

GOVERNMENT CRISIS IN GERMANY NEARING ACUTE STAGE

Allenby Smashes Turk Forces on Front of Sixteen Miles

TURK LINES OVER RUN BY ALLIES

Progress Made Along Front Over Sixteen Miles in Length OVER 3,000 CAPTIVES And This Number May Be Increased—War Material Also Taken

SITUATION IN REVIEW

By Courier Leased Wire New York, Sept. 21.—The Associated Press this morning issues the following:

Turkish forces along the line from the Mediterranean Sea to the Jordan, north of Jerusalem, appear to have suffered a serious defeat at the hands of the British and French armies and their allies, the Arabs. If the situation develops as favorably to the Allies as indicated in the reports of the opening phases of the fighting, the Sultan's forces may suffer disaster.

Attacking over a front sixteen miles in length the Allies have virtually over-run the whole Turkish defensive system along the Mediterranean coast. Railroad junctions have been taken and cavalry is operating in the rear of Turkish forces, which are holding the line to the eastward of the front, where the attack was launched. These enemy units are prevented from retreating southward by the hostility of Hejaz tribes beyond the Jordan and they face a serious problem in making their way back to safety along the western bank of that historic stream.

More than 3,000 prisoners have been captured, the Allies report, who have also taken great quantities of war materials.

British, French, Serbian and Greek forces are pursuing their successes in the Macedonian theatre of the war.

Poloshko, a town nineteen miles east of Prilip, has been reached by the French, while the Serbians have crossed the Cerna and are in the neighborhood of the town of Duvno, south of Prilip. Further east, the British and Greeks are forcing the Bulgarians back in the Lake Doiran region in spite of the violent resistance of the enemy.

Along the battle line in France the British are still hammering away at the Hindenburg line north of St. Quentin and have made gains of considerable importance. This region is one of great fortification and progress must necessarily be slow. The success of the British, especially that of the Australian unit, gives reason for the belief expressed in despatches that the German lines north of St. Quentin may be broken by the Allied offensive. South of St. Quentin the French are fighting relentlessly and are making progress in the region of Esternay-la-Trippe.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Toronto, Sept. 21.—The Atlantic coast disturbance has passed to the Gulf of St. Lawrence with increased energy, while the western high area is moving slowly southeastward over the Great Lakes and Middle States. The weather is fairly warm in the Western Provinces and unnecessary cool in Ontario and Quebec.

Fresh to strong northwest winds, fair and very cool. Sunday—Fresh westerly winds, fine and cool with danger of frost in early morning.

BOMBING OF METZ CAUSE OF NO PANIC

Surprise, But No Alarm Felt Under Fire of American Guns

SAYS GERMAN PAPER

Geneva, Friday, Sept. 20.—The bombardment of Metz caused no panic, says The Metz Zeitung. The enemy merely copying the method of the German bombardments of Paris. "The paper adds that few persons were killed and the damage was insignificant. It is learned from Basle, however, that the American bombardment of Metz caused an enormous sensation in Germany. Many of the inhabitants have left the fortress but neutrals are prohibited from passing. It is the first time since 1870 that Metz has been under artillery fire.

ALLIED LABOR UNIONS AGREE AS TO WAR AIMS

Entire Report of Committee Adopted With Virtual Unanimity GOMPERS' TRIUMPH

By Courier Leased Wire London, Sept. 21.—The Inter-Allied Labor Conference has been more protracted than had been expected, but after an extended discussion yesterday, arising mainly through the criticisms of the small pacifist group, the entire report of the committee on war aims was adopted with virtual unanimity. This result is regarded as a triumph for Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who in his vigorous reply to the pacifist objections, said he had been in England three weeks and had seen no flame of peace flying through the world, as had been described by someone calling himself a Socialist. What he had seen, said Mr. Gompers, was a spark here and there of fire from a torch carried by British and French movements on their way to discover an opportunity to live their own lives and prevent Prussianism from any longer becoming a menace to the world's liberties. Until that way is made clear for the world democracies, he said, the labor movement of the United States will stand undivided behind the Allies.

GIVE! GIVE! GIVE!

"Commission for Relief of Belgium" painted in huge letters on the side of the steamer "Ashmore" was an object of derision for the German submarine commander who sank the vessel off Yantish Knock. Most of the crew were at breakfast, while the boatswain and chief engineer were patrolling the after-deck. Both men were in the act of turning around, the boatswain to starboard and the engineer to port, when the former saw a streak in the water at close quarters to midships. Before the boatswain could give an alarm a terrible explosion took place. A volume of smoke, coal dust and water was driven up to the engine-room skylight and the starboard side of the vessel, which immediately began to heel over at starboard. The two boats were launched and manned, but the second engineer, donkeyman, and two firemen were never seen again, and must have been killed by the explosion. For the future sustenance of the kindred of fallen merchant sailors, the Navy League is endeavoring to raise \$50,000 in Brantford. To-morrow will be your last opportunity to give.

GERMAN GOVERNMENT CRISIS APPROACHING DECISIVE STAGE

Majority of Parties Firmly Resolved to Form Parliamentary Government Independent of Military Headquarters.—Von Capelle, Naval Minister, is Retired

Amsterdam, Sept. 21.—The Government crisis in Germany is approaching a decisive stage, according to The Leipzig Tageblatt and a majority of the parties are firmly resolved to form a parliamentary government without delay.

A Government which in entire independence of main headquarters will pursue a policy made necessary by the seriousness of the hour. The Socialists have declared their readiness to enter the new Government under the following conditions:

- 1. The abolition of certain paragraphs in the constitution. 2. The entry of at least two or three Social Democrats in the Government and. 3. The occupation of one important political post, presumably the Ministry of the Interior by a Socialist, for which Friedrich Ebert, president of the main committee of the Reichstag and vice-president of the Social-Democratic party, is the foremost candidate.

Amsterdam, Sept. 21.—Reports that Vice-Admiral von Capelle, German minister of the

navy, has been retired seem to be confirmed by telegrams from Berlin announcing that Vice-Admiral Bienecke has been appointed to represent Admiral von Capelle, who is on leave.

Commenting on the appointment, The Telegraph of Berlin recalls that Admiral Bienecke when deputy chief of the Admiralty staff, told the American naval attaché at Berlin that although the staff was convinced the employment of the U-boat would greatly influence the rapid conclusion of peace, regard must be paid neutral ships and human life aboard all mercantile vessels, whether under neutral or enemy flags. He is quoted as having said that the German Admiralty staff did not wish to employ submarines in defiance of international law.

REFORMS NEEDED. Copenhagen, Sept. 21.—The German Socialist organ, International Correspondence, publishes an article pointing out the necessity for democratic reform to unite the people in their resistance to a war of conquest. The newspaper says: "The enemy will devote his

preponderance of power to gaining a victory. Successful resistance is conceivable only if an overwhelming majority of all Germans regard the war as their own intimate concern upon which their fate as a nation absolutely depends. Such a feeling can only be created, or re-awakened, if the whole nation regards Germany as its own empire. Genuine government by the people, complete elimination of all dynastic plans, a firm and binding declaration that we are only defending our ante-bellum possessions and finally an iron hand determination can save Germany. There is no other way."

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AMERICAN INGENUITY VALUABLE IN ARMY ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT

Construction of Field Guns in Central France Has Been Practically Revolutionized By Inventions and Devices Brought to Aid of Allies by United States

Central France, Sept. 21.—(Cor-France)—American ingenuity is fast making itself felt in the construction of field guns in the vast workhouse of the ordnance branch of the American army here.

One of the American designs which has won strong favor with the French experts is the "split trailer" which extends back of the gun from the wheels down to the ground. From the earliest days of gunnery this trailer has been a single piece. But the Americans have split it in two from the ground up, so that two great legs spread out backward from a cannon. The results have been astonishing, permitting an ordinary field piece to be elevated to 80 degrees, or almost straight up. The American design has now been adopted as the standard French model, and it is going into all the new guns made at French arsenals. Official photographs made by the ordnance branch are now going forward for public exhibition in America showing this split trailer firing at an elevation of 75.40 degrees. Here could be seen also every form of the death-dealing machine-gun which became such a formidable weapon in the present war. "This is an age of mechanical warfare," said the officer as he pointed out the different types, French, English, American, as well as German and Austrian. "There were no machine-guns used in the civil war, only a few in the Spanish-American and

Boer wars; more in the Russo-Japanese and Balkan wars, and now they have developed to a foremost place as an effective and deadly means of warfare."

Most of the nations are making two forms of these machine-guns, the heavy type, weighing about 30 pounds, mounted on a tripod and drawn by a mule, and the lighter automatic rifle, weighing about 15 pounds, fired from the shoulder like an ordinary rifle, and carried by hand as it is not much heavier than the standard 10-pound rifle. Both types of these guns fire steady streams of lead as the belts of bullets are fed into the reservoirs, the only limit being the amount of ammunition which can be carried. With each automatic rifle are three men, one to fire and two to keep up the steady feeding of ammunition. The new type of American machine gun makes a favorable appearance in this array of makes from all the nations. It is coming over in large quantities now, and most of the American divisions now arriving come with their machine gun sections equipped with the new American model. At the training camps the tests have given the best results, but the real test of battle action is still to come as most of the divisions on the fighting line obtained their machine-gun equipment before the new model was ready. In this same arsenal one could compare the rifles and bayonets of all the combatant troops. The Amer-

ican bayonet looked like a long, sharp-edged knife. But the French bayonet was more like a slender rapier, two feet long and without cutting edge, meant for stabbing. The Russian bayonet has no sharp point, but is like a screw-driver with a flat edge, cutting and stabbing at the same time.

And besides the guns of all kinds is the ammunition stored in vast quantities in arsenals and warehouses and in huge parks and ammunition dumps all the way from the coast up to the fighting front. The great stacks of shells are very orderly in arrangement, each stack representing a caliber, and each graded by calibre and lot-number. Each lot of shells differs slightly in power, and the only way to insure uniform accuracy in the fire of a battery is to keep it supplied with the same lot of shells. Separate from the shells, are the fuses and grenades kept in small detached lots owing to their highly explosive character. In one of these grenade dumps there were 18 different kinds of gas, hand and rifle grenades. There are now some 8,400 men, formerly skilled mechanics in large American factories, who are enlisted soldiers carrying on this huge work of keeping up the supply of guns and ammunition. Realizing the need of highly skilled men for this work in France, a special recruiting campaign (Continued on page five).

INCENDIARY EPIDEMIC IN MONTREAL

Woman Who Fired Grey Nunnery Not an Isolated Example HER SANITY DOUBTED

Montreal, Sept. 21.—Commenting on the case of Berth Courtmarche, the woman orderly at the Grey Nunnery here, who confessed to having started the fire that led to over sixty babies in February last and who to-day withdrew her confession and pleaded not guilty, Judge Choquette mentioned that there has lately been more or less of an epidemic among girls of incontinence and that he had heard several cases of this sort in the juvenile court over which he presides. Judge Choquette committed the girl for trial in November before the court of King's Bench she will be medically examined at an early date.

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SIX MONTHS OFFENSIVE FRUITLESS

Great German Drive Was Launched Half a Year Ago To-day ITS RESULTS VAIN Period of Incessant Fighting Has Resulted in Allied Favor DANGER IS PASSED

By Courier Leased Wire. The following war review of the past six months is issued to-day by the Associated Press:

Six months ago to-day the great German offensive began. For weeks victory seemed about to perch on the German banners. To-day, the Allied star is in the ascendancy.

Anxiety and encouragement, despair and joy have succeeded each other since at dawn on March 21 the greatest battle of history began. It has been a period of almost incessant fighting and of bewildering changes in the situations that developed from day to day and from week to week. The Allies knew they faced Germany's mightiest effort last March, but they stood unafraid. Russia by the absolute collapse of Russia as a belligerent power, vast numbers of German veterans had been rushed to the western front and been given intensive training for the offensive by which the Teutonic war lords dreamed that they might force upon the world a German peace. Germany made no secret of her intention. It was known that great bodies of men and tremendous stores of munitions had been concentrated at strategic points behind the German lines. It was even known where the Germans would launch their first attack, and for weeks before March 21, the eyes of the Allies had been fixed on the long curving line from La Fere to Arras as the stage where the first act of the great drama would be enacted.

Moving with a swiftness that carried concern to every Entente nation, the German forces swept over the British lines in Picardy and rolled westward like a tidal wave during the closing days of March until at last the British reached positions where they could stand at bay and the French had come to form a living wall before the gray clad hosts of the German emperor. Then the offensive stopped.

Hardly had it been checked than the line between Lens and Ypres was attacked by the Germans and again the British lines swayed backward. This advance of the enemy went until it reached the high ground to the southwest of Ypres and then it, too, was stopped by the stubborn fighting of the Allied armies.

A pause followed for nearly a month and then on May 27, the Germans suddenly broke through the French lines north of the Aisne River, and smashed their way southward until they had reached the Marne over a front east of Chateau Thierry.

No sooner had the momentum of this drive been taken up by the yielding defense of the French troops than a new assault was made by the Germans, who this time tried to break the French lines between Montdidier and Noyon and link up the Picardy and Marne sectors. until the middle of October, the results in the county at large are uncertain. If the objective set is to be reached the amount subscribed in the city of Brantford must go well over \$40,000. To-morrow—Sunday—the workers will call at every home in the city to collect the envelopes which have been distributed by mail. The committee appeals to all who have not as yet contributed, to do so liberally through the envelopes, and to all who have already given, to seriously consider making an extra contribution. Throughout the period of the war the city of Brantford has taken a premier position in voluntary campaigns for war funds, and it is not to be thought of that she will fall in the present instance. The work and (Continued on page two)

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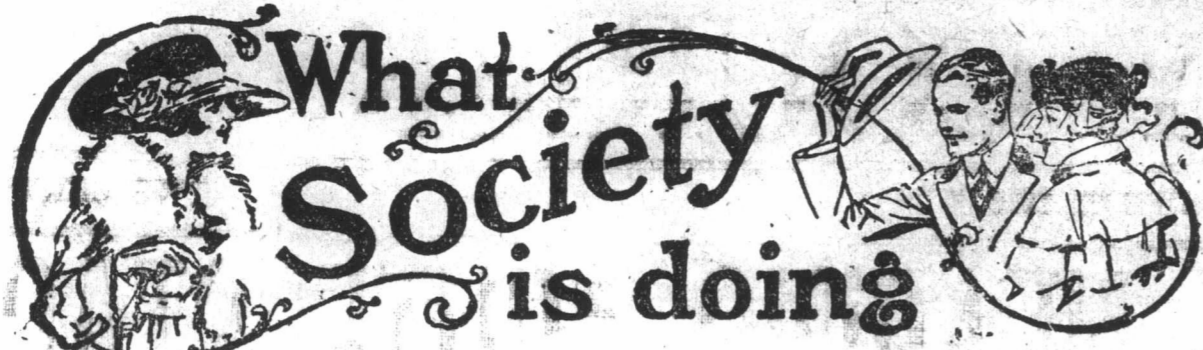
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'AIDIN': Don't 'board up your smiles. Go an' Scatter 'em wide. They're rare bits o' sun in the 'Eart's' winteride.

