

Allied Offensive in Italy is Coming

Italians Still Valiantly Stem Austrian Advance

German Officers Killed During Mutiny at Kiel

Britain Divided Over Sir Eric Geddes' Speech

Russia, Exhausted by Long Fight, Calls For Aid

RUSSIA HAS FOUGHT ALONE UNTIL EXHAUSTED; MUST HAVE ALLIED AID

Country Worn Out by Strain of War Declares Premier Kerensky; Has Fought Alone, But Can do so no Longer - Urges U.S. to Send Supplies

Petrograd, Thursday, Nov. 1.—Russia is worn out by the strain of war and must have help, Premier Kerensky to-day told the Associated Press. He said that Russia claims as her right that the other allies now should shoulder the burden which she has borne.

Russia, the premier declared, has been fighting eighteen months longer than England, and Russia has fought her battles alone and is fighting alone. The world must not lose faith in the Russian revolution, because it is an economic one. No one, the premier added, has the right to feel disillusioned about it, because it takes years to develop a stable government.

America's most useful way of helping Russia is in sending books, leather, iron and money. Premier Kerensky said it would be impossible for the United States to send troops because the difficulties of transport would be too great.

"Russia has fought consistently since the beginning. She saved France and England from disaster early in the war. She is now worn out by the strain and claims as her right that the Allies now shoulder the burden."

"It has been said by travelers returning from England and elsewhere, that opinion among the people, not officially, but generally, is that Russia is virtually out of the war," it was explained.

"Is Russia out of the war?" Premier Kerensky laughed, "that," he answered, "is a ridiculous question. Russia is taking an enormous part in the war. We have only to remember history. Russia began in the war for the Allies. While she was already fighting, England was only preparing and America was only observing."

"Russia at the beginning bore the whole brunt of the fighting, thereby saving Great Britain and France. People who say she is out of the war have short memories. We have fought since the beginning and they must now take the heaviest part of the burden on their shoulders."

"At present Russian public opinion is greatly agitated by the question: 'Where is the great British fleet, now that the German fleet is out in the Baltic?'" "Russia is worn out," the premier said, "she has been fighting one and a half years longer than England."

"Could any army be of use if sent to Russia?" "It would be impossible to send one," said Kerensky. "It is a question of transport. The difficulties of transport. The difficulties of transport. The difficulties of transport."

"If America cannot send troops, what would be the most useful way for her to help Russia?" was asked. "Have her send boots, leather and money," the premier added emphatically.

ically, "money." Premier Kerensky drew attention to the fact that Russia has fought her battles alone.

"Russia has fought alone—is fighting alone," said Kerensky. "The masses are worn out economically. The disorganized state of life in general has had a psychological effect on the people. They doubt the possibility of attainment of their hopes."

"What is the lesson to the democracies of the world of the Russian revolution?" "This," Premier Kerensky, "is for them to find out. They must not lose faith in the Russian revolution."

but it is not a political revolution, but an economic one and a revolution of facts. The Russian revolution is only seven months old. No one has the right to feel disillusioned about it. It will take years to develop.

"In France, which is only as large as three Russian departments (states) it took five years for their revolution to develop fully. Asked what he expected from the Constituent Assembly, the premier said: "The Constituent Assembly begins a new chapter in the history of the revolution. Its voice certainly will be the most important factor in the future history of Russia."

"What future do you picture for Russia after the war?" "No one can draw any real picture."

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BRITISH BOMB GERMAN MUNITION FACTORIES

Successful Raids on Bavarian Posts Carried Out by Aviators—Change in Weather Brings About Renewal of Activities

London, Nov. 2.—German munition factories in Bavaria have been attacked by British airplanes, an official statement says. British airmen also dropped bombs on German billets and airbases behind the lines in Flanders. The statement reads: Wednesday advantage was taken of the change in the weather; both our own and enemy airplanes were in the air all day. The visibility was not very good for artillery work, but a great deal of bombing was carried out by our machines and many photographs were taken.

"Our airplanes also co-operated successfully in a raid carried out by our infantry yesterday afternoon northeast of Loos, reported in last night's official statement, firing several thousand rounds from their machine guns and dropping bombs on hostile troops in the communi-

WISH CONTINUE PALESTINE DRIVE

Hold Position Covering Newly Captured Town of Beersheba

By Courier Leased Wire London, Nov. 2.—British troops in Southern Palestine are holding a position covering Beersheba on the north, says a War Office announcement to-day.

An official statement issued yesterday regarding the Palestine operations reported a British attack upon Beersheba on October 31 and the occupation of that place in the evening after a hard struggle, during which the British captured 1,800 Turks and nine guns.

HERTLING IS CHANCELLOR

Bavarian Prime Minister Makes Announcement of His Acceptance

By Courier Leased Wire Amsterdam, Nov. 2.—A Berlin dispatch says Count von Hertling has telegraphed to King Ludwig of Bavaria that he has accepted the German chancellorship.

Amsterdam, Nov. 2.—(Delayed)—Count von Hertling has accepted the following demands of the Reichstag majority, according to the Vossische Zeitung: "First—That Prussian electoral reform be carried out. "Second—That political censorship and the state of siege be abolished or mitigated. "Third—That the foreign policy be conducted on the basis of the German reply to the Pope's peace offer."

ALLIES TO LAUNCH AN OFFENSIVE

Prepare Smashing Counter-Attack to Drive Huns Out of Italy

AUSTRIANS REPULSED Italian and Franco-British Will Give Battle at Tagliamento River

Italian Headquarters in Northern Italy, Thursday, Nov. 1.—Italian and allied troops are preparing for a counter-offensive. A great battle based on the line of the Tagliamento River is forecast.

FOE CHECKED. Rome, Nov. 2.—Austro-German patrols have advanced to the Tagliamento River, along which the Italians are making a stand. The War Office announces that these patrols were repulsed.

The text of the statement reads: "There has been reciprocal artillery firing over the Tagliamento River. Enemy patrols, which had advanced to the bank of the river, were repulsed by our machine gun fire."

"On the rest of the front there was no event of importance."

STEEL PROFITS

By Courier Leased Wire. New York, Nov. 2.—The crucible Steel Company's report of the year ending August 31, made public here this morning shows total profits of \$15,161,236, as compared with \$18,528,748 for the previous year. Net profits \$12,282,358, from which was deducted \$7,582,500 for preferred dividends which completed payment of accrued dividends on the senior issue. The remaining surplus of \$4,719,858 was equal to \$18.88 a share on the \$25,000,000 common stock as compared with \$45.88 a share earned in 1916.

HEROIC RESISTANCE OFFERED BY ITALIANS WITH FRANCO-BRITISH AID

Spirited Defence of Cadorna's Forces Still Holds Austrian Army in Check; Cavalry Rearguard Continues to Screen Movements of Main Body

By Courier Leased Wire Italian Headquarters in Northern Italy, Thursday, Nov. 1.—(Noon)—(By the Associated Press)—The cavalry rearguard continues to screen the movement of the main body of the Italian army to its newly chosen position, and at the same time check the advance of the enemy lines. General Cadorna's bulletin last night gives the first idea of where the advance is making itself felt along the hills connecting St. Daniels del Fruili, the Ledra canal and Pozzoulo Del Fruili, making a curved line some miles west of the Isonzo River.

Military necessity still restricts rightly the sending of details of the operation and the mention of places, but within those close limits some general idea can be given of the heroic resistance the main part of the Italian army gave to the rush of overwhelming numbers. The greatest shock came on the north where the Isonzo first was crossed. Here occurred the weakening of certain detachments of the second army, which General Cadorna has bulletined with the frankness of a great commander. It was this weakening which gave the German contingents the opportunity of a critical maneuver to pass forward between a portion of the army of the north, and that on the line further south.

HUN SEAMEN REVOLT; THREE OFFICERS KILLED

Mutiny Took Place in Kiel Two Months Ago; Teuton Admiral Thrown Overboard, and His Subordinates Stabbed

By Courier Leased Wire London, Nov. 2.—Three officers and a number of sailors of the German navy were killed in "another" mutiny at Kiel early in September, according to a despatch from Amsterdam to The Daily Express, which claims to have authentic details. The outbreak occurred aboard the battleships Kronprinz and Schleswig-Holstein, and started when the men revolted against being drafted into the submarine service. The sailors on the Kronprinz threw Admiral Schimidt overboard and stabbed and threw overboard Lieut. Raul, the admiral's aide and another officer. A battle on the ship's deck between the officers and sailors followed. Three officers and a number of sailors were killed. Similar scenes occurred on the Schleswig-Holstein. Admiral Schmidt was rescued, but it was necessary for him to leave Kiel. All the surviving mutineers were arrested.

The battleship Kronprinz displaces 25,293 tons and was built in 1915. Her complement is 1,150 men. The Schleswig-Holstein was completed in 1906 and measures 13,000 tons. She carries 729 men.

Vice-Admiral von Capelle, German Minister of Marine, announced in the Reichstag on October 9, the discovery of a plot in the German navy. Despatches from Amsterdam reported that the crews of four battleships of the German fleet had taken part in a mutinous outbreak at Wilhelmshaven. Three of the ring leaders were shot, while heavy sentences were imposed on the others. This outbreak was said to have occurred about six weeks earlier, or about the first of September. Admiral von Capelle accused three Radical Socialist deputies of taking part in the plot, but the German Government has not taken any action against the members of the Reichstag.

WASHINGTON HAS NO FEAR OF RUSSIA'S QUITTING WAR

Kerensky's Statement no Ground For Such a Belief, Lansing Declares U.S. Surprised However by Premier's Utterances

By Courier Leased Wire. Washington, Nov. 2.—Secretary of State Lansing to-day authorized the statement that neither on the basis of many official advices to the government nor on the basis of Premier Kerensky's statement, could it be said that Russia was about to quit the war. The government, he said, deplored constructions to the contrary.

Washington, Nov. 2.—While Premier Kerensky's remarkable statement of Russia's situation created a profound sensation among American officials and all the Allied diplomats here they note with confidence his emphasis that Russia is not out of the conflict, however war worn she may be.

In Eastern allied diplomatic circles in Washington Premier Kerensky's statement is not regarded as discouraging; in fact it was stated that the allies fully realized Russia's condition as he sets it out and have made their plans to meet those conditions.

The great conference about to take place in Europe will deal more specifically with the military situation which has resulted from the abandonment of Russia's offensive campaign and it is hoped that during the winter or with better opportunities to reorganize the Russian army and with such supplies of munitions and military material as can be sent into Russia from America and Japan by the trans-Siberian Railway, the army will be in condition to undertake again the offensive next spring.

It was said that it is clearly understood among the Entente Allies that Russians being exhausted by the war, they will be glad to see the Russian army reorganized and equipped with the latest in military equipment. (Continued on Page Five)

TOO MUCH TALK AND NOT ENOUGH ACTION BY NAVY

Sir Eric Geddes' Speech Not Met With Universal Approval; Figures May be Satisfactory But Germany is Still Forcing the Fighting at Sea

By Courier Leased Wire London, Nov. 2.—The maiden effort of Sir Eric Geddes, the First Lord of the Admiralty, in the House of Commons yesterday, is not received wholly favorably by the newspapers in their editorial comments. He is praised for his frank and business-like statement, which drew cheers from the Commons, and it is admitted much that is satisfactory and reassuring was also given. Appreciation is expressed particularly of the new distribution of affairs of the Admiralty tending towards the decentralization and also the introduction of younger men. This, it is contended, ought to be justified by results, although the Times points out that success will depend on the choice of men.

The Daily Mail, which has been opposed to the present policies of the Admiralty, says the speech on the whole dealt fairly and straightforwardly with criticisms, but it complains, when all is said, the fact remains that the Germans are forcing the fighting at sea.

The bulk of the comment accepts and endorses Sir Eric's explanation that the British fleet did not try to enter the Baltic, and also his statement on the convoy incident. Criticism is directed carefully against construction of the submarine war and ship construction. The Times regards his statement concerning submarine warfare as candid, and says his report of construction is certainly satisfactory.

The Daily Telegraph, the Daily News, the Daily Chronicle and The Daily Express are dissatisfied on these points. The Telegraph complains that past ministerial optimistic estimates on production have not been realized, and that the shipping (Continued on Page 6), 60

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ON WELL, FORK DON'T VERY GOOD FOR PEOPLE, ANYHOW. WEATHER BULLETIN Toronto, Nov. 2 Fair weather now prevails over the Dominion with mild conditions existing in Alberta and Saskatchewan. Forecasts. Moderate west to south winds. fair to-day and on Saturday a little milder on Saturday.

A MEETING OF THE WORKERS OF THE Conservative Association FROM EACH SUB-DIVISION Brantford, Brantford Township and Oakland. IS CALLED FOR THIS SATURDAY Saturday Night at 8 o'clock. IN THE Conservative Rooms BRANTFORD N. D. NEILL, Sec'y. T. E. RYERSON, Pres.

CONSERVATION OF COAL URGED

Board of Education Made Recommendations to the School Principals BONUS TO JANITORS J. W. Shepperson Wants Greater Application to "Three R's."

Various minor matters were before the Board of Education at their meeting last night. Conservation of fuel was urged by the board upon the principals of the city schools. A war bonus was granted to school janitors. Some discussion upon general matters of school welfare took place, Dr. Gamble commenting upon an improvement recently observed in the matter of attendance, while J. W. Shepperson urged greater attention in the public schools to elementary subjects, at the expense of more advanced studies.

