975. The ten leading batters:

Speaker, Cleveland, .526; Gandil, Chicago, .464; Jackson, Chicago, .438; Wambsgans, Cleveland, .423; Ruth, Boston, .417; McMullin, Chicago, .400; O'Neil, Cleveland, .400; Strunk, Boston, .387; Lavan, Washington, .385; Baker, New York, .376.

Members of the championship New York club are in possession of virtually all of the early season honors in the National League, with McCarty, the catcher, showing the way to the batters with an average of .500 for eight games.

New York is leading in club batting with an average of .320, and St. Louis in club fielding with .970. The ten leading batters:

McCarty, New York, .500; Smith, Boston, .426; Doyle, New York, .409; Paulette, St. Louis, .400; George Burns, New York, .390; Bancroft, Philadelphia, .381; Mollwitz, Pittsburg, .375; Krauff, New York, .370; Carey, Pittsburg, .367; Stock, Philadelphia, .364.

LUCAN RACE ASSN. TO HOLD THREE-DAY MEET

LUCAN, May 4.—Secretary Hodgins announced that the Lucan Race Association will hold a three-day meeting on June 20; $600 in purses for three events, 2:10, 2:20 and 2:50, comprising the program.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are: President, Dr. E. Tennent; vice-president, Charles Hobbs; secretary, Wellington Hodgins; treasurer, A. Stanley.

ED. EGAN A SUICIDE THROUGH ILL-HEALTH

Chicago, May 6.—Ed. Egan, former manager of the Milwaukee baseball club of the American Association, was found shot dead with a pistol at his room in a downtown hotel late last night.

According to the police, the death was clearly a case of suicide, and friends of Egan in this city ascribed the act to despondency caused by continued ill-health.

PENN. VARSITY WINS CUP.

PRINCETON, May 5.—Coach Joe Wright's University of Pennsylvania eight won the race with Columbia and Princetown here Saturday afternoon for the Childs cup. The contest was rowed over a mile and seven-eighths course on Carnegie Lake.

MEETING OF BOWLERS TO ARRANGE BIG TOURNEY

Ninety Clubs Represented at W.O.B.A. Meeting Tomorrow —Will Likely Give Out Invitations to Clubs of District.

Ninety clubs of this district will be represented at the meeting of the executive of the Western Ontario Bowling Association in the Tecumseh House tomorrow afternoon. Plans for the midsummer tournament will be made and several changes in the arrangement of the tourney are expected.

E. W. R. Hill, president of the W. O. B. A., John Connor of Toronto, the first vice-president, and other officers, including Andrew Laing of Windsor, are expected to make suggestions affecting the arrangements of the tournament.

Among the items to be discussed will be the advisibility of continuing to hold the tournament open to all Western Ontario clubs affiliated with the W. O. B. A., or to make it an invitation tourney. John Macpherson, secretary-treasurer of the W. O. B. A., stated that it is likely the executive will decide on making the event an invitation tournament. By this means the executive will know weeks beforehand just what clubs are to be expected, and will not have to bother about bowling organizations making late entries.

Another question which will demand the attention of the W. O. B. A. executive is whether or not the tourney shall be a qualifying or elimination system. Since its foundation in 1896 the W. O. B. A. played with the elimination method in vogue, with the exception of the past two years. Since 1916 the winners of an event qualified according to their scores, but it is now proposed to readopt the elimination bases by which the losing team of an event is permanently disqualified from further competition.

The executive propose to limit the tournament to a two-and-a-half or at most, a three-day session. The tourney will be held on the London Bowling and Rowing Club greens, which are being rounded into first rate shape for the purpose.

The Rowing Club, in conformity with the procedure of the Dominion Lawn Bowling Association, will lay green banks for the tourney.

The meeting at the Tecumseh House will take place at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

WATERLOO BOWLERS APPOINT OFFICERS

WATERLOO, May 4.—The annual meeting of the Waterloo Lawn Bowlers' Club was held last evening. Last season was a most successful one for the club, and the prospects for the coming season are very bright. The following officers were elected: Honorary presidents, Joseph E. Seagram, J. B. Hughes, James Thompson; president, E. F. Seagram; first vice-president, A. N. Snyder; second vice-president, C. O. Hemphill; secretary-treasurer, John Ferguson; games committee, E. H. Schlosser, Fred Moser, John Sergler; committee of management, W. J. Sterling, W. J. Hodgins, Fred Halstead.

All returned soldiers of the town become honorary members and have full privilege of the greens. The skips for the Central lawn bowling tournament are E. F. Seagram, E. H. Schlosser and Charles H. Roos.

FINN WINS MARATHON.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Willie Kyronen, the Finnish distance runner, was an easy winner of the Evening Mail's eighth annual modified marathon race from the Bronx to the city hall here today. The distance of the course is about twelve and two-thirds miles and the winner covered it in 1:10:20.

WINS THE AMATEUR TRAP SHOOTING CHAMPIONSHIP

PELHAM MANOR, N.Y., May 5.—Fred Plum of Atlantic City, N.J., a member of the Independent Gun Club of Philadelphia, won the thirteenth annual amateur trapshooting championship of America at the Travers Island traps of the New York Athletic Club here Saturday, with a record score of 197 out of a possible 200 targets. Second prize went to Leon H. Davis of the Boston A. A. with 196 targets.



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I have wanted to write before, but kept neglecting it till I thought perhaps my letter would relieve lots and lots of other people. Again I say, God Bless Nujol, and I will never be without it or cease to recommend it. From a mother whose heart will always be thankful for your great remedy for constipation.

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DAILY PAGE FOR EVERYBODY

Secrets of Health and Happiness

What Science Has Done to Conquer the War Diseases

By DR. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG,
A. B., M. A., M. D. (Johns Hopkins University.)



DR. HIRSHBERG

The great war has brought with it many new kinds of attacks upon the human mechanism. Trench fever, trench heart, trench foot, lockjaw, trench nephritis, gas gangrene and shell shock, are among the more common forms of the new diseases.

Typhoid fever does not figure among the other unwelcome products of war. Of the 79,462 instances of typhoid during the civil war, 29,336 deaths occurred. The soldier is now well protected against this ailment by the anti-typhoid vaccine that is injected into his blood. This method of cure is the product of many years of bacteriological research and its success has been proved time and again.

Similarly, many of the new forms of disease brought about by the war are on their way to being conquered by means of science. There has been much success with one of them in particular, namely, tetanus or lockjaw.

This disease causes terrible suffering from its very beginning. The pain is acute, because there is consciousness throughout the period of illness. There is at no time during the disease a complete deadening sensation, as is true of other diseases. The cramps which characterize lockjaw are not limited to the jaw muscles alone, but the muscles of practically every single part of the human structures may be affected.

The spasmodic cramps are not as mild as those of the arms or legs, which you have probably experienced at some period in your life, but they are just about 20 times as sharp. So acute is their grip upon the muscles at times that the trunk becomes arched just like a bridge, the entire central figure is lifted above the plane of the bed, leaving only the head and the heels resting on the mattress.

Lockjaw Is Conquered.

The germ which is responsible for this disease has been under scientific control for some time. It was not known during the Civil War, and ninety-nine patients out of every hundred who fell victims to the disease found a sure end to their pains sooner or later.

The bacillus responsible for lockjaw is known to abide in the intestines of animals. It is an unusually shaped germ, and resembles a "miniature drumstick."

This germ and also the germ which produces gas gangrene are very lively, and grow best in the absence of fresh air, and are, therefore, just as dangerous as they are virulent. It takes one billionth as many tetanus bacilli to kill a patient, as it takes ordinary pus-producing germs to overpower an individual.

The anti-toxin serum against lockjaw was very scarce at the beginning of the war, and hence very precious. Many soldiers were left for hours and even days out in "No Man's Land," and when finally rescued were often in a too wretched condition to recover from the already contracted disease of lockjaw.

Gas Gangrene Avoided.

Since the serum in most instances had to be applied every few minutes there was not enough to go round. The results of this shortage soon made itself manifest, and lockjaw became for a while a prevalent product of the ravages of war. Science, however, has won the day, and there is now enough of the anti-tetanus serum to administer to every single soldier who has been brought back wounded from the battlefield. As a result, there are very few instances of tetanus resulting from the conditions of war.