Don't 'board up your grin. Go an' Share it with folks. Don't 'board up your songs—an' Your laughter an' jokes.

Don't 'board up your kindness. Your 'elp, and your sharin' O' troubles; in sympathy Don't 'e be sparin'!

Don't 'board up your words. If they're plucky an' good, For words full o' cheer be as Precious as food!

Mr. T. Harry Jones is a week-end visitor in Toronto.

Mr. Howard Meyer was a week-end visitor in the city from Toronto.

Mr. Stewart Secord was a week-end visitor in the city from Niagara.

Mr. Cameron Wilson left yesterday to resume his duties at Woodberry College, Virginia.

Mr. George Kew was a week-end visitor at the parental home from Toronto.

Mrs. C. C. Fissette and Miss Wisner have returned from a trip to Atlantic City.

Miss Winnifred Watts has returned from spending a few weeks in Muskoka and Barrie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Duncan were week-end visitors in Hamilton, the guests of Mrs. Knox.

Miss Frances Leeming and Miss Elsie Duncan left on Wednesday for MacDonall Hall, Guelph.

Mrs. T. Harry Jones and Miss Marjorie Jones have returned from their summer home at Grimsby Park.

Mr. Winnet Clark was the host at a very enjoyable corn roast at his country home on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Lamb of Niagara Falls spent the week-end in the city, the guest of Mrs. Frank Leeming and family.

Mr. S. K. Bartlett of Sarnia was the week-end guest of Judge and Mrs. Hardy, Hazelbrook Farm.

Mr. George Fawkes was a week-end guest at the parental home, William street, from Petawawa.

Mr. C. H. Waterous and Mr. Logan Waterous have returned from a business trip to Montreal, Ottawa and Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Teeson, of Lowell, Mass., are spending a few days in the city, the guests of Mrs. J. A. Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey and little son, George, are the week-end guests of Mrs. W. F. Paterson, Charlotte street.

Miss Hester of Hamilton is spending a couple of weeks in the city with the Misses Garrett, Brant avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stiles and children of Lynn, Mass., are spending a few days in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stiles.

Miss Baby Wee let this week for Burford, where she is the guest of Mrs. Brethour and Mrs. Saunders for a week or so.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hardy of Brockville are spending the week-end in the city, where they have been visiting.

The Misses Gwen Wilkes, Margaret Bishop and Phyllis Cockshutt left on Tuesday for Toronto to resume their studies at the Bishop Strachan School.

Judge Hardy and the Messrs. S. A. Jones, K. C. A. E. Watts, W. H. Weaving and R. H. Reville returned home on Thursday from the Royal Montreal Golf Club, Montreal, where they have been taking part in the Canadian Seniors' Golf Association annual tournament. In addition to the first prize cup for putting, won on the second day of the tournament by Mr. R. H. Reville, hon. secretary of the Seniors, with a net score of 24, Judge Hardy of Brantford also won the second prize, having tied with five others with the score of 26, and winning the trophy on the play-off. Five hundred dollars was voted to the Red Cross by the association.

The high tea held in the Y.M.C.A. on Monday evening for the workers in the naval campaign and their wives was a great success, everyone present being most enthusiastic about the appearance of the room, which was beautifully decorated with autumnal flowers, asters and gladioli forming the centerpiece on the tables. The ladies of the Patriotic League were in charge of the high tea, and the refreshments were quite in keeping with the high standard of excellence which the Women's Patriotic League have ever maintained. Colonel Williams and Commodore Jarvis of Toronto gave most eloquent addresses, and the evening was a most enjoyable one.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Bunnell are spending a week or two in Montreal.

Mr. Joseph Ruddy is at present in the West on a business trip.

Major J. Hines is visiting at his home in the city, while on leave from overseas.

Miss Myrtle Hopper left on Thursday to enter the MacDonald Institute, Guelph.

Dr. and Mrs. Hanna returned on Thursday from a short vacation spent in Perth.

Mrs. A. D. Garrett is spending a couple of weeks in Buffalo and Tonawanda, N.Y.

Mrs. T. Fissette and Miss Madeleine Fissette are spending a couple of weeks in Buffalo.

Miss Grace Verity, who has been the guest of Miss Willa Young, left this week for Columbia University, New York.

Miss Hilda Hurley has returned from spending a few weeks in Toronto, where she was the guest of Mrs. Miller.

Miss Margaret Cockshutt returned this week from St. Bruno, where she has been the guest of her uncle, Mr. Drummond and family.

Mrs. M. Agnew, "Sunset Farm," was the hostess at a very informal little dinner party on Friday evening, covers being laid for twelve.

Mr. E. P. Watson and a party of Toronto friends have left on a two weeks' fishing trip to Northern Ontario.

Miss Maude Henry left on Thursday for Montreal, where she will spend a month or so, the guest of Miss Emily Brown.

Mrs. A. H. Boddy and little daughter left on Wednesday for Dunnville, where they will spend a few weeks, the guests of Mrs. Boddy's mother, Mrs. Ellis.

Miss Margaret Nairn, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. James Cockshutt, for the past month or so, has returned to her home in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Waterous, Jr., are motoring through New York State on their wedding trip, stopping for a few days at Watkins' Glen en route.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Shuttleworth and Miss Mary Shuttleworth are now in residence at the Kirby House, having spent a week or so with Mr. and Mrs. C. Cook, Dufferin avenue.

The Misses Marjorie and Kathleen Gibson left this week for Toronto, where they will be engaged in making munitions for a few months, prior to going to MacDonall Hall, Guelph.

Mrs. J. J. Hurley addressed a very successful meeting of The Echo Place Women's Institute on Thursday evening, reading a very appropriate wartime address entitled "The Dependable Woman."

Word received yesterday from England states that Lieut. Dean Anderson, who was in hospital at Wimereux, France, suffering from a gas attack, had sufficiently recovered to be discharged and would leave shortly to rejoin his battalion in France.

Among the Royal Military College officers who have landed in England this week, appears the name of Lieut. Kenneth Ruddy of Brantford, who left recently with a heavy artillery unit.

The Christmas stockings, some 1,500 in number, are now ready for distribution at the Patriotic Rooms and it is hoped that all who can, will take a stocking to fill for our Canadian wounded soldiers in hospitals. A list of suitable gifts will be furnished as a guide.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glen Ellis returned on Friday from a motor trip to Toronto.

Mrs. C. W. Aird and Miss Hewitt are spending the week-end in Grimsby, the guests of Mr. John Hewitt.

Miss Ruth E. Storey leaves Monday to take up a position in Toronto.

Mr. L. Baden Powell, of Toronto, is spending the week-end in the city with his parents.

Friends will be pleased to hear that Little Gordon Riches, who is at present in the hospital, is doing nicely.

Mr. Arthur Haycock of Montreal was a week-end visitor in the city, the guest of his sister, Mrs. Alfred Wilkes, Darling street.

The Misses Evelyn and Kathleen Buck returned yesterday from Beamsville, where they have been engaged in national service work for the past few weeks.

Mrs. Richard Ratcliffe (nee Miss Hilda C. Wood) was recently made the recipient of a lovely piece of silverware from the young ladies of the Waterous Engine Works office staff, with whom she was employed during the past two years.

Washington, Sept. 18.—John W. Davis, of West Virginia, now Solicitor-General of the United States, has been selected by President Wilson to succeed Walter Hines Page as Ambassador to Great Britain. Since he came to Washington seven years ago as a member of Congress from the First West Virginia District, Mr. Davis has been an active figure in the capital.

Practises are well under way for the bright little musical comedy which will be put on by local talent in a few weeks' time. Mr. Neville of New York is here directing the production and such well known amateur vocalists as Miss Hilda Hurley, Mr. Arthur Haro and Mr. James Whitaker will be among the principals in the cast. The proceeds will be for the wool fund of the Military Chapter Dufferin Rifles, I. O. O. F., under whose auspices the production is being given.

Needs of the brave British seamen, as well as the incalculable value of the work of the British Red Cross, have been constantly before the people, and the committee confidently appeal to the citizens to loyally support these causes throughout the next few days, so that it may not be said that Brantford has failed.

Any who have not received envelopes or have been missed in the canvass are urged to send their contributions direct to the Treasurer, H. T. Watt, c/o Imperial Bank, Market street.

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Mrs. Hayhurst, Ontario street, has received a wedding announcement from France of the marriage of Mr. Charles Branson to Miss Juliette Boe, daughter of General Boe, commander of the Legion of Honor, and who has also won the cross of war decoration. Mr. Branson was for some time a student at the Conservatory of Music and lived at Mrs. Hayhurst's. He left here to join the British army. His father holds high official rank with the English army in India.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By Rev. F. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Professor of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)

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LESSON FOR SEPTEMBER 22

FRUITS OF THE CHRISTIAN LIFE.

LESSON TEXTS.—Matthew 25:14-30; 6:1-12.

GOLDEN TEXT.—All things are yours; and ye are Christ's; and Christ is God's. 1 Corinthians 3:22-23.

DEVOTIONAL READING.—Galatians 5:22-23.

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL FOR TEACHERS.—Psalms 17:5; Isaiah 61:1; Acts 18:2; Romans 2:10; 5:2-4.

I. The Parable of the Talents. This parable, like that of the Ten Virgins, is associated with the second coming of Christ. In both instances there is evident an unpreparedness on the part of the people. In the first case there is failure of the inward life; in the second, there is failure to use the gifts which have been entrusted to them. The first was failure to watch; the second was failure to work. By talents is meant, the gifts which God has bestowed on his servants. It may be natural endowments, special endowments of the Spirit, or it may be the gospel of Jesus Christ. With reference to these talents note:

1. Their distribution (vv. 14, 15). (1) A sovereign will. The servants belong to the Lord as well as the money. (2) An intelligent one. The distribution was made on the basis of the ability of each servant. The reason one man received one talent was because the Lord knew that he would be incapable of using two or five. (3) A purposeful one. The talents were given to be traded with. They were not given for the servant's own use, but stock-in-trade for the enrichment of the master.

2. Employment of the talents (vv. 16-18). In this employment all the servants recognized that the talents did not belong to them. The two-talented man and the one-talented man put their talents to use, which resulted in a large increase. It is always true that the right use of talents increases them. The one-talented man hid his in the earth. The unmistakable sign of the one-talented man is that he is hiding his talents. The two-talented and five-talented men are busy. 3. The accounting for the talents (vv. 19-30). (1) Its certainty. There is a day coming when the Lord's servants shall give an account to him for the use they have made of their talents. (2) The facts of the case. The Lord knows what his servants do. Those who are using their talents will rejoice when the Lord comes that they may present unto him their talents with increase. But the one-talented man will have fear and dread against that day. (3) The judgments announced. To the faithful there is reward. This reward consisted in praise: "Well done; promotion; 'ruler over many things' and entrance 'upon the joy of the Lord.' For the faithless one there was awful punishment which consisted of reproach—"woful" being stripped and cast into outer darkness.

II. Characteristics of the Subjects of the Kingdom (Matt. 5:1-12). These beatitudes are connected with each other with the strictest order of logical sequence. They set forth the characteristics of those who are subjects of the Kingdom. They fall into three groups: four in the first, three in the second, and two in the third.

1. Poverty of spirit (v. 3). To be poor in spirit does not mean to be without money, but to come to the end of self, to be in a state of absolute spiritual bankruptcy, having no pride to alter his condition or make himself better.

2. A profound grief because of this spiritual bankruptcy (v. 4). The mourning here is not because of external cares, but a keen consciousness of guilt before a holy God.

3. A humble submission to God's will and obedience to his commands without asking the reason why (v. 5). This is the outgrowth of mourning for spiritual insolvency.

4. An intense longing to conform to the laws of the kingdom (v. 6). Having received the righteousness of Christ as a free gift, every desire of his soul is to be filled with righteousness.

5. Merciful (v. 7). At this stage the subjects of the kingdom take on the character of the King. Christ was merciful; his followers will be likewise.

6. Purity of heart (v. 8). This heart purity begins by having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience with the blood of Christ, and is maintained by living in fellowship with him. Those who have pure hearts can see God everywhere.

7. Peacemakers (v. 9). Those who have been reconciled to God by Christ not only live in peace, but diffuse peace.

8. Suffering for Christ's sake (v. 10). The world hated Christ and crucified him. Those who live for him shall suffer persecution (II Timothy 3:12).

9. Suffer reproach (v. 11). It means suffering under false charges. In such case we shall glory in it because it brings great reward in heaven.

Quote the Bible. Scholars may quote Plato in their studies, but the hearts of millions will quote the Bible at their daily toil, and draw strength from its inspiration as the meadows draw it from the brook—Conway.

JOHN W. DAVIS, Who will become representative of the Washington Government in London, succeeding Walter H. Page.

AMERICAN SUBJECTS IN CANADA, between the ages of 18 and 45 must register or return to the United States.

QUEEN MARIE OF ROUMANIA, who is endeavoring to induce the Rumanian Government to take sides with the Allies.

U.C. Waters was defeated in the contest for the Presidency of the Trades Congress by Thos. Moore of Niagara Falls.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

News of the Churches

ANGLICAN

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WELLINGTON ST. METHODIST Rev. Dr. Geo. W. Henderson, Pastor. 10 a.m., Class meeting in the Board Room. 11 a.m., Public service. Sermon by the pastor, subject, "If Christ Came to Brantford." Anthem, "O Lord, How Manifold Are Thy Works" (Barry). Mr. E. Moule will sing. 2:45 p.m., the Bible School in charge of Mr. W. G. Ranton. 7 p.m., public service. Sermon by the pastor, "Dreams Interpreted." Anthem, "Praise the Lord, O My Soul" (Watson). Mr. S. S. H. Jones will sing. Mr. Thos. Darwen, A.T.C.M., Organist and Choirmaster. Everybody welcome!

TURK LINES (Continued from page one.) Fighting along the American front in Lorraine has been of a minor nature since the Germans were forced back to their lines before Metz.

Allied forces in Russia have routed the Bolshevik army on the northern front. Petrograd despatches state Bolshevik disaster was caused by the treachery of Lettish regiments which refused to fight against the British. The Letts have heretofore been the staunchest supporters of the Bolshevik regime.

There is a belief in official circles in Washington that a new Allied stroke may be launched soon somewhere along the front in France. The plans of Marshal Foch are not known, but it is intimated in despatches from the capital an attack from Rheims to Verdun would cause little surprise. The first step in the operation of forcing the Germans to loosen their grip north of the Aisne and also weaken their hold on the region west and northwest of Metz.

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Morning anthem, "O Come to My Heart Lord Jesus." Anthem, "Jesus Lover of My Soul." Ambrose; Well-goose. Evening anthem, "In Heavenly Love Abiding." Brown. Male quartette. Music in charge of C. J. W. Taylor, Organist and Choir Leader. Everybody Come.