Inspector Leake reported upon the high school domestic household science classes, which were classed as very satisfactory; the public school domestic science classes, where conditions were less favorable, and the public school manual training classes, where a need for greater accommodation existed.

The monthly report of Principal Burt of the Collegiate Institute showed an enrollment of 529, with an average attendance of 476, the decrease being largely accounted for by the number of rural pupils detained at home for farming work.

The monthly report of Inspector Kilmer showed the following attendance at the various schools of the city:

Schools	Enr't.	Av. At.	P.C.
Central	638	595.2	94.0
Alexandra	526	495.3	94.0
Victoria	397	373.5	94.1
King Edward	523	492.8	94.1
Ryerson	289	271.4	93.9
Dufferin	376	352.8	93.9
King George	388	352.5	91.4
Totals	3132	2932.7	93.7
Kindergarten Primary			
Central	34	30.0	88.1
Alexandra	37	35.0	95.0
Victoria	30	25.3	84.0
King Edward	72	64.7	89.8
Ryerson	27	26.0	96.3
Dufferin	47	42.1	89.7
King George	31	26.8	91.2
Totals	278	250.5	90.1

Child Welfare
The Rev. J. W. Gordon addressed the board on the subject of the Children's Welfare exhibit to be held in the old Y.M.C.A. building on Monday and Tuesday of next week, asking co-operation in securing a model domestic science class in actual operation, and in other matters connected with the exhibit.

J. L. Axford, Secretary of the Children's Aid Society, also spoke upon the subject, outlining the nature of the exhibit.

Buildings and Grounds.
The Buildings and Grounds Committee reported as follows:
(1) That H. H. Charlton recently appointed as janitor of the Alexandra School having resigned, the action of your committee in appointing Mr. Arthur J. Barnes to the position be confirmed. Salary \$800.00 per annum, from October 19th inclusive.

(2) That the following janitors be paid a War Bonus of \$5.00 per month commencing January 1st, 1918 until further notice. S. Hill, H. Lawrence, G. Uptgrove, J. McDonald, T. Digby, T. Ransom, W. Davidson.

(3) That the attention of the Principals be called to the necessity of conserving the fuel supply as far as is possible consistent with the care and health of the children. That attention be called to the instructions of this committee viz. that the heating is in the hands of the Principal and janitors and that assistant teachers must not interfere by opening windows or in any other way disarranging the general facilities which are designed for the benefit of the school and not for over-heating a particular class. That all fires be drawn on Friday afternoon at the close of school and started in time to have the schools reasonably warm for the gathering of the classes.

The finance committee recommended payment of a number of accounts. The total attendance at the Collegiate night classes was reported as 493.

The amount to be contributed by the Board of Education to the Provincial Teachers' Superannuation Fund for the year ending March 31, 1918, will on the present salary basis amount to \$1218.41, which has been deducted from the provincial grants to the schools of the city for 1917.

The board does not lose this amount, as 2-1-2 per cent of each teacher's salary is deducted monthly, which in the year totals the above sum.

The buildings and grounds committee reported progress in the matter of securing a portable school. Considerable discussion followed as to the best type of building selected.

Dr. Gamble after visiting a number of the city schools, stated that the attendance had improved noticeably, as well as other matters connected with the schools.

Inspector Kilmer supplemented Dr. Gamble's remarks, and also J. W. Shepperson, who voiced a demand for more time in the teaching of elementary subjects in the public schools.

Those present were Dr. Gamble, Chairman, L. L. Miller, W. H. Lane, A. Coulbeck, Dr. Elliott, W. H. Leake, J. W. Shepperson, Inspector Kilmer and Principal Burt.

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NEWS OF NORFOLK

Capt. R. G. McDowell, Veteran of Princess Pats, is Home From Front

FRED BALL WOUNDED Successful Hallowe'en Tea Under Auspices of Women's Institute

OTHER SIMCOE NEWS

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Simcoe, Nov. 2.—(From Our Own Correspondent.)—Capt. Robert Guy McDowell, of the Princess Pats, arrived in Simcoe by the 11 o'clock car. He was met at the depot by Mrs. McDowell and other members of the family and his approach a few minutes before the arrival of the car Hon. Col. L. F. Aiken, and Messrs. C. E. Jones, Dan McCool and James Donly all of the former 133rd in which unit McDowell enlisted, were at the depot to bid him welcome.

Fred Ball Wounded.
When Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ball, of Market street arrived last night from a six months sojourn out on the prairie wheat belt, they brought awaiting them a message stating that their son Pte. Fred Ball has been dangerously wounded, gunshot in the chest. Fred was in the signalling corps of the 133rd when the unit left here.

The hallowe'en tea held yesterday afternoon at the conclusion of the regular meeting of the Women's Institute was voted by all patrons a splendid success. The elaborate, fantastic and appropriate decorations were carried out under the direction of Miss Pidge Matthews, whose untiring efforts are devoted to the betterment of neglected and unfortunate children.

The menu was of the war-time type in simplicity, bread and butter, cake, tea and coffee. The executive of the Children's Aid Society attended in a body at six o'clock.

During the afternoon Mrs. Smith of Delhi, district supt., delivered an address on "Women's Votes and How to Use Them." The speaker advocated development of the thinking habit, eating, sleeping and working monopolize in our day too much of woman's life.

Or using the words of Robert Louis Stevenson, "To know what you prefer instead of saying 'I am' to what the world tells you, you ought to prefer to have kept your soul alive." The vote is the quietest easiest, most dignified and least conspicuous way of influencing public affairs. The war has been a stimulus to service and independent thinking.

Women should be partisan only to the win-the-war movement and should take an intelligent interest in the questions of the day.

Mrs. Bales contributed a vocal solo in her usual pleasing and accomplished way.

A committee was formed to urge the making of stretchers, caps, in response to the appeal from the I. O. D. E. and Red Cross organizations.

Buy Better at Home.

A letter from headquarters asking for funds to purchase maple sugar for the soldiers was discussed. The District President had ascertained that it is a better investment to buy locally and ship with the box.

The collection in aid of the Children's Shelter amounted to \$27.50. Miss Annie Gunton was complimented on her excellent impersonation of the "Witch." Messrs. Crab, Newcombe and Holman, ghosts of the evening, mingled freely with the guests and put on the last touch of spookiness to the event.

The Leaders for October.
The leaders in the published list of honor students at the High school for October are:
Form I, Kathleen Snyder, 87.
Form II, Mabel Vail, 79.
Form III, Amy Robinson, 85.
Form IV, Edna Andrews, 84.
More Good Reading Matter.
The Public Library Board publishes this week a list of new books placed on the shelves during the year. There are 34 works of fiction, new, and 250 reprints, 32 juvenile volumes and 88 volumes distributed over the other classes. As might be expected, a great many of these are war books. Regular patrons of the

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Library, however, have no doubt read many of these already. The local board does not announce new books as they are placed on the shelves.

The aim no doubt is to encourage the habit of library research among the patrons and to prevent the excessive simultaneous demand for a single volume.

With the Medical Board.
Capt. J. H. D. Storms has been transferred from the local Army Medical Board. Dr. Tester, of Waterloo, was acting in his stead here to-day. The board sits to-day and to-morrow at Caledonia. Monday and Tuesday at Paris, returning to Simcoe on Wednesday.

splendid time.

The Board of Education meets tonight.

Mr. H. P. Innes, K.C., who for more than two years has held the nomination as a Government supporter, has with the entire party determined to stand by the Borden Union Government, and that party has issued an invitation to all other Unionists to join with them and agree upon a candidate.

It may be asked why was the meeting called by the president of the former Conservative organization? Simply because some one had to call it and it matters little who. At any rate the meeting has been called.

Let the electors of Norfolk turn out on Tuesday, mindful of what happened to the Italian army while the Cabinet at Rome was being selected, and turn out in such numbers as shall convince intriguers that Norfolk did not desire a war-time division at the polls.

passed. It now devolves upon the city council to take similar action, and the two appointees will confer and select a third. Should they be unable to agree upon the third member, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council will take charge of the selection.

SUBURBAN ROADS
In accordance with notification received from the committee in council of the Lieutenant Governor of the Province, regarding the appointment of commissioners by the city and county for the administration of the suburban roads adjacent to the city of Brantford, the county council will meet on the 7th of this month to select a representative. A by-law authorizing the appointment will be

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CUSTOMS SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

Unclaimed and Forfeited Goods To be sold by public auction under the provisions of the Customs Act, at 43 Dalhousie Street, in Brantford, on Wednesday, November 7th, 1917, at 2 o'clock p.m., the following goods which have been forfeited or which are in default for payment of duties under the Customs Laws, viz.: Packages of Motor Cycle, Motor and Automobile Parts, Boots, Shoes, Ladies' Hats, New and Worn Clothing, Two Cases Matzos, Stove and Oven, Machinery Parts, Electric Automobile Starter, Two Barrels Boiler Compound, Shipment of Lubricating Oil, Automobile Foot Halls, and other articles as per list on file and to be seen at Customs long rooms, post office building. Terms Cash—Sale subject to continuance next day, and until completed. JOHN H. SPENCE, Collector of Customs. Dated at Brantford this 25th day of

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HONOR ROLL LENGTHY Two Hundred and Eighty-three Have Made Supreme Sacrifice

Triumph and glory, rather than sorrow and grief, characterized the service held in Grace Church last evening in memoriam of our soldiers from Brantford and Brant County, who have fallen in the Great War. Parents, and relatives and friends of those who have gone over the pet never to return, gathered in the edifice on the evening of All Saints' Day and were inspired, encouraged and cheered by the mastery and fervid message of Captain, the Rev. Charles Keith Masters, B.D., H. C., who has been associated with Brant County boys as their chaplain in the trenches.

The service was in honor of the Saints of all ages, and the boys from Brantford and Brant County, who have given of their lives that righteousness might triumph. A solemn stillness pervaded the edifice as the Ven. Archdeacon MacKenzie, explained the significance of the service. He said: "This service is not only held in honor of the Saints of all ages, but for the men of Brantford and Brant County, who have laid their lives on the altar of King God and Country. Let us remember the three who died in South Africa. Let us remember the thirty-three who died in the first year of the war. Let us remember the ninety-two who died in the second year of the war—Let us remember the one hundred and fifty-five who have died during the past year.

Capt. Masters based his address on the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil for Thou art with me." On such an appropriate text, Capt. Masters based his address. "I have deliberately chosen these words," he said, "because they are exceedingly familiar to us all, and they come home to us at such a service as this with a new strength, a new feeling and a new meaning. "There are two thoughts which one notices prominently in reading the verse, first there is an application for every one of us for every time we pass through the valley of the shadow of weeping, we may be assured that His Word is with us. Then there is a promise for the future, "I will fear no evil."

I suppose to every man who has been permitted to wear the King's uniform and to cross the ocean, there has come great moments that stand out clearly from the rest of their lives. For love and honor, for the souls of men, these men of ours, fought, lived and died for the cause which they cherished, but before they were summoned into Eternity by the bullet or the shrapnel or before the bayonet thrust proved the sharp key to usher them into the Beyond, they were one and all assured that "He would be with them in the Valley of the Shadow."

Capt. Masters proceeded to outline the consummate skill, evolved from years of training, the vast scientific reserves wherein lay the power of Germany with which we are in conflict. Germany was a state without a soul, entirely eliminating Christian ideals in a vain-glorious and horrible race for power and lordly position.

"Thus," continued the speaker, "the battle of the world's liberty became the battle for the Christ so that these men of ours said that if He were going down, they would go with him. So we can think of them with songs in our hearts and tears in our eyes. There was nothing else for them to do, after they realized the significance of the struggle, they wished to retain their souls. But they went down into the dark valley with a song on their lips because that had remained true to their Christian ideals, and had kept their soul."

Vivid reminiscence of the firing line were recalled by Capt. Masters, who compared last night's service to a similar one held in the trenches for a comrade who had fallen victim to a Hun bullet, leaving a little flock of seven children at home in Canada. He paid a high tribute to the work that was being accomplished overseas by the Canadian troops and the boys from Brantford with whom he had been associated

as chaplain in the 58th Battalion. In this connection he said:

"We can never adequately appreciate the heroism of the men who fought, suffered and died for King, God and country. I hope the day will never come when we will fall in our appreciation of the men who have laid down all they possessed on the altar of God and their country. They gave willingly their all and so should we. They sacrificed, so should we. It seems that their spirits are hovering over us to-night in this service. Every phase of the present-day warfare, and every atrocity, every horror, every crime against civilization, and every death in battle bids us on to a noble, complete and lasting victory and peace, until the "War drum throbs no longer, and the battle flags are furled, in the Parliament of Man, the Federation of the world," and until all the world is bound with golden chains about the feet of God."

"I cannot but think that the world will be a better place, after all the noble sacrifices that have been made, willing sacrifice on our part we will ultimately reach that day for which we have long hoped, when liberty, justice and equality shall be supreme. At this time, I would rather strike a note of triumph and glory, than one of sorrow and gloom. The French say, 'The greater the sacrifice, the greater the glory,' but I would rather the motto, 'The greater the sacrifice, the greater the joy.' "Our boys have given up their lives. They have given of their greatest possession. They had laid down their lives on the altar of God who is able to keep unto the uttermost."