Gas gangrene is a disease which is in the process of being fought in the great American laboratories. This is also as dangerous a disease as lockjaw, but it works its harm in quite a different way. It does not resemble the gases introduced by the Germans on the battlefield, but it is an ailment produced by a germ or bacillus which has the power to create gas in the muscles. If a limb, for example, becomes infected, it becomes gangrenous within 16 hours, and in many instances if the limb is put into water after amputation it is so full of gas that it will float. Death follows comparatively rapidly after the germ has entered the human structure.

The much sought after bacillus responsible for this form of human extermination was permanently discovered by Prof. William H. Welch, but Dr. Bull of Johns Hopkins School of Hygiene, formerly of the Rockefeller Institute, is largely responsible for the discovery of an anti-serum which prevents the gas gangrene from producing gas in the muscles without harming the subject. Dr. Bull's serum is now being used in France.

Answers to Health Questions

E. G. Q.—What can be done for numbness in the fingers.

2.—What can be done for inflamed eyes?

3.—What can be done for sciatica?

A.—Numbness in the hands usually comes from high blood pressure, alcoholic medicines or lying on the arm or hand during sleep.

2.—Bathe your eyes every night and morning in boric acid water.

3.—Strap the legs tightly with elastic bandages. Use electricity three times a day on the painful parts; massage them and stay in bed a week or two.

BOBBY BURNS. Q.—What can I do for fermentation of the bowels?

A.—For fermentation of the bowels take a Bulgarian tablet after each meal and 5 grains each of hexamethylenetetramine and citrate of lithia in water every four hours.

Dr. Hirshberg will answer questions for readers of this paper on medical, hygienic and sanitation subjects that are of general interest. He cannot always undertake to prescribe or offer advice for individual cases. Where the subject is not of general interest letters will be answered personally, if a stamped and addressed envelope is inclosed. Address ALL INQUIRIES to Dr. L. K. Hirshberg, in care of this office.

WORRIED MOTHER, London, Ont. Q.—Could a child 6 months old have adenoids? What is the cure?

A.—Yes, and children are never too delicate to take a whiff or two of gas in order to have adenoids removed.

MRS. J. F., St. Thomas, Ont. Q.—What can be done for a skin trouble? The scarf skin rises, but doesn't come off.

A.—Take a good bath, and scrub well. Then apply a little of the following to the affected parts:

Pink calamine	2½ drams
Zinc oxide	2 drams
Glycerine	2 drams
Phenol	30 drops
Limewater	2 ounces
Rosewater	2 ounces

L. M. D., London, Ont. Q.—Would you please prescribe a remedy for water blisters on the side of the face?

A.—Mild antiseptics, such as a little white precipitate ointment and boric acid, rids you of them.

L. P. B., Ottawa, Ont. Q.—What treatment will cure auto-intoxication?

A.—"Auto-intoxication" is another name that is a blanket and may mean a microbe, infection in the intestines, food poisoning, or other disorders, not thoroughly diagnosed and sought. A two-day fast and some intestinal disinfectant and purgative helps.

To-morrow's HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble

TUESDAY, MAY 7.

Excepting certain affairs under the rule of Venus, this should be a momentous day, since the closely allied planets making the outermost rim of our solar system and dealing with the powers, forces and faculties outside the realm of the purely mundane and corporeal, are strongly incited to unusual activity by direct and favorable Lunar transit. This presages sudden changes, journeys, unexpected affiliation with new, large and unusual enterprises, combinations, alliances, etc., and also promises the removal of old delays, obstacles and disappointments. It urges taking up long-deferred projects, and makes for new—perhaps elderly—friends, new business and new employment. The mental faculties will be clear, firm, profound and creative, with the organizing abilities strong. Success in all endeavor should spring from this powerful array of benefic planetary figures.

Those whose birthday it is may have an important year, with new friends, and new interests, and many advantages. A child born on this day will be affectionate, romantic, popular, industrious, persevering and will make a general success of life.

THE WATCH, By Early



OF course, hours, minutes and seconds—as we all realize since the clocks were put an hour ahead—are merely conventional symbols with which to mark Time's flight. Yet it isn't by wrist-watch time—HIS gift with his picture in the back—nor yet by the succession of alternate nights and days that time is most truly measured—'tis by HEART-THROBS, the watch of the heart! How *short* time seems when HE is near—how *long* when he's away! And, strangest of all, long as it may seem in the living, how GLORIOUSLY BRIEF it will be in retrospect when he comes sailing proudly home again in the TRIUMPH of RIGHT!

KITCHEN ECONOMIES

BY ISOBEL BRANDS

OF THE APPLECROFT EXPERIMENT STATION.

Five Delicious Ways to Use Raisins for Sweets.

Raisins are too superior in flavor to be called a substitute for sugar. But we can use them in our desserts, breads, etc., to replace the sugar we are trying to save.

Raisins are not only an accessory to be used in flavoring, but they should be served by themselves just as any other dried fruit. Raisins can be stewed or baked, and many people prefer them to the more homely stewed prune or apricot.

Raisin Tarts.

1 cupful of raisins.
¼ cupful of sifted crumbs.
¾ cupful of sugar.
Juice and rind of 1 lemon.

Chop the raisins and remove seeds if any. Mix with the sugar, lemon and the crumbs. Have ready your paste and and roll one-eighth-inch thick, cut into three-inch rounds, put one teaspoonful of the raisin mixture on each round, moisten the edges with water, fold double and press the edges firmly together. Prick with a fork and bake 15 minutes in a hot oven.

Raisin Sauce.

1½ cupfuls of water.
¼ cupful of brown sugar or white.
½ cupful of raisins.
1 teaspoonful of flour.
1 teaspoonful of butter.
A little salt and dash of nutmeg.

Boil the raisins in the water for 15 minutes. Add the sugar and boil for 15 minutes longer. Mix the flour with a little water and add to the raisins. Add salt, nutmeg and butter when almost done. Stir well and serve with puddings, etc.

Here is a delightful confection to go into the lunch box.

Stuffed Raisins.

Select fine cluster raisins, split each raisin with a sharp knife and insert a half-blanched almond in each raisin.

Raisin Pudding.

1 cupful of flour.
¾ cupful of milk.
2 tablespoonfuls of butter.
1 tablespoonful of baking powder.
5 tablespoonfuls of raisins.

Rub the butter into the flour, add the baking powder, raisins and the milk. Mix well and bake in a greased pie dish for 45 minutes.

Rice and Raisins.

¾ cupful of rice.
1 cupful of raisins.
2 quarts of boiling water (salted.)

Wash rice and allow to boil in the boiling salted water for 20 minutes. Remove from fire and drain. Place in colander and steam over boiling water until tender. Simmer the raisins in water until tender and add to the rice with the water in which the raisins have been boiled. Serve hot.

Is there some special recipe you wish? Address Isobel Brands, the Applecroft Experiment Station, Greenlawn, N. Y., inclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope for a personal reply and she'll send it direct to you.

"DOING MY BIT"

Practical Suggestions on Individual Ways to Help Win the War.

BY ALBERT BARRETT SAYRES.

Joining Your Special Army.

The army in France isn't the only army on which this nation depends. Victory demands an army of food producers, an army of food conservers, an army of money savers, an army of Bond buyers. In which army are you enrolled? Your place is in one of these—are you in your place?

Grading Eggs for Market.

One of the causes of the high price of eggs is said to be due to the time, skill, etc., that must be employed to grade eggs after they reach the big egg markets. All too many producers ship their eggs without grading them. These eggs arrive at the markets mixed or of irregular qualities—often in the same case. All be found all possible grades of e[illegible]some of them worthless. They must [illegible]n be separated and graded, and so the cost of distribution rises.

Grade the eggs your hens produce before you ship them to market. You can do it with one handling as you pack them. The distributor must unpack, grade and repack.

There's now coming into use a standard method of egg grading. Until it comes into common use you may be able to profit and also to save labor when men are needed for other work, by arranging with your egg buyer a standard of egg grading, or instance, one case you would pack and mark "Fancy." Another "Number One." Another "Number Two." Still another, "Common," and so on. Try to make such an arrangement with your egg buyer.

Learning Cooking "Tricks."

