

TURKISH RETREAT A STAMPEDE—ERZINGAN BURNING

GINNELL CENTRE OF STORMY SCENE IN BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS

BRITISH PRESS GERMAN IN ALL-NIGHT ENGAGEMENTS

HOME RULE AT END OF THE WAR SAYS PLUNKETT

Asserts Breakdown of Settlement Has Not Injured the Cause.

SPLIT WAS GOOD THING

Shows That Large Number Were Not in Sympathy With Agreement.

GREAT BLUNDER AVOIDED

Serious Mistake for Ireland Had the Pact Been Made Into Law.

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 27.—The breakdown of the Irish settlement does not in any way injure the cause of home rule, nor indicate any change in the attitude of the Government toward the Irish question, Sir Horace Plunkett told the Associated Press today. Sir Horace, who for many years has been occupied with Irish agricultural and congestion problems, possesses as broad a knowledge of Irish affairs as does any man. He has always maintained an aloofness from party politics, and enjoys general popularity in all sections. He continued:
"The Government was anxious to seize the opportunity for an agreement between Sir Edward Carson and John Redmond to put the home rule act into immediate effect, but before doing so it felt bound to ascertain the real sentiment of the Irish people, which proved more unfriendly toward the scheme than either the Government or its Irish advisers had expected."
"John Redmond and the greatest difficulty in securing the support of his followers whom he had time to consult, and it soon became clear that the Government could not carry out the general assent of Nationalist Ireland."
"Sir Edward Carson also severely shamed his authority in securing the limited approval of the Ulster Unionists."

Home Rule Uncertain.
"The Government was naturally unwilling to impose on the Irish people a settlement unacceptable to them, and it was found that the scheme tentatively offered to the two Irish leaders would meet with strong opposition both in England and Ireland. Hence considerable delay took place, but in the result a great blunder has been avoided. Opinion in Ireland is obviously relieved by the withdrawal of the home rule bill, and the large measure of agreement reached between Carson and Redmond will doubtless be utilized to improve the terms of the ultimate settlement. Talk about 'dashing the cup of freedom from the lips of Erin' is sheer nonsense. It is, however, true that some of the contents of the cup were not to her taste, and she very sensibly prefers to wait."

Sir Horace, who has been in bed for several days, is rapidly recovering.

TRUST COMPANY OFFICIALS ARE CHARGED WITH FRAUD

[Canadian Press.]
Newark, N. J., July 27.—Warrants for the arrest of Edward H. Hatch, vice-president of the Mutual Trust Company of Orange, N. J., closed Monday by the state banking commission, and for Thomas S. Byrnes, secretary and treasurer of the institution, were issued here today. They are charged with conspiracy to defraud the bank out of \$306,000.

CANADIAN YACHT SAFE.

[Canadian Press.]
Bar Harbor, Me., July 27.—The Canadian steam yacht Wildrose, about which some anxiety had been entertained, was riding safely at anchor in the bay today. She arrived during the night from Portland, which port she left Saturday after a few hours visit there. The yacht was delayed by fog.

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, 85; lowest, 66.
The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 79; lowest, 66.

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

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	74	64	Fair
Calgary	65	50	Cloudy
Winnipeg	76	64	Cloudy
Port Arthur	74	62	Cloudy
Perry Sound	76	66	Clear
Buffalo	76	70	Clear
Toronto	80	70	Clear
Kingston	84	70	Fair
Ottawa	88	68	Cloudy
Montreal	88	66	Fair
Quebec	82	60	Cloudy
Father Point	72	62	Cloudy

Weather Notes.
Showers and thunderstorms have occurred in most parts of the western and maritime provinces and over Lake Superior, while local thunderstorms have been experienced elsewhere. Temperature conditions remain unchanged.

Sultan's Troops in Panic As They Leave Erzingan; Expelled From Armenia

Turks in Disorderly Retirement Before Grand Duke's Soldiers—Erzingan Reported in Flames—Russians Took 6,000 Prisoners From Germans Tuesday.

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 27.—A dispatch to the Daily Chronicle from Petrograd says:
On the Caucasus front the Turkish retreat is in the way of becoming a stampede. Erzingan is burning. With this city in Russian hands the occupation of all Armenia, which was delayed after the capture of Trebizond by the sudden renewal of Turkish resistance, will be accomplished in fact.
The Turks are retreating west and also southwest apparently with the object of protecting the Bagdad railway and guarding the connections with Syria.

6,250 MORE PRISONERS.
[Canadian Press.]
Petrograd, July 27.—Via London, 3:38 p.m.—In the battle of Tuesday on the Russian western front, 6,250 Germans were taken prisoner, says the official statement issued today by the Russian war department. The Russians also captured five guns and 22 machine guns. Russian forces operating in the Caucasus are continuing their pursuit of the retreating Turks, the Russian official statement says. In the Turkish fortress of Erzingan, the capture of which was announced yesterday, the Russians took a depot of war materials.

AUSTRIANS WITHDRAW.
[Canadian Press.]
Berlin, July 27.—Via wireless to Sayville.—An Austrian withdrawal before superior Russian pressure north of Brody in Northeastern Galicia is announced by Austro-Hungarian army headquarters in its report of July 26.
Northeast of Brody the Russians attacked violently in the neighborhood of Radziviloff, but gained only small advantages and suffered heavy losses, says the official statement, which follows:
"South of Lesniow (twelve miles north of Brody) our troops were withdrawn behind the Bolyuk sector before superior enemy forces. Very violent Russian attacks in the vicinity of Radziviloff (six miles northeast of Brody) resulted in insignificant Russian advantages. The Russians suffered extraordinarily heavy losses."

BRITISH ARE MASTERS OF THE SUEZ SITUATION; TURK REPORTS UNTRUE

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 27.—12:35 p.m.—A British official statement was issued today denying the Turkish official report of July 26 that British cavalry forces in the vicinity of the Suez Canal had been dispersed. The statement follows:
"The commander-in-chief in Egypt reports: 'It is stated by the German wireless that our cavalry has been driven back at Romani and Katia. Our cavalry is in occupation of Katia, and nowhere has been driven back. Complete superiority over the enemy has been established by it both in pushing

Tories of Toronto Split on Hearst; New Head Wanted

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Toronto, July 27.—The election by which the by-election which must shortly take place in S. W. Toronto, where a vacancy was caused by the death of the Hon. J. J. Foy. The date will probably be announced this week.
Both the Conservatives and Liberals of the different ward associations have held meetings, and it seems likely that the Liberals will contest the seat. There is also a rumor that an Independent Tory will take the field in opposition to the Government candidate, as a protest against the recent prohibition legislation, which a large following of the present Government does not endorse.
Hearst Criticized.
At a meeting of Ward Six Conservative Association, held on Tuesday evening, the Ontario Government was declared to be out of touch with the rank and file of the party, and Mr. Hearst was harshly criticised for his prohibition measure.
"Premier Hearst announced that he would take his political life in his hands on this question," said J. A. McCausland, a prominent member of the association. "He has a perfect right to risk his personal political life, but certainly not the life of the Conservative party."
McCausland referred to the loss of North Perth by the Conservative party, which he thought was due to carelessness. "The average Conservative is dissatisfied with the head of the party," he added.
A deep chasm seems to be dividing the Conservative party throughout the province. With Toronto the hotbed of Toryism—split in its affiliations and discontented with the present leadership, the party is likely to "hear a possible application on behalf of the party to complete disintegration."

CASEMENT'S EXECUTION TO TAKE PLACE IN PRISON

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 27.—The London News Agency says that a public execution of Roger Caseement is highly improbable, and that failing special instructions from the government arrangements to hold it in privacy at the Pentonville prison August 3, will be proceeded with.
In any case, the news agency says, a public execution would probably mean that reporters only would be admitted as representing the general public. According to some authorities executions for crimes except those of murder must be public.

NO SIGNS OF EARLY FIGHTING IN BALKANS

[Canadian Press.]
Athens, July 26, Via London, July 27.—Following lengthy conferences between General Meschopoulos, commander of the Greek forces at Saloniki, and King Constantine and the Greek general staff the impression is general in military circles at Athens today that a resumption of hostilities in Macedonia between the Entente and the Central Powers is not imminent. There are no indications that Saloniki will be attacked. The Austro-Germans have less than a brigade of troops, and the Bulgarians have only ten divisions on the Saloniki front, and consequently military observers point out, they are not in a position to undertake an assault on the formidable Macedonian stronghold.

TROOPER WHO JOINED MOUNTED RIFLES IN LONDON NOW PRISONER



PT. ALBERT DENHAM, C. M. R., a former member of the 7th C. M. R., who is now a prisoner of war in Dulmer, Germany. He was first listed as missing and wounded, and later unofficially as having been killed in action. Letters say he is recovering from shrapnel wounds in the prison hospital.

GINNELL CREATES SCENE IN HOUSE; INSULTS MINISTER

Stormy Nationalist Suspended for Disorderliness.

MADE FOOLISH CHARGES Refuses to Leave Chamber Until Threatened With Forcible Removal.

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 27.—Laurence Ginnell, a stormy Nationalist, whose opposition to the Government has grown more aggressive since the Irish insurrection last Easter, and who, in questions to the cabinet ministers makes the most serious charges against the Government, caused a short suspension of the sitting in the House of Commons today owing to his refusal to withdraw when ordered to do so by the speaker of the House.
Mr. Ginnell refused to budge when approached by the sergeant-at-arms, who was ordered to remove him, and not until the sergeant had summoned assistants and his brother Nationalists had advised him to do so, did he obey the command of the speaker.

The Nationalist member had asked Herbert Samuel, secretary for home affairs, whether the military authorities at the time of the insurrection at Dublin had the sanction of the Government for "bombarding the headquarters of the Cumann na mBan nurses, cutting the telephone wires, and the like, and imprisoning them as criminals."
The home secretary categorically denied all the allegations, whereupon Ginnell said:
"Owing to the insolent reply of the minister—'He got no further, as there were loud shouts of "Order!" He withdrew the word "insolent," but insisted upon returning to the question, whereupon the speaker "named him to the House," and in accordance with practice, Premier Asquith moved that Ginnell be suspended."
Mr. Ginnell alone voted against the motion.

FIVE JUDGES WILL HEAR APPEALS FOR LIFE OF CASEMENT

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 27.—12:10 p.m.—Justice Darling announced today that the five judges who heard the appeal of Sir Roger Caseement against the sentence of death on the charge of high treason in connection with the Dublin revolt, would sit tomorrow to "hear a possible application on behalf of the convict." The nature of the application was not disclosed.

ATTACKED SUB BASE OF BRITISH AND RUSSIANS

[Canadian Press.]
Berlin, July 27.—(Wireless to Sayville).—A German naval airship on July 25, attacked the main base for Russian and British submarines at Mariham, it was officially announced by the German admiralty today. The airship was shot down by anti-aircraft fire, and was destroyed. It was carrying 700 kilograms of explosive bombs. Although the air vessel was shelled it returned to port undamaged.

KEEP GERMAN OUT OF EMPIRE FOR 20 YEARS

London Morning Post Declares That Was Kitchen's Advice.

BAR FOE FROM TRADE

Government is Urged to Take Drastic Steps Immediately In Case.

SAYS HUNS LACK SUBS

Journal Asserts That is the Explanation of New Submarine Policy.

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 27.—The Morning Post, in its leading editorial today, urged the Government to take drastic steps immediately to prevent the Germans from gaining a foothold, commercial or otherwise, in the British Empire after the war.
The Post declares that Lord Kitchen's proposal, which was to pass a law that for 21 years no German should be allowed to naturalize himself or take up his domicile in the United Kingdom or the British Empire, or to enter into any partnership in any British business or become a shareholder in any British company.

The same editorial, discussing German submarine activity, says:
"The Germans sometime ago pretended to desist from their policy of raiding the coast of England, but the truth is they had no more submarines to carry on the blockade, because our navy had sunk nearly all. When the Germans build more submarines they will try again, but we have faith in the British navy to account for anything the Germans put on the water or under the water."

FOUR MEET DEATH WHEN SHIP BURNS ON UPPER OTTAWA

Steamer G. B. Greene Destroyed by Fire While at Her Dock.

[Canadian Press.]
Ottawa, July 27.—The steamer G. B. Greene, a small passenger and freight vessel, plying on the Upper Ottawa, was destroyed by fire at her dock in Quyon, Quebec, this morning, four members of the crew losing their lives. The dead are John Stevenson, engineer, North Bay, Ont.; George Bryant, engineer, Mattawa; Oscar La Pierre, deck hand, Quyon; E. Gurtin, pierce, watchman, Capt. Charles and the rest of the crew escaped by jumping into the water. The origin of the fire, which occurred about 1:30 a.m., is unknown. There were about a dozen persons aboard.

ALLIED WARSHIPS WATCHING FOR SUBMARINE BREMEN

Reported Fifteen Miles Off Beaufort Inlet, N. C.

[Canadian Press.]
Beaufort, N. C., July 27.—Two allied warships appeared off Beaufort Inlet last night following reports that the German merchant submarine Bremen was headed this way. Nothing was seen of the submarine, but the warships continued their patrol today, cruising about fifteen miles off shore.

NO INFORMATION.

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 27.—At the admiralty today it was stated that no information had been received there regarding the reported mysterious visit Monday night of a British cruiser within the American territorial waters of the Virginia Capes.

DUKES AND PRINCE TO LOSE BRITISH TITLES

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 27.—The expected decision of the government to deprive the Duke of Cumberland, the Duke of Albany and Prince Albert of Schleswig-Holstein of their British titles and orders were made known today. They are the three remaining Germans who hold British titles of nobility, the Duke of Albany and the Duke of Cumberland being remotely in the line of succession to the British throne.
King George has been advised, Premier Asquith said in the House of Commons at today's session, to take the necessary steps to meet the wishes of the House in this respect.