One hundred and fifty-five Brantford and Brant county men have died in the war zone during the past year. Their names were read out last night as follows: Ernest Aitchison, W. A. Allen, Clarence Anderson, Andrew Angus, P. Balfour, Albert Barber, Charles Barlow, Joseph R. Barr, A. Beckwith, Joseph Bell, C. Bell, Amos Beney, Albert Benton, Robert Bentley, John S. Breedon, Harold S. Brewster, Norman Brerley, Alex. Brown, Clement J. Brown, John Brown, W. Brown, James H. Bruce, T. J. Cahill, Jos. G. Campbell, G. Carr, W. Carr, Gordon Carwell, A. Chalmers, Harvey W. Cockshutt, T. Coxhall, T. Cronwell, J. Croley, L. C. Curley, T. Currie, Arden Dalke, Bonamant Daniels, Charles Davis, William Davis, S. Dawson, Joseph Dockray, R. B. Draper, N. Dunnisiam, Shaver Eadie, G. Eccles, Gunner Eckern, Joseph Farrant, H. Fenlon, Charles A. Franks, W. Gatenby, P. Gill, Robert Gillies, A. N. Goodfellow, David Goosey, A. Guyle, Lorne P. Halner, T. B. Halton, H. J. Hammond, W. S. Harding, William Harradine, A. T. Harrison, J. Harris, R. Harrop, Arthur Harwood, John Hately, Fred Heath, W. E. Henson, Roy Hill, H. Homer, G. Houston, T. Hoyle, R. Hurbes, Edward Hutchings, Harry Jones, Ross Kenny, John Lamb, Roy Lickers, W. Livingston, George E. Lowe, J. W. Lynch, B. Mackinnon, Wallace Marr, H. S. Matthews, Albert Mears, Leonard Mears, Eric Milton, Joseph Mountjoy, William Mountour, A. J. Mott, Percy J. Munn, W. G. McCosh, E. McDonald, A. N. McIntyre, R. N. Stuart McKenzie, J. D. Newbrooke, H. Newhouse, R. Newshead, Matthew Overton, G. Palmeter, Fred Parker, Ray Parker, R. R. Pearce, A. E. Philbotts, E. P. Pitcher, V. F. Postill, James Potts, W. C. Quinton, Joseph Reansbury, C. Reid, R. T. Reyl, H. Richards, Lloyd Richardson, A. C. Robinson, G. A. Rowe, Thomas Rowland, Rudolph H. Sass, E. J. Schrak, Robert Scott, Charles Servers, Thomas H. Sears,

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Hogs—Receipts 2,000; strong; heavy, \$18.00 to \$18.10; yorkers, \$17.50 to \$18.00; light yorkers, \$16.00 to \$16.25; pigs, \$15.75 to \$16.00; rounds, \$15.25 to \$16.50; stags \$13.50 to \$15.00. Sheep and lambs—Receipts 6,000; active; lambs, \$12.00 to \$16.50; yearlings, \$11.00 to \$14.00; wethers, \$11.75 to \$12.00; ewes \$6.00 to \$11.25; mixed sheep, \$11.25 to \$11.50.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK. Chicago, Nov. 2—Cattle, receipts 8,000; market weak; Beaves \$6.75 to \$17.50; Western steers \$6.25 to \$13.70; Stockers and feeders \$6.10 to \$11.50; Cows and heifers \$5.00 to \$12.15; Calves \$8.00 to \$14.50. Hogs, receipts 16,000, market strong 25c to 30c higher. Light \$15.90 to \$17.40; mixed \$16.45 to \$17.70; Heavy \$15.45 to \$17.45; Rough \$16.45 to \$16.65; Pigs \$12.50 to \$15.60; Bulk of sales \$16.25 to \$17.50. Sheep receipts 10,000, market steady; wethers \$8.75 to \$13.00; Lambs, native \$12.50 to \$17.25.

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Friday, Nov. 2nd, 1917.

THE SITUATION

It is announced that British and French troops have reached the Italian front, and the position of affairs may be said to be that much better there, although still far from satisfactory. Cadorna's men are still withdrawing to what are regarded as stronger lines of defence, and the Teuton plan of enveloping a large part of them would seem to have been successfully foiled. There can be no question, however, that they have lost very heavily in men and munitions—Berlin claims that prisoners total well on to two hundred thousand, and guns over fifteen hundred. However, the vast bulk of the army has been saved, and it now remains to be seen what they can accomplish with the assistance of the other allies.

The occupation by the British of Beersheba, in Palestine, demonstrates that the British forces there are maintaining their activity. It is announced that eighteen hundred prisoners were also taken and many guns, and that the Turks offered "determined resistance."

Sir Eric Geddes, First Lord of the British Admiralty, lifted the veil somewhat in the British House of Commons yesterday with regard to the submarine menace. He stated that between forty and fifty per cent. of enemy subs had been destroyed since the war began, and that more have been sunk during the past three months than for the whole of 1916. From the Old Land it is reported over the Courier leased wire service to-day, that his speech has aroused some adverse comment, but it is the ancient privilege of John Bullites to kick no matter what may be taking place.

It would seem to be certain that new defences helped to save London in connection with the latest air raid. Enemy air men came in seven groups determined to work great havoc, but only three of them were able to reach the metropolis.

MR. HAROLD IN NORTH BRANT.

After somewhat of an "in again, out again" performance, Mr. J. Harold is once more the "honest to goodness" Liberal candidate in North Brant.

The gathering was characterized as a "mass meeting of the electors of Brant," with "no delegates," but it was held in the Liberal rooms with a Liberal President and Liberal Secretary.

The Expositor, of course, felt greatly pleased over this "open" convention, and as if to just show how free and untrammelled everything was, announced beforehand, that Mr. Harold was going to be chosen. Artemus Ward's "Amus'n' Cus'" is certainly not in it with the local Grit organ, even when it is only half trying.

Mr. Harold, in his speech of acceptance, did not repudiate his former idea of a Union nomination—in fact he alleged that had there been such a convention he would have had Conservative support. As it is, he is now looking for votes as an "out and outer," and his position is much more frank than previously.

It is to be regretted that one of his speakers descended to abusive talk and insinuations. That class of criticism does not hurt anyone except those giving utterance thereto. No doubt Mr. Harold will take steps to prevent any recurrence of such an incident, for his own references to Lt.-Col. Harry Cockshutt were in good taste.

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Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, President of the Bell Memorial Association, has received a beautiful and cordial letter from Mrs. (Dr.) Bell, returning heartfelt thanks for all the attention shown herself, husband and family upon the occasion of their recent visit to Brantford. She also enclosed a cheque for \$500 to be used "in some way which will help the Brantford soldier boys" either at the front, or in connection with their new home.

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 30 inch Good Quality Paillette, nice and bright, colors, black, brown and navy, good value at \$1.25, Saturday price, per yard \$1.00

\$1.50 CREPE DE CHENE \$1.19
 Good Quality Crepe de Chene, colors sky, navy, Alice, purple, emerald green, apricot, pink, black and white, Saturday only \$1.19

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 Washable Cape Gloves in putty and Tan shades, Saturday \$2.00

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LOCAL

MEDICAL BOARD.
 Seventeen draftees at the Armories last medical board, and A-6; B-2; C-4; and E-

RETURNING OFFICER.
 Official announcement of the appointment of W. Westbrook as returning officer for Brant county in the municipal elections, and K.C. for the city.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.
 Mr. and Mrs. William Park avenue, celebrated birthday last evening. A number of friends dining with them and wishing them many of the occasion.

LOCAL MAN DISMISSED.
 Basil Hawkins, of the charged in the Supreme Kitchener yesterday five cases of whiskey, to be stolen. Sir W. stated that there was a support a conviction, the jury to bring in a guilty. The jury did so was allowed to go.

CAUSES OF DEATH.
 Causes of death in October were: Non-oc men valve, 15; pneumonia syncope, 1; strychnine arterio sclerosis, 2; ure, 1; septicemia, 1; of urine, 1; pneumonia birth, 1; malnutrition 1; cerebral hemorrhage 2; old age, 2; heart; domial, sarcoma, 1; cancer of stomach, 2; of bowels, 1; peritonitis; carcinoma, 1; myo-

READY FOR ELECT.
 Sheriff J. W. W. The mas Wade have the two returning officers and South Brant respectively coming elections. Tele effect were received yesterday from Ottawa were given to issue naming November the ination day, when can nominated, and electionember 13th. The net were also given power enumerators whose duty check over the voters' pare lists of the name will be eligible to name

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

MEDICAL BOARD.

Seventeen draftees were examined at the Armories last night by the medical board, and were classified: A-6; B-2; C-4; and B-5.

RETURNING OFFICERS

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BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Hall, 225 Park avenue, celebrated their joint birthday last evening at their home. A number of friends spent the evening with them and departed after wishing them many happy returns of the occasion.

LOCAL MAN DISMISSED

Basil Hawkins, of this city, was charged in the Supreme Court at Kitchener yesterday with receiving five cases of whiskey, knowing them to be stolen. Sir William Mulock stated that there was no evidence to support a conviction, he would ask the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty. The jury did so, and Hawkins was allowed to go.

CAUSES OF DEATH.

Causes of death in the city during October were: Non-closure of foramen valve, 1; premature birth, 1; syncope, 1; strychnine poisoning, 1; arterio sclerosis, 2; myocardial failure, 1; septicaemia, 1; suppression of urine, 1; pneumonia, 3; still birth, 1; malnutrition, 1; anaemia, 1; cerebral hemorrhage, 1; asthma, 2; old age, 2; heart failure, 4; abdominal sarcoma, 1; poisoning, 1; cancer of stomach, 2; hemorrhage of bowels, 1; peritonitis, 1; pyuria, 1; carcinoma, 1; myocarditis, 1.

READY FOR ELECTION

Sheriff J. W. Westbrook and Thomas Wade have been appointed the two returning officers for North and South Brant respectively for the coming elections. Telegrams to this effect were received in the city yesterday from Ottawa. Instructions were given to issue proclamations naming November the 19th as nomination day, when candidates will be nominated, and election day as December 19th. The returning officers were also given power to appoint enumerators whose duty will be to check over the voters' lists and prepare lists of the names of those who will be eligible to mark a ballot.

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS.

A meeting of the Buildings and Grounds committee of the city council was held at the City Hall this afternoon at four o'clock.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee of the City Council meets to-night in the City Hall.

WOUNDED.

Gunner T. E. Armstrong, Science Hill, listed as wounded in last night's issue, is a nephew of Mr. J. P. Armstrong, 83 Dundas St.

THEATRE PARTY.

The employees of the E. B. Crompton company held an enjoyable theatre party the Brant last evening, in honor of Miss Jay.

SERGEANTS MEET

The sergeants of the 38th Dufferin Rifles are holding their regular monthly meeting in the armories to-night.

CUSTOMS RETURNS

Customs returns for October totalled \$80,498.48, a decided increase over the figures for the corresponding month of 1916.

MOVED TO THE HOME

Although the G. W. V. A. home on Dalhousie St. has been formally opened over a week, the secretary's office has been located in the Y. M. C. A. The furniture for the equipment of a headquarters office arrived at the home yesterday, and the office was moved from the Y. M. C. A. building to-day.

ORATORIO SOCIETY.

The Brantford Oratorio Society held their usual weekly rehearsal last evening at the Willard Hall, a large number of members being present, despite counter attractions. The executive announced that the coming performance of the Messiah will be given on December 10th, and it is hoped to be able to announce the artists at next week's rehearsal. It is hoped to secure a prominent American soprano, as well as other artists of first class ability.

TELEPHONE EXHIBIT.

Worthy of the attention it is attracting is the display in the window of Russell and Company, confectioners on Colborne Street, where the development of the telephone from a crude instrument to its present efficiency is shown. A duplicate of the first instrument utilized in the experiments forty-two years ago is to be seen, and several interesting pictures of the operation of the telephone.

BABY CONTEST.

"Baby Shows" in the past have been so farcical in many ways that it is not generally understood that a "Baby Exhibit" may be educative instead of simply a source of amusement for spectators. With the educative idea in mind the baby contest that will be held at the Child Welfare Exhibit at the old Y.M.C.A. on Colborne St. on Monday and Tuesday next. The babies will be judged by a qualified nurse and physician, who will also be pleased to advise the mothers of the babies on questions pertaining to the child's welfare in general. Six prizes will be awarded: Boys over 6 months and under 12 mos.; girls over 6 mos. and under 12 mos.; boys over 12 mos. and under 18 mos.; girls over 12 mos. and under 18 mos. Also two special prizes, 1st and 2nd for boy or girl under 18 months whose fathers are of the C. E. F. The points to be considered will be:—Healthy appearance, good looks, methods of feeding, absence of physical defects, cleanliness; neatness of attire, (expensive material for clothing not called for); proportion as to weight, height, circumference of head and chest.

PRICES DOWN.

See Shear for your clothing; big sale this week, 78 Market St.
See Burgess for your furniture needs, 44 Colborne St.



BRIGADIER E. C. ASHTON
Who has had a distinguished Overseas career and whom it is understood has received a highly important post in connection with the Militia Department, Ottawa. It is believed that he is now on his way home to fill the same.

CITY MAY NOT BE ABLE TO GET FUEL SUPPLY

The following correspondence has passed between W. H. Whitaker and the Fuel Controller on the subject of the municipal sale of coal here:—
C. A. McGrath, Esq.,
Fuel Controller of Canada,
Ottawa, Ont.
Dear Sir:—You are no doubt aware that the citizens of Brantford have been granted the privilege of voting on a by-law to authorize the borrowing of \$50,000 for the purpose of operating a municipal coal yard. The vote is to be taken on the 3rd of November.
Upon enquiry I find the dealers in this city have delivered a great deal more coal than usual up to this time of the year and they are exerting every effort to secure a sufficient supply of fuel not only from their regular shippers at regular prices, but also from jobbers and others who ask a higher price. I cannot see why chance there is for our city securing a supply of fuel if the dealers who are familiar with the business cannot do so.
For the satisfaction of myself and others who are interested in the matter I would be pleased to have your opinion as to whether or not the situation would be benefited by the municipality entering into the retail coal business in opposition to the established dealers. Our rate is fairly high right now and it seems ridiculous that it should be increased unnecessarily, or at least risk the chance of increasing it by entering a business which our chief promoters seem to know so little.
Awaiting your early reply, I remain
Yours truly,
W. H. WHITAKER,
Deputy Fuel Controller.
Ottawa, Oct. 31, 1917.