There are many little cooking helps that not only save time, but get the most from each cooking process. Learn these or refresh your memory by spending a half-hour or so with your cook-book or your scrap-book, in which all sorts of tried-and-found-good hints are gathered. Here are just a few that are valuable. If you haven't these, add them to your collection:

In making soup always put the meat into cold water.

The only exceptions to the above are corned beef and ham, which should be put in boiling water.

To roast beef, allow 20 minutes to a pound. This forms a standard by which you can plan a meal beforehand.

All vegetables are best cooked when they're first put into boiling water.

Anything mixed with water requires a hotter oven to bake than anything mixed with milk.

You can cut hot brown bread better with the aid of a string than you can with a knife alone. Put the string around the loaf the right thickness for a slice and draw quite tight, then cut.

DIARY OF A FASHION MODEL

BY GRACE THORNCLIFFE.

She Learns How a Draped Skirt "Makes" an Evening Gown.

A delicious thrill swept through me when I first set eyes on the lovely evening frock designed for Miss Nash. It was such a simple little dress, without a hint of trimming to relieve its plainness, with the exception of the row of silver blanket stitching about the neckline, armholes and hem. The charm of the frock depended almost entirely upon the gracefully draped skirt. Never had I seen material so artistically handled.

"That frock is absolutely perfect!" I exclaimed enthusiastically. "How did you ever manage to obtain so remarkable an effect of elegance and style with so little trimmings?"



Charming Draperies "Make" This Flesh-Pink Chiffon-Over-Satin Evening Gown.

"I don't know," Madame replied. "It just 'happened.' Miss Nash is extremely patriotic and emphasized the fact that she wanted nothing 'superfluous' used on her frocks. So I determined to accomplish just as satisfactory results without seeking the aid of the trimming box.

"I'm glad you like the frock, Claire. Please slip it on. I haven't seen it on anyone since the first fitting."

If the frock looked pretty as it hung limply from its hanger it was nothing short of exquisitely beautiful when it was on the wearer. The bodice was most effective, despite its severe simplicity, and the draperies of the skirt flared wide below the hipline and drew in very narrow about the ankles. Every line of the frock was pretty.

The material chosen to develop this charming creation was flesh-pink chiffon over satin of the same tone. The foundation was fitted very snugly to the figure, the skirt measuring slightly more than a yard and a half in circumference.

The bodice had a plastron front which came up rather high about the neck, both in front and at the back. It was cut with long armholes which extend almost to the waistline. The satin foundation, however, was arranged modestly high under the arms. The edges of the bodice were loosely blanket stitched with silver thread. A graceful drapery about the waistline added charm to the bodice.

The skirt was cut very full about the top, and the looped-up draperies form wide panniers, which were distended far at the sides. A row of silver blanket stitching gave an effective finish to the hem.

A note of coquettish daintiness was added to the frock by a full bow of flesh-colored tulle placed at the back. The bow was formed of many loops and gives the effect of a bustle drapery.

"The tulle bow is the only bit of extravagance on the frock, since it will crush after a few wearings," Madame explained. "I don't think Miss Nash will object to it, for tulle is so very inexpensive as materials go."

I agreed with her. The fluffy bow was such a charming note of girlishness that no one would begrudge buying new tulle now and then.

The frock was so becoming I hated to take it off, but Miss Westley was waiting for me to try on a sport suit. So I replaced the gown on its hanger, and with a sigh accompanied Madame to the workroom.

Good Night Stories

By Blanche Silver

Illustrated by Gruelle.

HOW DENNY FOUND HIS LOST COWS.

Denny suddenly awakened from a nap in the shade to find his cows missing. He looked this way and that, but no cows could he see. He ran up the long dusty road calling at the top of his voice, but not a sound of a bell could he hear.

"Help! Help!" cried a tiny voice quite near.

Denny looked all around, but no one was in sight.

"Here! Can't you see me?" exclaimed the tiny voice again. "I'm right under your feet."

Denny looked down. In a big spider web at his feet, struggling with all its might, sat a poor old Granddaddy-long-legs crying.

"Please help me get my feet out of this web," he begged, big tears rolling down his cheeks.

Denny stooped down and soon pulled Granddaddy-long-legs out of the web and sat him on a blade of grass.

"I'm surely grateful, Denny," said Granddaddy-long-legs, brushing the threads of spiderweb from his grey coat and leggings. "If you hadn't happened along just then, Mr. Spider would have made short work of me."

Then he spied the tears in Denny's eyes and asked the cause.

"I've lost my cows!" replied Denny. "I can't find them anywhere."

"Well! Well!" laughed Granddaddy-long-legs quickly, "and if you'll excuse me now I'll search for my cows," and he started away.

But Granddaddy-long-legs called him back.

"You don't understand me," he laughed. "I thought everyone knew it was my business to find lost things. Guess you don't, so I'll soon show you."

Then hopping first on one leg then upon another until in turn he had hopped upon them all, Granddaddy-long-legs turned around three times, repeating these words in a funny little voice:

Oh point me near, or point me far,
Oh tell me where Denny's cows are.
Be it east or be it to west,
This is no time in which to jest.

When he finished Granddaddy-long legs raised one of his long legs and pointed toward the hills.

"How can I thank you!" cried Denny.

"You needn't," laughed Granddaddy-long-legs. "You saved my life and one good deed certainly deserves another."

Denny laughed and ran over the fields behind the hills. There, standing knee-deep in the brooklet, Denny found his cows.

"Well, I'm glad I pulled that Granddaddy-long-legs from the spiderweb or I'd never have thought of looking here for my cows," laughed Denny. "One good deed deserves another, all right."

Whistling merrily, Denny drove his cows home.

To clean the keys of a piano moisten a piece of linen rag with a little methylated spirits, and after the keyboard has been brushed with a soft brush, rub each key separately with a moist rag. The lid of the piano should never be left open all night, as this tends to make the keys turn yellow, beside letting in the damp and cold.

Electric light was used in the Sistine Chapel of the Vatican Palace for the first time on the occasion of the third anniversary of the coronation of Pope Benedict XV. In former years candles were used to light the chapel, which is dark except on sunshiny days.



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ADELE GARRISON'S NEW REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

How Madge Said "Good-by" to the Young Army Officer.

I looked up at the young army officer who had just uttered a whimsical, declaiming "Please" in my ear with astonishment that, I'm afraid, was more feigned that real. I hadn't exactly expected him to follow me when I turned away after thanking him for take care of Pete, but there had been a vague impression in my mind that the incident wasn't quite closed.

"I hope you'll forgive me if I am presuming too much," the pleasant drawling voice went on, "but it has occurred to me that you must have been going somewhere on that car, and I wondered if you wouldn't accept a 'lift' from me. I was going in that direction, anyway, you know, so it won't inconvenience me in the least."

If he had made this offer in any other way than the careless, matter-of-fact method he employed, if he had intimated that my acceptance or declination of his invitation was of the remotest interest to him, I should promptly have given him a decided negative, thanked him again, and have gone on my way.

But it was so perfectly natural a thing for him to do—indeed, I could see from his standpoint that he couldn't have preserved his own high standard of courtesy otherwise, that I disliked having him think me either discourteous or over-prudish, one of which impressions I knew he must receive from a negative on my part.

Besides, and I'm afraid this was the strongest motive underlying my decision, I realized that this was an exceptional opportunity to escape the espionage of the mysterious horseman who had so annoyed me. This swift, high-powered motor car would take me to the vicinity of the little inn at which I wished to lunch even more quickly than the trolley.

My inbred horror of unconventionality struggled for a moment with the never inclinations to do the practical, necessary things lying next to one, inclinations which had been born and nurtured under Lillian's tutelage. Then, with a sudden determination to do the thing graciously or not at all, I smiled up into the young officer's face.

An Embarrassment Avoided.

"Thank you, I shall be very glad indeed to accept your offer," I said simply. "I'm going about five miles up this road. Are you sure that will not be farther than you were going?"

There was an inscrutable look in the blue eyes with the hint of steel in them which smiled down at me.

"I'm very sure I'm going as far as that," he replied whimsically, and I felt myself unaccountably flushing again as I turned with him and walked to the waiting motor car.

Whether intentionally or not, he relieved my embarrassment by talking to the dog.