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# THE WIFE

BY JANE PHELPS, AUTHOR OF "MARGARET GARRETT'S HUSBAND," AND OTHER NOTABLE STORIES.

Ruth Sees Newport's Famous Ocean Drive for the First Time.  
CHAPTER XXIX.

The next morning Ruth and Mr. Mandel started out immediately after breakfast to inspect the "Cary house," which was situated some distance away on the ocean drive.

Ruth thought she never had seen anything so beautiful as the drive was, that morning. The early sunshine falling upon the water through the haze that was over all, wonderfully dissolved itself into all the colors of the rainbow. The beautiful homes, so well kept, the shrubbery and the flowers, all caused exclamations of delight to fall from her lips constantly.

Mr. Mandel told her the names of all the owners of the drive property, adding little bits of personal history that he thought might interest her. Already the beach was filled with a crowd of early morning bathers, adding color to the scene.

"I should love to spend a summer here!" Ruth exclaimed.  
"It is a charming place—if you are in the swim," Mr. Mandel told her with a smile. "But rather stupid, I am told, for those who are not."

"That would be so, naturally," Ruth mused, thinking of the caste laws so strictly observed in the little southern town in which her aunt lived.

The Cary house was a large place, beautifully situated. They had the keys, and as Mr. Mandel opened the door and Ruth passed in, something very like a groan broke from her.

"Awful, isn't it?" he asked with a smile.

"Awful doesn't express it! It is wicked."

"You see," he explained, "the original owner of the house was one of our nouveau riche. One of those to whom price, the cost in dollars,

represented value. The furnishings and decorations of the house show how false that idea is. The house itself is not so bad. It was built by good architect, who threatened to leave his job half finished, if not allowed to go ahead with the approved plans without change."

"I should think he would have threatened something if the house would have been anything like this," she motioned with a sweep of her arm. "Why, it's a crime to spend money for such stuff," a hideous red plush davenport was the particular object of her scorn.

"Well, you have almost carte blanche to do what you please with the interior. There comes the land-scope agent, whom I was to meet. I'll leave you alone and attend to him. Here are the plans of the rooms and halls. Mark them in as you please. We have another set at the office."

"Thank you—" then, hesitatingly, "Shall we get back to-night?"

"Why no! that is impossible. If we set through we will take the sleeper and get home in the morning. If not, we will go to-morrow night. Don't hurry through the work; take all the time you need," she said, totally misunderstanding Ruth's question. He thought she feared she wasn't to be allowed time enough.

"I'll wait until this afternoon, then telegraph Brian. I'll know by that time if I can get through to-day," she said aloud to herself as she started to make an inspection of the house, before settling down to the planning.

Thoughts of Brian intruded until she resolutely forced them from her mind.

"You go back where you belong, Brian Hackett, and stop bothering me!" she said, laughing aloud at her own nonsense. "I'll have trou-

ble enough with you when I get back home."

Thereafter she allowed no straying thoughts to impede her work. But long before the noon hour, she saw it would be an utter impossibility to do her work, and do it well, in one day. And so she told Mr. Mandel, when he told her to get ready for luncheon. They would return to the hotel, freshen up a bit, then lunch at the Casino.

Delighted at the treat in store for her, Ruth regretted she had not brought a more dressy gown. But when she joined him downstairs, it would be a very capricious man who could have found fault with her. Surely Mr. Mandel had no such intention.

Daintily, her hair shining under the small hat, Ruth was really appropriately gowned even for the fashionable Casino. They had thoroughly enjoyable luncheon, then, exuding herself for a moment, Ruth sent her wire to Brian before they returned to the ocean drive mansion.

"Home on Thursday, Ruth," was all she said. It was Tuesday. Brian had been alone one night, he would be alone two more.

"Won't I catch it?" Ruth said to herself as she joined Mr. Mandel. "But I might as well be hung for a sheep as a lamb. He'd have made just as much fuss if I had gone back to-day."

"Did you get your wire off?" he asked.  
"Yes, thank you. I thought Mr. Hackett might worry if I were not at home to-morrow, so wired him not to expect me until Thursday. You see, he had no idea my work would take me away from New York."

"Indeed!" was Mandel's reply. "Then they started again for the 'Cary house,' and Ruth soon was again absorbed in her task."  
(To be continued to-morrow.)

## NORFOLK NEWS

### FLAX IS READY FOR SHIPMENT

Norfolk County Crop Will Require Five or Six Cars

#### NEWS FROM SIMCOE

Simcoe, Sept. 21.—(From Our Own Correspondent).—It is estimated that five or six cars will be required to haul out the Imperial Government flax grown in the County of Norfolk. Probably half of the amount is now ready for shipment.

Received in Bad Condition. Out of the Coal Business. Wm. Sutton is no longer in the coal business. Simcoe will probably be short his allotment. J. B. Jackson, the only remaining local vendor, informed the writer yesterday that he could obtain now a few cars of soft coal, but that no hard coal is yet in sight.

Down 1,400 Feet at Long Point. Drilling continuously except Sundays the men out on the bleak sands at the western extremity have pushed the casing down 1,400 feet. They are just passing out of the second sand stratum with practically no gas in evidence, worth mentioning, and to-day are entering the shale above the third sand stone stratum. The present depth corresponds with 11,000 feet in the township of Woodhouse, so far as the formation is concerned. This well started with a 13-inch casing, which has been reduced successively to ten, eight, and now 6 5/8 inches.

The western well at the Point left standing for a few days with 40 feet of casing, was abandoned, the casing resisting all attempts at driving further. The steel derrick is being moved a short distance for a new beginning.

The deepest well in this field was put down at Vittoria, 3,200 feet, and gave no reward. Next in depth is the Simcoe well on Pond street, 2,000 feet, which now throws a strong stream of mineral water rich in sulphuretted hydrogen, but which gave no showing of gas.

Special at St. Paul's. Miss Louise Vaughan, of St. Louis who has been heard with delight and profit here aforesaid will address the congregation of St. Paul's to-morrow evening; subject A Private Interview. The pastor's morning sermon will be "The attraction of the Cross."

Clay Roads in Bad Condition. So impassable are the clay roads after continuous rains that the anniversary services in one of the Jarvis Churches have been postponed. Rev. M.S. Fulton of Simcoe, who was to have been the preacher of the day, was informed that the usual congregational could hardly be expected to turn out to-morrow.

Removing to Hamilton. Mr. James L. Acker and family leave for Hamilton on Monday. Their

MICHAEL CLARK, JR., KILLED. By Courier Leased Wire. Calgary, Alta., Sept. 20.—Word was received by Dr. Michael Clark, M.P., for Red Deer, on Wednesday night that his oldest son, Michael, had been killed in action. He leaves a wife and two children. Mr. Clark has two other sons at the front.

TWO FOE SHIPS SUNK. By Courier Leased Wire. Bulletin: London, Sept. 21.—Entente naval units and allied troops operating along the River Dvina, in northern European Russia have sunk two enemy ships and have captured three guns, according to an official statement issued by the British War Office to-day. Heavy losses were inflicted on the Bolshevik forces by the Entente Allies.

#### SIMCOE AGENCY

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household effects are being transferred by motor-van. The truck called yesterday afternoon and left by way of Brantford.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Acker, as well as their children have made many friends during their two years stay in Simcoe and good wishes follow them.

Odd Ends of News. After all is said—and considerably done—there's something in common between the umbrella and the watermelon. They are both stolen unobtrusively by even geedy-good folk.

Now that the water melon season is about over we may have a spell of dry weather.

The Norfolk Milling company were yesterday on what appeared to be the last lift on the walls of the new wing to the milling plant.

Cucumber and bean picking has continued, thus far in September. One 15 acre patch of the former is to be picked over to-day with the permission of jupiter pluvius.

#### BRANTFORD MARKET

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Rye, bushel . . . . . 1 50  
Straw, baled, ton . . . . . 7 00  
Wheat . . . . . 0 00 to 2 10  
Barley, bushel . . . . . 1 00 to 1 05

Vegetables.  
Beans, quart . . . . . 0 25 to 0 30  
Cabbage, dozen . . . . . 0 10 to 0 20  
Watermelons . . . . . 0 10 to 0 20  
Carrots, basket . . . . . 0 30 to 0 50  
Onions, basket . . . . . 0 00 to 1 25  
Green tomatoes, bas. . . . . 0 20 to 0 40  
Cucumbers, basket . . . . . 0 35 to 0 55  
Cabbages, head . . . . . 0 05 to 0 10  
Celery, large . . . . . 0 00 to 0 10  
Potatoes, bushel . . . . . 0 00 to 1 50  
Potatoes, basket . . . . . 0 40 to 0 60  
Tomatoes, basket . . . . . 0 30 to 0 40  
Beet, bunch . . . . . 0 05 to 0 10  
Pumpkins . . . . . 0 10 to 0 20  
Corn, dozen . . . . . 0 20 to 0 25  
Green peppers, bush. . . . . 0 50 to 0 60  
Cauliflower, each . . . . . 0 10 to 0 25  
Squash . . . . . 0 20 to 0 35

Fruit.  
Apples, basket . . . . . 0 25 to 0 35  
Plums, basket . . . . . 0 10 to 0 20  
Pears . . . . . 0 75 to 1 15  
Grapes, basket . . . . . 0 60 to 0 50  
Grapes, box . . . . . 0 00 to 0 15

Meats.  
Dry salt, pork, lb. . . . . 0 30 to 0 35  
Fresh pork, carcass . . . . . 0 21 to 0 24  
Bacon, back trim . . . . . 0 35 to 0 50  
Bacon, back . . . . . 0 45 to 0 45  
Beef, boiling, lb. . . . . 0 20 to 0 25  
Beef, roast, lb. . . . . 0 25 to 0 30  
Beef, steak . . . . . 0 30 to 0 40  
Chickens, dressed . . . . . 1 60 to 1 95  
Chickens, per lb. . . . . 0 00 to 0 35

#### IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE OF FARM STOCK

I am going to sell for Jerome Carpenter on THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26th at one o'clock sharp, at the farm situated 3 miles east of Oranville, 4th concession, better known as Daniel Begen Farm, consisting as follows of high-class horses, etc.

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CATTLE—3 spring calves, sow and ten pigs.  
Terms—Pigs and calves cash, balance 11 months' credit, 6 per cent. off for cash.  
Jerome Carpenter, Welby Almas, Proprietor, Auctioneer.

### Auction Sale

S. P. Pitcher, Auctioneer, has received instructions from Mrs. A. Hawley to sell by public auction, at her residence, No. 23 Buffalo street, on Tuesday, Sept. 24th, at 1:30 o'clock, the following: Parlor—Walnut soft antique; walnut centre table, 4 parlor chairs, 2 small tables, carpet, pictures, curtains, blinds, poles, easel and cushions. Dining room—Radiant home heater, extension table, walnut fall-leaf table, 2 rockers, morris chair, 6 cane-seated chairs, arch curtains, mirror, carpet, table, couch, hammock, sideboard, curtains, blinds and poles and dishes. Kitchen—shovels, cooking utensils, kettle and sealers. Hall—2 hall racks, carpet, 1 pair of Buffalo horns. Bedroom No. 1.—Walnut dresser and commode, antique; rocker, carpet, bed, springs and mattresses, curtains, pictures, blinds and curtains, also a quantity of bedding.

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### MR. AND MRS. T. BUSBY HONORED

Local Pair Leave Shortly for Missionary Work in Africa

PRESENTATION MADE

A very interesting event took place last evening in Bethel Hall when friends gathered to say goodbye to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Busby who are leaving to pursue studies at the Brooklyn Missionary training school before they leave for their chosen field of service for the Lord in dark Africa. After a tasty supper provided by the Missionary study class an adjournment was made to the Main Hall where Mr. Berham, a returned missionary from the West Indies gave a very earnest talk in the work carried on there. Mr. Geo. Crook of Hamilton also gave a helpful address.

Mr. and Mrs. Busby were called to the front and presented with a substantial purse as a token of fellowship from the assembly. The Missionary study class and the Women's Sewing circle presented them each with a wrist watch, assuring them at the same time of prayerful interest in their welfare. Mr. Busby feelingly thanked the friends for the gifts and gave a little resume of how he had long felt the call of God to the dark parts of the earth and how the Lord had at last made it possible for him to go.

Mr. Alex Lundy acted as chairman and Dr. Bier and Mr. W. J. Craig made the presentations on behalf of the friends.



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Ottawa, September 9, 1918.

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7 p.m.

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THE SITUATION.

The all round news from the front continues to be of a most heartening nature for the Allies. From Palestine there comes word of a notable victory in which English, Australian, Indian, French and Arab troops took part.

In Macedonia the Serbs have crossed the Cerna River and the Bulgarians are making a swift retreat after burning depots and camps. The whole enemy system on the Serbian front has been smashed.

In North Russia the German-led Bolsheviks have been routed and are in disorderly retreat. The Slovaks hold the Ural passes. The French and British still continue their hammering on the Hindenburg line, and Ludendorff, it is stated, now fears the loss of the whole of it.

The purpose of Canada during the four years of war has been to maintain at the front a military establishment of 125,000 troops, which constitute a Corps, with its necessary auxiliaries.

The total number of men for the overseas on July 31, 1918, during the four years since the beginning of the war was 394,244 men—328,925 in 1914, 84,344 in 1915, 165,553 in 1916, 63,536 in 1917 and 49,622 in 1918.

On Oct. 12th our neighbors will celebrate the 426th anniversary of the discovery of America. The discovery of themselves with regard to the war is of more recent date but it will also prove epoch making.

EX-PREMIER RETURNS. By Courier Leased Wire. Regina, Sask., Sept. 20.—After an absence of two years from Regina, Hon. Walter Scott, Premier of Saskatchewan from 1905 to 1916, when he resigned owing to ill health, has returned to the prairie.



GEORGE S. LYON, Of the Lambton Golf Club, who won the Duke of Devonshire Cup, representing the first championship of the Canadian Senior Golf Association, for the best gross scores at Montreal Monday and Tuesday.

to the enemy's fire during the four years. The casualties in 1914 and 1915 and those in 1918 were proportionately much less than those in 1916 and 1917, when the losses by death among those at the front must have reached a heart rending percentage.

We may hope that with the increasing advantage in number of the Allied forces and a unity of command our American allies may not suffer as grievously as the brave Canadians did in those awful crises when the desperate struggle or inadequate forces could only save the day.

NOTE AND COMMENT. The Clown Prince is also in the calthumpian procession with the accent on the thump. Sunday will be your last chance to give on behalf of the merchant sailors and British Red Cross funds.

Amid all the other Allied successes the loss of Baku seems somewhat Bakuliar. On Oct. 12th our neighbors will celebrate the 426th anniversary of the discovery of America.

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Your Problems Solved??

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D. (All rights reserved.)