HAND-TO-HAND FIGHTING ALL NIGHT ALONG SOMME FRONT; BRITISH GIVE FOE NO REST

JURY SECURED AND CASE OPENS AGAINST ROBLIN

Trial of Ex-Ministers of Manitoba Started Today at Winnipeg.

CHARGES ARE REVIEWED

Crown Prosecutor Tells Jury One or All Can Be Acquitted.

DEFENCE COUNSEL OBJECT

Declares Crown Departed From Correct Practice in Many Statements.

[Canadian Press.]
Winnipeg, July 27.—Jurymen G. A. Found, who was sworn yesterday as one of the twelve men to try the ex-ministers, was released by Mr. Justice Prendergast this morning owing to serious illness in his family and the filling of his place was proceeded with. The jury panel was shortly exhausted, and the names of those "stood aside" yesterday by the crown were called again. W. D. R. Boyd was named by the defence but challenged for cause by the crown and tried as to his impartiality by two jurors. Boyd said he was a personal friend of Sir Robt. Roblin and a supporter of his party for many years. He was held to be unfit.
Finally A. E. Chumpp, a farmer, was passed as the twelfth juror. In choosing one juror the defence made five peremptory challenges, using up the 36 allowed for the three defendants, and challenged one for cause. The balance of the jury were then discharged. Six of the twelve jurors chosen are farmers.

Outlines the Charges.
At 10 o'clock R. W. Craig, K. C., for the crown, commenced his preliminary address to the jury, which will occupy the greater part of the day. He reviewed the case as interpreted by the crown and emphasized the points the crown will try to prove. Mr. Craig stated that the jury would have authority to find for acquittal in the case on one or two of the charges while finding against the others, or other.

He read the particulars of the charges furnished the defence by the crown. During the address the jury was interrupted by opposing counsel, who contended he was departing from correct practice and instructing the jury on points of law. The judge upheld Craig, who, continuing explained the meaning of conspiracy.

W. H. Hastings of defence counsel objected that Craig was arguing when he referred to accused as "servants of the people." His lordship said he saw no harm in this term. Adjournment was then taken. Craig will continue this afternoon.

ADMIRALTY KNOWS NOTHING OF NAVAL ENGAGEMENT

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 27.—Officials of the British admiralty informed the Associated Press today that they had no report of a new naval action in the Scandiavian waters, and had received nothing in any way confirming unofficial reports of naval activity in that region.

A report published in a Stockholm newspaper on Wednesday said that prolonged firing had been heard Monday coming from the Gulf of Bothnia, which forms the northern arm of the Baltic sea. The newspaper report supplied no details.

TURK MUTINEERS BURNED TO DEATH IN FOREST

[Canadian Press.]
New York, July 27.—The "Athens" has the following dispatch from Athens: Reports received here today from Smyrna state that a Turkish regiment mutinied at Sevelenik and took refuge in the Forest of Mousa near Smyrna. Turkish forces pursued the mutineers, and set fire to the forest. Many of the mutineers were burned to death.

ITALIAN AIRCRAFT DROP BOMBS ON HUN HANGARS

[Canadian Press.]
New York, July 27.—A cable from the "Official Journal" says: Made to today that Italian aircraft yesterday bombed Durazzo, in Albania, across the Adriatic. The planes dropped bombs on the Austrian aerodromes and landing stages, and then returned safely to their base.

Haig's Men Press the Enemy at Close Quarters at Various Points During Night, Backed Up by Artillery Fire—Germans Using Large Number of Gas and Tear Shells.

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 27.—3 p.m.—Throughout the night British troops continued to press the Germans with hand-to-hand encounters at various points on the Somme front in France, says the British official statement issued today. The text of the statement follows:
"Throughout the night our artillery had been active and we continued to press the enemy with hand-to-hand encounters at various points.
"The enemy is using large numbers of gas and tear shells in the battle area.
"Elsewhere on the British front there was no incident of importance in the last 48 hours."

OFFICERS' CASUALTIES.

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 27.—3:50 p.m.—The severity of the fighting since the beginning of the present offensive on the western front, is indicated by the list of casualties among officers issued by the war office, showing for the first three weeks of July 1,088 killed, 2,834 wounded and 491 missing, a total of 4,413.
This makes the aggregate loss since the beginning of the war 33,857, of which 10,105 were killed, 21,290 wounded and 2,462 missing. The proportion of killed to wounded is still about 2 to 1, although it was rather less than this during the first fortnight of July 2.

THE GERMAN REPORT.
[Canadian Press.]
Berlin, July 27.—Via London, 4:40 p.m.—British hand grenade attacks against the German lines to the west of the town of Pozieres, in the Somme region, were repulsed yesterday, according to the announcement made by German army headquarters today.

FRENCH MAKING INROADS UPON GERMAN DEFENSES; MAKE PROGRESS AT VERDUN

[Canadian Press.]
New York, July 27.—The Journal today publishes the following from Paris: The French forces on the southern side of their salient running southward from before Peronne and westward into the German lines from Bazeux, through the town of Soissons, are continuing to make inroads upon the enemy's defenses. The official report from Paris today recorded further progress of this sort.
Fighting was also reported today north of the river Meuse and in the Champagne region. A German attack launched in the former sector was repulsed, and two strong assaults on the French positions in Champagne were also driven back.

GOUGH'S SUBURBS ARE CARLESS TODAY BY A GREAT STRIKE

Some Danger of the Trouble Spreading to City—Serious Disorder.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, July 27.—Upon the arrival here of W. D. Mahon, president of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Railway Employees of America, the motemen and conductors of all the street railways in the city may be asked to join the strike, which has been called up lines in the Bronx and in Westchester County. President Mahon is expected to come from Detroit today to take charge of 150 miles of track in the Bronx stopped running at 5 o'clock last night. The employees demand the right to join the national organization and seek an increase in pay of 5 cents an hour and better working conditions. The company's attempt to resume operation of cars in the Bronx this morning resulted in serious disorder. At one point heavy stones were piled on the tracks. Several alterations between strikers and carmen occurred and many were arrested.
Not a car moved in Yonkers today. Mount Vernon and New Rochelle also were carless.

PRIVATE DIES ON TRAIN GOING TO VALCARTIER

[Canadian Press.]
Ottawa, July 27.—Pte. Sullivan of No. 1 Construction Battalion, a Toronto Soldier, died while asleep on board a troop train enroute from Toronto to Valcartier this morning. The body was taken off the train here, it was thought death was due to heart failure.

A HOPELESS WRECK.

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 27.—The American steamship Carolyn, which went ashore on the Kola Peninsula June 13, while taking a cargo of automobile trucks and general merchandise from New York to Archangel, Russia, is a hopeless wreck, according to advices received here today. The cargo of the vessel is being salvaged.

MILITARY NEWS AND GOSSIP

OF CORPS, UNITS AND BATTALIONS OF NO. 1 MILITARY DISTRICT; OF LONDON'S MOBILIZATION CAMP AT CARLING HEIGHT, AND OF CAMP BORDEN, WHERE EIGHT WESTERN ONTARIO BATTALIONS ARE QUARTERED.

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STEEPLECHASE AND GOLF LINKS ALSO FOR CAMP BORDEN

Capt. Tom Flanagan Will Lay Out Course.

142ND IS INOCULATED

Books of 135th Inspected by Gen. Lessard and Found Satisfactory.

[Special to The Advertiser.] CAMP BORDEN, July 26.—Capt. Tom Flanagan, athletic director, intends to lay out a steeplechase course here with six jumps and a golf links for the officers. He is now going through Western Ontario to secure attractions for his midway.

Twenty-two men have been stricken from the strength of the 142nd Battalion as medically unfit.

Lieut.-Col. R. H. Labatt, commanding Camp Niagara, has been transferred to the 133rd; Rev. H. C. Newcombe becomes chaplain to the 133rd; Capt. R. W. Kerr is adjutant of the 147th, a post which has been filling since the death of Capt. Kyle.

Harvesting furlough is not to be granted to members of units only 25 out of the strength of battalions up to 155th can be given this privilege. Otherwise officers commanding can grant applications as they see fit.

Provost Marshals, whose duties will consist of the checking up of troops on leave and locating deserters and absconders, will be stationed in Hamilton and Toronto.

No. 2 Military District has now given more than the number of recruits required to the E. P. F. and attention hereafter will be directed here to filling up battalions under strength and making good for casualties.

All books of the 135th Battalion were inspected today by Major-Gen. Lessard and found satisfactory.

The 142nd Battalion was inoculated yesterday.

The 9th Brigade goes on an eleven mile route march tomorrow.

TORONTO PROTESTING OVER 199TH FAVORS

Officers There Object to Montreal Unit Being Given Recruiting Privilege.

Toronto and No. 2 Military District officers are up in arms over the special permission granted the 199th Infantry Battalion of Montreal to enlist recruits in No. 2 District. Some time ago it was officially announced in No. 1 District orders, by Col. L. W. Shannon, D. O. C., that the Montreal battalion could recruit here.

The Toronto men claim that it is unfair that a Quebec battalion be allowed to take recruits in a district that has already provided the quota of men required of it in the C. E. F. 500,000 forces. The same is true of London officers, but nothing has been said here as it was figured that few, if any, recruits would be signed on for the unit.

The orders permitting the No. 1 and No. 2 Districts recruiting by the 199th came from Sir Sam Hughes, and there has been no comeback for the objectors.

SOME COMPETITION FOR COMMAND OF 153RD

Some Wellington Men Pressing Claims of Major W. M. Head.

GUELPH, July 26.—Although it is known that Col. Shannon, for whom the appointment of Major Kelly-Evans, acting commander of the 153rd Battalion, to the permanent command of that regiment, leading unit in Wellington County are making an effort to secure the appointment of Major W. M. Head, who went overseas as junior major in the 153rd Battalion, to the command, it is understood that Major Head has been communicated with regarding the matter.

Given his consent to the command of the 153rd Battalion if it is offered to him. He is a native of Eramosa Township and is well and favorably known throughout the county.

Port Stanley Subscribers

Arrangements have been completed for the delivery of both the morning and evening editions of The Advertiser at Port Stanley until September 4, 1916, and the same satisfactory service regarding news items and delivery of papers that has been in force for the past seven years is assured for this season.

Londoners spending their holidays at Port can secure their favorite newspaper by notifying or telephoning the Circulation Department, Phone 3670.

BRANDS CAMP BORDEN AS "DESERT" AND TELLS OF EVILS EXISTING THERE

"Soldier of 135th" Writes His Impressions of Camp That Has Been Called Ideal by Some.

Borden Desert, July 25, 1916. To the Editor of The Advertiser:

Someone writing to the Free Press said Camp Borden was an ideal place. I have been at Camp Borden two weeks; I think it an ideal place to keep Germans and Austrians in.

Sir, have any of the boys told you that machine guns had been placed at certain points, so that if rioting started again the rioters would be shot down by machine gun fire? Did the boys tell you that machine guns had been placed at certain points, so that if rioting started again the rioters would be shot down by machine gun fire?

Surely no one but a person invested with great power could order the machine guns to be placed at certain points, so that if rioting started again the rioters would be shot down by machine gun fire?

Not immediately in front of me, but I have authority for what I say, sir, and can prove it, if necessary, by our superior officers if they are to be believed.

The transport wagons are ever raising clouds of dust; the litter and refuse and spittle of thousands of soldiers make the dust anything but an ideal dust for soldiers to breathe in.

To their lungs. And this is kind of dust, sir, that gets in our tea, on our food, in our eyes, in our mouth, in our nostrils, in our ears, in our throat and lungs.

Last Sunday one of nine soldiers had written in the dust that covered the tent, these words, BORDEN DESERT, WELL, WHAT?

A good many soldiers who read the writing on the tent said what I dare not write. If nine to ten thousand soldiers are to leave camp every week, it means forty to fifty thousand soldiers to be sent to the front.

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LITTLE STORIES OF CAMP BORDEN

All hotels and liquor stores in Bradford have been placed out of bounds by the commandant of the camp, Brig.-Gen. Logie.

It is claimed that the concrete roads from the north of the camp, the ordnance stores quarters, to the southern limits of the battalion lines, will be completed within a few days.

The general paving program of the main "streets" of the camp, the majority of which are designated as "avenues," is progressing favorably according to the general staff.

From a sporting standpoint at all events, Camp Borden will rank high in military annals. The number of men gathered here for all field sports, and the attention that is being devoted by the headquarters staff to sports insures a general co-operation between officers and men.

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Remnant Sale

DOES THIS ANNOUNCEMENT THRILL YOU? THEN IT MUST BE THAT YOU HAVE NEVER ATTENDED A REMNANT SALE AT THIS STORE. THERE IS NOTHING ABOUT THIS SALE EXCEPT THE NAME TO LIKEN IT UNTO THE OLD-FASHIONED REMNANT SALE WHICH ONLY INCLUDED THE TINY, SHORT LENGTHS OF PIECE GOODS.

Most All Departments in the Store Take Part in This Great Remnant Sale

No matter how new the silk or dress fabric, if there is only a waist or short dress length, it goes into the Remnant Sale at a remnant price, and so on throughout all departments. All sale ends will be ticketed with exact yardage, the regular price and the remnant sale price, which in many cases, will be found but half. Every possible convenience has been arranged to facilitate prompt service during this sale tomorrow, in order to clear away all remnant and odd lots before stock inventory Monday. Under present conditions this sale will be of more than usual significance and the greatest of the season, beyond a doubt. There are hundreds and hundreds of opportunities for you here tomorrow.