"Well, Pete, here's one car which the conductor won't throw you out of," he said genially, stooping and rubbing the dog's head. "How about it, old chap? Shall we chase that conductor and give you a chance for a nip at his heels?"

Pete looked up into his face, cocked his head to one side and gave one of his short, sharp yelps.

"I believe you understand what's said to you," the officer exclaimed, delighted, and the next moment Pete, with the impetus of the officer's hand on his collar, had scrambled into the tonneau.

Then the owner of the machine turned to me.

"Would you prefer to sit with Pete or—in front?" he asked.

I knew that he had started to say 'or with me,' and had quickly changed it for fear he might offend me. His delicacy pleased me and effectually banished the mental protests which my outraged conventionality was voicing.

"Oh, in front, by all means!" I returned, and I was surprised to see his face light up as if my decision had meant something to him.

"Thank you," he said simply, and held out his hand to assist me into the machine.

It wasn't an army car—I saw that at my first glimpse of it—but I was unprepared for the marvellous luxury and completeness of its appointments. It was a car which could belong only to a man of great wealth or a reckless spendthrift, and this man by my side didn't look like the actor of either role.

A Disconcerting Realization.

But I had little time to speculate upon either car or owner. The five miles flew past like so many rods, and when the car drew up at the corner I indicated the young officer and I had exchanged but few remarks, and those of the most commonplace character concerning the weather and the summer landscape.

"You're sure I cannot take you further than this?" he asked, looking around at the fields and woods which surrounded the trolley stop.

"Quite sure," I returned firmly. "It's only a few yards now to my destination. Thank you so much for bringing me here."

"Then good-bye," he said abruptly, lifting his cap, springing into his machine and speeding away.

And it wasn't until he was out of sight that I realized for the first time that I was miles from home, with Pete, an incumberance which I was afraid no trolley conductor would consent to take.

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BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

BORN.

McCUTCHEON—To Mr. and Mrs. F. W. C. McCutcheon of Toronto, on May 5, a daughter. b

MOORE.—To Dr. and Mrs. S. R. Moore of Thornton avenue, on May 5, 1918, a son. *76u

SANBORN—Mr. and Mrs. Will Sanborn, Alexander avenue, Point Edward, announce the birth of a son, Charles Leonard, on April 29, 1918. b

WEEKES—On May 3, to Mr. and Mrs. George Weekes, 28 Carfrae Crescent, a daughter. b

MARRIED.

HALE—JUDSON.—A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Memorial Methodist Church parsonage on Saturday evening, April 27, 1918, when Lenore Judson of Petrolea, became the bride of William Hale of this city. The marriage was performed by Rev. Mr. Robinson. *b

DIED.

COWAN—At his late residence, 117 Wortley road, on Sunday, May 5, 1918, T. Conolly Cowan, M. D.

Funeral private on Tuesday, May 7, from above address at 2:30, services at 2 o'clock. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. 76u

ELLIOTT.—At the family residence, 26 Askin street, on Saturday, May 4, 1918, William Lewis, dearly beloved and eldest son of Sergt. William E. Elliott, now in France, and Henrietta Elliott, aged 6 years and 11 months.

Funeral from above address on Monday, May 6th, at 2:30 p.m., service at 2 o'clock. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. *75u

LICCIARDO—At St. Joseph's Hospital on Monday, May 6, 1918, Bareolo Licciardo, dearly beloved and youngest son of Anthony and Anna Licciardo, aged 14 years.

Funeral from the family residence, 649½ Richmond street, on Wednesday, May 8th, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. *76u

LONEY—At 702 Waterloo street, on Sunday, May 5, 1918, Georgina May (Jean) Loney.

Funeral private. In kindness omit flowers. b

RUTHERFORD—In this city, David Rutherford, dearly beloved husband of Prudence Rutherford, of 203 Wellington street, aged 74 years.

Funeral private from Smith, Son & Clarke's parlors, Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock, service at 10 o'clock. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. b

WOOSNAM—On May 5, 1918, Thomas Woosnam, aged 46 years, 5 months and 2 days.

Funeral will leave his late residence, lot 4, con. 5, West Nissouri, on Tuesday, May 7, at 2:30, services at 2 o'clock. Interment at Seventh Line Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation. b

WRIGHT—At the family residence, 374 King street, on Sunday, May 5, Ceolfrid G. Wright.

Funeral notice later. b

IN MEMORIAM.

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We know he never faltered amidst the battle's din.
But ever like a hero, and a soldier of the sword,
He entered the realms of glory to be ever with the Lord.

He ever is our hero, and his loss we always mourn,
Until that golden morning for us all will dawn,
When with the angel army of the brave and noble slain,
We'll meet our boy in heaven, where there's no parting or no pain.
*b —Family.

MEETINGS.

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Almost all the boy pupils of the Simcoe Collegiate are now engaged in farm work, according to a report presented to the school board.

Charles Boutiler, a G. T. R. engineer on the Brantford-Tillsonburg branch, has been recommended for the Royal Humane Society Medal. The engineer crawled out of his cab to the pilot and lifted a little Pleasant Ridge girl from harm's way.

Capt. J. B. Forrest, sanitary inspector of Walkerville, and for many years commander of the Walker yacht "Lurline," died at his home on Saturday. He was one of the best-known sailors of the Great Lakes. His father and four brothers were masters like himself.

Robert Young has been appointed town treasurer of Wiarton.

Guelph will go ahead with the construction of a $23,300 concrete pavement to the Agricultural College.

A general strike of all traffic employees of American roads operating through Canada may result if the Canadian employees are not given the wage increase ordered for the men across the line.

St. Marys patriotic fund drive opened there today.

W. J. Donald, son of J. F. Donald of Plympton Township, has been made permanent secretary of the Niagara Falls Chamber of Commerce at a salary of $6,000 a year.

Joseph McVitte, a 14-year-old English lad of Leamington, died from lockjaw contracted when he ran a pitchfork into his foot.

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A. V. Cowley.

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BOTHWELL.
Pte. Hugh McColl.
W. Brett (not stated).

DIED

J. Roberts (not stated).

ILL

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C. L. Kenchen.

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Waterfront at Port Stanley Threatened by Sunday Morning Blaze.

PORT STANLEY, May 5.—The most spectacular fire which has visited Port Stanley in many years broke out shortly after 1:30 this morning, causing a loss of $15,000, and for a time threatened to destroy the buildings of all along the lake front. The blaze was discovered by Louis Teboe, a fisherman, who resides in the summer home of J. Croden of London, and when he was awakened by the crackling of flames he found his abode in flames and fire sweeping through the big fish warehouse of the United Fish Company, the John R. Moore Fish Company and Brown's ice house. Mr. Teboe escaped scantily clad and was unable to save anything from the house.

He gave an alarm as quickly as possible, but the fire had made such progress that the local brigade could do little. Added to this there was trouble with the water supply. The floods in the early spring had caused the supply to become contaminated, and the tank was being cleaned out, so there was not the usual pressure. The pleasure boat "Ada Maybelle" on which thousands of visitors to Port have enjoyed rides was beached near the ice house and caught, and was completely destroyed. The boat was owned by Herb. Colley who has no insurance.

The big fish tug of the Moore Company was saved by being taken out into the creek. Thousands of dollars' worth of nets which had been set out near the fish houses were saved by the simple expedient of throwing them into the lake.

The wind carried a shower of sparks all over town, and for a while it was feared that the whole place might be burned. However, hard work by volunteers confined the fire to the end of Main street, where it started. They also succeeded in saving the house of Captain Honsinger of St. Thomas, who is at present overseas.

The United Fish Company is controlled by Dr. Jackson of Union and Frank Payne.

It is stated that the losses on the buildings are all covered by insurance.

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES IN CIVIL SERVICE EXAM

OTTAWA, May 5.—Included in the list of successful candidates at eastern Canadian points at the competitive examinations for the outside division of the civil service held on April 2 are:

At Windsor—Yvonne Gignac, G. McGregor, Florence I. Northwood, E. W. Ridley.

At London—H. Noble, R. Hedger, H. S. Koehler, L. A. Steele, A. S. Smith, W. Besemer, M. Malcom, F. W. Burgess, G. E. MacKenzie, H. T. Chowen, S. Parker, Margaret De Couvey.