Dr. Linscott in this column will help you solve your heart problems, religious, marital, social, financial and every other anxious care that perplexes you.

Ministerial Heresy—"A Troubled Church Member" inquires, "Should a minister be expelled from a church when he preaches a doctrine contrary to the standards of that church?"

Grief for Loved Ones—"A Mourner" asks: "To what extent ought we to allow ourselves to grieve at the death of a friend?"

DEFENCES OF HINDENBURG LINE BROKEN. Severe German Defeat is Culmination of Several Days' Effort.

London, Sept. 20.—(Canadian Press despatch from Renter's Limited).—The severe German defeat recorded by Field Marshal Haig is the culminating operation of the uninterrupted series of concerted engagements of the past eight days.

ST. GEORGE NEWS. Pre. Joe Campbell of Niagara-on-the-Lake spent the week end with his mother.

British Headquarters, Sept. 19.—(Canadian Press despatch from Renter's Limited).—Renter's correspondent cables: Heavy German counter-attacks yesterday and to-day prove the enemy's uncertainty regarding our intentions, which is a tribute to the excellence of our staff work and organization.

Additional Ground Won. With the British Forces in France, Sept. 20.—Steady thrusts made by the victorious British divisions on the battle front northwest of St. Quentin, gave them additional ground during the night.

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On the right near the junction of the Allied armies, English and Scottish troops completed the clearance of Holnon village and the nests and redouts adjoining which had given considerable trouble to the French.

The Australians lying north of Fresnoy continue their occupation of the Hindenburg outpost system, which had stormed along the front of their first and second divisions.

Port Credit Officer Was Son of a Former Brantfordite. Capt. Frank W. Ott, of Port Credit is reported killed in action.

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THE NEW REGENT Monday and Tuesday CARMEL MEYERS IN "The Wife He Bought" TO-NIGHT DOROTHY PHILIPS IN "BROADWAY SCANDAL"

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# Local News

## FAILED TO OPEN.

The new Regent Theatre, scheduled to open last evening, failed to do so owing to the preparations being incomplete. The maiden performance will be put on this afternoon.

## GOES TO TRENTON.

Mr. E. Patterson of this city, a Collegiate boy, has volunteered for Government service and leaves Monday for Trenton, where he will take a position.

## PAVING NEARLY DONE.

The work of paving Niagara street subway will be completed to-day, says the opinion of City Overseer Unger this morning. The subway, which was in a bad condition before the paving, will now make a good piece of road.

## ALTO CRASH.

Last evening about 9.45 a Chevrolet automobile driven by "Mac" MacDonald, was struck by a street car near the corner of Queen and Darling. The result of the crash was that the automobile was towed away minus one front wheel and with the fender and light badly smashed.

## WEARING UNIFORMS.

The text is published to-day of an order-in-Council, making it a military or naval offence for a man to wear a military or naval uniform without authority. Wearing of the uniform is forbidden except within one month from the date of retirement or discharge, or occasions of ceremony, approved by the senior naval officer or the district officer commanding, or when permission has been obtained in writing, or by any officer or man of the mercantile marine, who wears a uniform authorized by custom or otherwise.

## KITH AND KIN.

A very successful meeting of the North Ward Kith and Kin was held at 121 William street on Thursday evening, the president in the chair. Sewing and knitting for the Red Cross was done. It was also decided to give a sum of money to the Sailors' Fund. A very nice basket of fruit was bought to send to a sick member. All enjoyed very much the sandwiches brought by Mrs. Jordan, showing the boys in England. Mrs. Hurley was also present, her interest in the meetings being very much appreciated. The meeting closed with the Kith and Kin prayer and "God Save Our Splendid Men." The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Underwood's.

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## GRADING STREETS.

Niagara and Yonge streets are to be graded immediately as the roads have become in very bad condition.

## HAULING BRUSH.

City teams are busy to-day hauling away brush from the trimming of the trees which has been on for some time in East Ward.

## WORK RESUMED.

After having practically nothing done to it for a couple of weeks, work was resumed this morning on the Bruce street storm sewer.

## INSPECTED RAILWAY.

City Engineer Jones yesterday went over the roadbed of the Grand Valley Railway to inspect it before making a report to the Council on its condition.

## DELIVERING COAL.

The coal that was held for the Patriotic League for the Soldier's wives is now being delivered by the Standard Coal Co. The first delivering was commenced yesterday.

## WEST BRANTFORD SWITCH.

The work on the west Brantford Switch from the G.T.R. into the civil coal yards will be completed by the middle of next week according to an announcement made this morning.

## BOWLING.

The Challenge cup won at Paris by a rink from the Pastime Bowling Club was on exhibition this morning in the window of J. S. Dowling and Co. The Paris Bowling Club will contest for it on Monday.

## COUNTY IS GIVING.

Mr. G. H. Williamson, county organizer for the Red Cross and Sailors' Relief Funds, reports that returns are coming very well and that in some cases school children are making the collections.

## HOUSE OF REFUGE.

The League of Mercy held their monthly service at the House of Refuge on Sunday last and were ably assisted by the Salvation Army band, which rendered several selections to the delight of all present. Adj. Smith then spoke very touchingly from the 14th chapter of St. John.

## ANZAC VETERAN IN TOWN.

A veteran of the Dardanelles campaign, Pte. W. Springett, a former member of the Anzacs, is spending a few days in Brantford, selling greeting cards designed and composed by himself. Pte. Springett has nearly two years' service with the New Zealand expeditionary force to his credit, and has now received an honorable discharge. He is traveling through Ontario and earning a living by the sale of cards of his own designing.

## IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY.

A movement for the formation of a South Brantford Improvement Society has been set on foot by the ratepayers of Eagle Place and the first step taken has been the calling of a public meeting for Thursday night next in King Edward school, to which all interested are being invited. The idea is the outcome of the action of the merchants of Eagle Place, who last summer appointed a committee in this matter. The Improvement Society, when organized, will deal with all matters of municipal interest and importance, and will be strictly non-political and non-sectarian.

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Saturday..... **\$4.48**  
Men's Box Kip, new last, wet proof sole, size 5 1-2 to 10, regular \$5.00  
Saturday..... **\$3.98**

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## AMBULANCE OUT.

The motor ambulance made a trip last night at about eight o'clock conveying a patient from Wellington street to the General Hospital.

## ENGLISH MAIL.

Only a small quantity of English mail has been received by the local postoffice this week. Two small consignments arrived on Monday and Tuesday nights.

## WATERMELONS! YUM, YUM!

The season for watermelons has arrived and this morning several loads of the juicy fruit were hauled into the city for sale.

## AUTOS CRASH.

On Friday evening two cars collided at the corner of Albion and Waterloo streets. Considerable damage was done to both cars, which included the bending of a fender and the smashing of the windshield.

## SCHOOL FAIR.

A very successful school fair was held yesterday at Grandview School. Vegetables and all kinds of the products that were grown in the war gardens of the pupils were on exhibition and the building was thronged with visitors.

## BADGES READY.

Mr. Wigg, organizer of the Soldiers of the Soil movement, has left badges for distribution with Mr. A. W. Geddes at the Y.M.C.A. Badges that have worked three months or over on the farms this summer are entitled to them.

## PRESENTATION.

The Uplifters' Class of Wellington Street Church met in the Board room Thursday night and presented a cocoa set to Miss Helen Wiles, who leaves for college in Toronto soon.

## THE MARKETS.

The market this morning was small as compared with other Saturdays, and the cold weather has probably had considerable to do with this. Potatoes, apples and other vegetables were there in moderately large quantities and met with a ready sale.

## "EX" MADE ANOTHER BULL.

Through an announcement made in last night's issue of The Examiner there has been considerable confusion at the City Hall caused by people coming to Inspector Glover for orders for coal. Inspector Glover wants it understood that only where there is sickness in the house and there is no coal available can he grant an order from the reserve supply in the city yards.

## PLAY AT HAMILTON.

The eligibility of Pitcher Aleck Johnson of the Malleables was upheld at a meeting of the O.B.A. executive in Toronto last night, after strong arguments pro and con had been heard. It was decided also to have the Brantford and Hamilton series decided by games won, instead of runs scored, so that if the Malleables beat the Beavers this afternoon, a third game will be necessitated. The Malleables left for Hamilton at one o'clock this afternoon, accompanied by a quota of fans.

## OFFICIAL VISIT.

Rt. W Bro. W. B. Seave of Brant Die No. 23 paid a visit to the O.B.A. at Onondaga Lodge, Onondaga last evening. He was accompanied by about thirty of the Worshipful Master's and Past Master's of the City Lodges.

The officers of Onondaga Lodge worked the First Degree in a very creditable manner for which the D. D. G. M. complimented them. After the working of the first degree, the members of Onondaga Lodge put on the fourth degree in good manner which the Brantford Brethren thoroughly enjoyed.

## COMMITTEES FOR YEAR.

The Boys' Work committees that are to be in charge of the different branches of the boy's department are as follows:  
Opening meeting—Messrs. Hutton and Whitaker.  
Re-organization—Messrs. Standing and Woodford.  
Membership Committee—Messrs. Barnes, Bray and Axford.  
Boy Scouts—Messrs. Christianson and Barnes.  
Stunt Night—Messrs. Chrysler and Woodford.  
Canadian Standard Efficiency Tests—Rev. J. W. Gordon and H. Standing.

# AMERICANS

(Continued from page one.)

planned was carried on in many of the American industrial centres last winter. The result is shown in the equipment of the ordnance branch with a staff of skilled workmen comparing with the best factory sections.

It is largely a patriotic service in which skilled mechanics have given up large wages to accept the soldiers' pay of \$30 a month. The foreman of one of the extensive Detroit automobile factories, who received \$200 a week, is now a volunteer among these enlisted men receiving \$30 a week. There are scores of cases of this kind.

On the way from the seacoast to this great centre of American ordnance supply, one sees along the way not only vast stocks of material and guns, but the other very vital factor of artillery, the human element, the man behind the gun. It is a stirring sight as these huge camps of field artillery are spread out for miles. In one of the zones back of the war zone brigades of artillery, with 7,400 men to the brigade, were completing their training and equipment and about to move forward—men with their field guns—and this was but one branch of that tremendous weight of men and metal which is turning the tide and wearing down the enemy.



**KING GEORGE DECORATING A U.S. SOLDIER ON FRENCH SOIL.**  
For the first time in history of the Great War, King George, on a visit to the war zone in France, decorated an American soldier for distinguished service, while on the firing line as depicted in this British official picture.

J.G. Turf, Liberal-Unionist member for Assiniboia, has been appointed a Senator for Saskatchewan.

Rev. John McRobie of Petrolia, who had been in the Presbyterian ministry for more than 50 years, is dead.

France will recognize the independence of the Southern Slavs, it is announced in a Paris dispatch.

E.H. Ambrose of Hamilton and Fred Mancroft, Toronto have been named to represent respectively the Bell Telephone Co., and its employees on the Board of Conciliation to settle the dispute.

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OLDER GIRLS' CONFERENCE study classes begin Oct 6 at 9.45. Note the date.

PLACE, KING EDWARD SCHOOL. Time, Sept. 26, 8 p.m. Invited, all residents of Eagle Place and Parkdale. Object, to organize a South Brantford Improvement Association.

HARVEST HOME SERVICES AT Mt. Vernon Methodist Church on Sunday, Sept. 22nd. Services at 2.45 p.m. and 8 p.m. Speaker, Rev. Cole.

MARJORIE K. JONES, L. T. C. M., Violinist, will resume teaching September 23. Phone 369.

MAKE A WOUNDED SOLDIER Smile. 1500 Christmas stockings ready to fill at Red Cross rooms Y.M.C.A. Phone 512. Contents must not exceed \$3. Stockings shipped 28th Sept. See suggested list of contents elsewhere. If desired, stockings will be filled at room by leaving \$2 and your greeting card for enclosure.

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CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Riches and family wish to thank friends and Eagle Place Kith and Kin for kindness and sympathy in their recent great sorrow.

DIED

VANSTONE—At Brantford Thursday September 19th, 1918, Arthur L. Vanstone, aged 81 years. Funeral from his late residence, 89 Nelson Street, to Greenwood Cemetery, Sunday, Sept. 22, at 2 p.m.

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DYING SOLDIER WROTE TO WIFE

Mrs. Heath Receives Details of Death of Her Husband Pte. Edwin Heath

Mrs. Edith Heath, 150 Eagle Avenue, has received the following letter of sympathy on the death of her husband, who was recently killed in action: France, Aug. 29, Brantford, Ont. Dear Mrs. Heath:—I have just written you a letter as this one. But I feel that it being so burdensome a duty it will be all the more appreciated. During the recent action in which the gallant Canadian played so important a part your beloved husband met his death while advancing with the battalion against the German positions. He was badly wounded with a bullet through the chest and it was impossible to remove him on account of the intense machine gun fire. It was while he was being dressed that he wrote you this short note which I am enclosing in this letter. When I came up to the front line with a stretcher just at dusk he had died in the arms of one of his companions, who gave me this note to send to you. We buried him there with several of his comrades who had fallen and it was the most impressive sight I have witnessed in this dreadful war. To see his fellow-soldiers with tear-filled eyes paying their last respects to a brother hero in the pale moonlight of a few hundred yards from the enemy trenches. He lived only about an hour after he was wounded. His personal effects were given to the quartermaster who will forward them to you through the military channels and you will receive them in due course. Your husband was one of the most popular men in the battalion and all the officers and men spoke very highly of him. While you mourn this loss of a dear husband we all mourn with you in the loss of a kind friend and a pleasant companion, a faithful comrade and a gallant soldier. Let me express to you and all sorrowing friends the sincere sympathy of all the officers and men of the dauntless battalion in whose ranks he lived, fought and died. He died for his King and Country and no greater tribute can be paid to any man. It is a sweet and an honorable thing to die for your country. I hope these few lines will be a source of consolation to you and yours in your hour of bereavement. Believe me dear Mrs. Heath to be Yours with sympathy, T. McCarthy, Maj. and Chaplain, P.P.C.L.T., France.

P.S. Pte. Whiting who was a great friend of your husband and in whose arms your husband died gave me this note. The following morning Pte. Whiting was wounded and is now missing, believed killed.