1/2 off

1/3 off

1/4 off

Over 300 Remnants at Silk Dept.

The great demand for silks during the past season has been responsible for the greatest accumulation of remnants and ends ever placed on sale at this department. Come early.

A big lot of Colored Silks for waists at One-Half and One-Third Off. Amongst this assortment (comprising about 150 pieces) are plain taffeta in open, navy, brown, green, greys, etc. Regular prices were \$1.50 to \$2.00 yard. To clear at ..

Also Colored Paillette and Satin Duchesse, Armures, Failles, Poplins, for waists, that sold regularly at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.39, \$1.50 and \$2.00 yard. To clear at 66c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 yd.

LINEN DEPARTMENT--REMNANTS 1-3 OFF

A great accumulation of choice ends, 1/2-yard to 3 1/2-yard lengths, including damasks, plain art linens, sheer linens, roller towels, crashes, terry towels, table padding, huckaback bedroom and guest toweling, etc., all at One-Third Off.

About 50 Remnants Velvet at Half Price

You will find many useful pieces in this lot, particularly desirable for trimmings, fancy bags, children's bonnets, and the longer lengths which run from 2 to 3 1/2 yards in 23-inch widths, will be ample for children's coats and dresses; also some good ends of cord velvets in 24-inch widths in lengths from 2 to 3 1/2 yards each. The assortment comprises good staple colors in navy, brown, dark green, Copenhagen and many others that sold regularly at 50c, 65c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 yard. To clear at 25c, 32c, 37c, 50c and 62c yard

Curtain and Drapery Remnants Half Price

Regular 14c to \$3.00 yard, for 7c to \$1.50 yard

250 yards remnants curtain serins, velvet marquisesettes, chintz, bungalow nets, madras, silkline, cretonnes, easement cloths, tapestry velours and silks in 1 1/2 to 4-yard lengths. On Sale Friday, Half Price.

COTTONS AND SHEETINGS, ONE-THIRD OFF.

About 200 ends, all good lengths, from 1 to 6 yards, white cottons, pillow cottons, sheetings, every end is useful. Come early for these as they will go quickly, all ends from July Sale to be cleared at about One-Third Off Regular Prices.

FLANNELS AND FLANNELETTES.

About 50 ends of fancy flannel and kimono cloth in useful lengths for waists, kimonos, etc., all marked at Just Half Price. Also a quantity of useful ends of flannelette, fancy stripes in pink, blue and white, to be cleared at about One-Quarter Off Regular Prices. Be early for the longer ends.

LACES, EMBROIDERIES, FLOUNCINGS, NINONS, ETC. REMNANT SALE HALF PRICE.

The best and greatest assortment of useful and pretty designs we have ever had to offer at any one sale, including edgings, insertions, beadings, wide flouncings and corset cover embroideries; ends of the best selling patterns, all Half Price.

Val Laces and Insertions, 5c and 15c yard, Half Price.

Embroidery edgings, beadings, insertions, allovers, flouncings and corset cover embroideries, Half Price.

Also a few ends of chiffon scarlings and fancy ninons, all Half Price.

TASSELS AND DROP ORNAMENTS, HALF AND LESS.

Silk drop ornaments in pink, tan and rose, suitable for bags, etc.; regular \$1.25 dozen. Remnant Sale 50c each; 50c dozen Colored Silk Tassels, 50c dozen. Remnant Sale 19c dozen Colored Silk Tassels, \$1.00 dozen. Remnant Sale 50c dozen

IN THE BASEMENT

\$1.00 CEDAR OIL MOPS, 69c.

50 only medium size cedar-oil mops and tin of oil with each, a regular \$1.00 outfit. Remnant Sale 69c each 36 only Half-Gallon Cans of Cedar Oil, regular price \$1.25. Remnant Sale 85c each

36 only Quart Cans of Cedar Oil, regular 75c. Remnant Sale 45c can

RE-NU-ALL WOOD POLISH.

25 only 50c bottles for 39c 50 only 25c bottles, for 19c

Clearing All Veranda Rugs at One-Third Off Regular Prices

An assortment of odd lines in veranda rugs and matings, including designs in Crex De Luxe, Waite Rugs and Rattania, by buying now you can get the full benefit of their use this season at the prices you would expect to pay at the season's end.

9x12 De Luxe Crex, \$13.50 for \$9.00 8x10 Waite, \$8.50 for \$5.67 6x12 Crex, \$8.50 for \$5.67 6x9 Crex, \$5.50 for \$3.67 4x6.7.6 Crex, \$3.50 for \$2.33

THIRD FLOOR.

Cantaloupe, with Ice Cream, 10c. Fruit Salad with Ice Cream, Assorted Cake, Glass of Fresh Milk, 20c.

At 1-2 and 1-3 Off the Former Price

Black Waist Lengths, also black and white stripes. You'll have to come early for these, as black and styles in stripes are the first to go. All will be cleared at One-Half and One-Third Off Regular Prices.

Some nice ends of white washable silks at One-Quarter Off. These comprise the best Japanese makes, pure silk, yard wide and perfect washing qualities, 65c, 85c and 90c values. To clear at 49c, 65c and 68c yard

Small remnants in Georgette Crepes, Satins, Taffetas and Fancy Silks, One-Half the Regular Prices.

Lots of little ends for Christmas work in plain and fancy, also crepes for making collars, cuffs, sleeves, fronts, at One-Half the Former Prices.

Wash Goods Ends at 1-2 and 1-3 Off

This section offers a wonderful collection of bargains in remnants for the final clean

**BUSINESSMEN TELL
OHIO'S FOREST CITY
OF LONDON'S POINTS**

Show Advantages of Western
Ontario's Metropolis.

GIVEN WARM WELCOME

Entertained at Luncheon and
Root for Indians at
Ball Game.

[By Staff Reporter.]
CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 26.—"We want you gentlemen from Canada to feel at home here in our city. We welcome you in all sincerity. We speak the same language, we live the same kind of lives, and the thin line of separation that divides us is purely an imaginary one," said W. B. Fish, representing the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce, in addressing the members of the London Board of Trade at luncheon today.

The speaker appreciated the fact that the initiative in movement to promote closer business relations, that he and other members of the Cleveland board felt confident would develop into the object sought. "When you go back, I want you to take our most earnest expressions of good welcome and will, and we hope you will often, which I trust will be mutually advantageous in our future relations," said Mr. Fish, in closing his address.

President George H. Belton, of the London Board of Trade, explained, in reply, the many advantages of London and presented a location for branch industries, and asked the Cleveland manufacturers to carefully consider what this would mean to the future development of their respective industries.

A. E. Silverwood of London explained in detail the two direct lines from the city to Port Stanley, linking up with the boats for Cleveland, characterizing these two roads as the finest to be found on the continent.

A complete auto tour of the park system followed, the party arriving at the ball grounds in time for the Cleveland game. The party had been assigned to one section of the grandstand, and rooted like wild men throughout the game. "First to bat was 'Glad' Grady, an old St. Thomas boy, and 'Glad' got a red-hot reception. 'Hurrah for Glad!' the crowd roared in chorus. 'Hurrah for the London boys!' replied Glad with a wave of his hat on the way to the plate."

Ad Club Entertained.
The members of the London Advertising Club were entertained by the Cleveland Ad Club in their club rooms to the Hotel Statler. Addresses of welcome and good fellowship talks were given by President William J. Radatz, Albert J. Leitch and J. M. Douglass. On behalf of the London club replies were made by Thomas Elliott, E. H. Yull, Ernest Dennis, R. M. Douglass and J. M. Douglass. The Cleveland members were invited to pay a visit to London in September, which they gave every assurance of accepting.

At 8 o'clock twenty London Rotarians were the guests of the Cleveland Rotary Club at luncheon at the Statler Hotel. The luncheon card for Wednesday evening was marked, "Go as you please until the boat sails," and this injunction was obeyed faithfully by the "L" visitors. At 10:30 the party boarded the State of Ohio, homeward bound.

**ST. MARY'S GARDEN PARTY
WAS A SPLENDID SUCCESS**

Large Crowd of Merry-makers Had a Most Enjoyable Time.

London's deluge on Tuesday may have caused the postponement of the garden party held on the lawn of St. Mary's Church last night. The ladies of the church, but it detracted nothing from its success when it was held.

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**LONDON OWNED HORSE
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Heat Causes Its Sudden Death—Man Just Escapes Electrocution.

DORCHESTER, July 26.—During the intense heat wave that preceded the electrical storm of Tuesday a valuable horse attached to one of the London Imperial Oil Company's wagons fell dead from sunstroke. The accident happened at Harrietsville.

Retha Walker narrowly escaped being killed when a live wire came down from a tree, while driving on Charles street, during the severe windstorm that passed over this district. A hydro wire broke and fell on a foot from his head.

See the races and baseball Saturday in Detroit, by going on "Bees" M. C. R. excursion, \$2.25, good for three days.

TIE-UP ON RAILWAY.
Traffic was held up for several hours yesterday afternoon on the L. and P. S. Railway as a result of a stalling of an inbound car at Pond Mills. Four cars were bunched before traffic opened again.

London to Detroit and Return—\$2.75.
The Canadian Pacific Railway will run an excursion to Detroit and return July 28, 29, 30, and 31, leaving London at 4:43 a.m. train Saturday, July 28th, and good returning up to and including Monday, July 31st, at the rate of \$2.75, including war tax. Tickets and full information at the City Ticket Office, corner Dundas and Richmond streets. H. J. McCallum, City Passenger Agent, 214.

**DAYTON LAWYER TO
GIVE ADDRESS HERE
ON "CITY MANAGER"**

Under the auspices of the board of trade, H. A. Toulmin, Jun., B. A., of Dayton, Ohio, a lawyer, will deliver an address Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the Indian room, Tecumseh Hotel, on the subject of the "City Manager" form of civic government as practiced in different cities of the United States.

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**WANTED AS JAIL-
BREAKER; ARRESTED
AT CIRCUS GROUND**

Man Who Is Alleged to Have
Escaped Apprehended.

WIFE LIVES IN LONDON

Accused Bigamist, Taken Into
Custody Here, Said to Have
"Jumped" Simcoe Jail.

James Leslie Macdonald, who is alleged to have escaped from the Norfolk County jail at Simcoe on Saturday night last, was arrested at the circus grounds at 7 o'clock this morning by Detective Harry Down.

The description of Macdonald and particulars concerning his escape from the Simcoe jail have been in the hands of the police for several days, and special pains were taken to apprehend Macdonald, who it was thought might be with the circus.

He was working for the circus as a stake driver, and was hard at work this morning when Detective Down, who knew him well, made the arrest.

Macdonald had been confined to the Simcoe jail because of his bigamy, and was awaiting transfer to the Guelph prison farm.

Immediately after his escape, in company with another prisoner, he is said to have walked to Jarvis, ten miles east of Simcoe, and caught a freight train there for Brantford.

The circus was playing Brantford on Monday, and Macdonald joined the company, having followed this line several years ago.

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**'LIBRARY REVIEW' STARTS;
NEW BOOK HAS INTEREST
TO READERS IN LONDON**

Features Work of Local Public Library and Includes Article
by Member of Board Here in Its Initial Number Con-
ducted by Newly-Appointed Inspector.

Ontario Library Review, which is to be published quarterly in the interests of the libraries of the province, has made its initial appearance. It is of interest to Londoners because it represents a new departure that has been inaugurated by W. O. Carson, inspector of public libraries for the province and late public librarian of this city.

The publication, in its first issue, contains an interesting article by Rev. F. H. Leach, editor of the Catholic Record, this city, and a member of the public library board. The activities of the London library are set forth in the "Library News and Notes," and other to the new features of the library here.

Under the heading "London," the following appears: "The rarest of all is the room during the past month was furnished with larger quarters and proper fittings. It is expected that this branch of the work will show considerable development. The department is in charge of Miss Marjorie Flanders, a graduate of Toronto University and of Simmons College, Boston. This has been a department, as well as the tables, benches and charging desk, were specially designed for the juvenile reader, and the room is decorated with pictures that attract the attention of the boys and girls."

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YESTERDAY'S SCORE.

SINCE the 1st of July the British forces have wrested the following places from the grasp of the Teuton oppressor:

FRICOURT.
LA BOISSELLE.
OVIERS.
MAMETZ.
MONTAUBAN.
SERRE.
CONTALMAISON.
BAZENTIN-LE-GRAND.
BAZENTIN-LE-PETIT.
LONGUEVAL.
POZIERES.

Therefore, of the greatest contest staged since the war began, it may be said with due modesty that the score stands:

BRITISH 11
GERMANS 0

HANDS ACROSS THE LAKE.

CLEVELAND is not more than ninety miles from London, yet the two cities have just had, through the agency of the London Board of Trade excursion, their first official neighborly experience. The Londoners were shown a genuine hospitality which called forth a feeling that was warm and "cousinly" to say the least.

London cannot fail to benefit by these little journeys of business discovery. There will be a desire to extend the welcome of this city to businessmen of Cleveland, and as the idea progresses the city will endeavor to secure more objects of interest. We have now formally introduced and good nature should flow.

"Hands across the lake" is a good sign of the friendly feeling that has existed along the lakes and border line for more than a hundred years. Cleveland has treated the London visitors like brothers, and as both bear the title of Forest City, let it be hoped that the social and commercial bonds of the two places will be strengthened as the years proceed. A newfound neighbor like Cleveland is worth having.

NOT LOCKED UP.