At Guelph—W. D. M. Robertson, T. A. Short, C. B. Kramer, T. V. Boyd, F. B. Fenton, E. G. Harte (equal), D[A. McGimsie.

RETURNED MAN STABS Q.M.S. WITH BAYONET

WINNIPEG, May 4.—Sergt. Allice Trotter, a returned soldier, is under arrest on a charge of having stabbed Quartermaster-Sergt. Chase of the depot battalion, in the abdomen, and arm with a side-arm bayonet. The men quarrelled at Trotter's house Friday evening.

SWISS AND ENTENTE HAVE ECONOMIC PACT

BERNE, May 4.—An economic agreement has been reached between Switzerland and the Allies, under which a fixed amount of wood will be delivered for eight months to the Allies by Switzerland. In return important concessions will be made, concerning food supplies for Switzerland.

WORLD NEWS BRIEFS

Emperor Charles of Austria has gone to the front again, which is believed to mean that a great drive against Italy is about to take place.

New liquid gas, which is sent over in bottles, is being used by the Germans against the Americans.

Because of the food and economic conditions in the Dual Monarchy, the emperor has closed the parliament. The whole strength of the Government will be put into aiding the people to hold out. The political, economical and industrial situation is said to be most critical.

President Wilson has commuted to three years in jail the death sentence of three American soldiers who refused to obey orders.

Lloyd George, back from France, reports that all are confident of victory on the west front.

Russian soviets have sent the ex-czar and his family to Perm, in Asiatic Russia, because of plots to restore to him the throne.

Serbs have driven Bulgars from several positions.

The third United States Liberty Loan will likely reach the four billion mark.

Hun fliers recently have been attacking Dutch fishing vessels with machine guns.

Punjab tribesmen, who recently revolted against the British have been defeated, and promise to be good.

The central powers are said to be in such straits for food that they are seizing all they can find in the Ukraine.

At a mass meeting of American Irishmen at New York, conscription for Ireland was denounced, and the Congress asked to use its influence to have the legislation reversed by the British Commons.

Priests took a prominent part in the opening of the East Cavan election campaign Saturday, some speaking for the Nationalist and others for the Sinn Fein candidate.

The Japanese deny placing machine guns at strategical points in the streets of Vladivostok.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

Oats advanced to $2.85 a cwt. on the market this morning. A few loads were offered this morning and the demand is good. Eighty loads of hay reached the square last week. Hay was slow, selling from $11 to $13.50 a ton.

Live hogs are firm and remain at $19.25 a cwt. Dressed hogs sold as low as $25 a cwt on the market Saturday.

Eggs are firm, retailing at 40c a dozen, and basket lots, wholesale, selling from 36c to 37c a dozen.

Butter is weaker.

Poultry is scarce.

Potatoes are in good demand. A large quantity of seed potatoes were offered Saturday and will be offered for the next two weeks, as many farmers are now securing their seed potatoes.

Only five loads of straw were sold on the market last week, bringing from $7 to $8 a ton.

Beef remains at the same price, selling from $17 to $20 a cwt.

Veal is firm and is selling from $30 to $32 a cwt.

Grain, Cwt.—			
Oats, per cwt.	$2 80	to	$2 85
Grain, Bushel—			
Wheat, per bu.	2 10	to	2 12
Oats per bu.	95 1-5	to	97 9-10
Vegetables—			
Celery, per doz.	50	to	80
Cabbage, per doz.	75	to	1 50
Home-grown potatoes, per bag	1 75	to	1 90
Rhubarb, doz.	1 00	to	1 00
Carrots, per bu.	35	to	50
Parsnips, per bu.	50	to	60
Radishes, doz bunches	50	to	60
Turnips, per bu.	30	to	40
Onions, per bu.	1 00	to	1 00
Beets, per bu.	50	to	50
Green onions	40	to	40
Hay and Straw—			
Hay, per ton	11 00	to	13 50
Straw, per ton	7 00	to	8 00
Dairy Produce, Retail—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	52	to	53
Butter, dairy, lb rolls	49	to	49
Butter, crocks, lb.	48	to	48
Eggs, per doz.	40	to	40
Maple syrup, gal.	2 00	to	2 25
Dairy Produce, Wholesale—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	50	to	50
Butter, dairy, lb rolls	46	to	46
Butter, crocks, lb.	45	to	45
Eggs, crate lots, doz.	36	to	36
Eggs, basket lots, doz	36	to	37
Poultry, Dressed, Retail—			
Chickens, per lb.	33	to	35
Ducks, per lb.	25	to	28
Geese, per lb.	24	to	28
Turkeys, per lb.	33	to	35
Live Stock—			
Hogs, per cwt.	19 00	to	19 25
Fat sows, cwt.	16 25	to	16 50
Small pigs, pair	15 00	to	18 00
Butchers' Meats—			
Dressed hogs, cwt.	25 00	to	26 00
Beef, per cwt.	17 00	to	20 00
Veal, per cwt.	16 00	to	20 00
Heifer beef, cwt.	20 00	to	22 00
Lambs, per cwt.	30 00	to	32 00
Hides and Wool—			
Wool, unwashed, lb.	60	to	60
Wool, washed, lb.	70	to	70
Calfskins, per lb.	15	to	19
Country hides, lb.	8	to	9
City hides, lb.	9	to	10

GRAIN.

Chicago, May 6.—Opening: Corn—May, $1 27¼; July, $1 48¼@1 48.

Oats—May, 77⅛@76½c; July, 68⅜@68c.

Chicago, May 6.—General attention to peace gossip made the corn market today lean to the bear side. Besides, favorable weather conditions hindered buying. The fact, too, that receipts were more trouble than has been the rule of late counted also as a handicap on the bulls. Opening prices, which ranged from the same as Saturday's finish to ⅝c lower, with May at $1 27¼ and July at $1 48@1 48¼, were followed by a decided further setback.

Oats, like corn, sagged owing to peace talk. In addition, fine weather and excellent crop prospects were bearish factors. After opening ¼c to ⅞c down, with July at 68@68⅜c, the market continued to decline.

LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, May 6.—The market at the Union yards this morning was steady in all lines, but trade was rather slow. The sheep market was stronger. Receipts, 231 cars, containing 4,089 cattle, 901 calves, 2,062 hogs and 93 sheep. Quotations:

Cattle—Exporters, choice, per cwt, $13@14 50; do, medium, $12@13; do, bulls, $10 75@11 75; buthers, choice, $11 25@12; do, medium, $9 75@11; do, common, $8 50@8 75; do, cows, choice, $10 25@11 25; do, medium, $9 50@10 25; do, canners, $6@6 25; do, bulls, $8 75@9; feeding steers, $9@10 50; stockers, choice, $9@10; do, light, $7 75@8 25; milkers, choice, each, $90@150; springers, choice, each, $90@150; calves, $14@16 50.

Sheep—Ewes, cwt, $15@16 50; bucks an dculls, $8@12; lambs, $20@21.

Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, $20@75@21; f. o. b., $19 75@20.

Montreal, May 6.—Cattle offerings at the stockyards this morning showed considerable increase over last week. At the west end market the receipts were 600 cattle, 25 sheep and lambs, 600 hogs and 700 calves. At the C. P. R. yards the offerings were 600 cattle, 50 sheep and lambs, 400 hogs and 800 calves. The markets were both fairly active, and prices held firm. Quotations:

Choice steers, $12 50@13 50; good steers, $12@12 50; medium, $10@11 50; choice butcher cows, $11@11 50; good cows, $10@10 75; medium, $8 50@9 50; butcher bulls, $11@11 50; good bulls, $10@10 50; medium, $9@10.

Calves—Milk-fed, $8@14; common, $6@7.

Sheep—$16@17.

Hogs—Choice selects, off cars, $21 75@22; sows, $19 50@20.

Chicago, May 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 15,000; market firm; beeves, $10@17 70; stockers and feeders, $8 30@12 60; cows and heifers, $6 80@14 10; calves, $8@14.

Hogs—Receipts, 43,000; market strong; light, $17 15@17 80; mixed, $16 95@17 75; heavy, $16 15@17 60; rough, $16 15@16 55; bulk of sales at $17 25@17 65.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; market firm; lambs, native, $15 50@21 10; sheep, $12 75@16 75.