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BRITAIN LOOKING TO END OF WAR

Demobilization Schemes are Now Being Formulated

(From London Times) A scheme for the demobilization of the army after the declaration of peace has been prepared by the War Office in conjunction with the Ministry of Labor. It has been rehearsed by small bodies of troops and closely watched by many competent military observers for flaws of detail. On the invitation of the Army Council a representative of the Times was present at one of these rehearsals on experimental dispersals. It took place at a camp not far from London, and occupied 24 hours. In that time a number of men went through the process of being freed from the army and returned to civil life. They remained soldiers while they were but acting a part, but everything was done under the same discipline and with the same attention to particular details as would be required if the men had been indeed carrying the laurels and emolument of one form of service into another. Before following them through the process of release it may be as well to describe the principles of the scheme. Above everything it recognizes that ours is a citizen army, that citizens are men with homes. Then it is based on the assumption that men who have sacrificed so much for the sake of their country are entitled to all considerations which can be allowed them consistently with the common good. One such consideration is that day at the nation's expense. Fundamentally, it realizes that there would be no kindness to the individual and no advantage to the community in forgetting that the soldier has to earn his living after resting awhile from his military labors. Not military considerations, but social reconstruction is the main principle of the scheme. The Army Council and the labor ministry are alike. The result of co-operation should be that every man, no matter what his ability to find a job as soon as he wants one; and that the soldier-beggar, who was so familiar a figure to the Victorians in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries, will not be an object of patronage and charity. The need of labor in individual industries will serve to a large extent as a guide to the demobilizing officers in the first instance; but men who have been actually in the field for two or three years will not have to wait long for their discharge, and special and early care will be taken to get employment for survivors of the old army. But demobilization is not aimed at placing only a need hardly be pointed out how employers and others can help to this end when the great opportunity of peace arrives. Dropping Equipment Of the men who took part in the rehearsal, one-half were supposed to be injured and the other half to be one-half from a collecting place in the United Kingdom. All were bound for homes in a certain specified district. If they had come from the train luggage they would have been fed, and if they had been in need of sleep, would have been housed. A dispersal station would, have these comforts ready, though they would not be always wanted. The men were in full equipment, and had first to rid themselves of this. Having done this they were taken to a parade ground, and having paraded in convenient order, they enter an improvised office, or store, where each man received a card. In this card he put his private belongings. At the same time he handed over his equipment, including rifle and (presuming him to have come from France) his steel helmet and gas mask. As to Losses If any important articles were missing—say, the rifle—the man had to repair to another place to give an explanation. Here the officer in charge of the draft was called in to corroborate or comment on the man's story. A satisfactory explanation ended the matter. Otherwise the soldier was debited on his dispersal certificate with an amount corresponding to the deficiency. Copies of this kind would be relatively few. A man left the equipment shed in his uniform and carrying only his greatcoat and the sundbag containing his private belongings. The equipment that soldiers shall keep treasured on the conclusion of their furlough. Their uniforms they may wear for 28 days after dispersal, and thereafter on special occasions only. What He Gets The "documentation" of the man is a more complicated business, and he must pass through several offices before it is completed. Men and women clerks however, seemed to enter very earnestly into the rehearsal, and did their work quickly and carefully. All the entries too were checked at a separate desk. It will be sufficient here to state the outcome for each soldier. First, he gets an out-of-work insurance policy securing him in the event of unemployment, a weekly sum, the magnitude of which will be determined later. In return for his dispersal certificate he receives a protection certificate, which he takes away with him on his four-week furlough. It entitles him to a sum in advance at once, the remainder of his deferred pay and whatever gratuities may be voted by the government being payable in three equal instalments during the furlough on presentation of the certificate at a post office. Off Home A label for the return of his greatcoat at the end of 28 days is also issued to him, and the papers, which include the record of his military service and a railway warrant for his journey, are put into an envelope on which is plainly marked the number of his railway group. By means of that number he finds those of his comrades who are "going the same way home"; they are warned of the time of the train's departure, and finally taken to the station and seen off. The man in at last demobilized. The documents have been stored as far as can be. Much study has been devoted to reducing them to a minimum. Even so, the number of

them will be in the aggregate enormous. It is estimated that demobilization will take 45,000,000 forms. A system of codes will enable the War Office to keep in touch with progress, and to tell by rapid reference how many men in any category or group have been discharged in a particular area. The number of dispersal centres, which the scheme proposes to establish is 13. Should men pour in too quickly the number of dispersal units at a centre would be increased.

ATHLETIC SPORTS AT ENGLISH CAMP

British, Canadian and Australian Troops Participated in Events

Somewhere in England Sept. 21 (Correspondence of The Associated Press)—British, Canadian, and Australian soldiers contested in the athletic sports held by an army brigade here the other day. British contingents won the majority of the events owing, partly, to the fact that more Britishers than any others participated. A Challenge Shield presented by the brigadier general, and a Challenge Cup, presented by an American colonel, were to be fought for. A Cabinet Minister was among the judges and the winner in charge of the distribution of prizes. The soldiers, company after company, American, British, Canadian and Australians, marched in fours to the athletic ground, carrying their marching tunes. At the field they formed little groups of truly international character around the ropes choosing and sooting. Before the sport program began there was the customary parade of competitors. They marched around the running track, group by group, and cheering from the rival camps and headed by the officers of the Scotch Guards whose revel and strathspeys put new life into the tier of spectators. Twice the R-I and Greens and Pinks made the quarter mile circuit. Then the starter's pistol told that the first heat was on. It was the open quarter-mile with contestants from the American, British, and Australian contingents. The final was won in 53.4-5 seconds, not bad time on wet grass. There was a long program, all sorts of things, the keen enthusiasm, and an international favor to almost every event. As the number of each successive winner was posted up the stands cheered themselves hoarse. Meanwhile there was pipe music played while overhead a half-dozen British and American airmen provided entertainments by looping the loop, nose-diving, and performing various other evolutions and aerobatics which a few years ago would have been deemed impossible. The British contingents being numerically superior to the other nationalities engaged won a majority of the events but the results mattered little for in these things the mere result is nothing in comparison with the spirit in which the events are contested and the cordial entente which results. "It all looks bad for the boche", remarked the American colonel to the British Brigadier as the men, Allies all, marched off the field.

A NEW RACE TRACK

Has Been Added for the Burford Fair

The great and only Burford Fair will take place on Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 1st and 2nd. It has been held in the woods at the woods "a going, and a large number also outside the area. In addition to a fine exhibition the show enables everybody to meet everybody else in Brant county. There will this year be \$1,500 in prizes and an added attraction in a half mile race track. The events will be for 2.20 and 2.40 classes with purses of \$100 and \$50. On Wednesday for the convenience of Brantfordites a special train will leave Market Street Station (G.T.R.) at 1.10 p.m., Colborne St., 1.15. Returns from Burford at 6.30 p.m.

U. S. SHIPPING.

By Courier Leased Wire. Washington, Sept. 20.—Ship tonnage actually delivered to the Emergency Fleet Corporation so far this year amounts to 1,811,000 tons with 2,596,000 tons launched and keels laid for 4,103,000 tons. General Manager Peiz of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, giving these figures to the Senate commerce commission today, said deliveries for the month of September probably will reach 400,000.

PLEDGE LOYALTY IN GERMAN.

By Courier Leased Wire. Sandusky, O., Sept. 20.—Speaking in German nearly 200 ministers and elders attending the thirty-seventh annual session of the Central Synod of the Reformed Church of the United States, here today bestowed blessings on President Wilson and prayer for a speedy victory for the Allies. The session was in German because many of the aged clergymen knew no other language.

POLICIES ORDERED PAID.

By Courier Leased Wire. Toronto, Sept. 20.—Charles S. Robertson, formerly of Hamilton, presumed dead, had two policies with the Oddfellows' Relief Association, one for \$500 and one for \$1,000, which were assigned to Lillian McGiffen of Hamilton. A report that he had been seen four years ago was disproved in court this morning at Osgoode Hall and an order was made to pay the woman the money.



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Lot No. I—Woolnap Blankets, \$5.29 Per Pair 18 pairs only of Fine Woolnap Blankets, 66x80 in size—last year's stock slightly soiled—in white only. Worth today \$7.00 per pair. Special Sale Price. \$5.29

Lot No. II—Heavy Woolnap Blankets In white only. Size 72x84—note the large size—slightly soiled. Worth \$8.00 per pair. Special Sale Price, per pair. \$6.25

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Lot No. V—Heavy Wool Blankets In size 66x80; almost pure wool. Worth \$11.00 per pair. Sale Price, per pair. \$8.50

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King George's Fund For Sailors and British RED CROSS SOCIETY

The total amounts reported in by the canvassers up to last Friday night, aggregate an amount still below the objective set for the City of Brantford.

The appeal for the Sailors' Fund was based on an amount of Fifty Cents per head of population throughout the country, and the Committee placed a like objective for the British Red Cross.

While the total objective of \$50,000 represents the amount aimed at for the entire County of Brant, in view of the difficulty in organizing the rural districts and the fact that the County Council will not meet until the middle of October, the results in the county at large are uncertain. If the objective set is to be reached, the amount subscribed in the City of Brantford must go well over \$40,000.

To-morrow—Sunday—the workers will call at every home in the City to collect the envelopes which have been distributed by mail.

The Committee appeals to all who have not as yet contributed, to do so liberally through the envelopes, and to all who have already given, to seriously consider making an extra contribution.

Throughout the period of the War, the City of Brantford has taken a premier position in voluntary campaigns for War Funds, and it is not to be thought of that she will fall in the present instance. The work and needs of the brave British seamen, as well as the inestimable value of the work of the British Red Cross have been constantly before the people, and the Committee confidently appeal to the citizens to loyally support these causes throughout the next few days, so that it may not be said that Brantford has failed.

Any who have not received envelopes or have been missed in the canvass, are urged to send their contributions direct to the Treasurer—H. T. WATT, care of Imperial Bank, Market Street.

The town of Baku, Trans-Caucasia. The establishment of the Royal has been occupied by Tartar volun-Canadian Air Service has been completed by the Naval Department.

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## WORLD'S DEBT TO U.S. NEARLY SIX BILLION

And Will be Increased by  
Half That Within Next  
Year

By The Associated Press.  
Denver, Col., Sept. 21.—Other na-  
tions probably will owe the United  
States nearly \$9,000,000,000 at the  
end of the war if it should come  
about a year hence, John E. Rovensky,  
of New York, told the bankers  
assembled here to-day in the na-  
tional convention of the American  
Institute of Bankers. Mr. Rovensky  
is vice-president of the National  
Bank of Commerce, of New York.  
The world now owes the United  
States about \$5,765,000,000. Mr.  
Rovensky said and he estimated that  
this would be increased within a  
year by about \$3,000,000,000.  
"By the time the war is over,"  
said Mr. Rovensky, "America will  
be one of the leading creditor nations  
of the world, a financial center from  
which a large part of the world's  
economic supremacy that has been  
traveling westward since the dawn  
of civilization and that now rests  
over London, will again move east-  
ward in its course and cross the At-  
lantic. In contemplating this pic-  
ture there spreads before our eyes a  
vista of a world of boundless oppor-  
tunities which awaits young Ameri-  
can bankers of the present genera-  
tion."

Mr. Rovensky reached these con-  
clusions by an interesting analysis of  
the international financial position  
of the United States. He said that  
when the war began the United States'  
net debt to the world was about  
\$3,500,000,000. The United States  
paid annually to foreign countries a  
net amount of \$500,000,000 in  
interest on our debt, freight charges,  
remittances to foreign laborers, ex-  
penditures of American tourists, in-  
surance premiums and sundry items.  
After the beginning of the war the  
United States repaid its debt to  
foreign countries very rapidly by  
purchasing American securities held  
abroad. "It is probable that our  
net debt to foreign countries was  
practically extinguished about two  
years ago," declared Mr. Rovensky.  
During the war, up to July 1, 1918  
the United States exported merchan-  
dise in excess of its imports to the  
extent of about \$19,000,000,000. In  
return the United States arranged to  
lend its Allies and other foreign  
countries about \$7,500,000,000. It  
received American securities to the  
amount of about \$2,000,000,000 and  
\$1,000,000,000 in gold; a total of  
\$30,500,000,000.

Mr. Rovensky estimated that after  
the war the United States would re-  
ceive from foreign nations annually  
about \$450,000,000 in interest on  
its loans; instead of having to pay  
about \$175,000,000 annually in in-  
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tries amounting to \$325,000,000,  
leaving a net annual income to the  
United States of about \$125,000,000.  
To this added an annual net balance  
in favor of the United States of about  
\$490,000,000. This made a total of  
credits annually piling up in favor  
of the United States of \$665,000,000.  
Mr. Rovensky estimated that the  
United States would find it profitable  
after the war to leave its \$900,000,-  
000 investment abroad and to rein-  
vest abroad the income from it by  
purchase of securities of foreign  
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## MUSIC AND DRAMA

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season, is of average musical comedy  
calibre, and has the merit of several  
more or less original novelties.  
Jack Williams and Arthur Burgess  
a clever pair of black and white  
comedians, added greatly to the life  
of the performance, although they  
lacked something of the pep of the  
Orr brothers, who appeared in these  
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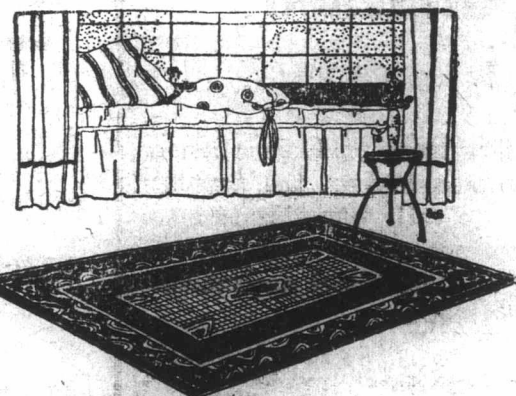
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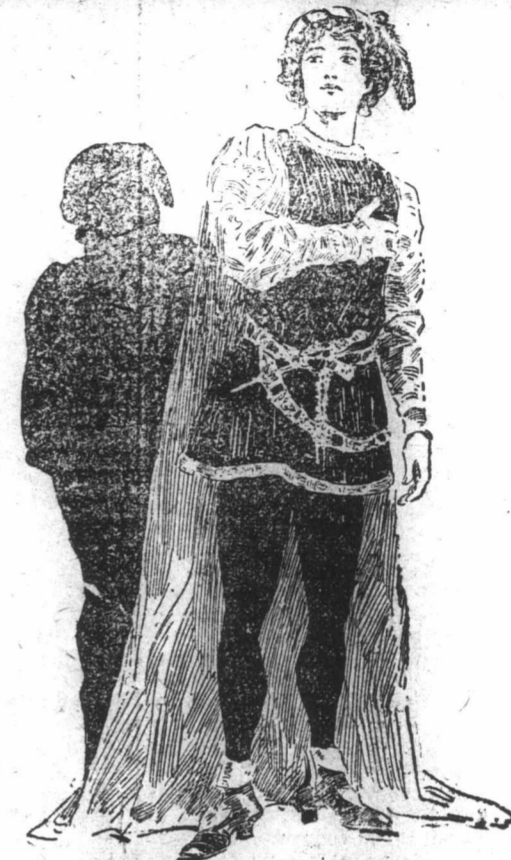
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LABOR CONGRESS  
SHELVES QUESTION  
OF INTERVENTION

Will Not Oppose Allied Action in Sending Aid to Russia

By Courier Leased Wire  
Quebec, Sept. 20.—A resolution emanating from Toronto, from Toronto Lodge No. 439 of Machinists, that the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress go on record as being opposed to any intervention on the part of the Allies in the internal conditions in Russia, promised a heated discussion, but after some argument it was tabled indefinitely. Delegate Lowe of Transconia said that speaking as a returned soldier, he felt that the Allies have enough enemies in front without having any in the rear. He considered it a disgrace to the Congress to bring up such a question. The chair was asked for a ruling as to the constitutionality of such a resolution, and Chairman Watters replied that he had grave doubts whether the action of urging defiance or opposition to the Allies in entering Russia would not be construed as treasonable or seditious.