The three ex-ministers stood and heard the indictment read. They were not placed in the prisoner's dock—From the report of the Robt's trial.

FAVORITISM to the rich, charged with a criminal offense, is a favorite topic of the editorial writer. The socialistic scribe sometimes cries, "One law for all," and very properly. It is true that the crooked bank manager seldom goes to the penitentiary stone pile. A crook coat gets more consideration every time than a slouch hat. And the past social standing of a man has much to do with his treatment in court.

Yet, perhaps, there is more refined cruelty in this act of apparent kindness. "You should be in the dock, but to spare your tender sensibilities we leave you outside," says the court, thereby rendering the position of the accused more conspicuous.

"Damn your kindness! Lock me up and do your worst!" is what a manly prisoner would have replied. "Apply to me the same rule you apply to other men. And give me even-handed justice." But the ex-ministers invoke the mercy of the court and accept the favors of compassion, thereby giving some measure of their character and hopes of redemption.

A WORTHY DEED.

WHEN ACCOUNTS are cast up by the Canadian people at the conclusion of the war, there will be some great "patriots" unmasked; some, indeed, who with greedy hands have been weaving a halter with which to hang themselves. The final audit will reveal those who have taken advantage of the country, and they will not be few in number.

But there will be a bright ray shed over the dismal picture of depravity in high places. Such actions as that of the Canadian Cartridge Company of Hamilton, in turning over to the country its profits of \$750,000 on war orders, will beam gloriously to light the way to higher ideals and unselfish devotion.

Some time ago the manager of this company, Mr. F. W. Baillie, told Mr. Thomas, the envoy of Lloyd George, that he would put his plant at the disposal of the country for the duration of the war. He has been as good as his word, and this large profit (sufficient to pay 20 per cent on \$3,500,000 worth of orders) comes back to the sorely-stricken Empire. More than that, he has set a standard in manufacturing service which might well be, and no doubt will be, emulated by other manufacturers. In fact, The Advertiser has been informed that one other company, virtually appalled by the magnitude of its profits, has quietly handed back a portion of its "winnings." Others may follow suit.

The action of the Hamilton firm, aside from its magnanimity, will impress the country through its power

to reveal in some degree the size of war-time profits in Canada. The return of \$750,000 to the country is no doubt made after a considerable capital for emergency equipment has been met, and, as it is only just to hope that the company very properly did not deprive itself of a fair return on investment (say ten per cent), it would appear, without being able to ascertain the amount of orders given, that a profit of from 30 to 50 per cent is shown.

The action of Mr. Baillie does not necessarily reflect upon other munition makers. They were entitled to a fair profit. Only as they are shown to have been rapacious when measured by the Baillie standard are they brought into disrepute.

For Mr. Baillie and his associates the country will build a lasting memory of unselfish devotion to the cause. Just as some men reject large salaries for the pay of a private, these gentlemen have foregone enrichment in order to aid their country. Such men as they could wear with good grace such honors as the country has to give.

RILEY'S OWN LINES.

"He pined as much as a man in pain:
A writhing honey bee wet with rain!"

It is doubtful if many of Riley's lines will live longer than the two quoted above. They might have been written of the poet himself, a man whose name leads, like Abou Ben Adhem's, the list of those who love their fellowmen!

ALL RIGHT.

RAINVILLE, July 25.—The following is the report for today:
"Our forces under Gen. Juppier Pluvius opened a grand offensive in the London sector today, overwhelming the enemy by the use of a fire curtain and torrents of ammunition."

BUT

Solarville, July 25.—The following statement was issued today:
"Early today our forces under Gen. Sol recaptured the London sector, absorbing the enemy forces in large quantities. Gen. Pluvius disappeared in a rout, and was last reported retreating down the Thames. We are now centering our attack on the town pump."

HOME RULE FOR WOMEN.

IN A RECENT English novel the woman after long patience suddenly resents her husband's irksome interference with her household and social arrangements and demands "autonomy." She asks not for the "independence" which franchise or a mother's pension law might give, not even for a joint bank account, but only for a recognition of her personal freedom. He considers that he has to "endow her with all his worldly goods" only on condition that she keep her vow of obedience to his will. But she stands for autonomy, which is, in some ways, a lesser thing than "home rule," in some ways rather more.

How many women have, after all, like Ireland, sighed for even Home Rule. Many husbands, while professing to leave the home to the wife as "her sphere," have interfered unduly even there. Some women, again, enjoying complete control of the roost, have found their outside relations correspondingly to shrivel up. One is reminded of a hen with chickens, mistress of her narrow household, but confined by the slats in front of the box. Or think of a parrot in a cage, which bites if you intrude a finger.

Suddenly, then, a woman and a cry for "autonomy," the meaning perhaps not very definite, but still a meaning.

Our Canadian women probably are in a good position, comparatively speaking. They experience little browbeating, not to speak of beating. They get and get about what they wish. As one of the English suffragettes on lecture tour in this country said, somewhat despairingly, the Canadian women have so large a measure of comfort and freedom that they ignore the franchise. They have Home Rule, often with a vengeance. Of course, there is a corollary of our femininity, a sort of Ulster, that holds out for man's divine right to command, and rather specializes in submission, but autonomy is more common.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Don't YOU get drowned.

Bourassa seems to have a jinx on Sir Robert Borden.

A nickel for a "soda" will make many a thirsty kid happy.

Write to your friends at the front at least once a week.

Heavy fog on the railway seem to laugh at "Safety First."

Chance for the town punster today, with what the "intense" heat and the circus in town.

Let the Government hand to Hughes and Rogers and the Liberals care not who else remain.

How can we work with that "——" phonograph going from 8 a.m. till 12:30 a.m.?

September 14 is the date for British Columbia to be reborn. Oh, happy day for the great Pacific province!

A letter from the trenches honors the recipient. Does he realize how much the boys "over there" crave news of home?

No doubt the boys at the front will forgive us if we put the home fires out for a few days. The temperature stands at 20 odd.

The Advertiser has not put up base-ball bulletins this season, nor have box scores been printed. No objections have been registered, which indicates that to their credit the "fans" are interested in another sort of big league race.

Mr. Glauzib, erstwhile manager of London's public utilities, pops up in the news again. There is one news-

THE PURSUIT OF VILLA

BY FONTAINE FOX



IF THE LITTLE JONES GIRLS HADN'T BEEN PLAYING SEESAW THAT DAY VILHA WOULD CERTAINLY HAVE BEEN CORNERED.

The Advertiser's Daily Short Story

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An Experiment in Dinner

By Fanny Gray.

A FARMER'S PROSPERITY. (Puck.)
Farmer Corning was asked whether he had had a good year.
"Gosh, yes!" he exclaimed. "I had four cows and three hogs killed by railway trains, and two hogs and eleven chickens killed by automobiles. I cleared a thousand dollars."

TOUCHING HIS HEART. (Fall Mail Gazette.)
The young physician was tired, but as he settled back in his easy-chair, and his newly-wedded wife took a seat beside him, he "sighed affectionately. Oh, no," she said animatedly; "at least, not very. I found something to busy myself with."

CALGARY FASHIONS. (Calgary Herald.)
Rev. Dr. McKee doesn't like the way many Calgary women are dressing these days, and he told a company of them as they passed his house. "The dress of today is all right as far as it goes. The trouble mostly is that it doesn't go far enough."

THE EVOLUTIONS OF SAMMY. (By a Soldier's Wife.)
Once there lived a little boy. And they named him Sammy. Grew this boy up to be a man. Some say he proved "shammy."

Up the social scale he grew. Cute he was and eager. Nothing was too hard for him. Nothing was too meagre.

Into politics he dipped. When he grew up older. Nothing was too hard for him. Nothing was too meagre.

Next a uniform he dons. Viewing soldiers on parade. Each day some recital.

Then across the sea he sails. To meet his King and master. Gets a "handle" to his name. Who can travel faster?

But his country could not do. Very much without him. So they called him home again. Don't say 'twas to look him!

In a new light now appears Sam, the noble leader. Standing by his "dearest friend" Allison, the pleader.

Farring lawyers with a word. Jeering at his judges. Answers with an angry snort. Neither yields nor budges.

Suffering from a bad attack Of "inflated ego" Is he at his zenith yet? Who can say?

"Oh, how lovely! Of course I'll be on time. Don't miss the early train!" The usual lover-like demonstration, and Harry was gone.

Molly ordered liberally from the market, and returned to find Bridget standing with hat and coat on ready to go out.

"Going to have company, Mrs. Carr?" "Oh, no, Bridget. Why do you ask?" "Such a lot of stuff as you've got!"

"We are going to have a very good dinner tonight, Bridget; it's the first chance I've had."

"Well, I wish you luck!" And Bridget laughed good-naturedly as she went down the walk.

In the middle of the afternoon, Molly, after putting out her street suit and hat so that she might make a lightning change if the theatre tickets were forthcoming, descended to the kitchen, clad in a neat blue linen dress, and tackled the dinner.

She sang as she went about her work, picturing Harry's pride in her, and his enjoyment of the dinner she had arranged to have the things he most liked.

About half past five, Mrs. Webster, a near neighbor, who had made friends at once with Molly, rang the bell of the Carrs' house. Molly answered, sat down with her caller, and apologized for her dress. But she was so evidently nervous and left the room so many times on one excuse or another that her experienced friend began to realize that something must be wrong with kitchen arrangements.

At last the truth came out, and Molly explained her predicament, between tears and laughter. Her tears were not the proverbial ones of the sad and helpless bride, but they were angry ones, giving way finally to a burst of hysterical laughter as the ridiculousness of the situation came over her.

"Why, Mrs. Webster," she cried, "it never occurred to me I couldn't get a whole dinner alone! I've done lots of cooking!"

"Yes, with mother or cook nearby. I suspect," answered her friend. "If only Harry didn't have to know what a mess I've made!"

"Why, I told him I knew everything, and I've planned to have all his favorite things."

"Come on up and let's see how bad it is," suggested Mrs. Webster.

And Molly led the way.

with a pot of coffee you'll have a delicious and hearty supper after all. "I see I've got the best neighbor in the world, and I'm certainly going to take her advice," said Molly. And she proceeded to carry out her word.

At 6:30 Harry was met at the door by a smiling bride. He held up an envelope, teasingly, high above her head.

"Do I get some good food or do we stay home tonight? No nice dinner, no hippodrome, you know."

"I guess I got dressed in time," said Molly, demurely, and, hand in hand, like two children, they went into the dining-room.

As Harry took the last swallow of the delicious, piping hot coffee, he remarked:

"Bully supper, Molly. Took my advice after all, didn't you? I'm glad you didn't spend the afternoon fussing over a hot dinner."

Mary smiled at him across the table.

WAIT A MINUTE!

—By J. M. F.

Baldness is hereditary, says a lady expert. Inasmuch as our male parent had a thatch like a coconut, somebody must have removed our top dressing when we were not yet hatched.

A New York boy grew 43½ inches in eight days. A lot of persons show a chest development much greater than that when some dignitary speaks a kindly word to them.

The Kaiser says he cannot go to the front, as the Almighty needs him to look after Germany. Still, Bill has one eye peeled for the good of his own hide and the future of his family.

A German prince is said to have gone crazy. He does not seem to be much different from the rest of the family.

A preacher wants to know whether or not humanity is in the grip of evil. If you see bad colors all the time, it is. Otherwise the dear old world is stumbling, somewhat blindly, of course, towards a better day, and a better time.

Holland has issued an Orange book on the war. Germany will issue a Blue (ruin) book.

There will be 3,800 prayer meetings a week in Detroit during Billy Sunday's revival. Looks as if Detroit will need just that many prayer meetings, if there going to be any improvement.

We had rain, in glorious gobs. We could have done without the fireworks display.

It is expected that the crew of the submarine Deutschland will sing that touching little thing entitled "Life is Fleeting."

If the United States Government does not soon start a war in Mexico to save Editor Hearst's ranch, the New York American will have to edit that can be accommodated in one small office.

Hint on how to entertain in the summertime—Don't.

The loudest wails about daylight saving came from the women. Mother always gets the worst of it.

We want to be handy when Kaiser Wilhelm upbraids the Almighty for throwing him down.

Judge Hughes is playing golf. They are trying hard to make him human.

Villa is fleeing to the mountains once more. He is recovering from his last defeat.

The United States has 21,000,000 men of military age, and about 23 ready to fight.

An American poet sings that the dancing men of the U. S. A. are, on their way to war, possibly learning to sidestep.

There is a race horse in the West called Billy Sunday. He cannot burn up the race track as the original Billy can the English language.

An American judge cut down a lawyer's fees from \$10,000 to \$35. Rather a nice way to treat a brother.

Prince Henry of Prussia has written a poem on the submarine Deutschland. The hymn is probably as halting as the return trip of the boat.

"The sun has got us on the run," wails a gent, but we are down to a walk, and a mighty slow one at that.

PLEASURE YACHT MISSING

Quebec Boat Thought Somewhere off Coast of Maine.

PORTLAND, Me., July 26.—Inquiries were received here today regarding the pleasure steam yacht Wild Rose of Quebec, which touched here on Saturday, it was understood, on the way to Bar Harbor. A message from Bar Harbor said the craft had not reached there this afternoon, and confirmation of her sailing from this port was sought.

The Wild Rose is said to be owned by a son of George A. Drummond of Quebec, but nothing further regarding her or the party on board was known here.

NOT THE WILD ROSE.
MONTREAL, July 26.—There is a yacht, "Wild Rose," at Beaufield, P.Q., owned by Arthur Drummond, but it is said the vessel has not been in the water for two seasons. She is in her berth at the St. Lawrence Sugar Refineries.