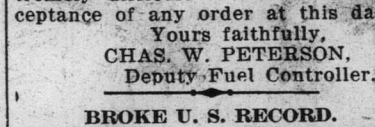
Dear Sir:—I have your letter of October 26 to Mr. C. A. McGrath, and in reply I may state that it would seem advisable for anyone contemplating the establishment of a fuel yard, first assuring himself of the possibility of securing an adequate supply of coal to make the project feasible.
You will understand, of course, that I am not at present acquainted with any special arrangements that the officials in charge of this matter for your city have been able to make. All I can say is that, under present conditions, sales agents are only able to secure coal from operators through whom they have been in the habit of securing their supplies in the past, and in turn have been forced into the policy of supplying their older customers first. Local dealers, therefore, who have not established business connections with sales agents are finding it extremely difficult to secure the acceptance of any order at this date.
Yours faithfully,
CHAS. W. PETERSON,
Deputy Fuel Controller.

BROKE U. S. RECORD.

New York, Nov. 2.—After breaking the American seaplane record, Lieut. Adamo of the Italian flying corps, was forced to land near Governor's Island last night. Official figures on the flight were not obtained this morning but it was said that the seaplane had covered the 430 miles from Langley Field, Newport News, to Governor's Island in two hours and fifty minutes.

Watch Your Sneez!

It may be the forerunner of bronchitis or a bad cold. It is nature's warning that your body is in a receptive condition for germs. The way to fortify yourself against cold is to increase warmth and vitality by eating Shredded Wheat, a food that builds healthy muscle and red blood. For breakfast with milk or cream, or any meal with fresh fruits.



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Under the Auspices of the Women's Auxiliaries of the County
The Bishop of Keewatin

will address a public meeting in Grace Church School Room at half past three o'clock tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon

All men and women interested in Western and Northwestern Canada are invited to be present

The regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Deanery will be held at three o'clock for the transaction of business

The Bishop of Kootenay

will preach in Grace Church on Sunday at the morning Service.

WASHINGTON

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great efforts she already has made. will not be expected to do more than sit down with her present. Even further inroads from Germany it was said, would not seriously impair Russia's military power.
Some of the Entente diplomatic representatives declare it did not need Kerensky's assertion that Russia would continue in the war to establish that fact. From every responsible party in Russia, except the extreme Bolshevik element, has come the most pronounced declaration that Russia would never consent to make a separate peace and abandon her allies.
Last night's reports from Petrograd indicate the defeat of the Bolsheviks at the polls and the practical destruction of their influence upon the Russian masses—an indication of the steady growth of Kerensky's position.
The premier himself has repeatedly repudiated the idea of a separate peace and the conclusion by officials and diplomats here is that one purpose of his statement was to emphasize the need of ample supplies of money and material to strengthen his hands.
Faith in Russia.
Washington, Nov. 2.—The United States Government's apparent faith in Russia was reiterated to-day in the authorization for a loan of \$31,000,000 out of credits previously arranged for which was to be placed to the credit of the Russian government at the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.

PARKS BOARD

Strong objections have been made to the Parks Commissioners to paying \$75 damages for injuries suffered by a lady citizen who tripped over a broken board on the platform at Mohawk Park, adjacent to the Street Railway line. Some time ago the Dominion Board of Railway Commissioners decided that this amount was due the injured woman, and the city solicitor was requested to give his opinion as to whether the Parks Board or the Street Railway Commission was liable, and he has reported in favor of the Street Railway.
This question was thoroughly discussed at last night's meeting of the Board and the result was a resolution embodying the board's refusal to acknowledge their liability, but expressing a willingness to confer with the Street Railway Commission regarding a settlement.
The chairman of the Board and the Grounds committee were appointed to confer with the committee appointed recently by the Board of Trade to consider better care of city trees and city boulevards, and to consider the Town Planning Act.
The Grounds Committee reported that it had taken over the work on the Bell gardens, that had been in charge of the Memorial Committee of the Bell Memorial Association, as the latter body was unable to proceed with the work owing to lack of funds. The Parks Board will be reimbursed for their work in this connection.

If We Bought Our Heads

would you select a head that a thousand others had?—or would you want something individual, one that suited you in every way. Well the same theory applies to our tailoring. We put that distinguishing feature into our work—personality not ours—but yours. Our range of cloth is large. See us for your next suit or overcoat.

Special This Week.—Rough Irish Serge, guaranteed Indigo, tailored to your measure in our own workshop; finished with good dependable linings—

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Flour, pastry, 24 lb. sack, special at	1.45	Oxo, special with order, 10c can, 3 cans for	25c
Starch, laundry, 15c lb. special, 2 for	25c	Campbell's Soups, 20c can, special, 2 for	34c
Honey, pure clover, 5 lb. pail, special at	99c	Peas, Sweet wrinkle, 25c can, special at	22c
Lard, pure, special per lb.	29c	Ammonia, 10c pkg., special 3 for	22c
Almond Meats, 65c per lb., special at	55c	Tea, black or mixed, special 3 lbs for	\$1.20
Walnut Meats, 75c per lb., special at	60c	Bacon, side, choice cure, 50c lb., special at	44c
Tea, English Breakfast, 70c lb., special 3 lbs for	\$1.50	Tea, India, 55c lb., special 3 lbs for	44c
Jelly, pure, 45c lb., special at	25c	Flour, bread, 24 lb. sack, special at	\$1.54
Peel, mixed, special 3 for	25c	Cocoa, \$1.00 can, special at	96c
Sugar, yellow, with order of \$1.50 or over, 2 lbs for	15c	Bacon, back, 52 lb., special for	47c
Tea, Japan, 45c lb., special at	33c	Sani Flush, 30c can, special at	25c
Soap Chips, 15c lb., special 2 lbs for	25c	Flour, Purest, 24 lb. sack, special at	\$1.30
Baking Powder, 1 lb. can 25c, special for	28c	Health Salts, with order, special 3 cans for	22c
Currants, new, 30c lb. special at	27c	Peas, Sunbeam, with order, special per can	15c
Jam, pure, 35c jar, special at	30c	Sultanas, 18c pkg., special at	15c
Tea, mixed, special 3 lbs for	99c	Gum, Spearmint, special, 3 for	25c
Tapicoa, 20c lb., 2 lbs for	35c	Collar Paper, special 5 rolls for	25c
Wash Boards, 40c, special at	29c	Corn Flakes, with order, special per pkg	10c
Rolls Oats, special 4 lbs for	25c	Shredded Wheat, special 2 pkgs for	27c
Extracts, 10c bottle, special 3 for	22c	Compound Lard, special per lb.	27c
Raisins, seeded, special 2 pkgs for	23c	Shoe Polish, 10c can, special for	7c
Castile Soap, 30c bar, special at	24c	Jars, Perfect Seal, 1-2 gal. special per doz.	\$1.20
Brooms, 85c for 76c; 65c for 55c; 75c for	62c	Finnan Haddie, 25c can, special for	22c
Custard Powders, 15c can, special 2 for	23c	Cocoa in bulk, 50c per lb., special at	31c
Overseas Boxes, 15c size, special at 10c; 13c size for	10c; 13c size for	Pickles, Heinz Sweet, 40c qt., special for	33c
		Old Dutch Cleanser, special 3 for	25c
		Asparagus, 35c can, special at	29c
		Pepper, black, 50c lb., special at	34c
		Shrimp, 22c can, special for	22c
		Worcestershire Sauce, special for	10c
		Flour, bread, 100 lbs., special for	\$6.00
		Beans, white, 18c, special 2 for	31c

Phone 2207 THE CROMPTON GROCERY BROS.

OVERCOATS DRY CLEANED \$1.50 CAHILL'S MONTHLY CONTRACTS

L. E. & N. SETTLEMENT.
Final settlement has been made with the Lake Erie and Northern Railway by the Parks Commissioners for the damage done to Jubilee Terrace and the boathouse, by the route of the electric line. The sum of \$8,390.87 has been received by the city solicitors, as settlement. Five thousand two hundred dollars in payment has been received in accordance with the agreement regarding the boathouse, whereby the Parks Board agreed to waive all claims for the damage done in this respect, in consideration of a payment by the railway of the above mentioned sum. Another large amount of \$2,000 was awarded by arbitration for the damage done to the Terrace and the interest on the award amounts to \$429.17. The costs of the arbitration were in the first instance settled by the Commissioners, but the Railway has returned the amount as required, \$761.70. The costs involved in the settlement of these questions totalled \$851.70.

Where Thrifty People Deposit Their Money---
THE Royal Loan & Savings Co.
38-40 Market Street Brantford
Over Two Thousand People Have Deposits in This Company

CELEBRATE VICTORIES
Copenhagen, Nov. 2.—An official dispatch from Berlin says Emperor William has ordered the hoisting of flags and the firing of salutes in Prussia and Alsace-Lorraine in celebration of the victories won against the Italians.
See Shear big ad. on page fifteen.
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SPECIAL SATURDAY SALE
Women's Patent button and laced Boots, worth \$6.00, Saturday \$3.48
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Boy's Extra Solid School Shoes sizes 1-5, Saturday \$2.35
Men's Calf Blucher, size 6-10, Saturday \$2.98
Neill Shoe Co.

COMING EVENTS
RED CROSS—November envelopes now due. Special appeal to all to pay up back subscriptions.
EUCHERE A. R. CLUB—G. W. V. A. invited Friday Nov. 2nd, 8 p.m. 10 cents. Proceeds for G. W. V. A. Christmas tree. All come.
MONDAY AND TUESDAY—Old Y. M.C.A. Child welfare. Baby Contest—Prizes, Moving Pictures, Demonstrations, Mechanical Models. Morning, afternoon, evening. Admission free.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY POST—Sum of money Oct. 21 between Ogilvie and Heyd's. Reward at Courier. L19

WANTED—Experienced housemaid \$20.00 month. Apply 75 Sydenham St. F19

WANTED—Young man for assistant in foundry and pattern department. One with foundry experience preferred. Apply Box 342, Courier. M19

SPECIAL Wallpaper Sale big reductions. Hay, Decorator, 168 Market Street. Phone 2170. M19

FOR SALE—To be sold by auction on market on Saturday at 10 o'clock. 1 splendid solid oak counter with shelves, 1 good force pump, 1 handy gas plate, some good shutters also some good new doors, (all kinds) and one good new pair of garage doors. A15

FOR SALE—Sideboard, beds, spring cot, child's white iron cot. Two mantle clocks, linoleum, child's high chair, baby carriage, child's stinky, fruit, empty jars, dishes, book-case, hanging hall electric lamp, lawn mower, hose, spade, etc. pair men's hockey skates, kitchen gas range, small gas heater. Must be sold before Wednesday. Apply 115 Park ave. A15

FOR SALE—Lot 60 Darling street, 7x132, suitable for an up-to-date garage. Apple Box 249. Post Office. 30/Nov

WANTED—Old False Teeth; don't matter if broken. I pay \$2 to \$15 per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. F. Terl, 403 N. Wolfe St. Baltimore, Md. 2/Dec

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 We will frame your city of Brantford Volunteers' Honor Roll in regular \$1.25 to \$1.50 mouldings, complete with wire and screw eyes; all ready for hanging, and in addition will give you absolutely free a picture suitable for framing. As these frames will be made up from short ends of mouldings and the supply being limited, you must act quickly.
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POLICE COURT
 John Jones won't work. William Jones says so. He emphatically stated in the police court this morning that this lamentable condition prevailed in the Jones household. John was given one week in which to remedy his habit in the hope that it may not become an established trait of his character.
 Vasil Krevaz, in the course of his irregular and untidy ramblings wandered into the outstretched arms of the law represented by P. C. Diamond yesterday afternoon. He wandered out again this morning considerably sobered by a \$10 fine accompanied by costs.
 Uriah Martin and Abednego Froman, without consulting the wishes of Mrs. Maria Froman, removed two loads of wood from her residence at Thomas' Corners in the Township of Tascorora. After much discussion and cross-questioning of a large number of Indian witnesses, the dispute was settled by each of the culprits agreeing to pay half the cost of the wood.
 See Shear big ad. on page fifteen.

ANGLO-FRENCH TROOPS REACH ITALIAN FRONT

Allied Forces Enthusiastically Greeted on Venetian Plains.

London, Nov. 1.—Premier Lloyd George has sent the following message to the Italian Premier, Vittorio Orlando, in reply to the latter's telegram of yesterday affirming the solidarity of the two nations:
 "It is a source of real satisfaction to us that the friendship between the Italian and British peoples is about to be cemented by the co-operation of their armies with gallant soldiers of France on the same battlefield. I am confident that Italy and her allies will not only stem the tide of the enemy advance, but in the course will roll it back forever."

Washington, Nov. 1.—Anglo-French reinforcements have reached the Venetian front where General Cadorna's second and third armies are declared to have retired in good order toward the new line—probably that of the Tagliamento—where the protected stand is to be made.