A Russian delegate from Toronto spoke on the question at some length and held that the Russian people should be left to work out their own destiny. Delegate Taylor thought the workers of Russia should be left to work out their own salvation without intervention from anybody. The Government was asking for volunteers for Siberia and conscripts for France.

A resolution passed regarding policemen and firemen's unions follows:

"As with all other wage earners it has been found necessary for the police and firemen to get increases in wages and better working conditions to form unions, and as the authorities in some cities have tried to deter them from legally organizing, this Congress pledges itself to support police and firemen's unions and to instruct its officers and urge locals to oppose any legislation tending to deter or diminish the right to form such unions."

A short debate took place among the delegates on a motion which sought to place the Congress on record as approving of the action of the Ontario executive in urging Premier Hearst to allow beverages containing two and a half per cent. of alcohol, and requesting the Dominion and Provincial governments to make it legal to manufacture and sell anywhere in Canada any beverage not exceeding two and a half per cent. of alcohol.

The motion was sponsored by John Young of Toronto.

John A. Bruce, Toronto, opposed the motion. He contended that the argument that more and stronger beer would increase the productivity of the workmen, was wrong in logic and facts.

Mr. Young said they should have a proper beverage instead of the slops now served out.

Thomas Stevenson, Toronto, showed that there was nothing about the productivity of workmen in the resolution.

J. E. O'Leary, Toronto, claimed there were some blind pigs selling cheap whiskey now. He thought the temperance element in Canada should follow the example of the prohibition party in the United States. Three per cent. beer was allowed in Maine.

Gustave Francis, Montreal, said he liked beer and intended to keep on drinking it. The present temperance beverages were worse than water.

Richard Lynch, Montreal, said he had emptied several breweries and a couple of distilleries and it was still alive. He intended to stick to beer.

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**ROBBERS ON TRIAL**  
By Courier Leased Wire  
Quebec, Sept. 20.—The trial of the five alleged bank robbers arrested in connection with the rifting of the safe at the National Bank in Scotts, Beauce, some time ago, is expected to start at St. Joseph de Beauce on Thursday next.



CLERGYMEN OF THE LOWER HOUSE OF THE ANGLICAN SYNOD. The above picture, taken on the front steps of St. James' Cathedral, shows the clergymen of the lower house of the General Synod of the Anglican Church of Canada, at present meeting in Toronto. Some well-known figures in the church may be recognized, from many parts of the Dominion.

until he crossed the River Jordan. He supposed Delegate Bruce wanted them to drink spruce beer. T. C. Cassidy, Montreal, said in England the working classes were allowed by the Lloyd George Government just enough beer not to affect their productivity and enough to prevent them from thinking. The motion was adopted by an overwhelming majority.

**HALIFAX DISASTER HIT CHURCH HARD**

Three Anglican Churches Destroyed, and Many Others Damaged

Toronto, Sept. 20.—Difficulty in obtaining proper statistics of the state of the church was referred to in the report in this connection by Archbishop Armitage, Halifax, when he moved its adoption at this morning's session of the General Synod. The report embodied recommendations that an attempt be made in the various dioceses to have statistical forms issued up on the same general lines at least. A model form of report in order to obtain some uniformity in the information supplied was also recommended. According to the report of the archdeacon the state of the church in the diocese of Nova Scotia is fairly good in spite of war conditions and disaster of December last.

This catastrophe affected every church in the city and neighborhood of Halifax. Three were destroyed and the others will require extensive repairs amounting to many thousands of dollars. The relief commission has not as yet made a settlement with the church corporations, but has advanced as loan sums for temporary and other repairs. It is understood that restoration of St. Marks and Emmanuel Churches will be made. For over eight months the churches of St. Georges, Trinity and Christ church were not available for public worship.

The monetary loss upon the churches damaged will reach a total loss of over \$200,000.

On account of the increased cost of building material and the fact that under the city building regulations new structures must be of a more substantial character than hitherto, the situation as far as the churches are concerned is one of extreme complexity.

Rev. Canon Horsley, Montreal discussing the report declared that one third of the men registered under the national registration as Anglicans were unknown to church authorities. This also applied to a large number of soldiers registered as Anglicans. This ought to be an inspiration to some of us to go out and win back these lost sheep," he said. This statement did not meet with the approval of a number of clergymen, who disapproved of the term "lost sheep." The report was finally adopted and referred to the executive council.

**THIRTY KILLED IN COLLISION**

By Courier Leased Wire  
Paris, Sept. 20.—Thirty people were killed and more than a score injured in a collision between Dujon and Daroch yesterday.

Three cars filled with passengers, who were mostly children returning from their vacations, were telescoped. Soldiers lent vigorous assistance in taking out the bodies and transporting the injured in ambulances to a cantonment near the scene of the accident.

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**CHADWICK TURNS NURSEMAID**

By Harold Brighthouse, author of Hudson's Choice, The Silver Lining, etc.

Mr. Chadwick filled his usual chair in the bar-parlor of the Butting Ram and a look of extraordinary satisfaction testified to the state of his feelings. A day's work which would have crippled many a younger man left him brisk and happy.

But his was the only cheerful face there. Rogers frowned from his corner and Tom Uttley came in with a disgruntled air. Nor did Chadwick help him.

"You look tired lad," he said. "What's to do?"

"Don't be a fool, Chadwick," retorted Uttley irritably. "You know what's to do, I'm fed up. This we're on is all rush and no reason. I've never shirked yet, but I've seen no sense in rushing other jobs and I haven't seen the sense in this one."

"You don't like turning nursemaid, eh?" said Chadwick.

Uttley stared. "Nurserymaid? We're on work for a new aerodrome. I haven't seen the sense in this one."

"Aye," said Rogers viciously from his corner, "I don't hold with flying."

"No?" said Chadwick. "I've heard tell of old folks who don't like railways."

"Oh, flying's right enough," said Uttley. "What I'm getting at is this. Here we are on work for an aerodrome, making the thing as if it had to last for ever, and I thought this was to be the last war!"

"There's more than me will be bitterly disappointed if it isn't," said Chadwick. "But if you'll look at the matter straight, the end of war has nothing to do with a solid built aerodrome. That aerodrome we're making is like a lot of other peaceful things; it's temporarily confined to war purposes, and it's made solid because it's intended to last. War's been a forcing house for flying and peace will see the results of it."

"Why, even to-day you can see the beginnings of what will happen. Aeroplanes carry the mail from Italy to Sardinia because of the submarines, and Scandinavia's doing the same, which is one of the advantages of being neutral. It's all in a small way to-day and it's held back because there are not enough planes for war purposes, let alone peace. The sort of planes they want to-day are observation planes, battle planes, bombing planes, and the sort they'll want to-morrow will be mail planes and Atlantic greyhound planes and transport planes. Is that a reason for building that aerodrome solid, Tom?"

"Aye," grumbled Uttley, "if you're right."

"The only thing that's wrong," said Chadwick "is that some folk can't believe their luck and it dare say we're not particularly lucky to be alive in the midst of a European war, but all the same I'm glad I'm here to do my bit and I'm glad to get this chance. It frightens some folk, seemingly."

"They're afraid of new ideas, but I'm not, though I grant you flying's a big enough idea to be scaring at first, and one that means more to the British Empire than anything that's come along in donkey's years. It's a spread-out place the Empire, and if it had a weakness it was that it took a long time to reach the further parts of it. Australia's a long way off, but aeroplanes are bringing it about as close to us as London was to Edinburgh in the coaching days. I suppose Rogers here would like to go back to coaches!" Rogers indignantly protested. "No? I beg your pardon, then!" said Chadwick. "You're reconciled to railways, but

I fancy you don't think motor-cars quite decent. I'm afraid of you, myself. I've caught up with the aeroplane idea, the idea of the Empire linked by trade-routes in the air. London to Cape Town in three days instead of three weeks and the Empire, air-floats as big and strong as the mercantile marine and the Navy are to-day."

"That's the idea I reckon. Our government has grasped it and that's why that aerodrome's built strong and to last. If we don't do the trick, Tom, Germany will get in first. In the air we have to keep ahead of Germany in peace as much as in war, because it means the chief trade of the world."

"I called you a nurserymaid and I'll tell you why. Well, the aerodrome's the nursery. It's more than a home for aeroplanes or a hospital when they're damaged. It's the nursery of the Air Service of the Future and I'm proud to be a nurserymaid, eh?" said Chadwick.

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Frank Whentley, Bank Head, Alberton, opposed the motion. He said recently when the western miners during a strike asked for help, they were told by the international heads they could not get it because \$50,000 had been invested in war bonds for the "slaughter house." They could have starved. The money had been subscribed to protect the workers.

J. C. Cassidy, Montreal, expressed surprise that the resolution should have been introduced by Mr. Stevenson. It read as if it had been composed by the finance minister. He warned the workers that the larger the capitalization of a concern, the harder men had to work to pay dividends on it. Again in the disastrous peace which would follow this war, they would be compelled to sell the bonds at a great sacrifice. He referred to Sir Thomas White as "a fine animal monstrosity" and complained that the bonds would only serve to make fortune for those capitalists who were already riding them.

Alfred Stone, Toronto, asked if they were going to let the men at the front think the Labor Congress of Canada were not supporting them. Were they going back upon them now when the Germans were being pressed back.

Mr. Stevenson explained that there was no compulsion about the motion. He claimed that the talk of the Socialists was propaganda which could be carried on after the war was ended. In the meantime the principal duty of Trade Unionists was to win the war and to do this money was required.

There ensued a series of disorders. H. J. Halton, Hamilton, moved the vote.

The "ayes" for the amendment seemed to be in a majority. A dozen delegates demanded that the debate continue and were "booted." The chairman allowed further speeches.

Michael Bouhlay, Montreal, said much "gush" was being talked. "Why don't you go to the front?" asked Delegate Lynch.

"I don't want to," confessed Mr. Bouhlay.

Several speakers talked at once, one showing that the repudiation of interest would hurt the widows of soldiers and poorer folk who had bought bonds and another referring to the call of gold the unions would be worshipping if they accepted interest. Another speaker said the amendment was a clever move to secure the defeat of the appeal in the motion.

A hundred delegates arose en masse and protested on another attempt to take a vote. For five minutes Chairman Watters sounded his gavel. Ultimately partial quiet was restored and Mr. Watters then denounced the obstruction tactics.

Mr. McGowan, Cobalt, said if the workers did not invest in the bonds they would be taken up by men like the Rothschilds of Europe.

C. W. Foster, Transcona, moved as a second amendment that all future war loans carry no interest.

Delegate Taylor asked for a roll call vote and the convention turned down the request.

The Stevenson motion was adopted amid cheers and the members of the faction opposing it asked quiet that their names be entered in the minutes as objecting.

**WAR LOAN HAS SUPPORT OF THE LABOR CONGRESS**

Every Worker in Canada is to be Urged to Invest

ACRIMONIOUS DEBATE

Quebec, Sept. 20.—After several hours' acrimonious debate the Trades and Labor Congress this morning adopted a motion urging every worker to invest in the coming war loan. The radicals at first opposed the investment in war loans but finally lined up behind an amendment calling for the repudiation of all interests on loans their contention being that real patriots should not accept reward for supporting the soldiers.

Interruptions were numerous and the meeting frequently had to be called to order by Chairman Watters.

The motion was introduced by Thomas A. Stevenson of Toronto.

Joseph Taylor of Victoria said the appeal for an investment in war bonds was like the American maxim: "If you don't continue to invest you won't get your money back," as the support of victory bonds would have to be made at the expense of the necessities of life and he hoped unions would not invest.

Alex. Lyon, Toronto, moved an amendment which advised the government to pay no more interest on any war bonds and to return only the principal loaned.

This would be, he said, a test of the patriotism of the people to see if they were willing to make sacrifices as were the men on the field of Flanders.

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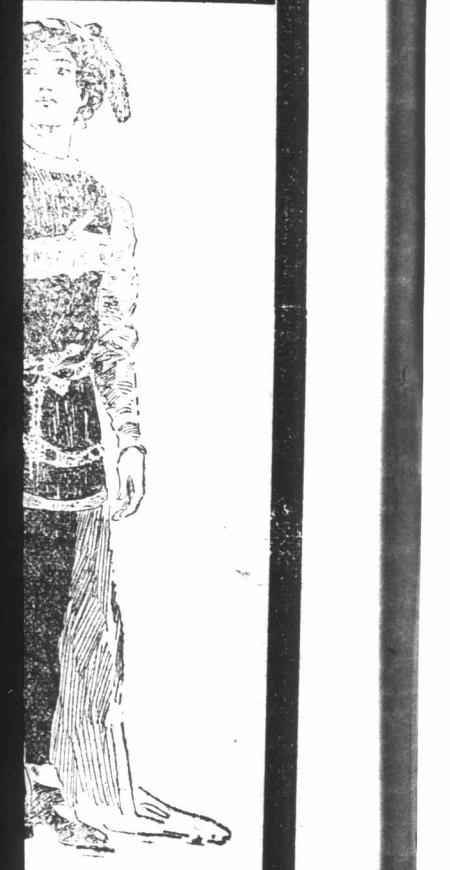
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# District News

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## KELVIN NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
The relatives and friends here were very sorry indeed to learn of the death of Miss Maggie Tut of London, which occurred a few days ago. Miss Tut taught the school in Kelvin about eighteen months ago.

A quiet and pretty wedding was celebrated on Wednesday, 4th ult., at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hillard, when their only daughter, Miss Bertha, was united in marriage to Mr. Clifford Andrews, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Andrews, in the presence of a few invited guests. Rev. Mr. Darling was the officiating clergyman. Congratulations.

Mr. George Racher and son, Earl, of Norwich spent Sunday with the former's brother in this section.

Mrs. John Maracle of Michigan, Mrs. Booker Wheeler and Mrs. Jacob Roswell of Kelvin were recent guests of Mrs. David Phillips.

A young daughter has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDougall.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McMicking and daughter, Miss Leata, of Toronto were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Racher last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Septimus Campbell of Toronto are at present visiting their son and family in this section.

Mr. Clifford Andrews and bride have returned home from their honeymoon trip.

The workmen are pushing the work on the new Methodist Church and will soon have it accomplished. The weather has been quite wet for the last few days.

## WINDHAM CENTRE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
Mr. Wm. Day spent a day at Delhi last week.

An accident happened the little son of Ashton Munn. While playing with his little brother he ran against him with a stick in his mouth, running it in the back of his mouth between the teeth and made a bad hole in the mouth, but is somewhat better at time of writing. Threshing is the main work in this locality this week.