SHACKELTON REACHING GOAL.
BUENOS AYRES, Argentina Republic, July 26.—According to a message received here today, Lieut. Sir Ernest Shackleton, the British Arctic explorer, has reached the ice fields in his effort to rescue the 22 men left on Elephant Island last April, when his expedition returned home from the south Polar zone.

The relief party left Punta Arenas July 12 on board the schooner Arenas, which was to be towed as far south as possible by a Chilean Government steamer, after which it was the intention of the explorer to continue his search for his marooned companions.

FIVE MORE UNITS AND DRAFTS REACH ENGLAND

88th and 93rd Battalions Among Those to Arrive Safely.

OTTAWA, July 26.—It is officially announced through the chief press censor's office that the following troops have arrived in England:

The 11th Canadian Mounted Rifles, British Columbia; 98th Battalion, Ontario; 58th Battalion, Ontario; 105th Battalion, Prince Edward Island; 106th Battalion, Nova Scotia; cavalry, artillery, and infantry drafts and details.

WANTS HER BABY BACK

Ottawa Girl Begins Court Action in Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 26.—Hearing on the petition for a writ of habeas corpus brought by Miss Margaret Ryan, a Canadian working girl, against Mrs. Anna Dollie Ledgerwood Matters in an effort to get possession of "Baby Irene," who is claimed by both women, was held today in the United States district court.

Sister St. Celestine of the Misericordia Hospital in Ottawa, Ont., where Miss Ryan alleges the child was born, testified that in June, 1915, it was arranged that Mrs. Matters should adopt a child. She testified further that Mrs. Matters asked that on the records it would appear that the child was her own and that a child born to Margaret Ryan was given to Mrs. Matters. For a long time Miss Ryan believed that her child had died.

SUMMER COMPLAINT

Was So Bad HE COULD NOT WORK

DR. FOWLER'S Extract of Wild Strawberry Cured Him.

Mr. Stephen H. Shaw, Fairmount, Sask., writes: "I have used Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, and must say it is a fine medicine for summer complaint. We have so much all-water here in the west that last summer I had summer complaint, and became so weak I could not work. I was advised to try 'Dr. Fowler's,' so got a bottle, and in a few days I was as well as ever."

"Dr. Fowler's" is the original "Wild Strawberry." It has been on the market for the past 70 years.

There are a number of preparations on the market today, claiming the same curative powers, but none so pure, powerful, and trying to trade on the reputation of this wonderful bowel remedy.

There is nothing can take the place of "DR. FOWLER'S."

There is nothing "Just as Good." Insist on getting it when you ask for it. The price of all dealers is 25c per bottle. Manufactured only by The T. M. M. Company, Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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A PAGE OF GENERAL INTEREST TO WOMEN READERS

Special Offerings for Friday and Saturday

CONTINUING OUR GREAT CLEARANCE SALE IN MILLINERY, DRESSES, SUITS, COATS AND SKIRTS.

The biggest values of the season are now being offered. Note a few of the great bargains offered.



10 Panama Hats, worth \$2.50, for 95c
2 dozen Panama hats, reg. \$4.00, for \$2.00
With silk elastic band, free of charge,
to every \$2.00 hat. The hand form-
only sold at 30c.
3 dozen Genuine Panamas, worth up
to \$10.00, at \$2.75, \$3.75, \$4.95
16 Leghorn Hats, regular \$2.75 and
\$4.50, at \$1.95
25 Trimmed Hats, various colors, reg.
\$2.00 and \$4.00, at 98c
White Hats, Black and White Sport
Hats, Children's Hats in all the new-
est styles. Half Price and Less. Every
hat in this sale is positively worth
twice the selling amount. Come early and have the first choice.

Special Great Reductions on Summer Dresses

Smart and Attractive Dresses in stripes, voiles, lawns and dimities.
Regular \$6.00, for quick clearing, at \$2.98
Regular \$5.00, for quick clearing, at \$1.98
Regular \$7.50, for quick clearing, at \$3.98
Regular \$10.00, for quick clearing, at \$4.50
House Dresses and Children's Dresses
Suits, Coats, Skirts, Waists, Middles, Kimonos, Underskirts, cut in half.
Yes, we've cut the prices right in two. We suggest you come early, as many of the bargains will be picked up.

The Dominion Ladies' Outfitters

269 DUNDAS ST. COR. WELLINGTON AND DUNDAS STS.

Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn. No letter can be answered privately.]

Danish Names.
Dear Miss Grey.—Could you or any of your readers supply me with the words of the old song, "In Dear Old Georgia, My Southern Home"?
2. Where would I be able to get the music to this?
3. My sister is 12 years old, and passed the entrance examinations. Do you think she is far enough advanced? 4. What are the meanings of Dagmar, Valborg, Aage and Thorvald? They are all Danish names.
Thanking you in advance, I remain, a SOUTHERNER'S FRIEND.
Ans.—1 and 2. Referred to musical readers.
3. Yes, I could say she was advancing very nicely.
4. I do not know the meaning of any of these names. Sorry.

Sounds Gypsy-Like.
Dear Miss Grey.—Here comes another interested reader, although I have written before, but not for some time.
I just finished reading "Laurie's" letter, and I sure think he is a real sport. He says he's up at 5:30. Well, "Laurie," I sometimes beat that, as I get up at 4 to wash on Monday morning, but, anyway, you certainly do your share.
Miss Grey, inclosed you will find the song "The Rosary," asked for by "Laurie." I also have the song "There's a Little Lane Without a Turning," which is somewhat like the first song he asked for. Thought perhaps he might have made a mistake. If this is the one, then, "Laurie," speak up.
I also enjoy many other letters, in

fact all. They all help to make "our page more pleasant." I certainly must not forget you either, Miss Grey. I feel for you these hot days, all tucked up in a little office. Wish you could only visit me a few days or weeks and get refreshed up a bit. Say, I forgot to ask "Laurie" to excuse the paper I wrote the song on, as it is some of my science paper I had left over and that I use for this purpose. Now for a few questions:
1. Which are the best for a person's hair, bone or wire hairpins?
2. Could anyone lend me either of the two books, "All for a Scrap of Paper" and "Dearest Than Life"? I cannot get these, and will take the best of care of them and return when finished.
I will try and send some help next time. I feel sorry for "Aunt Nannie" and "Mrs. Gay," and all the others who have relatives at the front. Wish the best of luck to the Mail-Box and also yourself. I remain,
RETTAH ROMAINE.

Ans.—What a lovely gypsyed sound your signature has! Yet I don't believe you are one. The gypsies I know at least don't rise at 4 in the morning to wash, nor do they take science lessons! Anyway, you're a kind-hearted soul to pity a poor newspaper editor, and thank accordingly.
1. I've always heard it said that bone hairpins were better than wire. 2. Referred to readers. Hope someone—"Laurie," perhaps—may have the volumes to loan.
Songs for Flags.
Dear Miss Grey.—I have noticed

Daily Bible Question Club

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D. D.
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The six daily questions for this week constitute the International S. S. Lesson for next Sunday. Read the Bible Story on which this study is based, as you ponder the following questions:

The word of the cross—1 Cor. 1:1, 2:5.
Golden text.—Far be it from me to glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. Gal. 6:14.
12. Verses 17-25. What is the origin of baptism, and what is its object?
13. If a preacher shows profound scholarship and mastery of eloquence in the pulpit, would that or not, and why, be contrary to Paul's idea of preaching the gospel, and would it be apt to make converts there and then?
14. Paul seems to argue that a display of human wisdom in preaching the gospel would obscure the simplicity of the cross. Is he right or wrong, and why?

through your valuable columns that some of your readers have some flags (tobacco or gum) that they do not need, and as I should very much like to get some I will exchange any of the following songs or recitations for them: Songs—"A Soldier and a Volunteer," "Faded Gown of Blue," "Death of Nelson," "Just Before the Battle, Mother," "Kilmer," "When Johnny Comes Marching Home," "Yes, Let Me Like a Soldier Die," "Waiving of the Green," "The Minstrel Boy," or "Tenting Tonight." Recitations—"Kaiser's Prayer," "A Salisbury Plain," "Tommy Atkins' Views," "Canadian Boy," "My Dear Canada," "What We Can Do For Canada," "Waiting Till the Bugle Blows," "Canadian Boys," "Wilhelm II.," "What Shall the Judgment Be," or "A Tribute to Canadians." I remain,
JOLLY.
Ans.—Offers all referred to readers.

Coupons to Order.
Miss Grey.—I am sending some cigarette flags, as I remember some one asked for them, and would some one send me some R. Hood out coupons for I need only three more to get what I want? I will send some Court soap wrappers in exchange for some sweet heart coupons. I will also send a quilt block as soon as I get time to finish it. Nannie.
YOUNG STEPMOTHER.

Ans.—You will be very glad to know that three coupons of the kind desired reached me the same mail as your letter, and I have sent them on to you. The flags I shall put to good use, and demand for them is constant. Call again, "Y. S."

Business Girl's Ideas.
Dear Cynthia, there are one or two questions asked lately that, perhaps, I can help on. I thought I would give you a letter. "Anxious Molly" asked if one could go to business college with only an entrance standing. As far as I am able to find out, the business colleges do not ask for any educational qualifications, or, at least, a certificate. They do advise, however, and advise strongly, that a pupil have at least one or two years in high school. However, they will not refuse a pupil with only entrance standing. You can see the reason of a good education being necessary, as a stenographer needs to know grammar, composition, spelling, syntax, and to understand the use of words as when it comes to taking a letter a stenographer is often "swamped" through the lack of a good English vocabulary. Then, too, let a stenographer get a position with a law firm and many a time a good stenographer who do not possess a good command of English will fall down. I would advise "Anxious Molly" to put her pride in her pocket, and, if possible, go back to high school and stay there for two or three years at least. Of course, if she is in need of money, then, of course, go to business college. Oh, "Heavenly Twins," what do you suppose is the fate of your last letter? I laughed and mused over it that I cut it out and am putting it in a "News From Home" scrap-book that's going to England. Hope the "M. E." won't be "hot," as the weather is too warm as it is.

Here's a hint I "discovered," that to make a very neat label for your "soldier lady's" belongings take ordinary tape, half-inch wide, and type name on same. It looks so "up-to-date" to mark his possessions as, "J. Canuck." After same is typed, take a wet cloth (wring out of water) and place tape between two folds and press with hand until tape is thoroughly wet. This will "set" ink and make a very neat label. X. B.—Stenographers, don't use a new ribbon for typing; use an old one, so names won't run. Sincerely,
BUSINESS GIRL.

Ans.—Your letters always seem to me like a sound nut—full of meat. And this one is no exception. Your idea for labelling Johnny Canuck is fine.

Right Hot.
Dear Miss Grey.—Well, here I am again writing to you so soon, but when I saw where "B. C.'s" sister offered those gum flags I just couldn't help it, as I am right hot after some. I am sending an addressed envelope. I am as B. C.'s sister. B. B. B. P. S.—I would like mine to finish a cover I am making and can't get them any more here.
I am sending "I Love a Lassie." I hope who it was asked for.
Ans.—Referred to "B. C.'s" sister.

Trix's Nice Roses.
Dear Miss Grey.—Well, well, here I am as big as ever and twice as natural, but really I would not be here if I wasn't sending the roses I promised you and "Twenty-One." Say, where are you now? I never see him writing these days at Camp Borden; how does the sand catch you, "T. O."? I guess I will stop, as Miss Grey says be brief with my best wishes to all the Mail-Box readers.
Ans.—"Trix," I had to enjoy both those "bokays" as by the time they reached the office they were simply too witty to send. One of them who was far off at Camp Borden. But I'll extend thanks enough for us both. They were certainly lovely. You evidently haven't been reading the "post" very closely of late, for several letters from "T. O." have appeared.

Who Has Used It?
Dear Miss Grey.—I am sure you have plenty of letters to answer without mine, but I would like to drop into the Mail-Box for this time anyway. See where "B. C.'s" sister has flag-lette flags from gum. I started making a slumber robe of them, and had it nearly finished (all but four

ADVERTISER PATTERNS



A Serviceable Practical Model.
No. 1735—Men's Negligee or Outing Shirt, with sleeve in either of two lengths, and collar rolled high or low. Madras, percale, gingham, seersucker, poplin, linen, pique, flannel and silk are nice for this style. The short sleeve is a new feature, and fine for warm days and warm work. The pattern is cut in seven sizes, 35, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48 and 50 inches breast measure, neck measure to correspond in sizes 15, 15½, 16, 16½, 17, 17½, and 18. It requires 3½ yards of 36-inch material for a 17-inch neck size. A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

ADVERTISER PATTERN DEPT.
Please send above mentioned pattern, as per directions given below, to:
Name.....
Town.....
Province.....
Age (if child's or miss's pattern).....
Measurement: Bust..... Waist.....

Caution: Be careful to inclose the above illustration, and send size of pattern wanted. When the pattern is sent you need only mark 22, 34 or whatever it may be. When in waist measure, 22, 34 or whatever it may be. If a skirt, give waist and length measure. When miss's or child's pattern, give age. Patterns cannot be sent by mail. Patterns cannot be sent by mail. Patterns cannot be sent by mail.

Never Too Late.
Dear Miss Grey.—I am sending you a small amount for "Aunt Nannie's" quilt lining. I hope it won't be too late, as my heart is sore for her in the loss of her son. Yours truly,
ROBIN BROWN BREST.