Official information reaching Washington from Rome today asserted that the Italians had welcomed the British and French veterans enthusiastically, and that the Anglo-French Commanders found the personnel and material of the Italian army to be stronger than it was thought they would be after having sustained so severe a shock as that which the Teutons delivered through the back-door or the Julian front. Secretary Lansing received a cablegram to-day from the American Ambassador at Rome confirming information received at the Italian Embassy that the Italian army is retiring in good order, that the pressure from the direction of the enemy had lessened, and that the Government had the united support of the Italian people and all political parties.

West of Tagliamento River. Despite the elements of hope in the situation, military experts here doubt the ability of the Italians to make a stand and hold it on the banks of the Tagliamento because of the danger that the left flank of this line may be threatened and turned by Teuton forces moving southward from the passes of the Carnic Alps. To-day's despatches from Berlin north of the Udine-Cadolpo-Treviso railway line had retired to the west bank of the Tagliamento River, while these south of the same railway were defending the bridgeheads near Ponzano, Dignano and Cadolpo.

EXEMPTION SOUGHT BY DRAFTEES

Few Claims Put in By Parents or Employers of Young Men

Most of the claims for exemption that are being registered at the local post-office are being made by the men themselves who are affected. In few instances only are mothers interfering in any way. A number of manufacturers have applied for exemption for their employees affected. The Brantford Carriage Company has made a claim for exemption for six employees, said to be indispensable.

To date 529 have reported at the post office, and 16 have been ready to serve, while the remaining 511 decided to take out exemption forms. From these figures the work of the nine exemption tribunals in Brantford and Brant County will be none too light. In the past 24 hours there was an average of one report registered for every four. For twenty-two hours, however, the clerks gave out exemption blanks, and only two expressed no objection to serving the colors.

TOO MUCH
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 situation is becoming graver and graver. The News thinks that Sir Eric put a too rosy construction on submarine figures, and says the speech did not succeed in removing obstinate questions as to whether the utmost use is being made of the naval and intellectual resources at the navy's command.

RUSSIA HAS
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 Premier Kerenky, pale and earnest, sat at the end of a carved table and emphasized the points of his statements by tapping the table with his fingers. He wore a brown undecorated uniform, buttoned closely. He appeared to be fatigued from his many trips to the front, and his constant audiences.

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EVANGELIST CAMPAIGN
 Preliminary Preparations Continued at Mass Meeting Last Evening
 RESULTS GRATIFYING
 Tabernacle Will Be Formally Dedicated on Friday November 9.
 Possibly one of the most representative meetings that has been held in the city of Brantford for a long time was conducted in Park Baptist Church last night in connection with the evangelistic campaign. All the ministers of the co-operating churches, excepting two who were out of town, were in attendance. Those who were superintending groups of prayer meetings first of all met with their groups and then occupied a place on the platform with the others.
 In many respects it was a unique gathering, small groups of people coming in together for at least half an hour. These groups of people represented scores of individual prayer meetings that had closed at eight o'clock in different homes throughout the city and then hurried to the mass meeting. Large banners indicating the various groups, divisions, sections, were put in different places in the church, each group sitting beneath their own banner. After some preliminary exercises were conducted by Dr. Martin and prayer offered by the general chairman, Mr. W. H. Whitaker, the superintendents of the various groups held a ten-minute conference with their assistants, when the problems and difficulties of each group were dealt with and the whole organization strengthened.
 Following this half-hour conference the meeting was turned over to the Rev. E. H. Emmet, who called upon Mrs. Woodside to speak about the importance of personal work coupled with prayer in the present campaign. Rev. Mr. Woodside urged upon all present the necessity of individual effort and consecration in order to assure success. He asked all who would to indicate their intention of doing personal work to give their names, addresses and church affiliation to the Campaign Committee before they left the church. There were two hundred and fifteen people who responded to this invitation by signing cards and otherwise indicating their interest in this particular phase of work.
 At the close of Dr. Woodside's remarks Mr. Emmet spoke upon the necessity of bearing in mind the fact that it was not the function of the evangelist primarily to win the unsaved to Jesus Christ, as it was to assist the pastors and teachers of the churches in making the church

BREAK A CHILD'S COLD BY GIVING SYRUP OF FIGS

Cleanses the Little Liver and Bowels and They Get Well Quick

When your child suffers from a cold don't wait; give the little stomach, liver and bowels a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally, if breath is bad, stomach sour, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated, waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.
 If your child coughs, snuffles and plainly on the stomach, liver and bowels is a sore throat give a good dose of "California Syrup of Figs," to evacuate the bowels, no difference what other treatment is given.
 Sick children need to be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given to-day saves a sick child to-morrow.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

ready to accomplish the task that God had given to us, namely, that of going out into the world to gain spiritual victory and in this manner extend the cause of Jesus Christ.

It was announced that the meeting that there were fifteen hundred people actually in the prayer meetings in the homes of Brantford on Tuesday. Mr. Emmet spoke of having already seen some of the first fruits of this neighborhood prayer meeting work in the case of a young man who met him on the street and told him that a friend of his who was interested in the prayer meetings had been the instrument in God's hand in helping him to decide to be a Christian.

This meeting closed with prayer by Dr. Henderson, after which a short session of the General Committee was held, at which Mr. A. Godwin was appointed chairman of the Board of Ushers, Mr. A. W. Geddes chairman of the student body, and Dr. Woodside added to the executive of the Personal Workers.

The following ministers were in attendance and occupied seats on the platform: Rev. L. Brown, president of the Ministerial Alliance, Rev. Dr. Henderson, Rev. Dr. Martin, Rev. Wray Smith, Rev. W. Smythe, Rev. J. E. Peters, Rev. G. A. Woodside, Rev. J. W. Gordon, Rev. J. L. Campbell, Rev. W. E. Bowyer, Rev. Mr. Carr, Rev. D. Alexander, Rev. Mr. Stimlin, Rev. G. H. North, and Mr. W. H. Whitaker.

The music of the evening was in charge of Mr. A. G. Olive, Mrs. J. F. Schultz presiding at the pipe organ. A great deal of voluntary help is yet needed to assist in the tabernacle and keep the cost within bounds.
 Rev. Mr. Emmet announced that the tabernacle will be dedicated on Friday, November 9th, in the evening.

HUNS SENTENCED
 Sioux Falls, S.D., Nov. 2.—Prison sentences ranging from one year and a day to two years were imposed on 26 German Socialists, convicted here last week for conspiring to obstruct the selective draft, in the federal court to-day by Judge Youmans.

EXCEPTIONAL PRICES
 on coal heaters at Burgess, 44 Colborne St.

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 Finest Mocha and Java Blend, per lb. 40c
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 Cresca, 1 lb. boxes 40c
 Cresca, jars 50c
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CHEESE
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 Brick 40c
 Prime Old Canadian 35c
 Cresca, in pgs. 40c
 Pimento and Chile in pgs.

SUNDRIES
 New Peas
 New Currants
 Cresca Macaroni
 Cresca Spragetti
 French Pineapple Kings
 French Cherries

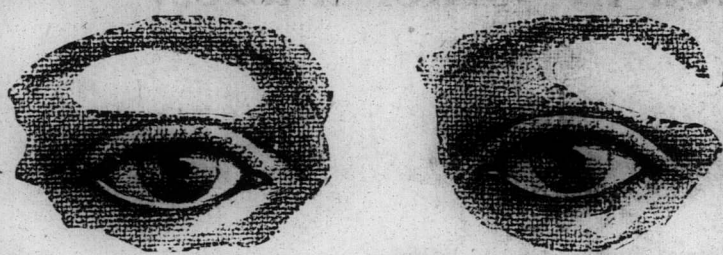
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Some Day
 after you've tried the other makes, when you've gone thru the whole line-up of Bicycles, you are going to buy an "CLEVELAND"
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 To date 529 have reported at the post office, and 16 have been ready to serve, while the remaining 511 decided to take out exemption forms. From these figures the work of the nine exemption tribunals in Brantford and Brant County will be none too light. In the past 24 hours there was an average of one report registered for every four. For twenty-two hours, however, the clerks gave out exemption blanks, and only two expressed no objection to serving the colors.
TOO MUCH
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 situation is becoming graver and graver. The News thinks that Sir Eric put a too rosy construction on submarine figures, and says the speech did not succeed in removing obstinate questions as to whether the utmost use is being made of the naval and intellectual resources at the navy's command.
RUSSIA HAS
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 Premier Kerenky, pale and earnest, sat at the end of a carved table and emphasized the points of his statements by tapping the table with his fingers. He wore a brown undecorated uniform, buttoned closely. He appeared to be fatigued from his many trips to the front, and his constant audiences.
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JOHN HAROLD RENOMINATED IN NORTH BRANT Liberals Selected Retired Standard Bearer as Candidate

Paris, Nov. 1.—(By a Staff Reporter)—Rejecting the proposal from Ottawa that Newton Wesley Rowell be nominated as a win-the-war candidate in North Brant, the Liberals of that riding this afternoon renominated John Harold, former Liberal standard bearer, who tendered his resignation some three weeks ago. The gathering comprised some sixty men and four women, and was addressed by T. Scott Davidson, M. L. A., and J. J. Hurley of Brantford, in addition to Mr. Harold who was nominated as a Liberal candidate for union government. Numerous charges of unfair dealing in connection with the nomination of Col. Cockshutt as a win-the-war candidate were made by the various speakers.

while Mr. Hurley was particularly bitter against him.

T. Scott Davidson. Things in North Brant riding were going much to the dislike of the Liberals, declared T. Scott Davidson. While in favor of all efforts toward the furthering of union government he considered that things had been done in North Brant which upset all calculations. It had been hoped by united effort to avoid an election in North Brant, but the present situation gave no justification for a continuation of such a belief.

Mr. Davidson told of a recent visit made by him in company with John Harold to Ottawa, where they had made representation that the Liberal party had been given no chance to attend the convention at which Col. Harry Cockshutt had been nominated. Chagrin was felt at the methods adopted at this convention, and the Liberals would do no more; the Conservatives must now come to them. Two weeks had elapsed since the nomination and nothing in the way of union had been accomplished. The speaker charged the Conservative party with trying in underhand ways to accomplish things of which the Liberals could not approve.

One man alone was satisfactory to the Liberals of North Brant for their standard bearer, declared Mr. Davidson, and that man was John Harold. The Conservative party, he charged, had proved this, by se-

lecting a candidate outside of the riding.

The proposal was now made to turn the riding over to Newton Wesley Rowell, but to this the speaker took objection. While expressing the utmost confidence in the latter, he had no hesitation in expressing himself for Mr. John Harold as against Mr. Rowell.

"We are through dicker with other people" declared Mr. Davidson, "the election is bound to be a vicious one in any case."

Mr. Davidson belittled the efforts of Col. Harry Cockshutt in the war, claiming that he had done little save spend money which he could well afford to spend. Mr. Harold on the contrary, he claimed, had done all that one man could possibly do; he had a son at the front, a brother-in-law, and a number of cousins and nephews; he had, in fact, only one male relative of military age not in the service of the empire.

"It is up to you to do something," declared the speaker, "the other people are going on, and we must settle the question once for all. The Conservatives have done nothing to unite the parties, but the very opposite the choice lies between Mr. John Harold, a win-the-war candidate Liberal to the core and Col. Harry Cockshutt, who had done nothing for the furtherance of the war in North Brant."

Mr. Davidson charged that it was

personal spite upon the part of Senator J. H. Fisher, which had led to nomination of a candidate to oppose Mr. Harold.

Nomination. Dr. Danton moved that the meeting proceed to nominate a candidate to represent the Liberal party. Mr. John Inkster nominated Mr. John Harold. After some delay the nomination was seconded by Mr. Wm. Webber, and carried unanimously. As Mr. Harold took the floor, he was greeted with applause and cheers.

Mr. Harold. "It is evident to all," declared Mr. Harold, "that the duty of the hour is unity." He went on to recall that from the first he had been a consistent advocate of Union Government, and had given his unqualified support to conscription. On the day the formation of Union Government had been announced, he had requested that a meeting of the Liberal executive be called, that he might tender his resignation, in order to help the country in a time of difficulty. He had resigned in favor of a union candidate, and had the proposed getting together of the two parties been accomplished, he expressed confidence that the membership had been announced, he would not have hesitated to select him or anyone else, who appeared to be the logical candidate.

The hand of friendship offered by the Liberal party, the speaker charged, had been cast to one side, the rights of the Liberal party had not been respected. If elected, he pledged himself to go to Ottawa with one purpose in mind, the winning of the war and the utter disregard of political motives during war-time.

For Col. Harry Cockshutt, Mr. Harold had a word of praise, having been raised from boyhood with his opponent, in the same church, and having thorough respect for him. The part the Cockshutt family had taken in the war was one which reflected nothing save credit, and the speaker would be the last to say aught in disparagement. He still hoped that an election in North Brant, with the attendant waste of energy, might be avoided. He, however, had now no idea of stepping aside for anyone. He had once been willing to do so for N. W. Rowell, but the proposition had not gone far enough. The Liberals were going into the fight, they must organize, and undertake no small quantity of work, in order to have their principles represented. In the event of his election, Mr. Harold pledged himself to serve the country to the best of his ability.

Applause greeted Mr. Harold's remarks.

J. J. Hurley. The entire credit for Union Government was attributed by Mr. J. J. Hurley to the Liberal party, whose members stepped into a coalition cabinet, and thus made the real sacrifice, he declared, by sinking

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ALD. McBRIDE Talks Upon the Fuel and Food By-law

To-morrow the property-holders will vote on the Fuel and Food By-law and a Courier man running across Ald. MacBride, who has been active in the movement had a chat with him on the subject.