East Buffalo, N.Y., May 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,300 head; shipping steers, $16@16 50; butchers, $12 25@16 25; yearlings, $13 50@16; heifers, $10@13; bulls, $7 50@12; stockers and feeders, $7 50@11; fresh cows and springers, $65@145.

Calves—Receipts, 3,300 head; easier, at $7@15.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,000; active; heavy, $18 10@18 35; mixed, $18 40@18 45; light yorkers, $18 40@18 50; pigs, $18 50@18 65; rough, $16@16 25; stags, $12@13.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 8,400; slo wand lower; lambs, $11@17 75, a few at $17 85; yearlings, $13@15 50; wethers, $14@14 50; ewes, $6@13 50; mixed sheep, $13 50@14.

PROVISIONS.

Liverpool, May 6.—Beef—Extra India mess, 370s.

Pork—Prime mess western, 330s.

Hams—Short cut, 137s.

Bacon—Cumberland- cut, 152s; clear cellies, 160s; long clear middles, light, 160s; do, heavy, 159s; short clear backs, 157s; shoulders, square, 128s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 149s 6d; American refined, in pails, 152s; do, in boxes, 150s.

OILS.

Liverpool, May 6.—Tallow—Australian (in London), 72s.

Turpentine Spirits—125s.

Rosin—Common, 64s 6d.

Petroleum—Refined, 1s 6⅝d.

Linseed Oil—62s.

Cottonseed Oil—68s 6d.

War Kerosene—No. 2, 1s 2¾d.

London, May 6.—Calcutta linseed, £19 15s; linseed oil, 58s.

Sperm Oil—£54.

Turpentine Spirits—117s 6d.

Petroleum—American refined, 1s 10½d; spirits, 1s 11½d.

COTTON.

Liverpool, May 6.—Cotton—Futures closed steady. New contracts: May, 21.35d; June, 20.84d; JuJly, 20.38d; August, 19.85d; September, 19.45d. Old contracts (fixed prices): May, 20.13d; May and June, 20.05d; June and July, 19.97d.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Thomson & McKinnon, brokers, Royal Bank Building, report fluctuations in New York stocks for The Advertiser as follows:

New York, May 6.

	Open.	High.	Low.	1:30.
Trunk Lines and Grangers—				
Baltimore & Ohio.	51¾	51⅝	51¾	51⅞
Erie, com.	14¾	14⅞	14¾	14¾
Great Northern.	89⅜	..	..	..
New York Central	69¾	69⅞	69¾	69⅞
Rock Island.	19¼	20	19¼	20
St. Paul.	38⅞	..	..	..
Pacifics and Southerns—				
Atchison, com.	83	83⅜	83	83⅜
Canadian Pacific.	140	141½	140	141
Col. Southern.	15½	..	..	..
Kansas & Texas.	4½	..	..	..
Missouri Pacific.	20⅞	21⅜	20¾	21⅜
Northern Pacific.	84	..	..	..
Southern Pacific.	82¾	83	82½	83
Southern Railway	21½	21¾	21½	21¾
Union Pacific.	119½	119⅞	119¼	119⅞
Coalers—				
Ches. & Ohio.	56¾	57	56¾	56⅞
Ontario & West.	18¾	..	..	..
Pennsylvania	44	44	43⅞	43⅞
Reading Railway.	80	81¼	80	81¼
Industrials—				
Allis-Chalmers	28¾	29⅜	28⅜	28⅞
Am. Beet Sugar.	73	74½	73	74½
American Can.	44⅛	44½	44⅛	44⅓
American Car.	78	78½	77⅞	77⅞
Am. Locomotive.	64½	..	..	..
American Sugar.	105⅞	106⅞	105⅞	106½
Am. Smelters.	78½	78⅞	78½	78⅝
Am. Tel. & Tel.	96¾	..	..	..
Baldwin Loco.	80	80½	79½	79⅞
Central Leather.	66⅛	66⅝	66⅛	66⅛
Corn Products.	39⅛	39⅝	39⅛	39½
Col. Fuel & Iron.	43⅛	..	..	..
Distillers	52¼	53½	52¼	53
Dome Mines.	7	7⅛	7	7⅛
General Electric.	143½	144¼	143½	144¼
General Motors.	115½	116	114⅞	115½
G. Northern Ore.	30½	31⅛	30½	30⅞
Inter. Nickel.	28	..	..	..
Ice Securities.	27¼	..	..	..
Marine, com.	24⅜	24¾	24⅜	24½
Marine, pfd.	87¾	88⅞	87¾	88⅞
Studebaker	38⅞	..	..	..
U. S. Rubber.	19¼	20	19¼	20
Virginia Chemical	46¾	47	46¾	47
Western Union.	94	..	..	..
Westinghouse	41	41	40⅞	40⅞
Coppers—				
Anaconda Copper.	64⅞	65⅜	64⅞	65
Chino Copper.	42	42⅛	42	41⅛
Inspiration	52	52⅜	52	52¼
Nevada Con.	19⅞	..	..	..
Ray Consolidated.	25	..	..	..
Tennessee Copper	17¾	17¾	17½	17½
Utah Copper.	81	81¼	81	81¼
Oils—				
Am. Cotton Oil.	37¾	38¾	37¾	38¼
New Mexican.	94¼	95¼	94¼	95¾
Texas Oil.	145½	146	145½	146
Steels—				
Bethlehem Steel.	79⅝	80⅝	79⅝	80⅝
Crucible Steel.	64½	65¾	64½	65⅝
Lackawanna	82¾	83⅛	82¾	82¾
Pressed Steel Car.	59½	..	..	..
Republic Steel.	84¼	85⅝	84¼	85⅛
Railway Steel.	55¾	55¾	55¼	55¼
U. S. Steel.	97⅝	99½	97⅝	99½
Bonds—				
Anglo-French 5's.	90⅜	90½	90⅜	90⅜

Sales to 1 p.m., 293,800 shares.

WALL STREET.

New York, May 6—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—The success of the Liberty Loan and further encouraging war advices were reflected in the firm to strong opening of today's stock market. Steels, shippings, tobaccos and prominent specialties gained from half a point to 1½ points. Oils and minor equipments were included in the advance, but rails recorded little change aside from Reading and Union Pacific. Initial gains were generally extended before the end of the first half hour. Liberty bonds were steady.

Noon.—The early rise carried United States Steel to 99⅛, its best of the year. Other equipments, notably Bethlehem, Crucible and Lackawanna Steels, also Republic Iron and Great Northern Ore, were 1 to 1½ points over last week's final prices. Shippings and tobaccos continued active, advancing 1⅛ to 2½ with sugars. Rails lagged, but Reading and Union Pacific made additional gains. The strength of various obscure issues was traceable to pools. Realizing caused a setback at noon.

1:30 p.m.—Trading quieted in the early afternoon, but the market's tone showed increased strength. United States Steel, which dominated the list, added a fraction to its previous maximum, and rails, including low-priced issues, were in better demand.

MONEY.

London, May 6.—Bar silver, 49⅛d per ounce.

Money, 2½ per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills, 3½ per cent; three months, 3 9-16 per cent.

New York, May 6.—Bar silver, 99½c per ounce.

VISCOUNT FRENCH IS APPOINTED IRELAND'S NEW LORD LIEUTENANT

LONDON, May 5.—The official announcement of the appointment of Field Marshal Viscount French as lord lieutenant, and of Edward Shortt, member of the House of Commons for Newcastle-on-Tyne, as chief secretary for Ireland, was issued tonight.

FLIER IS KILLED IN SPINNING NOSE DIVE

DESERONTO, May 5.—Cadet Herbert Paul, No. 153008, was instantly killed at a crash at Camp Mohawk at 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. It is believed the accident was due to a spinning nose dive. Cadet Paul was a Canadian training with the R. A. F., and his next of kin lives in Nova Scotia.

CANADIAN STEAMER WRECKED ON EAST COAST

ST. JOHNS, N.B., May 6.—The Dominion Coal Company's steamer, Louisburg, bound from Sydney, was wrecked in St. Marys Bay near Cape English last night. The crew was rescued. It is supposed that the vessel was driven off her course by bad weather. The Louisburg, of 1,182 tons, was built at Sunderland, England, in 1881. Her sailing port was Montreal.