Wants the Flags.
Dear Miss Grey.—Saw in yesterday's paper where someone (B. C.'s sister) as it happened to be, has some flags—like flannel with bright colored flax on them. I wish she would send me four or five. I'll leave my address and stamps with Miss Grey.
Saw in the column a few days ago about developing a film. Well, I use M. Q. developing powders. I dissolve the contents of the blue paper in a little water, then add the contents of the red paper and fill the glass to the four ounce mark with water. As a rule one or two minutes is about long enough to leave in this liquid, but you can tell by holding the film to the light from the candle lamp.

VERY ANXIOUS.
Ans.—"Will B. C.'s sister" please send me the flags? There are at least three applications for them.
"Peggie Douglas" asked me for your address and as I didn't have it, I requested you to send it, but evidently you overlooked her letter offering the loan of a book. Today, the book comes along to me, and I am returning it, using the stamps you inclose for flags.

Do You Know.
Dear Miss Grey.—Do our readers know? 1. That fried cakes lifted with a hatpin are not so apt to be heavy. 2. Gravies stirred with a flesh fork are smoother. 3. Baking soda is a good dentifrice. 4. A pair of silk hose for baby can be made from the tops of long gloves after the hand part is worn out. Can anyone let me have some of the ribbon that curls are tied with? I mean the yellow ribbons with the name of the clear printed on them. I am inclosing some cigarette flags (cigarettes), which you can pass on to someone desirous of the same. Thanking you, I remain,
SUNBEAM.

P. S.—Will gladly forward postage for the ribbons.
Ans.—Well, aren't you the little "Sunbeam" though, to peep in with your four hints, and a bunch of flag-lette flags as soon as I hear from anyone with ribbons.

Is Not Wise.
Dear Miss Grey.—I will "Kitty" please send me information re-printing on silk. I am inclosing stamped envelope.
Is it all right to let your gentleman friend put his arm around you when he comes to see you? I think a great deal of him and we have come together a year.
3. Is this addressed properly?
I am sending how to make a rose-jar.
Gather a quantity of roses on fine, dry days. Remove the petals; take a china or glass bowl and put a handful of table salt at the bottom. Drop handful of petals, and so on till all the petals are used, scattering salt on top. Let this remain five days, stirring twice a day. Add three ounces of coarsely powdered alspice and two

ounces of bruised stick cinnamon. This forms the stock. Let remain a week, turning it daily from bottom to top; then put in the permanent jar one ounce of alspice and adding the stock, sprinkle with the following mixture: One ounce cloves, one ounce cinnamon, two nutmegs, powdered; one ginger root; half ounce anise seed; half pound of freshly dried lavender flowers; two ounces powdered coriander, and rose, lavender or lemon oil.
Ans.—"Kitty" has the already supplied hints four or five times, and the last time I kept a copy of what she advised and am sending it on to you.
2. It is never wise to allow any man to embrace you unless you are engaged to him. I'd advise you not to permit it.
3. Yes.

Uses His Spare Time.
Dear Miss Grey.—I have read your page with great interest for some time. I am living in the country and helping with the farm work. Though I am needed part of the time on the farm I have some spare time in the winter and other times throughout the year. I have quite a liking for business and so I usually spend the spare time profitably by canvassing for different things in my neighborhood. I can make a nice little bit of spending money in this way and I think anyone can quite easily. Of course, a person needs to sell something the people want.
I have sold postcards, nursery stock and other things quite easily, but, of course, I have sometimes lost more than I gained. From experience I have got so I can do pretty well at agency work, though, and like it fine. It is nice spare-time work, being healthy and profitable. One can pay a neighbor a visit in the evening and also sell her a little. The evenings can be used to call on people close to home. One can call on one or two in an evening and make a nice little profit if she or he has a good thing to sell. The best things to sell are things that are used up and can be sold again. Things of this sort are soap, postcards, perfumes, metal polish and several other things.
Some of the readers who wonder how they could make a little money should try some agency. I have done it and can say that it is all right. If my experience can be of any use I am willing to give it to any of the readers who might want it, for I have had a lot of it. Success to all.

ANXIOUS HELPER.
Ans.—You are a very practical young man and it's generous of you to give some "other fellow" the benefit of your experience. Best of success to you.

For "Tender Heart".
Dear Miss Grey.—Here I come for help and with help.
I am sending "Tender Heart" about 17 coupons.
Please send me "T. H.'s" address, that is if she is willing. "Lonely Soldier's Sister, No. 1," will you please send Quaker oats and Robin Hood oats, also magic baking powder coupons for them, or copy any of the following songs for any one who wants them: "The Gaby Glider," "In a City Where Nobody Cares," "Under the Bamboo Tree," "Mary, Mary, Quite Contrary," or "Kiss and Let's Make Up." "Life is a Sideshow," "I Wonder Who's Kissing Her Now," "Ain't You Coming Back to Old New Hampshire, Molly," and "On a Moonlight Winter's Night." To make a rose jar take a pinch of powdered clove; also add a few drops of oil of roses. Repeat the above until your jar is full; cover and leave for a few weeks. Mine did not turn out very good because I did not follow directions.

ARMADA.
Ans.—Your coupons have been sent to "Tender Heart"; shall send you her address if she is willing. Songs' exchanges are referred.

A Question Box.
Dear Miss Grey.—Like many others, I am coming to you for help. Has anyone any Comfort soap coupons to spare? Also Quaker oats coupons. I return I can give 15 Wrigley's doublemint gum wrappers, 54 Wrigley's spearmint gum wrappers, and 22 orange wrappers. Also can send "School Days," "Star of the East," "When You and I Were Young, Maggie," "The Old Oaken Bucket," "If I Only Had a Heart," "Sweet Home," "Hello, Central, Give Me Heaven," "Ain't You Coming Back to Old New Hampshire, Molly," and "On a Moonlight Winter's Night." To make a rose jar take a pinch of powdered clove; also add a few drops of oil of roses. Repeat the above until your jar is full; cover and leave for a few weeks. Mine did not turn out very good because I did not follow directions.

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LIFEBUOY HEALTHY SOAP

The every-purpose soap where health is a prime consideration

For the toilet and the bath Lifebuoy Soap is unexcelled. Its velvety lather soothes and cleanses while its mild carbolic solution is a wonderful health-preserving agent. The slight carbolic odor vanishes quickly after use.



offer. Yes, more than enough blocks have come in now; the general favor seems to be for sending them to "Aunt Nannie," and letting her make up the quilt as she wishes, or at least have it made in her own home.
1. Replying to your queries (which I am not printing for crowded space), some say Quilts and cannot print them. Hohenzollern is the Kaiser's family name.
2. Standard.
3. Wet the mildew spot, rub with soap, then with chalk, and hang blouse in the sun; repeat twice daily until the spot is gone.
4. Yes.
5. The names of all the counties in Ontario raising battalions for overseas? Afraid I cannot name them all, as I know them more by number than by county name. There are, of course, Middlesex, Lanark, Elgin, Huron and Essex, but no doubt others that I have missed.

NOTES.
"Bothersome"—The flags have been sent as you requested.
"Busy Farmer's Wife," whose chickens had the gaps, a reader, "wanting," sends a cure for you (or rather them), and I cannot print it as it advises a patent remedy. You might send address, if you would.
"Gentle Sea Breeze"—Thanks for your rose bowl clipping. We already have had several methods in print, and add yours to the rest.

"Patriotic"—Your two blocks shall go to "Aunt Nannie" with the rest, and you mustn't call them "failures," for they are very nicely worked anyway. May I say how sorry I am to hear of your troubles. I often think that it tends to draw the members of a family closer together, don't you? And in helping one another, each is made a little bit stronger and sweeter.
I am sending you most of the pieces for which you ask, you need not return them.
Who has a copy of "Daddy"? I'd like the words for "Patriotic" and "Black Beauty."

These two thoroughly reliable brands of salt should be in every home. Good groceries sell them. Dominion Salt Co. Limited, Sarnia, Ont.

CENTURY SALT FOR BEST FOR GENERAL USE

HUNT'S DIAMOND FLOUR ALWAYS THE SAME

SPECIAL SALE OF ALL SUMMER GOODS

H. Wolf & Sons 265 DUNDAS STREET.

COMPASS OIL

FRY'S COCOA

CEETEE UNDERCLOTHING

Guaranteed Not To Shrink.

LETUCE. Head, fine, each, 10c. LETUCE. "Cos," 10c. ENDIVE, 10c. Main & Collyer TELEPHONE 2831. P. O. BOX 273

200 SLIGHTLY RAIN-SOILED FURNITURE BARGAINS

A flooded basement is not conducive to the improvement of any household goods, and the terrific deluge of Tuesday having invaded this department, consequently left its traces on our large stock stored therein, leaving us no alternative but to offer the slightly-soiled stock on our GENEROUS CLUB PLAN for the next three days at great reductions. Our Stoves, Ranges, Veranda Furniture, Baby Carriages, Sulkies, Kitchen Cabinets, Refrigerators, etc., will go at prices which will open the eyes of the discriminative buyer. A few of the special lines are enumerated below, and go together with many others which are too numerous to mention here.

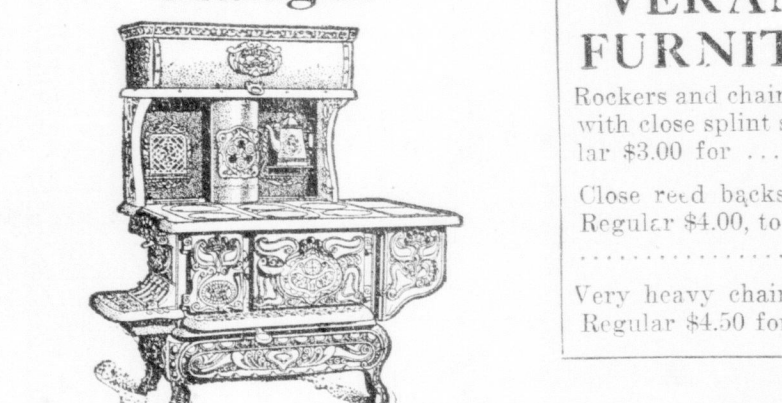


Our \$42 Kitchen Cabinet for \$33.75

\$6 Cash, \$1 Weekly

Is Constructed of the best White Indiana Oak, with best nickel trimmings, full extended aluminum top, air-proof rustless spice jars and sanitary sugar jar, dust-proof bread box with cake tray, and with 40 labor-saving devices, making a wife's work mere house-play.

Happy Thought Ranges

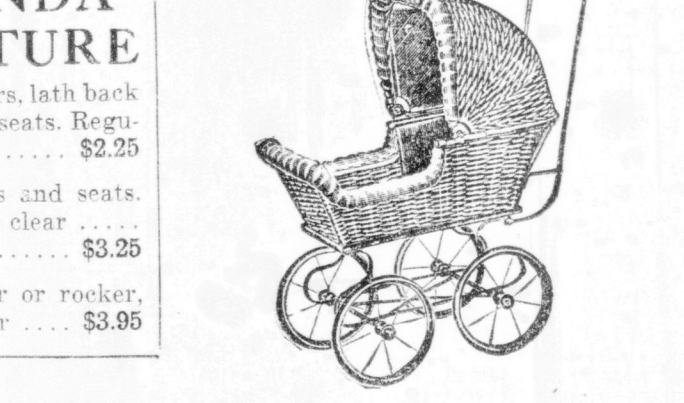


Our regular \$49.50, complete with warming closet, for \$42.50
Our regular \$32.00 Standard Range for \$25.00

ON OUR CLUB PLAN.
Get these, if even for later delivery.

KITCHEN CABINET BASES
Finished Natural Maple with bread and flour bins, cutlery and linen drawers, etc., \$8.95 for No. 2, \$7.00 for \$5.75

15 Per Cent Off



15% off all our baby carriages, with a beautiful selection of some 40 carriages to choose from, wood and reed bodies in grey and cream enamel. On Our Club Plan

SULKIES
All steel collapsible, Regular \$4.00 for \$3.25
All steel collapsible with adjustable backs, \$6.50 for \$5.45
Brown reed, regular \$4.90 for \$3.65
Brown reed with hood, \$7.95 for \$6.50

Three only refrigerators, large family size; porcelain enamel interiors. Regular \$16.50, for \$13.95
\$3 CASH, \$1 WEEKLY.

228-230 DUNDAS ST. The Ontario Furniture Co. 228-230 DUNDAS ST.

CAPTURE OF TOWN CLEARS ROAD FOR MOVE ON BAPAUME

Win Shows Effort To Block
Allies Is Futile.

BLASTS GERMAN HOPES

Lloyd George Points Out Significance of Order to Hun
General Staff.

LONDON, July 26.—The British official statement, issued tonight, says:

"With the exception of occasional artillery duels and sharp local encounters at various points there was no important incident today."

The afternoon report tells, as follows, of the capture of Pozieres:

"The whole village of Pozieres is now in our hands. West of the village our territorial troops made a further advance and captured two strong trenches and a number of prisoners, including five officers. Elsewhere on the battle front there is no change."

LONDON, July 26.—10:40 p.m.—The Allies are able to congratulate themselves on another good day's record with the capture of the important positions of Pozieres, on the west front, and Eszang, in Armenia, while the Russian General Sakharoff, in the fighting on the Sivka River captured another 1,000 prisoners and five guns.

The British secretary of war, David Lloyd George, in a published statement tonight shows the importance of the German attack on the retention of the village of Pozieres by quoting from a German divisional order issued in Contalmaison on July 14, as follows:

"Further, the capture of the village into strong points is of the greatest importance. Such villages are the key to the Contalmaison, the two Buzins, and Longueval. The capture of Pozieres would mean the last of these villages has fallen into the Allied hands. He further points out that today's German claim of the repulse of an attack on Pozieres must be a clerical error, as Trones wood has been in British possession since July 14.