After stating that his plan was to have the vote taken at the January elections, but that certain aldermen had manipulated matters otherwise," Mr. MacBride said:

"So, there you are! You now have a money by-law to vote on, costing the city about \$600, submitted at the worst possible time of the year to get the vote out—on last year's voters' list—and every tenant and soldier's wife disenfranchised—not even a chance to express their views on this question, which is of such vital importance to every one of them. However, we'll show them at the referendum in January."

"How is the city going to handle the coal, if it becomes necessary?" questioned the scribe.

"Just like any other business proposition would be handled," replied the anti-coal baron. "In the first place, after November 15th, we'll get some of that 700,000 tons which Canada has been allotted, and we'll see that it is properly distributed and that everybody gets a fair share. One man will not have twelve tons and the other fellow none, and then if the dealers do not rise to the occasion we will not wait until September to start writing for coal. We'll get it in June and July. There are about 30,000 tons of anthracite coal required for domestic use in Brantford. We have plenty of ground belonging to the city, and if it is necessary to open up a yard, that will not be an extraordinary undertaking. The total assessed value of the Wilson and Gibson properties combined does not exceed \$8,000, and they now handle two-thirds of all the anthracite coal that comes to the city. The committee know where they can get the coal, and will demonstrate this if the by-law carries."

When asked his opinion as to whether the venture would result satisfactorily from a financial viewpoint, Ald. MacBride immediately retorted, "Read the Municipal Act. There is not a chance to lose money. There are enough regulations and safeguards in the Act to make it absolutely impossible to lose any money. Statements of every ton of coal either bought or sold, together with prices and cost, of handling must be furnished to Council and to the Ontario Municipal Board every month. Don't let them scare you off on the possibility of losing money. This is one proposition where no money will be lost. They tried to make the people believe we lost money on the potatoes, didn't they? But we clearly proved that we had a clean sheet—and everybody knows what a great benefit that was to Brantford. So ask your grocer the price of potatoes to-day, and then think what might have been if I had not been wrenched to take their 'knocks.' You know 'An optimist is a man who can make lem-

TAKE OBJECTIONS TO RESTRICTIONS ON CEREAL FOOD

Grocers Anxious to Con- tinue Sale of Small Packages

Food Controller Hanna's edict forbidding the sale of cereals in less than twenty pound packages will create a minor revolution in the manufacture and sale of grain products, is the opinion of manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers.

At a conference with representatives of the Retail Grocers' Association, and the manufacturers of cereal products in Toronto recently, Mr. Hanna explained that this drastic action had been taken because of the request of the women of Canada for cheaper cereals.

The assurance has been given by the food controller that a committee to confer with the retailers and manufacturers would be appointed with the object of discovering a solution of the difficulty.

A local grocer, when interviewed by The Courier, stated that a compromise was hoped for. Certain cereals could not, without awkwardness, be sold in bulk, as their value would be lowered through being exposed to the air, and that it would be very difficult to sell some of the grain products by weight.

He thought that the order should be made elastic in some seasons of the year it would be very difficult to maintain a high standard of nutritive cereals, on account of climatic conditions, stated the grocer.

Before the measure goes into effect it is thought that some of the more stringent clauses will be amended.

made out of the lamens handed him by the other fellow."

"What is your opinion of the outcome of to-morrow's vote?" inquired the reporter. The answer was less decisive.

"Well, I have my doubts, but we'll surely carry it by a referendum in January. So they are only putting off the inevitable."

ATTEND CONVENTION.

General Secretary G. H. Williamson and H. V. Hutton of the Y. M. C. A. are in Ottawa to-day attending the Dominion wide conference now in progress at the Capital.

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JOHN HAROLD

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their party feelings. He considered Mr. Harold eminently qualified to run as a Union Government and Win-the-war candidate, and declared that in nominating Col. Harry Cockshutt for North Brant, the Conservatives had flouted their leader, and cast suspicion upon his sincerity. In which the speaker had full confidence. The action of the Conservatives was described by Mr. Hurlley as "equalling in stupidity the characteristic density of German soldiers in America. Mr. Hurlley threatened, if an election ensued, to "tell the true story of the 215th Battalion."

"They say Harry Cockshutt is a big man," he declared, "but have seen bigger ones. It was the big men of Russia who destroyed that country, the big men of Germany who brought that nation to its present plight, the big men of Britain who in the past sought to destroy Lloyd George. We have too many such big men in Canada."

"Harry Cockshutt," continued Mr. Hurlley, "is the last man on earth whom the people of North Brant should elect to Parliament, for he will represent not one save himself and his class. If the farmers of North Brant support him—which I am sure they will not—then they are fools. I am sure that they and the working people will make no such mistake. I do not expect a contest. I believe that Col. Cockshutt will withdraw, and that North Brant will elect a man honorably and truthfully pledged to stand by Union Government."

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ports, arsenals and bridges with the double purpose of giving time for the withdrawal of the Italian heavy guns and of preventing military stores falling into the hands of the enemy.

The Germans encountered stubborn resistance on the Bainsizza plateau and heaps of enemy dead mark the lines of their advances. Around Globe ridge, a Bersaglieri brigade, outnumbered five to one, held back the enemy while the main line had an opportunity to get their retreat in motion.

One of the mountain passes, communicating with the Pass, was taken and re-taken eight times during the desperate artillery, infantry and hand-to-hand fighting.

Gorizia was shelled heavily and what remained of what the correspondent saw there just a week ago to-day, was further reduced to a mass of debris. One of the main bridges from Gorizia across the Isonzo was blown up by the Italians and the enemy movements thus were further impeded.

To the west of Gorizia the town of Gemona also was shelled heavily. The great German guns opened enormous craters and literally tore the town to pieces.

As depots and arsenals were blown up, the whole sky was lighted with a red glare and dense masses of smoke formed in an enormous pall like the approach of an equinoctial cyclone.

Added to the fearful din and heavy fire from front and flank, was the continuous explosion of powder supplies as the Italians slowly fell back, screened by a rearguard of bersaglieri brigade, who threw up hasty breastworks and contested every foot of the way. This permitted much of the heavy artillery and munition supplies to be withdrawn, but it was a prodigious task in the face of such odds and over such steep inclines. Some of the gunners hastily improvised derricks out of ropes and hoisted and dragged the guns by hand from the advance line. The heaviest pressure began to be felt on the Carso front Friday. The Austrians then increased their bombardment to deafening intensity and supplemented this with huge volumes of poisonous gas and tear shells. The humid air and a light wind permitted great waves of the deadly gases to creep low toward the Italian lines, the rearguard protecting themselves with masks and by hiding in caverns.

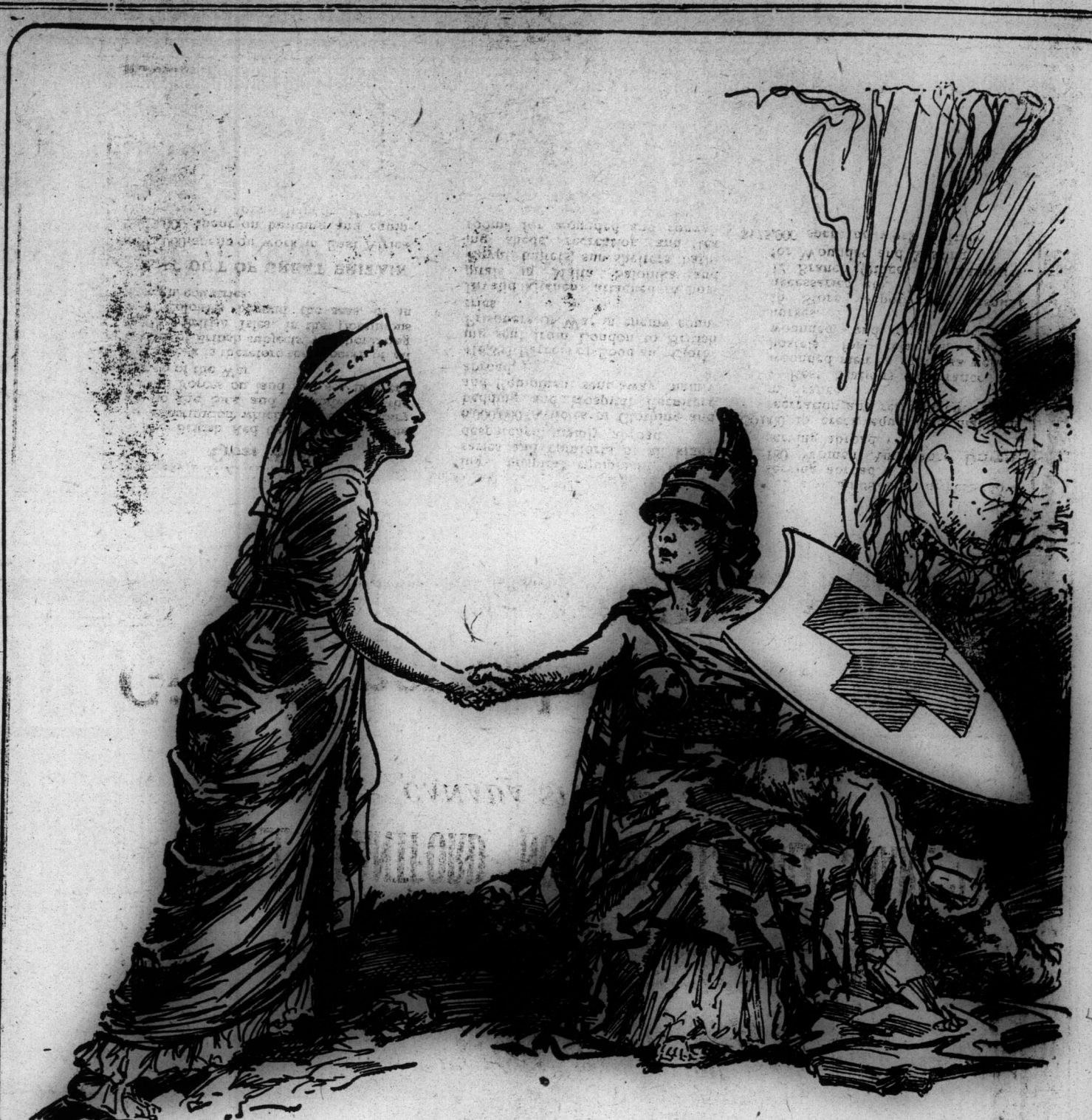
Not only in the main body of the Italian army intact, after having dealt severe blows to the enemy, but it is now apparent that the Italians have thwarted the Austro-German plan of encompassing the third army on the Carso, thereby cutting off the flower of the forces in this region, rendering the Venetian plain defenceless and encouraging the hope of the enemy for a tremendous victory with far reaching political results.

The safe retirement to the Tagliamento was due to the unexampled heroism of large bodies of Italians of such spirit as the Alpini on Monte Nero, who refused to surrender and the regiments of Bersaglieri at Mont Maggiore of such resistance in the face of overwhelming forces of enemy artillery and infantry that the civil population was able to retire. It was owing to the valor of Italian aviators, combating the Austro-German army in the air, that fleeing women, children and old men, who crowded the roads were not struck down by bursting bombs. The spirit of the army now confronting the enemy is excellent. The troops are fired with the determination to expel the invaders from Italian soil.

DIVISION COURT.
Several cases were heard at a sitting of the Division Court held this morning at the Court House, with His Honor Judge Hardy presiding.

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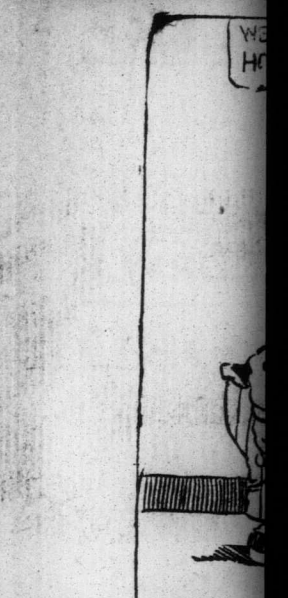
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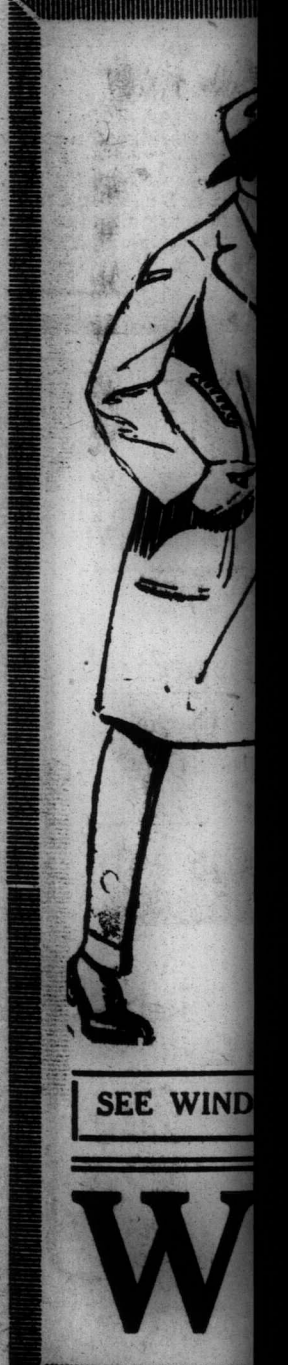
London, Nov. 2.—Sir, who recently succeeded Carson as First Lord of the Admiralty, made his first address yesterday, and was interesting and anxious in his remarks on the work of the shipping in general. His declaration that 50 per cent of the marines operating in the Atlantic and the A had been sunk was not surprising in his opinion there was an indication of the British can patrols are making the last quarter the end as many submarines as a whole of 1916.