PERILOUS SITUATION MENACES UKRAINIA

Zurich, May 6.—German and Austrian conduct in the Ukraine is condemned by the Arbiter Zeitung of Vienna, which foresees perilous complications as a result.

"The Ukrainian people," it says, "will not regard the occupying troops as liberators from Russian dominion, but as armed forces inforcing a military regime for the acquisition of foodstuffs for the Central Powers."

"The Russophile sentiment in that country will be strengthened and the separation of the Ukraine from Russian will last only as long as the Austro-German troops remain there," the paper concludes.

THREE DAYS' PRAYER FOR ALLIES IN FRANCE

PARIS, May 5.—The anniversary of the deliverance of France by Joan of Arc will be celebrated with great solemnity at Orleans on May 12, and three days of prayer have been ordered in Catholic churches throughout France for the success of the Allied troops.

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TRAVELERS HONOR POPULAR MEMBERS ON "M'GUIRE DAY"

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Saturday was "McGuire Day" with the members of the Ontario Commercial Travelers' Association, as they took advantage of a big gathering to honor C. W. McGuire, the immediate past president, and James H. McGuire by the presentation of handsome gifts. James H. McGuire is going shortly to Windsor, where he will be manager of the border branch of the Imperial Oil Company. The presentations were made on behalf of the organization by President Tony Grant and Morley Adams.

The addresses presented to the Messrs. McGuire were as follows:

"To C. W. McGuire, Esq.:

"Dear Sir,—We have very great pleasure in conveying to you the unanimous resolution of the last annual meeting, December 15, 1917, expressing the most sincere thanks and appreciation of the members of this association for the valuable services rendered by you, as president, during the past two years.

"We would also in further accordance with that resolution beg to request you to accept this cabinet of silver, as a slight token of recognition and appreciation of the value of your services.

"The association will always feel under a debt of gratitude to you for your very able assistance in building up, conserving and increasing the valuable benefits and privileges of the association.

"We shall always most sincerely wish for yourself and family every happiness and prosperity.

To J. H. McGuire, Manager of Imperial Oil Company at Windsor:

Dear Friend Jim,—It is with feelings of pleasure and likewise regret that we learn of the change in your business life, that will necessitate your severing your connection as an active member of the "Drummers' Union." We are sincerely and greatly pleased to know that your valued services are being appreciated by the good firm you represent and that you are receiving a well-deserved promotion, but we deeply regret that this promotion necessitates your removal from our midst, and that we will miss your pleasant countenance and cheery voice from the territory you have represented so well for a number of years. We now ask you to accept this small gift, not for its intrinsic value, but as a slight token of respect and friendship from "the boys" who have spent so many happy hours in your good company. To use a favorite phrase of your own, we would like to say "metaphorically speaking," we hope your life will be all sunshine and you will never need an umbrella to shield you from the storms of life, but when occasions arise that you may need the one we are handing you we trust it will always bring back fond memories of the days spent on the road with your friends.

THE COCKS O' THE NORTH.

P.S.—We hope you will always find the weather in Windsor as warm as it is in the summer.

At a social gathering which followed a euchre tournament was enjoyed, the winners being: 1 Sam Horn, 2 George Wyatt, 3 Charles Wilson, 4 Walter Screaton, 5 James Jackson, 6 G. M. Adams, 7 W. Webb, 8 W. R. Keyes, 9 F. Ball, 10 J. McCoy.

John Watson, mayor of Listowel, was among the players.

AGAINST RELIGION TO TAKE PART IN ANY BLOODSHED

Conscientious Objector's Plea Submitted to Ottawa.

Pte. Russell James Hawkins of the 1st Battalion, Canadian Garrison Regiment, was tried before a district court-martial at Queen's Park camp Saturday on a charge of refusing to put on the uniform through conscientious objections.

Major F. G. Stansbury of the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. Regiment, presided, assisted by Capt. D. G. P. Forbes of the same unit and Lieut. Gordon H. Tennent of the 63rd Battery.

Hawkins is the second conscientious objector to be tried by district court martial here, and a sentence of two years was handed out in the last case.

In his written statement to the court, he said he was a Christadelphian, and, therefore, could not conscientiously take part in bloodshed.

He had joined the church last November.

The court finished its hearings Saturday, and will submit its findings and sentence to Ottawa for promulgation from there.

LEAVE CANCELED

Men Released for Farm Service of 20-22 Return to W. O. R.

About 50 members of the First Depot Battalion, W. O. Regiment, who had been granted leave of absence by the district leave board, returned to Queen's Park Camp for duty Saturday.

They were notified about a week ago that in view of the cancellation by the Government of exemptions between the ages of 20 and 22, their leaves had likewise been cancelled, and they would be required to present themselves for duty within seven days. All are category "A" men.

Men granted leave by the board, who are over the age mentioned, will not be disturbed at present, and they will remain on leave without pay until their full time has expired.

ON GARRISON STAFF

Lieut. A. E. Burwell Appointed to 1st Battalion, C. G. R.

Lieut. Alfred E. Burwell of the 7th Regiment Details has been appointed temporarily to the 1st Battalion, Canadian Garrison Regiment, camp orders announce.

The undermentioned officers are taken on the strength of the C. E. F. in Canada, N. D. No. 1, having been returned from overseas for disposal of the adjutant-general:

For further medical treatment:

Capt. J. G. Gunn, C.A.H.C., April 15, 1918.

Lieut. L. H. Jones, C.A.H.C., April 15, 1918.

The undermentioned officers are struck off the strength of the C.E.F. in Canada, and return to the active militia unit to which they formerly belonged.

Having become surplus in rank to establishment in C.E.F. appointments: Capt. George Lionel Money, 2nd C.O. R.D.

To resume civil occupation: Lieut. Wesley Scott Caldwell, 18th Battalion, and Lieut. Frederick Henry Greenlees, 6th Battery, C.F.A.

The undermentioned officer is granted the temporary rank of captain, whilst holding appointment as staff captain, C.H.P.C., (headquarters, Ottawa), with effect from March 22, 1918: Lieut. Leslie Frank Burrows, C.F.A.

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FOUR DRAFTS OF FIGHTING MEN LEFT FOR EAST SUNDAY

Tank Battalion, W. O. R. and Artillerymen Go.

Four drafts of fighting men left this district for eastern training points Sunday. The Western Ontario section of the Tank Battalion, the 63rd and 64th Depot Batteries, and the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. R., were all represented in the big trek eastward. Crowds of relatives and friends gave the men a rousing farewell.

The gathering of the clans started about noon, when a draft of 25 men arrived here from the 64th Depot Battery at Guelph, preparatory to accompanying the men from the sister battery, the 63rd, on their trip east.

Shortly afterwards 200 members of the 1st Depot Battalion, Western Ontario Regiment, most of them who returned recently from garrison duty in Quebec, arrived here on a special London and Port Stanley train, and proceeded to Queen's Park camp. They entrained in the East End yards of the Grand Trunk, and left here at 3:15 o'clock on a special train.

From the 63rd.

On the same train went 50 members of the 63rd Depot Battery, Canadian Field Artillery, from Carling Heights camp and the 25 who arrived from the 64th Battery earlier in the day. The artillerymen were in command of Lieut. H. A. Fraser of the 63rd.

In command of the infantrymen, and also of the whole train, was Major G. C. King of the 1st Depot Battalion, and he was assisted by Lieuts. E. Gandier and Tom Smith, of the same unit, as conducting officers.

At 7:25 o'clock in the evening, the rear-guard left, when about 55 members of the London district section of the 1st Tank Battalion, Canadian Machine Gun Corps, departed via G. T. R. They went to Ottawa, where they will receive their uniforms and outfits at the headquarters of their unit there. The "tankers" were in command of Lieut. A. A. C. Olle, formerly of the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. R. Other officers in the party were Lieuts. H. F. Moses and H. Gudgin, formerly of the 1st Depot Battalion, and Lieuts. E. H. Anundson and J. B. Brownlee, of the Western University Contingent, C. O. T. C.

Large crowds of friends and relatives were on hand to give the men who left a send-off that would provide food for cheerful thoughts, no matter how far away their duties might call them. The band of the 1st Depot Battalion led the infantrymen to the train.