The opinion of the military critics in London is that no position so strong as the British are now successfully taking will be found between Pozieres and Bapaume; otherwise, they argue, the Germans would not have risked bringing troops and guns from the Verdun sector to defend Pozieres, and it is inferred from the official dispatches that the British are already beginning to establish themselves on both sides of the road from Pozieres to Bapaume.

The capture of Pozieres gives the British troops domination of the highest point overlooking the plateau on which the German lines extend to the eastward.

Some of the most stubborn fighting in the recent British offensive, which now has lasted nearly a month, has occurred in the streets of this village, which the Germans had fortified until it became one of the strongest points of their line.

Every house had to be fought for and taken separately, and the British, after obtaining possession of a considerable portion of the village, were obliged to sever the counter-attacks, which they withstood successfully for several days, and then in turn again seized the initiative until the whole place fell before their onslaught.

T. HEALY TALKS WILD
IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

Accuses Government of Treating Irish Prisoners Cruelly.

LONDON, July 26.—9:15 p.m.—An exciting scene, indicative of the strong feeling which prevails among the Irish members, took place in the House of Commons tonight, when Timothy Healey, charged the Government with arresting 2,000 innocent persons in the course of the Irish rebellion, and treating them with a cruelty and ferocity which even Germany has not shown in Belgium. The home secretary, he added, by his administration had started the Sinn Fein organization in Ireland, and therefore was father of the movement.

The speaker here called Healey to order for irrelevance, but did not refuse the request of Herbert L. Samuel, the home secretary, for permission to reply to the charges made by Healey. Secretary Samuel characterized Healey's charges as utterly unfounded, and denied vigorously that prisoners had been ill-treated or placed in solitary confinement as alleged. The home secretary said he would leave the House to judge the value of Healey's allegations.

EARL OF LYTON
SUCCEEDS DEVONSHIRE

Has Been Appointed Civil Lord of the Admiralty.

LONDON, July 26.—8:23 p.m.—The Earl of Lyton has been appointed civil lord of the admiralty, replacing the Duke of Devonshire, who has been designated governor-general of Canada.

RASH ITCHED AND
BURNED ON BABY

Healed by Cuticura
Trial Free

"Baby was about five months old when we noticed little red spots on his face. The skin was all inflamed, and the rash itched and burned and caused him to scratch. His face was disfigured and he was cross and fretful and we lost a lot of rest with him. We had to keep his hands tied in a shawl so that he wouldn't scratch."

"We got some Cuticura Soap and Ointment. We used two cakes of Cuticura Soap together with the Ointment and the trouble healed." (Signed) Louis Gingerich, R. R. No. 2, Box 37, Petersburg, Ontario, Dec. 14, 1915.

Sample Each Free by Mail
With 32-p. Skin Book. Address postcard, "Cuticura, Dept. J, Boston, U.S.A." Sold throughout the world.

BRITISH MERCHANTMEN DODGE FLEET'S CRUISERS

Every Day They Get Out of Russian Ports and into Atlantic.

[Canadian Press.]

Stockholm, via London, July 27.—Almost every day British steamers lying at Russian ports manage to get out of the Baltic and escape the German cruisers. The ships generally cross the Gulf of Bothnia and are plotted around Sweden inside the territorial limit. This traffic during the last few weeks has been considerably developed. The ships as a rule take on board an entire Swedish crew and Swedish officers. The pro-German papers here are arguing that this traffic be stopped, contending that it is not in accord with absolute neutrality. But the Government has taken no action, so far, against it.

FOUR DISTRICT MEN KILLED IN ACTION

One London Man in the List of Wounded.

KILLED IN ACTION.

Pte. Ernest Dunlop.

Pte. Albert G. Jackson.

Pte. Fred Wiffin (previously missing).

BRANTFORD.

Corp. Charles Gillen.

WOUNDED.

Pte. Albert V. Batt, 456 Oxford street.

INNERKIP.

Pte. Albert W. Kading.

QUELPH.

Pte. James G. Robinson.

STRAFORD.

Pte. Wilfrid G. White.

Pte. George Banks.

PRISONER OF WAR.

WOODFORD.

Pte. Robert E. Doran.

JURY IS CHOSEN TO TRY EX-MINISTERS IN MANITOBA CASE

Twelve Men To Hear Charges of Theft and Conspiracy.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

WINNIPEG, July 26.—Before Judge Pruden's court adjourned this afternoon a jury of twelve was selected to try Sir Rodmond Roblin and his two ex-ministers, Howden and Coldwell, on charges of theft and conspiracy. Four are artisans and eight are farmers. Counsel Craig begins in the morning outlining the case to the jury.

BARN BURNED WITH ALL CONTENTS; CROPS LEVELLED

Two Storms Meet and Centre Over Main Road, Ilberton.

ILBERTON, July 26.—Lobo had nearly five weeks of dry, hot weather without a drop of rain, but on Tuesday a severe electrical storm passed over the district with the Naim road and Lobo village as its centre. About 1:30 two storms met, one in the south the other in the west, meeting on the Naim road, and heaviest at Lobo and Ivan. Mr. Thody's barn, 3rd commission, was struck and burnt to the ground with contents. Philip Steele's barn, near Melrose, was also struck but the fire was put out with help from the neighbors. The track of the storm can plainly be seen as far north as the 9th concession, Lobo, where many trees were struck, but not any buildings. The wind was very high, and corn fields are flattened and wheat shocks blown down, but the rain was much needed, and will be of great benefit to the growing crops.

FORMER BELMONT MAN DIES AT INGERSOLL

George Truesdale Only in Town Two Months.

INGERSOLL, July 26.—George Truesdale, who came to Ingersoll two months ago from Belmont, died today at his residence, King street east. He had been in failing health for some time and finally was affected by the heat. Pneumonia developed and the end came unexpectedly. He is survived by his wife and four children. He was in his 54th year.

The remains of Dr. J. R. Walker, whose death occurred at London on Tuesday, have been brought here. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the residence of Miss Payne, Charles street west, to the Ingersoll Rural Cemetery.

The canoeists of the town held a picnic this afternoon on the banks of the lake, and the town and surrounding were the contents of the well-filled baskets furnished by the ladies. In the evening a social time was spent at the pavilion erected by the club a year ago.

Although a severe storm raged Tuesday afternoon about eight miles south of Ingersoll, there was not enough rain here to lay the dust.

The sweltering heat of the week is having a disastrous effect and again the people in this immediate vicinity are clamoring for rain.

BARONESS ARRESTED.

[Canadian Press.]

London, July 27.—Baroness Bettina Von Hutten has been arrested as an enemy alien traveling more than five miles from her address without a permit. At the police court hearing, the baroness pleaded that she was not a German, but American born. She explained that she had been divorced from her German husband eight years ago, and had lived in England ever since, but that she believed she would regain all her rights of American citizenship whenever she returned to America. Scotland Yard detectives said there had been previous complaints against the baroness travelling about the country.

The presiding judge said it was doubtful whether the baroness could be considered an alien enemy. The case was adjourned in order to enable her to obtain counsel.

The Baroness Von Hutten was formerly Miss Betsy Riddle of Pennsylvania. After her divorce from her husband she appeared on the stage in London.

BRITAIN'S OBJECT IS TO PREVENT WARS IN FUTURE

No Desire to Partition Germany, Says Derby.

IS A FIGHT TO A FINISH

Under-Secretary Wants the
Offensive To Go As Far
As Berlin.

LONDON, July 26.—"Great Britain is not tiring of the war. On the contrary the country has never been more hopeful and united," said Lord Derby, former director of recruiting and now under secretary for war, in an interview today with American correspondents, whom he welcomed in his new capacity as a member of the cabinet.

"I want you to impress upon the American people," Lord Derby continued, "our determination to destroy the efforts of Germany to dominate the world. The fighting now is terrible, so awful that not a man actually in it—ourselves as well as the Germans—ever wants another. But we must push our victory until we make it impossible for the German rulers to revive the conflict."

Nation is United.

"The unity of the nation has become impressive. It extends to every circle. No one could have told me three years ago that I would be working in the same office with Lloyd George, but here we are, using our united efforts in the perfect harmony to do our part in winning the war."

"Even the Irish situation, lamentable as it is, merely forms a domestic problem. The unfortunate aspect is that neutrals may think it indicates disunion in our prosecution of the war, but a study of the speeches of both sides to the controversy shows that they have not changed a hair in their opinion that the war must be prosecuted with the utmost vigor."

On Road to Victory.

"The military situation is satisfactory. I am not in a position to give you details of the actual operations, but I can tell you that on a recent visit I found everyone at the front exceedingly cheerful and fully convinced that we were started on the straight road to victory."

"The war may be long or short. Any man venturing to prophesy the length of the war is foolish, but I am convinced that ultimate victory will be ours without question. Our voluntary armies have proved equal to the best conscript armies. In saying this I do not mean to underestimate the efficiency of iron discipline, but it is difficult to equal the spirit of volunteers. Not only do they work with more vigor, but even more surprisingly good showing of our artillery proves that the voluntary spirit leads the troops to acquire a discipline in a few months which standing armies take years to gain."

"Of course, my chief interest in the men of my own country, whom I found fighting like veterans, although most of them were in factories or counting-houses a few months ago."

"We have no desire to partition Germany. Some of our colonies may insist upon the retention of the German colonies, but that is not what we are in the war for. We want to prevent future wars, and we want the United States to work with us in this, not for this war but hereafter."

"You ask how far the present offensive expects to go. I don't know, but personally I want it to go as far as Berlin."

DUTCH TRAWLERS SEIZED BY BRITISH CRUISERS

[Canadian Press.]

Berlin, July 27, by Wireless to Sayville, N.Y.—The Dutch Christian Science Union, says the Overseas News Agency today, has endorsed the protest of the Dutch Shipowners' Association and the Dutch Union against the action of the British authorities in seizing Dutch fishing boats, virtually all of which have been taken possession of, according to the news agency.

THIS EXPLAINS IT.

[Canadian Press.]

London, July 27.—Naval officials here state that the British authorities found that they must take steps against Dutch fishing boats, as the Germans in certain areas were making use of disguised fishing boats not only to secure information, but for actual attacks, some of which were under way, and being provided with torpedo tubes.

THREE NORWEGIAN SHIPS SUNK BY TORPEDOES

[Canadian Press.]

London, July 27.—Twenty-eight men, members of the crews of the Norwegian ships Barns, Siebrud and Juno, were landed at Rotterdam today by a fishing smack, says a dispatch to Lloyd's shipping agency. The three vessels were sunk by torpedoes in the North Sea while carrying cargoes of timber.

ASK GERMAN WORKMEN TO REFRAIN FROM STRIKE

[Canadian Press.]

Berlin, via London, July 27.—The Socialists' executive committee and the general commission of labor unions in Germany have united in a joint appeal to the working classes not to participate in strikes and demonstrations which the radical leaders of the Liebknecht group of Socialists are endeavoring to organize. The people are warned against giving credence to what is termed the shady propaganda of "the apostles of protest, and the general strike," it being declared that such efforts are doomed in advance to failure and can only injure the participants and discourage their brothers fighting at the front.

NILESTOWN CHURCH TO BE OPENED ON SUNDAY

[Special to The Advertiser.]

NILESTOWN, July 26.—The opening services of the Methodist Church here will be held next Sabbath evening, conducted by Rev. Mr. Rivers, B.A., B.D., at 7:30 o'clock. The garden party will be held the following Tuesday morning on the lawn of John Knott. A program will be given under the direction of Chris Pink of London.

Several auto parties visited this section lately, including Mr. and Mrs. Murray and daughters, Viola and Mary, of Port Huron, and Mr. Murray, brother, wife and two sons of Saginaw, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elliott and son Joe of Watertown, Centre, Mich., and Miss Florence Elliott of North Branch, Mich., visited this place in an auto yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker and daughter Alene leave for Fort Wayne next Monday.

HYDRO SETS 12,500 H. P. FROM NIAGARA POWER CO.

To Meet Needs Until Permanent Supply Is Provided.

TORONTO, July 26.—At 2:40 o'clock this morning 12,500 horsepower of electric energy from the Canadian Niagara Power Company plant was turned into the hydro-electric commission wires at Niagara Falls as an emergency supply to meet the hydro needs until such time as a permanent supply is provided, following the signing of the agreement between the commission and the company, which is expected to occur following its approval by the hydro commission at a meeting next week.

ALLEGED VIOLATION OF NAVIGATION LAW IN WATCHING SUB

British Cruiser Enters Bay Without Lights.

U. S. WARSHIPS ON JOB

Cruiser and Three Destroyers
Assigned to "Neutrality
Duty."

WASHINGTON, July 26.—Aroused by an official report from the commander of the battleship Louisiana, the U. S. Navy has ordered the cruiser North Carolina and three destroyers to neutrality duty off Cape Henry.

Officials maintained an unusual secrecy regarding the matter and were not willing to disclose the nature of the instructions sent to the commander of the cruiser. It was believed, however, he was charged with protecting the German submarine Deutschland out to the three-mile limit and preventing violations of the American neutrality.

It was regarded here that the commander of the British cruiser had violated navigation laws in cruising within American territorial waters without proper lights.

Known only the principle involved in the incident can be treated in what ever course the Washington Government may pursue. A violation of navigation laws cannot be held against an unidentified ship.

QUEBEC DOCTOR BACK FROM SERB HARDSHIPS

[Canadian Press.]

London, July 26.—Avila Watters of Quebec, member of a group of Canadian doctors who went to Serbia last year before the second Austrian invasion, has arrived in London. He left Serbia last November, and has spent six months in Paris. The journey from the interior of Serbia occupied a month, during which he experienced hardships and deprivations.