The First Lord, speaking of his department, said that in an increase to the services of young men, he was requisitioned, to the experience of the on the naval staff.

Tell the Huns No. Referring to the question of the tonnage of merchantmen lost through he said he had made an investigation, and had the subject with the aid of the Admiralty, and it was desirable, and it possible to give the because, he added, "it is desirable that the enemy know what he is sinking."

He regretted to say, he had not found it possible at any form of public would convey most information to the enemy did not now possess, it were given in regular specific periods.

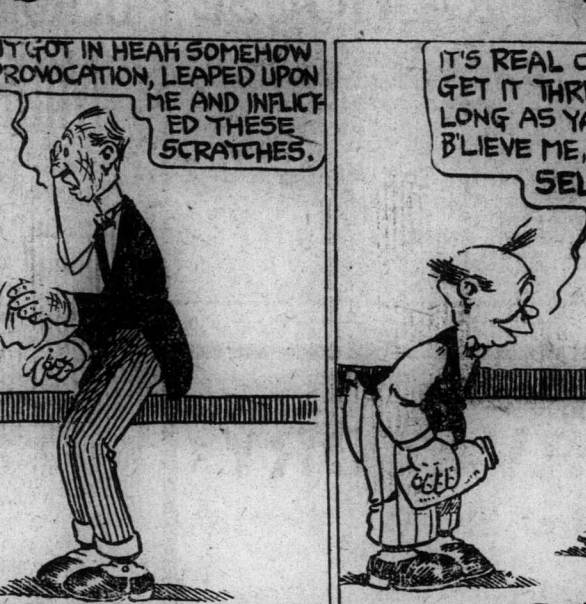
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ALLIES REAPING RICH HARVEST OF SUBMARINES

Over Forty Per Cent. of Hun U-Boats Have Been Destroyed by Entente Says Sir Eric Geddes, in Maiden Speech Before Commons

London, Nov. 2.—Sir Eric Geddes, who recently succeeded Sir Edward Carson as First Lord of the Admiralty, made his first address in Parliament yesterday, and gave some interesting and anxiously-awaited figures on the work of the navy and shipping in general.

His declaration that between 40 and 50 per cent of the German submarines operating in the North Sea and the Arctic Oceans had been sunk was not the least interesting of his announcements, and there was an indication of the unceasing war the British and American patrols are making on the submarine in his statement that during the last quarter the enemy had lost as many submarines as during the whole of 1916.

The First Lord, speaking directly of his department, said that, in addition to an increase to the personnel the services of younger officers had been requisitioned, to add strength to the experience of the older officers on the naval staff.

Tell the Huns Nothing

Referring to the question of publishing the tonnage of British merchantmen lost through submarines, he said he had made a most careful investigation, and had approached the subject with the idea that it was desirable, and it ought to be possible to give the public figures, because, he added, "it is hardly conceivable that the enemy does not know what he is sinking."

He regretted to say, however, that he had not found it possible to arrive at any form of publication which would not convey most valuable information to the enemy, which he did not now possess, if information were given in regular sequence for specific periods.

"I have studied from a variety of sources," said the First Lord, "the statements made from time to time by the enemy as to tonnage and position, and have come to the definite

conclusion that not only does he not know what is being sunk, but that he would like very much indeed to know what is being sunk regularly month by month, or week by week, or even exactly for a period."

Making Fair Progress

Sir Eric, supplementing the recent statement by Premier Lloyd George in Albert Hall, said that he could give certain information which would show that "we are making reasonably satisfactory progress in overcoming the menace of the enemy's submarine activities."

He added that the House would realize that "however great the loss of mercantile tonnage is—and the figures are still very formidable—we cannot at this stage of the war pick any one item to deduce therefrom that the war, even any phase of the war, is going well or badly."

The kaleidoscopic change which which goes on in actual warfare, he added, is continually occurring in workshops and shipyards. To the un-informed observer it must appear sometimes that there is no method in the madness of those who control these matters.

"But," said he, "I would appeal to the country for confidence. There is a method in what we do."

How Berlin Exaggerates

The general situation regarding submarine warfare can best be demonstrated by the following figures: Since the beginning of the war between forty and fifty per cent of the German submarines operating in the North Sea, the Atlantic and the Arctic Oceans have been sunk. During the last quarter the enemy has lost as many submarines as during the whole of 1916.

"As regards the sinkings of British merchant tonnage by submarines the German official figures for August are 808,000 tons of all nationalities. They sank a little more than one-third of that amount of

British tonnage and a little more than half of all nationalities.

"For September their official figures are 679,000 tons. They sank far less than one-third of that amount of British tonnage and less than one-half of that amount of all nationalities.

"The Germans claim that our tonnage is falling so low that there are not enough ships on the sea to enable their submarine commanders to maintain their bag. Let me give you facts. In April last, the heaviest month of British losses by enemy submarines since the war began, our trade flowed presumably in satisfactory volume for the enemy submarines. In September last, his lowest month of sinkings, our overseas sailings of all ships of over 1,600 tons were twenty per cent. in number and thirty per cent. in tonnage higher than in April. The enemy must, therefore, find it more and better explanation for his lack of success. I can supply it.

Britain's Answer.

"The explanation is that the long arm of the British navy reached down into the depths, and thus the harvest reaped its poorer, and the number of German submarines who do not return is increasing.

"Since April, the highest month for British losses, they have steadily decreased, and latterly to a marked degree. September was the most satisfactory; October was only slightly worse, and better by thirty per cent. than any other month since unrestricted submarine warfare began. The net reduction in tonnage in the last four months is thirty per cent. less than anticipated in the estimate prepared for the Cabinet early in July.

"The total net reduction since the beginning of the war from all causes in British tonnage on the official register in ships over 1,600 tons is under two and a half millions of tons gross, or fourteen per cent, and that after a period when our great armies and their magnificent equipment received priority, and the great growth of our navy was simultaneously achieved, to the detriment of mercantile shipbuilding. Now that the submarine is for the present doing less damage, and the resources of the country are again being devoted to a far greater and an increasing extent to the upbuilding of the mercantile marine, I

look for net results still more formidable.

Damage Steadily Reduced.

"Summarized, the submarine warfare amounts to this: Our defensive measures have during the last seven months proved so efficacious that in spite of the increased number of ships passing through the danger zone there has been steady reduction in the damage done by the enemy submarines. In the meantime, we are sinking enemy submarines to an increasing extent. Our offensive measures are improving and will still more improve and multiply.

"But, on the other hand, the Germans are building submarines faster than they have hitherto done and they have not yet attained their maximum strength. It appears to me, therefore, that in the submarine warfare, as elsewhere, it is becoming a test of determination and ingenuity between the two contending forces.

"For the present I have come to the conclusion that the submarine warfare is going well for us. The enemy has done less damage than he hoped, and less than we estimated. He has done it with a serious and heavy loss to himself. At present we may be justified in feeling that his attack on our trade is held and is being mastered, and we are justified in looking to the future with courage and determination, confident that he will fail."

Where Germany Stands.

The First Lord said it was interesting to recall the position of the German mercantile marine, continuing:

"At the outbreak of the war Germany possessed over five million tons of shipping. To-day nearly half of it had been sunk or is in the hands of ourselves or our allies. She has a fifty per cent. reduction to our fourteen per cent. It is well that the British public should be told what they are up against. We must not consider ourselves alone, but the alliance as a whole."

He pointed out that while Great Britain has plenty of coal for victory, Italy and France have not, and it was essential that there should be the greatest possible economy in food and in all imports in order that tonnage should be saved so that it may be diverted to other vital needs of the alliance. He declared:

"We must lay our plans for a long war. I see no signs of its being a short one, and all by their economy can help the navies of the allies defeat the submarine."

CONSTITUTION OF KITH AND KIN

By-laws Prepared by Executive to be Approved by Each District

A meeting of the Central Committee of Soldiers' Associated Kith and Kin was held in the Club Room of the Y.M.C.A.

The meeting was opened by the singing of the National Anthem. Mrs. J. J. Hurley, the President, gave a short address in connection with the work which has been going on. The minutes of the last meeting and the Executive meeting were read and approved. Reports were then read from the individual districts, and by Mrs. Wickson for the Paris 'Kith and Kin.' These reports indicated that the different districts are most active, the work principally throughout the past month, having been in aid of the Great War Veterans' Home.

Mr. Axford, Inspector of the Children's Aid Society, was present, and announced a demonstration in connection with Child Welfare work and Sanatorium work, to be held in the old Y.M.C.A. building, Monday and Tuesday next, morning, afternoon and evening, and asked for the co-operation of the 'Kith and Kin.' Mr. Watt then read the Constitution and By-laws as prepared by the Executive Committee. These were discussed and approved of in a general way, but before finally passing them the meeting ordered them sent to the individual districts and Paris for further discussion and report.

It was decided that a pin for the members of the 'Kith and Kin' should be purchased in accordance with the samples submitted. This will no doubt help greatly in keeping up the interest in the Association.

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Prisoner Who Spent 38 Months in One Says He Wasn't So Badly Treated—The Inmates Are Not Searched

Salonica, Cor. London Times.
 "For a Serbian you speak remarkably good Turkish," I observed to an elderly man of swarthy and farrowed features in a faded semi-military uniform and Serbian cap, who sat opposite to me. We were in a third-class carriage of the slow train that runs between the Serbian front and Salonica. The person I addressed had entered the carriage at N—, and his conversation was conducted in fluent and idiomatic Turkish, spoken with the intonation and accent of a born Stamboulite. My remark was uttered in the same language. It made him start, for I was also wearing the Serbian cap, and he had evidently taken me for a fellow countryman.

"How did you come to be so proficient?" I continued.
 "Turkish," he replied, "I have known from my childhood up, but the school in which I learned most was the Grand Central prison at Stamboul, in which over three years of my life were spent."
 "But one more question, 'What led to your being in jail there?'" was needed to draw from my talkative vis-a-vis the story of his life, which I will give in his own words.
 I was born 50 years ago at Resana (or, as the Turks call it, Hessa), of pure Serbian stock. My father was a merchant and had amassed by trade a fortune quite respectable, as fortunes go in Northern Macedonia, and I inherited it when he died. In my hunting excursions, which led me even to the borders of Albania, I soon learned to hate those oppressors of the poor who were the favorite victims of the brigand bands—the corrupt official, the rapacious landlord, the usurer, the tax collector, and the grasping usurer, who flourished in the old days of Turkish misrule. As for the outlaws, were they not the only real oppressors of injustice, the only check on official lawlessness, in a country whose very judges were the aiders and abettors of the thieving officials and the criminal rich?

How I became one of them and was plunged into the life of wild excitement and hardship which finally landed me in a Turkish prison is too long a story to tell in detail. It was enough to say that after years of conflict with the Bulgarian armed bands, known as Komitadjis, the hope of throwing off the hated yoke of the Sultan seemed to have been lost in an alliance between Serbs and Bulgarians, when in 1895 the emissaries of the Armenian Revolutionary committee approached us with the offer of common action.

I was sent as a delegate of all the Serbian Komitadjis bands to Rodosto and there my luck deserted me. My steps had been dogged by Abdul Hamid's spies and at our very first meeting the house was surrounded by gendarmes and our whole party was sent handcuffed to Constantinople. We were marched to the central prison and there put in irons, which we wore during the 38 weary months that elapsed until the day of our trial.

But, apart from the irk of my shackled ankles and the confinement in a vile atmosphere, I cannot truthfully say that my lot was as cruel as might have been anticipated for my Turkish jailers were, on the whole, not unkind. Perhaps the fact that I had the means of rewarding their indulgence kept them in good humor. In a leather sash I carried next to my skin, I had brought with me no less than £1,000 in Ottoman gold unkind. Out of this secret hoard I was able regularly to buy such palatable food as was supplied by a nearby restaurant, to keep myself provided with clean linen and bedding and to tip the jailers handsomely for bringing me these luxuries. You raise your eyebrows. You do not believe what I have just said. It is indeed incredible that a prisoner charged with some serious offense should retain possession of so big a sum. But I swear to you it is true. My person was never searched either on my arrest or while I was in prison. Never was I even asked to declare the amount I was in possession of. Such indulgent treatment—call it lenity or call it remissness as you please—would not, I suppose, have been accorded to an offender of my calibre in any other country. The Turks are truly an incomprehensible people, and I am not one to belittle the good that is in them.

Nor was I the only inmate of our cell who owned abundant cash. Several of my companions in captivity, I had good reason to believe, were even richer than I, and most of them certainly made a greater display of their money. Their waking hours

were mostly spent in gambling games of cards and dice, a pastime I never shared in, went on all day; and you would be astonished if I mentioned the sums that often changed hands in this squalid dungeon, where every one of the players wore fetters.

During the whole term of my imprisonment never once did a Turkish. Having none but Turks to hold intercourse with, I will not forget nothing but Turkish, ended by even thinking in that idiom.

If the Turks were strangely dilatory in bringing me to trial, the trial itself was not a long one. But one sitting of the tribunal was needed to convict me of brigandage and high treason and the death sentence was then read out. It was no more than I had all along expected, and, having never entertained much hope of escape, I was rather glad that my earthly sufferings would soon be at an end.