Mr. Freeland and wife of Brantford spent the week-end with the latter's brother, Mr. Wm. Peacock. Mr. Lemuel Hartwick is moving this week to Brantford.

## MT. PLEASANT.

(From our own Correspondent.)  
Harvest thanksgiving services were held in All Saints' Church last Sunday, and were most successful from every point of view.

In the afternoon the rector, Rev. E. C. Jennings, gave a very helpful discourse from Lev. 19, v. 9 and 10, and in the evening Rev. Mr. Fotheringham, of Grace church, preached a splendid sermon from the text "Wind and Storm Fulfilling His Word." The church was beautifully decorated with the fruits of the earth, and a liberal thank offering was given. The choir rendered special music.

A Red Cross tea was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John McEwen, Mt. Pleasant road. There was a large attendance of ladies from the vicinity, and a most enjoyable afternoon spent, beside a nice amount of money for the Red Cross work.

The school fair is to be held here next week. Weather conditions being

good, a large attendance is expected.

Mr. and Mrs. James Guest motored to Durham and spent the week-end with Rev. and Mrs. Cole in their new charge.

The younger set held a most enjoyable corn roast at the Creek on Saturday night in honor of Miss Dora Harris, who left on Tuesday to attend Brankson Hall, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Harris are spending a few days in Toronto.

Miss Margaret Smyth entertained a number of the young people at tea on Monday evening in honor of Miss Dora Harris.

There were very few motors in use last Sunday. Only those who could not possibly get along without. None were used for pleasure.

Miss Kathleen Biggar, of the Western Hospital, Toronto, is home recuperating after a three week's illness from pleurisy.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Waterloo have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Smythe for a few days.

The local bowlers journeyed to Paris on Tuesday and played a friendly match with the club there. The Paris people certainly know how to entertain.

## FAIRVIEW

(From our own Correspondent.)  
Miss Edna Anderson spent Sunday with Miss Marion Birdsel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Norrie attended the wedding of Miss Elsie B. Henning and Mr. William Doughty Elmwood Farm, Jarvis, on Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Anderson, Bealton.

Mr. Albert King has a new car. Miss Grace King left for Hamilton to attend Normal School.

Mrs. John Myerough is very sick at time of writing.

## BURFORD

(From our own Correspondent.)  
Much sympathy will be felt for the loss that Mr. O'Reilly, who lives on the Tennant Farm on the Town line sustained on Tuesday of this week through the loss of his grain and implements by fire. Mr. O'Reilly had just had his grain thrashed and the engine was ready to be moved when fire broke out in the stack. All of his grain and some of his implements were destroyed.

Mr. George Ausleybrooke is getting ready to open his apple evaporator.

A young son was born on Sunday Sept. 8th to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lester.

Miss J. Johnston is visiting in Belleville.

Mrs. Wm. Hearne is seriously ill. The harvest home service in Trinity church last Sunday was nicely attended. The church was nicely decorated for the occasion.

The large verandah in front of the hotel is nearing completion, and adds a great deal to the appearance of the place.

Mr. J. E. Brethour and nephews as usual, were at the top in their class of hogs shown at the Toronto exhibition. Over \$300 was taken in prizes.

At the Fairfield and Bethel Methodist church services, and the Burford Methodist and Congregational church union services on Sept. 8th, the sum of \$140 was raised for the Navy League fund.

Rev. Mr. Hooford is taking a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. J. Elvide has purchased Mr. F. Costin's farm of 500 acres adjoining the village.

We understand it is to cost still more to live after next Monday, as bread advances to 12 cents per loaf.

on that day.

Electric light poles are being placed on the new streets.

The new race track on the fair grounds is being worked into shape for speed trials on show day.

## CAINSVILLE NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
Evangelistic services are being held in the Orange Hall, Cainsville, conducted by the Rev. O. C. Elliott of Toronto, every night this week.

A corn roast was held at the home of Mrs. Chantler on Tuesday evening. A number of friends from the city and village were present and a very delightful time was spent.

The Ladies' Aid held on Thursday afternoon in the class room of the Methodist Church. A large number were present.

Miss C. A. Brooks of Luchow, West China, is home on furlough, the guest of her sisters, the Misses Brooks.

Mr. Wilson, sr., is the guest of his son, Mr. C. A. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Ramey motored to Pittsburg on Sunday and spent the day there.

The Misses Maud Bradd and Olive Turvey have returned to their homes after spending a few weeks in Buffalo.

Mr. F. Brewer of the city spent Tuesday with Miss Maud Bradd.

Mr. L. Turvey and son, Ray, of Hamilton were the Sunday guests of his parents.

Miss M. Norrie of Burford spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Foulger are off for a few weeks visit in New York.

## WATERFORD

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
On Tuesday evening, Sept. 18, the Ladies' Aid of the Baptist Church held their regular meeting for September. It was somewhat of a departure from the regular manner of the meeting and consisted of a series of living pictures and music. Some of the pictures shown were: "The Rosary," "Britania," "Mother Machree," "Old Black Joe," "Red Wings," "Lad in Khaki," "America," and a number of others. They were shown in tableaux form and the young ladies who represented them, certainly deserve credit for the way they carried it through. While each picture was being shown a song appropriate was being sung by some one behind the curtains. After the pictures were finished, a number of solos and duets were given by Mrs. Hazel, Mrs. Kitchen, Mrs. Taylor and Miss Woodley.

Sunday, Sept. 15 was Sunday School Rally Day at the Waterford Baptist Church. The Sunday School scholars gathered in their classrooms at 10.30 and then marched upstairs, where they took their places, each class attended by the teacher. After the singing of hymns, a reading of passages of scripture, and the reports from each class, the pastor, Rev. Fitch gave an illustrated address on "The Great Divide." He began by mentioning the place in the Rocky Mountains where a stream starts, but soon it divides, one part going west into the Pacific Ocean and the other coming east and at last reaching the Atlantic. Then he compared two lives, starting apparently from the same point, then showing how they separate and ending up very differently. It was a good address and very feelingly given.

The Loyalist Bible Class will hold their social evening this month at the home of Mr. W. E. Mason. This is the last meeting of this kind that the teacher, Rev. Mr. Fitch, expects to be present with them.

Next Sunday evening, Rev. Mr. Harris will preach in the Baptist Church. Mr. Fitch expects to preach anniversary services at Tyrrell in the afternoon and evening.

The Harvest Thanksgiving services of the Anglican Church will be held next Sunday, Sept. 22, morning and evening.

On Monday afternoon, Sept. 16 the remains of Mrs. J. Burke, who died at her home in Brantford on Friday, were brought here and interred in Greenwood Cemetery. She was the daughter of the late Abraham Smith of the Nova, and sister of Mrs. P. G. Wilcox of this place.

Mrs. Allan, one of the old residents of this town, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Potts, in Buffalo. She went there only a few weeks ago and was brought back on Tuesday. The funeral took place from her home here on Thursday afternoon. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery.

Mr. John Martin's auto was partially destroyed by fire one day last week. It was caused by defective wiring. The damage amounted to about \$150.

Work was delayed a couple of days last week at the canning factory on account of the upper floor giving way and sagging several feet. Who can beat this. One day last week Mrs. Oscar Weaver hauled 70 bushels of factory corn in ten hours.

Mrs. Arthur Sands and children of Detroit are spending a few weeks with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. James Boomer.

Mrs. H. A. Francis and Miss Francis of Niagara Falls, N.Y., are visiting their cousins, Mr. A. E. McMichael and Miss McMichael, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Terry of Grand Rapids, Mich., visited his father, Mr. John Terry and Mrs. Terry for a few days this week.

Mrs. John Duesling is in London for a few weeks, the guest of her son, Mr. Clarence Duesling.

Mr. and Mrs. James Belknap motored from Cass City, Michigan, and spent the week with Mr. and

Mrs. James Slack and other friends. It is over thirty years since Mr. Belknap was here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. McMichael and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Series, who have been spending some time in Port Huron as guests of Dr. Lewis have returned to their homes here this week.

The Sunday School builders (S.S. B.) class of the Baptist Sunday School held a corn roast in the woods on the farm of Mr. Hellerman on Tuesday, Sept. 10, and a good time is reported.

Mr. Scott Rowleson of Toronto is visiting his cousins, the Misses Caldwell, this week.

Miss Lizzie Kitchen spent the week-end with her brother, Mr. Ernest Kitchen, Bloomburg.

Mrs. W. D. Woodley is entertaining Miss Pope of Port Ryerse.

Miss Mildred Bauslaugh returned to Alma College, St. Thomas, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oden Series, who have been on a visit to friends at Niagara Falls and Grimsby for some time, have returned home.

Mrs. J. E. Hill has been entertaining relatives from Preston.

Captain C. A. Meritt, C.A.M.C., of this place and Miss Alice Irene Gray were married at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Montreal, on Thursday, September 12th. Dr. Mariatt and bride have been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meritt, here. He is well known here, having lived here all his life with the exception of the time he has been away at college. His many friends wish him

all good luck and happiness.

Wednesday, September 18th, being Miss Hazel MacMartain's birthday, her mother arranged a surprise party for her. She had been invited out for tea, and on going home at about 8 o'clock, was very much surprised to find about twenty-five friends there. The evening was very agreeably spent in games and music. One of the chief attractions in the line of "eats" and sport was to be "hot dogs," and a fire had been made ready outdoors to do the roasting, but about 7.30 it began to rain very hard. It was very lucky that the house was very large. It happened that one room was empty and in it was a fireplace, so a fire was soon started, and in a very short time everybody could be seen with a long stick and a weiner, on the end of it. It certainly caused much fun. Then the melons began to be brought in and one might have thought there was a contest on.

After this course had been finished all proceeded to the parlors again, where the lights were turned off and the birthday cake was brought in, very prettily decorated with lighted candles. After cake had been served all joined in singing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows" and "God be With You Till We Meet Again." Then thanking Mr. and Mrs. MacMartain for a good time, all left for their homes in the early hours of the morning. Mr. and Mrs. MacMartain make an ideal host and hostess.

Some from here attended the Rural School Fair at Townsend Centre on Tuesday.

Mrs. Bert Sloat of Hartford spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dean, last week.

Mrs. Whitney, Mrs. Ted Sheppard and children were in Hamilton for a few days this week. Mrs. Sheppard and children have returned home, but Mrs. Whitney remained for a longer visit.

Last week being Sailors' week, the town was canvassed and the sum of \$357 was gathered, and more promised.

What might have been a bad accident happened when a horse belonging to Mr. Sylvester Reising of Wilsoville was frightened and ran away from in front of Church's harness shop Wednesday forenoon. It ran down Main street and when in front of Dr. Teeter's struck a buggy in which were a lady and small child. The child was thrown out, but not hurt. Mrs. Culver also escaped with only a few bruises.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Holmes spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith at Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kitchen of St. Thomas spent Sunday with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Roberts.

Mr. Henry Sanderson made a business trip to Toronto this week.

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"You have no idea what it means to stand knee-deep in mud—in a dirty trench—with a cold drizzle chilling you to the bone."

"You have never heard the shells shrieking overhead—or seen bombs drop from the sky."

"But you know these things are. And yet you go on spending—as if this war were in a story-book—as if the menace of the Hun could never touch you."

"But it could—and it would—but for your armies."

"And we—the soldiers who make those armies."

"Do you think we could 'carry-on' if we thought for a moment you were not backing us to the limit?"

"Do you think we could stand it all—the terrible fighting and the tiresome toiling—if we dreamed,



"over there," that you were trifling with this war?"

"If we knew that you were spending money on frivolous things?"

"Don't you see that when you spend a dollar on a thing you don't absolutely need, you are using the labor of a man who should be either fighting or making something that will help us—your soldiers—to fight?"

"Oh, you chaps with money in your pockets—and comfort in your homes—and love of ease cankering your souls!"

"If you could know—as I know—all that war means—you'd stint yourselves down to the barest necessities—so that Canada's money and Canada's material and Canada's labor could all go into guns and shells and boots and uniforms and food—for our boys over in France to fight with."

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## IN THE WORLD OF LABOR

Rent profiteers in Boston, Mass., may have their property seized by a commission just appointed. Under war legislation the Governor has power to seize a wide variety of property, and it is intended to investigate charges of rent profiteering.

The United States Treasury Department announces that its war finance corporation will make loans direct to live stock owners in certain cases without the intervention of banks. Financial assistance has been extended to canners of New York state.

The Portland, Ore., city firemen's union has asked municipal authorities to install the two-plate system. Portland is the only city on the Pacific coast that still clings to the old 24-hour idea of working its firefighters.

A strike of stogie makers employed at the Pollack factories, Wheeling, W. Va., has been settled by the workers accepting the employer's compromise offer with the understanding that the entire matter be referred to the National War Labor Board. This firm, together with the Alarsu plant, refused ten weeks ago to raise wages \$2 per 1,000 for stogie makers and 1 cent a pound to the strippers.

Federal Senator Sherman, of Illinois, has not been featured in the public press for some time, so this week he declared that "on all questions directly or indirectly related to labor, Compers is practically President of the United States." Two years ago Senator Sherman referred to President Compers as "a public nuisance." On Feb. 25, of this year, Senator Sherman said: "After all, most of us are talking to the galleries, anyhow."

The Pennsylvania Workman's Compensation Board has ruled that an employer on the premises of a third person is entitled to compensation. The claimant was a girl employed by a New York firm to demonstrate certain goods in a Philadelphia store. The girl tripped over a torn rug in the store, and for several months has been unable to work. A referee denied compensation, but the board ruled otherwise.

The convention of shop men employed by the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad, to organize a system federation and district lodges, marks a changed policy on this railroad, stating with Director-General of Railroads McAdoo's general order No. 3 last February, that "No discrimination will be made in the employment of employees because of membership or non-membership in labor organizations."

Eleven thousand women, workers in the munition factories at Bridgeport, Conn., where the law denies them a voice in the government of their community, state or nation, will nevertheless be among the 60,000 voters who are about to cast their ballots in a local election. It is not an ordinary election, to be sure. It is an industrial election, and almost community-wide, a thing unprecedented in this country. Its purpose is to choose representatives of the working people upon a board which will control the conditions under which those people work. And this is a case where working women, as well as working men, are considered people, therefore they vote.

The steel workers in the big plant of the Scotia Steel Works at Sydney Mines, N.S., are asking the management for a general increase in wages of 10 per cent for all employees who are earning over \$3.50 per day, and an increase of 20 per cent for those earning \$3.50 per day or less. It is not anticipated that there will be a strike, and it is expected that the advance asked for will be granted. The scale paid in these mills is not

as high as in competing plants south of the international border line, and the company is in a prosperous condition with all the orders it can handle for months to come. The employees of the company in both the steel works and the coal mines are thoroughly organized and in case of serious trouble it would mean a complete tie-up of the plants.