BIG ADDITION TO BYRON SANATORIUM

Government Granted Permission to Erect $100,000 Building There.

The London Health Association, at a recent meeting, granted permission to the military authorities to erect, at Government expense, a new hospital building on the Byron Sanatorium grounds. This hospital will be operated as part of the sanatorium. The request to the Health Association was made by the invalided soldiers' commission.

The need for a new building is urgent, in view of the congested condition at Byron Sanatorium, due to the large number of soldiers being cared for there.

The proposed addition to be undertaken will reach approximately $100,000.

SEEDING FURLOUGHS

Class A Men Can Get Off Until June 1.

Short furloughs for seeding purposes, expiring not leater than June 1, are being granted to category A men of this district.

Bona-fide farmers only are eligible for the furloughs which are granted by the officers commanding the various units, as has been done in former years.

A furlough granted in this way is entirely a different matter from the leave of absence granted until recently by the district leave board (before it was abolished), and is also different from the leave of absence granted only to men lower than category A on recommendation of the district agricultural representative. Lieut.-Col. T. R. Mayberry.

Units in all branches of the service are included in the regulations permitting the granting furloughs, and transportation is being issued to the men who are leaving.

EGERTON STREET PASTOR PRESENTED WITH WATCH

Rev. A. C. Bingham of Egerton Street Baptist Church was surprised yesterday afternoon during the session of the Sunday school by being presented with a handsome gold watch. Mrs. Bingham was given a fine clock by the pupils. The presentations were made on behalf of the school by W. Jarvis and Madeleine North, and an address was read by Mrs. Holmes. An address was also made by Superintendent R. Mills. Mr. Bingham made a suitable reply.

MISSION TAG DAY NETTED OVER $400

The City Mission tag day, which was held Saturday, was the most successful tag day held yet by the City Mission. Over $400 was raised. This money will be used for the upkeep of the City Mission, and also will help in their work of helping the poor.

The churches of the city sent representatives from the Sunday schools to help with the work, and the City Mission extended thanks to the churches for doing this.

GOES AS SUBSTITUTE

Lieut. Moses of W. O. R. Gets Place on New Tank Battalion Staff.

Lieut. H. F. Moses of the First Depot Battalion, W. O. Regiment, will accompany the London section of the First Tank Battalion, Canadian Machine Gun Corps overseas.

In the slate of officers, as at first announced, Lieut. G. T. Kavanagh was included. Lieut. Kavanagh is now unable to go, however, and Lieut. Moses will go instead. Both Lieut. Kavanagh and Lieut. Moses have been returned to Canada after service in France.

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BODY OF AGED MAN, MISSING FOR WEEKS, IS FOUND IN THAMES

Remains of David Rutherford Discovered in River.

Missing for three weeks, and believed by his relatives to have gone on one of his periodic tours of the district, David Rutherford, aged 74, was found dead in the Thames River near the gates of the Hunt mills on Sunday. The body was slightly decomposed, and was discovered floating down the stream, one arm clutched tight around a partly decayed log. After the police had been called, the body was taken to the morgue of Smith, Son & Clark, undertakers, and there examined by Dr. A. MacLaren, who pronounced an inquest unnecessary after hearing the circumstances connected with the man's death.

Rutherford had been accustomed to taking sudden trips to his farm, and it was there that his wife, Mrs. Prudence Rutherford, 203 Wellington street, surmised him to be when he disappeared from the house three weeks ago today. His wife refused to believe the suggestion that he had been drowned in the Thames, but stated at the time that he would probably return after he had attended to certain business.

Mr. Rutherford had been ill during the winter, and was in a melancholy frame of mind the day before his disappearance. He got out of bed, presumably for a walk, that afternoon. When Mrs. Rutherford went to call him for breakfast the following morning he could not be found, and his bed and room were as he had left them on the previous day.

Mr. Rutherford frequently made trips throughout the district selling lightning rods.

His relatives believe him to have fallen into the river, where, they allege, he grasped a log in a futile attempt to prevent himself from drowning. Dr. MacLaren, the coroner, stated to The Advertiser that the death was either accident or suicide, and therefore thought an inquest unnecessary.

Rutherford is survived by his widow and one son, David.

SCENES OF BEAUTY IN MAETERLINCK'S "THE BLUE BIRD"

Wonderful Photoplay at the Majestic Today, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Scene after scene of drifting loveliness in a story that absorbs the attention of the old man of seventy, the young girl of eighteen, the child of five, the college boy of twenty, the tired businessman and the mother of the household; humor and laughter in every scene with tears just around the corner in many places; beauty of setting, beauty of face, beauty of story, beauty of acting, everywhere—in the humble cottage, through the window shadows, before the portals of Night's secrets, in snow and sunshine and flowers, in the graveyard and in the Kingdom of the Future.—everywhere, in every scene in every portion of the most beautiful picture ever painted on the screen by the hand of a master-artist.

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"The Blue Bird" will be shown at the Majestic today, Tuesday and Wednesday.

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Cast.

Richard Trevor....Francis X. Bushman
Edith Everett.....Beverly Bayne
Wellington Dix.....Augusta Phillips
Silas Trevor.....Frank Currier
Norman Glanor.....Ollie Cooper
Cornelius Everett...Rudolph deCordova
Henry Everett.....Frank Joyner
Mr. Peter Glanor...Robert Williamson
William Roberts.....John Smiley
J. Osborne Cole.....Hugh D'Arcy
Robert Dexter.....John Newton
Blake .....Hugh Jeffrey

The Story.

Henry Everett has perfected a process for making artificial rubber, and tries to sell it to the directors of a great rubber trust. They are interested, but do not care to pay his price. When he refuses to sell for the pittance they offer him, they have him placed in a lunatic asylum, thinking that he will soon be glad to let them have the invention at their terms. Silas Trevor and Mr. Glanor are at the head of the trust. They have tried to arrange a marriage between Richard Trevor and Norma Glanor, but Richard demands a little more personal beauty than poor Norma possesses. He leaves home, to earn his own living since his father will no longer "foot the bills" unless he marries Norma.

Henry Everett's sister Edith is trying to find some means to get her brother out of the lunatic asylum. She consults a detective agency, and is told that since men of great influence have incarcerated her brother, extraordinary means will have to be taken to get him out. He must be kidnaped. The detective who was hastening to her aid meets with an accident and is sent to the hospital. On his person was a note of instructions from Edith, with a brass check for a suit-case which is at Grand Central Station, New York. Richard finds the letter with the check, and purely for the love of adventure, goes to claim the bag, in answer to the anguished appeal of the letter, which is signed E. E.

The suitcase contains three disguises, in one of which, that of a farm laborer, he goes to the rural Connecticut address given in the letter. Edith soon makes herself known, and Richard thanks his lucky stars that she is the lady of the Brass Check. Together they plan to spirit Henry away. Edith goes on ahead to the spot at which Richard is supposed to join her, but no sooner has she gone than Richard is taken into custody for a robbery. A tramp is the culprit, but Richard looks like a suspicious character. He overpowers his captors and escapes, but is mistaken for an escaped lunatic, and is again taken in charge. But once inside the asylum, Edith, in her garb as trained nurse, comes to his rescue. He is introduced to Henry Everett as the detective who is working on his case.

Silas Trevor and the other directors, hearing that Richard has been traced to the little Connecticut farm, come in search of him. Henry instructs Richard to act as his agent in the matter of the rubber invention, promising to split the profits with him, and Richard decides on a bold stroke. When the four directors arrive, he has them thrown into the same cell as an inmate who imagines himself to be the Kaiser. They become violent, and are put into strait-jackets. He refuses to have them released until they sign an agreement giving Henry Everett the price he asked for his invention, as well as a liberal bonus for placing him in the asylum. Also, he declares both himself and Henry members of the firm of Trevor. The terms are accepted—and so is Richard, when he explained all to Edith, and she has forgiven him for concealing his identity. On Dix's asking him, "What did you find at the end of the brass check?" he truthfully answers, "The Future Mrs. Trevor."

At the Patricia today, Tuesday and Wednesday.

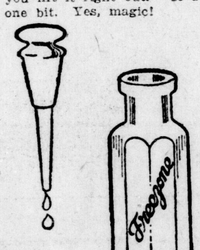


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