FAMOUS IRISH POET PLEADS FOR CASEMENT

[Canadian Press.]

Dublin, July 26.—William Butler Yeats, the poet, has sent a letter to Premier Asquith appealing for clemency for Sir Roger Casement.

WAS NOT EVEN HIT

Small Auxiliary the Dreadnought German Say Was Torpedoed.

LONDON, July 26.—Reference to the German statement that a submarine had torpedoed a British dreadnought off the Orkney Islands, July 20, the British admiralty stated that the actual facts were as follows:

"A small auxiliary off the north of Scotland was attacked by an enemy submarine on the date mentioned. She was not hit."

WOOL RECORD PRICE

BRISBANE, July 26.—Via London, July 27.—At a two-day wool sale conducted here today prices reached a new high figure. All grades of greasy were from 5 to 10 per cent higher than in June.

One lot of scourings brought 45d, an Australian record.

GERMAN SHIP SUNK.

LONDON, July 26.—10:40 p.m.—A Stettin dispatch to Reuters says that the German steamer Nordsee, 5,445 tons, bound from Sweden for Germany, was sunk at Rotten today by a submarine north of Arcona. The captain and three of the crew were drowned.

PARSCHAU KILLED.

LONDON, July 27.—9:22 a.m.—Lieut. Otto Parschau, recently given the Decoration Pour Le Merite for bringing down his eighth enemy aeroplane, has been killed in an air battle, according to a Reuters' Amsterdam dispatch, which quotes the Frankfurter Zeitung.

GERMAN WAR LOAN.

[Canadian Press.]

Berlin, July 27.—By Wireless to Sayville.—The Fourth German war loan has been paid fully in cash. Money borrowed from loan banks on collateral for the war loan totals only 6 per cent of the entire amount of the loan.

Sleepless Nights

You can't sleep because the nerves are irritable and exhausted. Nervousness gives you any lasting help, but Dr. Chase's Nerve Food can.

It cures sleeplessness, irritability, nervousness, headache, indigestion, and restores vigor and energy to the run-down and exhausted nervous system. The benefits obtained are both thorough and lasting. 50 cents a box, 6 for \$2.50. All dealers, or Edman-son, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

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STRONG FLANK MOVE MAY DRIVE TEUTONS BACK TO LEMBERG

Changing to North of Line Comes as Surprise.

TEN MILES FROM BRODY

Austrian Plan to Divert Stroke by Advance is Quickly Repulsed.

[Canadian Press Cable.]

Petrograd, July 26.—12:30 p.m.—Via London, July 27.—1:40 a.m.—The brilliant blow struck by Gen. Sakharoff along the River Slonevka, north of Brody, has injected a new element of surprise into the constantly changing situation on the northwestern front.

The original attack against Brody, which followed the fall of Dubno fortress, came to a sharp halt before the swamps and thick forests, which offered a strong barrier to any direct advance along the Dubno-Lemberg road, and since the beginning of Gen. Brusiloff's drive, the Russian forces have been compelled to rest on the Russian side of the Galician frontier, near Radziviloff.

Making Flank Attack.

When it became evident that Brody could not be taken from the west, Gen. Sakharoff began a rapid extension of his front southward of the Lutska region and is now making a strong flank attack on the Brody-Lemberg line from the north.

The River Slonevka offered a difficult obstacle on this line of advance, but it has already been successfully forded, and the Russian forces in this group are now scarcely ten miles distant from Brody.

The joint pressure of these forces and those stationed at Radziviloff now definitely threatens the Brody-Lemberg line and is likely to bring about the retirement of the Austrians from Brody in the direction of Lemberg.

Austrian Plan Fails.

The Austrian answer to the Russian attack has been renewed attempts to advance in the region fifty miles to the north on the Vladimir-Volynski road, with the hope of withdrawing General Sakharoff's troops northward.

But it is announced that this attempt to advance has been repulsed by the Russians without the necessity of sending the reinforcements from other parts.

Events are still developing on the extreme southern flank, where the Cossacks are engaging the Austro-German rear guard in the Carpathian passes. At several points the Russians are only ten or twelve miles from the Hungarian frontier.

The official statement issued this afternoon says:

"In the region of Kemmen, after artillery preparation, the Germans made two attacks and were on the point of forcing back our front line detachments. During these, our detachments succeeded in making small advances at some points."

Artillery Engagements.

"In the region northwest of Baranovichi a fierce artillery battle was waged on both sides, together with engagements between front-line detachments. During these, our detachments succeeded in making small advances at some points."

"In the region of the River Slonevka, a branch of the Sty, our troops crossing to the left bank of the river, continued to press the retreating enemy, inflicting great losses. We have taken prisoner 63 officers, 4,000 men, five guns, six machine guns, 12 cases of munitions and a number of other stores. Prisoners are continuing to arrive."

DR. MCGULLOUGH GOES TO BATTLE PARALYSIS

Will Visit Windsor Because of Outbreak of Plague.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

CAMP BORDEN, July 26.—Major J. W. S. McGullough, provincial health officer, and Capt. J. G. Fitzgerald are going to Windsor to fight the infantile paralysis outbreak.

NO TROUBLE BY ZEPPS AROUND SALONIKI

[Canadian Press.]

London, July 27.—A letter from Major Maynard of Quebec, with No. 1 Canadian Stationary Hospital at Saloniki, states that there has been immunity from air raids since a zeppelin was brought down. The hospital has a few wounded in from the frequent air strikes, which are occurring in the district. Malaria is very prevalent.

FIRST STEP TAKEN FOR CHURCH UNION BY THE COMMITTEE

[Special to The Advertiser.]

TORONTO, July 26.—The first practical step in the direction of church union was made at the meeting of the Presbyterian council committee on church union, held in the board of trade rooms today. This committee was appointed by the general assembly at Winnipeg in June last, and has now organized for business for the first time. Its assigned business was to consider how best to carry out the policy of the assembly in regard to union, and more particularly, to organize for co-operation with the Methodist and Congregational churches.

Dr. Falconer Presides.

President R. A. Falconer of the University of Toronto, presided. The whole question of further and closer co-operation between the negotiating churches in mission work, and the status of union churches was considered. Advantage was taken of the presence of Rev. Dr. Chubb, superintendent of the Methodist Church of Canada, and Rev. Dr. T. Albert Moore, who paid an informal visit to the committee. The new situation arising out of actions of the assembly was discussed by the Methodist representatives and practical suggestions were made for the furtherance of a working basis for co-operation.

Committee Appointed.

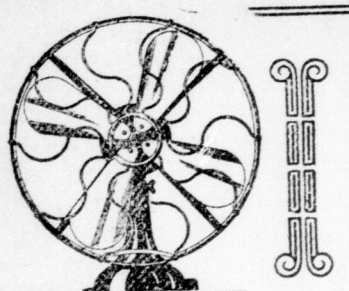
A special committee was appointed to confer with similar committees of the other churches for the purpose of determining policies. Provision was also made for the appointment of co-operative synodical committees. To these committees were referred matters relating to union churches. The following is the special committee: Rev. Dr. Baird, convenor; Rev. Dr. M. A. McKinnon, Regina; Rev. Dr. R. J. Wilson, Vancouver; Principal Dydo, Edmonton; President Murray, Saskatchewan; Rev. Dr. Wallace, Toronto.

The committee agreed that no policy in regard to legislation should be adopted until after full consultation with the other churches.

The executive consists of members of the general committee residing in Toronto, with Rev. Dr. Clark, Montreal; Rev. Dr. Herridge, Ottawa; Rev. Dr. Drummond, Hamilton.

Those present were from every part of the Dominion: President Falconer, convenor; Rev. Dr. Baird, moderator; Rev. Dr. McKinnon, Regina; Rev. Dr. Clarke, Montreal; Rev. Dr. Douglas Fraser, Professor Matheson, Kingston; Rev. R. A. Macdonald, Principal Gandler, Rev. A. H. Foster, Plover; Rev. Dr. Murdoch McKinnon, Regina; President Murray, Saskatchewan; Rev. R. J. Wilson, Vancouver; Rev. G. A. Sutherland, Prince Edward Island; Rev. J. McCartney-Price, New Glasgow; Rev. Hamilton Cassels, Toronto; Justice Stuart, Alberta; Rev. J. H. Turnbull, Ottawa; Rev. J. A. McKean; Rev. Dr. Jack

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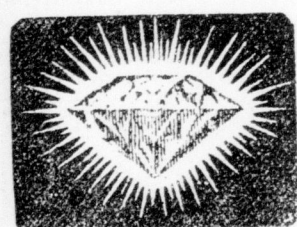


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THREE GERMANS WILL LOSE BRITISH TITLES

LONDON, July 27. — 4 a.m. — According to the Daily Mail it is expected that Premier Asquith will announce in the House of Commons today that the Germans who still hold British titles of nobility are to be deprived of their British honors. They are the Duke of Albany, the Duke of Cumberland, who are in line of succession to the British throne, although remotely, and Prince Albert of Schleswig-Holstein.

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WIFE WAS BEATEN IN DEATH RACE TO HUSBAND'S BEDSIDE

Mrs. Stone Arrived at Hospital Just 20 Minutes Late.

KINDLY TREATED HERE

Railwaymen Looking After Arrangements for Wreck Victims' Funerals.

Mrs. Stone, wife of Brakeman C. Stone, of Bridgeburg, who died in Victoria Hospital yesterday afternoon from injuries received in the wreck on the G. T. R. in the morning, arrived just too late to see her husband alive. He passed away about twenty minutes before she reached the hospital.

From the first there was no hope of his recovery, as he had his neck broken, the back of his head badly smashed and was so badly crushed internally that he suffered repeated hemorrhages. Brakeman Stone was 35 years old, and went to Bridgeburg from Mimico about three months ago. He had been in Mimico for several years.

Mrs. Stone is being looked after by the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and is staying with Mrs. Niven of Ottawa. A relative of Mrs. Niven coming on the train asked her what was the matter when he saw she was in trouble, and as soon as she arrived here rushed her right to the hospital, and later took her to Mrs. Niven's home to be cared for. The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen is looking after all the funeral arrangements, and the remains will be sent to Mimico from Smith, Son & Clarke's undertaking rooms on Friday.

Conductor Garnet Cuttin, who was instantly killed in the crash, was one of the youngest men on the road, being only 23. His home is in Newmarket, and he is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cuttin of that place. Besides his parents he leaves four brothers and four sisters, Elmer of this city, William, Herbert and George of Newmarket, Mrs. Manicorow of Newmarket, Ethel of Toronto and Geraldine and Lenora at home.

The B. & O. R. T. is also looking after the arrangements in this case, and the remains will be sent from Smith, Son & Clarke's on the 12:25 train Friday to Newmarket.

RECORD CROWD WAS AT SPRINGBANK FOR THE HALF-HOLIDAY

Five Hundred From Komoka Held Civic Celebration.

BIG PROGRAMS OF SPORTS

Scores of Private Picnics and Many Society Gatherings.

One of the largest holiday crowds of the season spent yesterday afternoon at Springbank. It was Komoka's civic holiday, and over 500 came from there to celebrate. There were also innumerable private picnic parties planned by people wishing to get relief from the heat.

One of the largest outings of the day was held by members of Forest City Chapter, No. 13, Order of the Eastern Star. A fine program of sports was put on, and in the evening a dance was held in the pavilion.

The Winners.

The winners of the races were: Girls' under 8—Gladys Tuckey, Marion Borland, Agnes Hendry.

Boys' under 8—Hugh Lewis, Willie Farquharson, Alex. Xonnmann.

Girls' under 12—Dora Lewis, Ina Stephenson, Isabel McKellar.

Boys' under 12—Leslie Laing, Angus Rush, James Hendry.

Girls' under 15—Helen Ross, Dora Lewis, Ada Ashton.

Boys' under 15—Leslie Laing, Angus Ross, James Hendry.

Fat ladies' race—Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Mills, Mrs. Thomas.

Fat men's race—Mr. Miller, Mr. Flanagan, Mr. Cousins.

Sewing on button contest—Mr. Wallace and Mrs. Ashton and Mrs. Ashton and Mrs. Cousins and Mrs. Phillips.

Three-legged race—Mrs. Bridle and Mrs. Farquharson, Mr. Ross and Mrs. Borland; Mr. Cousins and Mrs. Phillips.

Running backwards—Mrs. Farquharson, Mrs. Borland, Mrs. Phillips.

Neck and tie race—J. Stewart and Mrs. Simpson; Mr. Cousins and Mrs. Phillips, Mr. Mills and Mrs. Borland.

Single ladies' race—Misses Campbell, Purrie, Armour.

Married ladies' race—Mrs. Borland, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Hall.

The people from Komoka and district had a most enjoyable time and the committee in charge of the arrangements, Messrs. Spence, Foster and Sayers, were congratulated warmly upon the success of their efforts.

Race Results.

The following are the results of the races:

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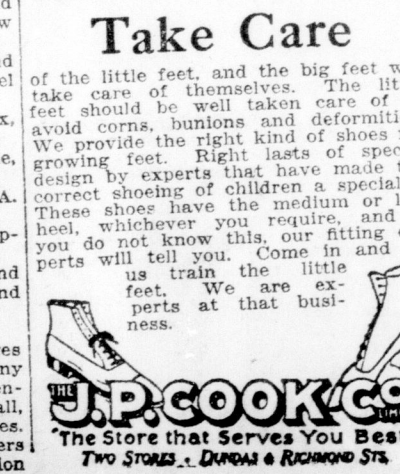
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