The retail price of living continues skyward, according to the United States Bureau of Labor statistics. Between April 15 and May 15 of this year prices jumped 3 per cent. Between May 15, this year, and May 15, last year, prices increased 5 per cent. Between April 15 and May 15 of this year the price of round steak and plate boiling beef increased 10 per cent; sirloin steak, rib and chuck beef, 9 per cent; pork chops, 8 per cent, and bacon, ham and rice 3 per cent. The 63 per cent increase between 1913 and 1918 shows that every article advanced 38 per cent or over. Cornmeal advanced 133 per cent; lard, 108; flour, 100; milk, 50; butter, 42, and potatoes, 38. Ten other articles increased over 50 per cent.

Division No. 653 of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electrical Railway Employees of St. John N.E., after a somewhat strenuous time of it, again sees things moving along on an even keel. When the representatives of the union, assisted by executive board member Magnus Sinclair asked for the signing up of a new agreement with a request for a seven cents an hour wage increase included therein, the street railway management offered an advance of 3 cents per hour. Finally the division gave the company an ultimatum, offering to accept an increase of five cents an hour. The result was that the question while at work for an arbitration, which finally handed down an award providing for an increase of 20 per cent on the old wage scale in force.

The vacant land tax in Saskatchewan is expected to yield a revenue of \$800,000 this year. It has averaged \$700,000 for the past four years. The tax was changed at last session of the legislature from \$10 per quarter section to one per cent on the value of the land, which is a great improvement in principle. The vacant land tax is not only a good revenue producer, but we have the testimony of government officials of Alberta and Saskatchewan that it is operating to force speculators to sell their lands to users. It is thus an aid to the extension of production. Recent reports of high prices obtained for agricultural lands in the western provinces would indicate that it is time to impose a higher tax on vacant land, or settlement and production will be checked by high land values.—Grain Growers' Guide.

Nearly a million employees of the lower paid classes, not covered by the first big wage increase, were granted raises by the U. S. railroad administration in substance, the increases are \$25 a month over the January 1 rate for those on monthly time; and 12 cents an hour for those on the hourly basis. The increases will effect station employees, stationary engineers, boiler washers, power transferers and turntable operators, common laborers, painters, masons, concrete workers, water supply men, plumbers and other maintenance of way employees.

An eight hour day is established with pro rata overtime of time and a half on the actual minute basis. Already we have shifted so far from normal that a return to peace would upset the equilibrium of the country. The shift may have begun. If we have not only to defeat Germany but to reassemble Russia to make the defeat of Germany worth

anything then we may only have to change from a peace to a war footing, and consequently shall have a much larger task to shift back to peace.

We know that if the nation does not provide against it the shock of peace will be fully as great as the shock of war. We shall have no valid excuses for not being able to meet it.

### COURTS MARTIAL AT NIAGARA CAMP

#### Two Conscientious Objectors and One Deserter On Trial

By Courier Leased Wire  
Niagara Camp, Sept. 20.—Two conscientious objectors, David Sherman Weller and Peter Allan Robertson, both of the First Battalion, first Central Ontario Regiment, appeared before the general courtmartial here to-day in somewhat unusual roles, and both were in uniform. Their cases were adjourned a week ago as they intimated when that they would carry on in a non-combatant branch of the service, and both were placed in the Army Medical Corps. Weller to-day professed readiness to continue in the service and the charge which had been made against him, having refused to obey orders, was withdrawn and he returned to the A.M.C.

Robertson, however, wished to qualify his services in A.M.C. by stipulating that he should obey orders only when they did not conflict with his conscience. He told the court that he regretted having agreed to perform military service in any capacity. He is 22 years of age and a member of the International Bible Association.

Lieut.-Col. Francis, O.C., of the Railway Troops Depot, who presided at the general courtmartial, told Robertson that it was not for him to choose what order he would obey or not obey, as it was his duty to obey all lawful commands in the army. Therefore the accused stated that he was ready to take whatever punishment was meted out to him.

A district courtmartial was held here to-day, presided over by Major C. S. Polo, M.C., for the trial of Private John Joseph Noonan, of the Second Battalion, second C.O.R., who pleaded guilty of having deserted from draft No. 98 July 27 last while the train was in Toronto. He was apprehended in Toronto on August 31st. Noonan excused his desertion by saying he was intoxicated. He expressed willingness to go in the next draft.

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THE ROYAL AND ANCIENT

That was quite a remarkable game played at the Toronto Golf Club the other day. The contestants were Mr. B. L. Anderson, secretary of the Royal Canadian Golf Association, and Mr. Seymour Lyon vs. Mr. George Lyon and Mr. Dudley Dawson, champion of the Toronto Club, who, during a few years' residence in Winnipeg, won nearly all the chief events in the West. In the last nine holes these four players between them gathered in thirteen threes, which surely must constitute a record. The best ball of Messrs. Anderson and Seymour Lyon for the nine holes was 22 and the best ball of all the players, 30. And the Toronto course is no "pink tea proposition" either, but one of the stiffest in Canada. The secretary of the R.C.G.A. and his partner were rather too good for their doughty opponents at both the morning and afternoon rounds.

And here is a very interesting statistical item in reference to holes-in-one. The short hole at Lambton, the well known Toronto course, is No. 12. It is 138 yards in length over a nasty little water hazard and well guarded by traps. It is in no sense of the term, however, a particularly hard one-shotted hole. The green is a generous one and does not take a lot of negotiating. A couple of years ago Mr. Stanley Pettit, the chairman of the green committee, out of curiosity checked up the records and found that over 11,000 games had been played at Lambton, not counting morning rounds and the rounds of many of the ladies, who have the privilege of playing the men's course at certain restricted times. Four ball matches at Lambton are largely in the majority, but taking an average of three players per match this would mean at a conservative estimate that 33,000 and more tee shots were made at the short No. 12 and yet not a single hole-in-one was recorded that season. In fact, during the many years that it has been played, it only has been made in one—Mr. Henry Wright and Mr. J. C. Breckenridge having performed the trick. Talk about a hole-in-one being a 20,000 to one shot. At Lambton it figures out about 200,000 to one.

The recent successful but severe fighting in France has made a heavy call upon some of the finest athletes in the Empire. The toll has been great, but "how can man die better." Among the well known young golfers who have gallantly paid the price are Lieut. Lindsay Wright of Toronto and Lieut. F. Stanley Schell of Brantford. The papers generally referred to the former as a fine cricketer, football player and hockey

expert. But Lieutenant Wright was also a very good golfer indeed. He took up the game when he was only fourteen years of age and had a lot of good shots in his bag. Lieut. Schell, who joined the Imperial Artillery, had played for many years and was quite above the ordinary when it came to swinging a club, either wood or iron. Both were very fine types of clean-cut Canadians and both will be much missed in club house and at course. Lieut. Wright's father, who is President of the McLaren Imperial Cheese Co. is a very well known Toronto golfer—in his younger days an expert canoeist. The total toll of the golfers of Canada since the world-wide war conflagration is now well over two hundred.

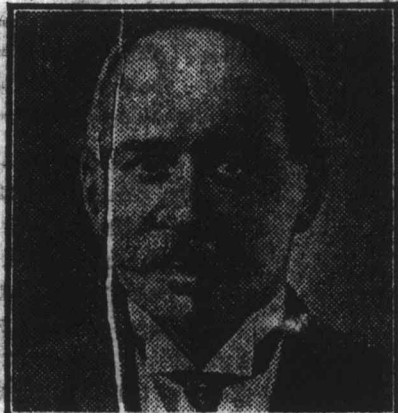
Lord Shaughnessy, the President of the C.P.R., is the most recent prominent convert to the Royal and Ancient. This season he has been seen very often on the links at St. Andrew's-by-the-Sea, where he has his summer home. He has been for some years a member of the Royal Montreal, but never really took up the game seriously until a few months ago. His friends say that His Lordship is already developing quite a respectable short game.

Another prominent figure in the affairs of the Dominion, who dearly loves a round of the links is Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor, general manager of the Bank of Montreal. Sir Frederick is a very determined player and is never beaten until the last putt is holed. He is, by the way, the owner of the most coveted golf prize in Europe, namely, the gold cigarette box presented annually by the Grand Duke Michael, which he won at the Cannes Annual Club Spring Meet in 1913. Upon this occasion he was playing at the top of his game, in fact, admits himself that he was a dozen strokes or so better than usual. He followed this up the next day by winning the Princess Henry Pleas prize. Both Lord Shaughnessy and Sir Frederick are members of the recently formed Canadian Seniors' Golf Association, the former Honorary President.

Saskatchewan, the Province of many acres and of many good golfers, had over one hundred players, men and women, compete in the 1918 championship. The venue was the Wascana Club, Regina, (they are two clubs in Regina), and the participants enjoyed five days of capital golf. Mr. J. H. Cuthbert, of Moose Jaw, for the second time in succession, captured the championship, whilst Saskatoon for the fourth time also in succession, handed the team trophy. Judging from the

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scores made, they play rattling good golf in "Sask." At the annual meeting it was very wisely decided to make the Calkins system of handicapping obligatory with all the clubs affiliated with the association. Sir Frederick Haultain, Chief Justice of the Province, was at the annual meeting elected Hon. President, whilst the other officers were chosen from Regina, Saskatoon, Moose Jaw, Qu'Appelle, and Swift Current. A sum of \$100 was voted to the Red Cross. Although a very virile sensation, Saskatchewan will get the 1919 tournament.

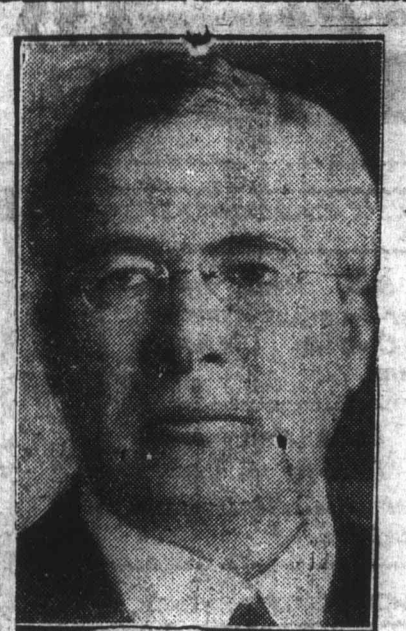
Miss Phyllis Nelson-Terry the charming English actress, was a recent visitor to Toronto and incidentally played her sixth game of golf whilst there. In relating her experience to a feminine journalistic sleuth-hound, she is thus reported: "I hit the clubhouse," she said, with the air of a child not more than half sorry for being a little bit naughty. Nobody ever did it before, they say, and the caddies were adorable—they laughed like anything. That "adorable" caddy places is certainly some camouflage. It's not the term generally applied to the "freckle-faced" imps. The one that fits them best may end with an a-b, l, e, but it begins with a D—a very big D. They can be cheapened by a roar; be patient. What if the measly profiteer is growing richer every year? The day of wrath for him is near; be patient. What if there are abuse and wrong, until you mean cry, "Oh, Lord, how long!" The arm of retribution's strong; be patient. There's no occasion for despair; if night is dark, the morning's fair, and things are right side up with care; be patient. It's vain to hunt around for grief; it's vain to rend your rags and beef; if things are tough, there comes relief; be patient. These are the times that try the soul; they cheer, shake with themselves, console; the brave boys laugh when in the hole; be patient. Oh, grieve and bear whatever load you have to pack along the road, and hark a flag on your abode; be patient.

This from the last issue of "Golfing," London, will be read with much interest here in Canada: "Overseas and home golfers are beginning to get together on the links. The first of a series of competitions organized by the Beyond Seas Association for golfers from Canada, Australia, South Africa, and the United States, took place on Sandy Lodge links, the result being a tie between Lieutenant E. F. Walton (Canada) and Major C. N. F. Smith (Australia) with 84. Lieutenant W. T. R. Theriff-Gordon (Canada) had a net score of 86, and two Australian officers tied for next place with 88—Lieutenant Angus and Lieutenant T. F. Cheadle. The winner of the competition will receive a memento given by Sir Frederick Young, of South Australia.

"What is the best of a brain for a golfer to have," is the very interesting question asked by a writer in The New York Evening Post. Many argue that the individual with highly developed artistic tastes makes the best exponent, while others contend that the only brain of any use to the golfer is one of extreme dullness. Those who contend that dullness is necessary to good play, hold out very little hope for a successful business man, for the simple reason that he thinks too much. Too perceptively and altogether too much. It is a soothing reflection for the great army ofuffers who even if they have not yet risen to fame in art or commerce, can take much heart of comfort from their constant foibles. Not to speak to the serious side, golf requires and in many instances develops a particular kind of intellect which declines to be thrown off its balance by either success or adversity. The nerve who has the power to cultivate that temperament has gone far on the road to success. The theory that a sluggish, stolid brain is the great desideratum for the golfer is also shown by the performance of many famous golfers. (RELEASE SATURDAY, SEPT. 21)

HATCHLEY

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Several from here attended the fair at Toronto this afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Silverthorne spent Sunday at Burford. Mr. John Reekham has purchased a Chevrolet touring car. Mr. V. Dean and Mr. H. Singer have moved to the farms they exchanged in the spring. Mr. and Mrs. W. Sommers and children spent the week-end at Tillsonburg.



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RANELAGH

(From Our Own Correspondent.) A number from here attended London Fair on Wednesday. We are glad to report that Miss Mary Wood is improving nicely. Miss Emma Jull spent Wednesday at Mr. Thos. Wood's. Mr. and Mrs. Saywell have returned home after spending a few days at St. Thomas. Mr. D. Purdy of Scotland spent Saturday with his mother here. Mrs. L. Kelly of Kelvin was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wood Friday afternoon. Mr. James Haggard spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. Thos. Wood.

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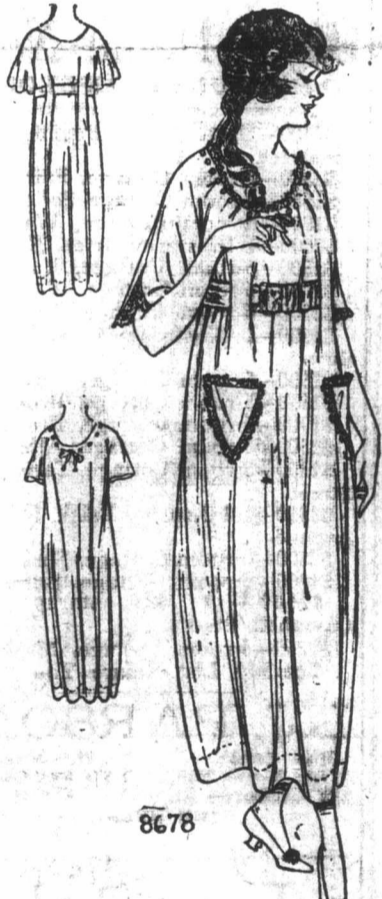
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