But, like many others condemned by Turkish tribunals in those days, I was destined to benefit by one of those frequent acts of clemency which Abdul Hamid was in the habit of ostentatiously performing. That I was so fortunate and that I was to be massacred in cold blood of thousands professed an almost morbid aversion from sanctioning the extreme penalty when duly decreed by his tribunals. He posed to the world as a humanitarian absolutely averse to Turkish punishment and I doubt if records of his reign contain a single instance of the imperial seal being put to a death sentence.

So I too was relieved. My sentence was commuted to twenty years' hard labor in Tripoli of Barbary, to which destination I was presently embarked.

My irons were taken off and when a free fight occurred on board a Smyrna I slipped down the ship's ladder into a row boat and escaped.

Three months later luck again helped me, putting me in possession of a Russian passport and I went to Odessa. Now I married and settled down to a life of comparative repose. But when the Balkan war broke out, the call of my country was too urgent to be withstood. Tearing myself from wife and children I hastened to Serbia. There I found already gathered most of my old Komitadjis comrades. I went through all the four campaigns that ended with the terrible retreat thru Albania. Thru all these campaigns I passed scathless, though the Komitadjis corps was always in the van, and I was never once wounded or lost heavily. But my active career was, alas cut short in the fifth campaign, that of last summer. In a mere skirmish with Bulgarian outposts I was shot in the chest, and my wounds, one of which disabled me forever. I am 60 years old and no good for anything but my present job, that of an unpaid assistant to our police commission at N—.

"The Serbian government is too impoverished to give me a pension and feeds me, and, for the rest of my needs, you know that Serbians are very generous in assisting a broken comrade. God bless them all! Thank heaven, I lack nothing. My wife and four children who joined me in Serbia after the second Balkan war, are well cared for. She and three of the children are in France, guests of the French nation. And my eldest son is one of the 300 Serbian lads who are now being educated in England. I have done my duty and am well content. When, God willing, we get back into our country, my property will, no doubt, be restored to me."

So ended the story of this hard-bitten Serb. His calm faith in our ultimate victory is shared by every Serb. Unhappily few of the gallant corps to which he belonged will see its realization. The brilliant Serbian offensive of last fall was not pushed to a successful termination without a heavy toll of Serbian blood; and of all the units composing the "Little Army" that of the Komitadjis paid the heaviest in proportion to its numbers. Its heroic leader, Vuk Popovich, immortalized his name by his deeds and death.

OXFORD IN WAR TIME
 Associated Press
 Oxford, Nov. 2.—Oxford University is very depleted in the matter of students, the authorities say, both Rhodes scholars and others having now gone to join their country's call to arms. There are now only a very few young students under military age, some neutrals and Indians in residence.

The Scientific Museum is largely given up to the Flying Corps, but the chemical laboratory is full of research while physiology and pathology are not neglected. The colleges have been hard hit financially, but still keep open. Meriton is a bureau's home and Oriel partly a woman's college. Oxfords are full of cadets and airmen. There are the usual number of women students, but a large proportion are engaged on some sort of war work.

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AGED PHYSICIAN WEDS
 Associated Press
 London, Nov. 2.—Although over 70 years old, Sir Douglas Powell, who was "Physician in Ordinary" to Queen Victoria, King Edward and King George, has just announced his engagement to Miss Edith Wood of London, and the marriage will take place next month. Sir Douglas has for fifty years been regarded as one of the greatest British authorities on tuberculosis.

Music and Drama
THE BRANT.

A splendid all-star program is that offered for the week-end at the Brant Theatre. "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" is an idyl of childhood and Mrs. Pickford in the role of "Rebecca" in the Artcraft version of that immortal story, is an ideal of childhood, adding perhaps the greatest achievement to an already illustrious list. "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" is a picture the like of which is seen all too seldom, a sweet, wholesome story of simple childhood life, immortalized upon the screen by "Little Mary," beloved of millions, even as the story was immortalized by its original author. The scenic and photographic effects are of the usual Artcraft standard.

The International Sextette, in a refined singing and musical sensation, present "A Study in Royal Purple," a musical offering of rare artistic and melodious charm, and sufficiently out of the ordinary to prove interesting to all. Mollie King and Creighton Hale, known to Brantford audiences in the first instalment of Pathe's latest mystery serial, "The Seven Pearls," a picture already replete with excitement and tense situations.

THE GRAND.
 The most important function served by the motion picture camera today is the recording and preservation of historical events throughout the world, and such a purpose is being served by Herbert Brenon's masterpiece, "The Fall of the Romanoffs," showing at the Grand the last of this week. This film is one of the most stupendous ever conceived, depicting and attending upon the Russian revolution, and giving glimpses upon Russian court life and the intrigues which flourished there. The evil genius of Russia was Grigory Rasputin, the Sacred Devil, and the machinations of this arch-enemy, who sprang from humble peasant origin are graphically laid bare. The characters of the picture are drawn almost entirely from actual life, and Rasputin, the ex-Czar and Czarina, Alexander Kerensky, General Korniloff and Ilidor, the Mad Monk, who has been active in the exposure of the nefarious activities of Rasputin, and who enacted his own role in the filming of this picture. "The Fall of the Romanoffs" is of a new era in the motion picture world, and is an epic of the screen rarely to be equalled.

THE REX.
 The moving picture film has provided an adept historic agency in preserving the unweaving ceremonies in connection with the Bell Memorial last week. The scenes at the monument have been clearly photographed and are now showing at the Rex Theatre, where patrons may, if lucky, see themselves in a magic moving mirror.

An interesting and absorbing picture of the stage, society and the underworld, involved in the development of one story is to be found in "Chicken Casey," starring Dorothy Dalton, in a Triange-Kay-Bee production of unusual merit. Miss Dalton displays a finesse and an exceptional histrionic talent to full advantage in this picture, where her versatile qualities are allowed full scope. There is an able supporting cast and it is decidedly a picture with a punch.

The 7th episode of the Fighting Trail, is the other number on the picture programme.

Comedy, burlesque and delusions are the specialty in trade of The Valdos, the headline vaudeville attraction for the latter part of the week. Some original stunts are introduced to Brantford audiences with appreciative effect.

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AUSTRALIA'S WEALTH
 Associated Press
 Sydney, Australia, Nov. 2.—The recently completed "census of wealth" in Australia, shows that the country's net assets are equal to 11,675 per head of the population. The migration returns show a loss of 279,000 males since the war began, and white women now outnumber the men by 85,000.

CAMBRIDGE HONOR ROLL
 Associated Press
 Cambridge, England, Nov. 2.—The number of Cambridge University men on war service is now 34,500. The list of killed has reached 1,875, and the wounded and missing are 2,625. Honors won by Cambridge men number 2,625, including 8 Victoria Crosses.

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Some Important Chapters in Career of Fitzsimmons

They are Plucked from Stories of His Greatest Battles up to Year of 1902—Boxer Who Died Recently, One of the Game's Greatest

Here are some chapters from the ring history of Robert Fitzsimmons. They are plucked from the round by round stories of his greatest fights. Jack Dempsey at New Orleans on January 14, 1891.

Round 12—Fitzsimmons led right and left on Dempsey's head. Fitz punched Dempsey all over the ring, shooting rights and left to head and body as the Nonpareil vainly tried to catch the punches on his gloves. Fitzsimmons fought fair and landed left on stomach and head, knocking Dempsey down. Fitzsimmons swung right on Dempsey's neck and knocked him down again. Dempsey rose groggy. This was Fitzsimmons' round and Dempsey was, bar a fluke, a doomed champion of middle-weights.

Round 13—Fitzsimmons went at Dempsey in his corner and punched him right and left. Dempsey clinched and was knocked down by a terrible right to the head. Three gongs sounded the greatest middle-weight champion's career to a close. Fitzsimmons weighed 150 1/2 pounds and Dempsey 147 1/4 pounds before the fight.

Peter Maher at New Orleans on March 2, 1892.

Round 11—Both men were cautious. Fitzsimmons feinted to draw Maher on, the Irishman trying, a right for the body. Fitzsimmons hit Maher on the sore mouth again, but got a right to the back of the head in return. Fitzsimmons staggered his opponent with a heavy left and jabbed the same hand under his opponent's nose and mouth again as time was called. This was Fitzsimmons' round.

Round 12—The Australian's stock went up as the battle progressed and as his left shot into Maher's mouth again the blood responded, freely and the Australian took his time, feeling secure. The Irishman staggered in response to two heavy blows and played groggy to draw Fitzsimmons. The latter would have none of him, however, until he again hit the braced mouth and his stock rose above par. Maher staggered as he went to his corner and gave up the battle.

James Hall at New Orleans on March 9, 1893.

Round 3—Fitz was the aggressor, feinting with his left, which he landed on the stomach. Hall received a right on the jaw and on the head and moment later he received heavy lefts on the face and a terrific right uppercut. Fitz clinched to save himself and they had a hard time parting them. Fitz was clinching to avoid punishment, right along. Both men were fighting hard at the bell.

Round 4—Hall came up the aggressor and Fitz landed a heavy right on the jaw, knocking him into the middle of the ring. Fitz was a terrible right-hand swing, landing squarely on the point of the jaw. Hall was out.

Peter Maher at Langtry, Texas, on February 21, 1896.

Round 1—Fitzsimmons led with his left. Maher backed toward his own corner. Fitz landed with his right and they clinched. Maher struck Fitzsimmons with his right hand while they were clinched and Referee Siler warned the Irishman if he did so again he'd give the fight to Fitzsimmons. After the break-away Maher landed with his left on Fitzsimmons' neck. Close fighting followed. Maher succeeded in landing his left on the upper lip, drawing blood. Fitzsimmons landed left and right. A clinch followed and Maher feinted Fitz into leading with his right, a blow that was short. Maher landed left and right to either side of Fitzsimmons' head. Fitzsimmons seemed a bit bothered and broke ground on Maher's leads. Maher followed up and led with his left but Fitzsimmons side-stepped and, swiveling with his right, landed full on the point of Maher's left chin. Maher measured his lurch on the canvas with great force. Maher attempted valiantly to arise, but he could do no more than raise

his head from the floor at the count of ten.

Tom Sharkey at San Francisco on December 2, 1896.

Round 8—Fitz missed a left for the face, but landed two rights to the head. Sharkey clinched and rushed Fitz to the ropes. Fitz swung right and left to the head and Sharkey landed right to the head. Fitz swung right to the head and a left to the wind. Sharkey put a left to the head. Fitz jabbed to the nose and swung two hard rights to the jaw. Another right to the chin was followed by a left hook to the chin and the sailor went over backwards. He made no attempt to arise and was carried unconscious from the ring. Whereupon Referee Sharp awarded the fight to Sharkey on a foul, claiming that as he was falling from the left hook to the chin he was struck in the groin by Fitzsimmons' knee.

Jim Corbett at Carson City on March 17, 1897.

Round 6—Fitz opened with a left to the face. They clinched and in the open ring Corbett again put a hard right hand uppercut under the chin, causing a stream of blood to flow from the challenger's mouth. Corbett came again with a vicious left swing to the jaw. Corbett put it all over Fitz, putting left to the head, right to jaw and then rained lefts and rights to the jaw, crowding the defenceless Fitzsimmons to the ropes. Bob's face was a puddle of blood and he seemed to be weakening fast, and when he received a right hand under the ear he reeled and went down to one knee. He was only resting and at seven was up. The instant he rose Corbett was on him like a fiend, raining lefts and rights to the jaw. A hard right to the chin sent Fitz reeling to the ropes, but the bell saved him.

Round 14—The round opened with a left swing to the jaw by Corbett. He landed a right to the jaw, and then a right to the chin. Fitz was there, however, and he landed a left on Corbett's head. Corbett hit Fitz with a right to the head. Corbett came back and put a hard left to the body. Corbett fought Fitz into the southwest corner and then Fitz crossed a right to the chin. The blow made Corbett lean back and Fitz put a terrible left, his famous solar plexus, to the body, knocking out the champion.

Jim Jeffries at Coney Island on June 9, 1899.

Round 11—They clinched three times and then Jeff put two hard blows over the heart, sending the champion back. Jeff swung a left to the chest, following with a left to the body, sending Ruhlhin to the ropes. Fitz was not to be denied and slammed plenty of blows to Ruhlhin's body. Gus went down for a rest, but when he got up Fitz was relentless, landing often, finally holding Ruhlhin off with his left and ending the bout with a right swing to the jaw.

Tom Sharkey at Coney Island on August 24, 1900.

Round 2—Sharkey rushed to close quarters, but could not land. Both missed wild swings. Fitz stepped in with left to the body and right to the neck. A succession of rights and lefts sent Sharkey to the floor. Sharkey took the nine count and was battered all over the ring by Fitz when he arose. A left hook to the head put him down again. He struggled to arise, but could not make it.

Jim Jeffries at San Francisco on July 25, 1902.

Round 8—Bob stood up straight, feinting with his left and drawing Jeffries on. Jeffries smiled through his bloody features and Fitz soaked a right to the jaw. Fitz put a left to the face and Jeffries resumed his crouch. Fitz swung a hard left to the head. They clinched and as Fitz stepped back he patted Jeffries on the shoulder and laughingly told him he'd soon be a defeated champion. Before Fitz could get out of range Jeff hooked a left to the stomach, quickly followed by a right to the jaw, and Fitzsimmons fell face forward for the count of ten.

Rippling Rhymes
AUTUMN WEATHER.
The nights are bleak and chilly, the wind has dismal note; fall weather gets my billy (the garden name for goat). In summer I am healthy, as husky as can be; no ailments plunk or stealthy are bringing grief to me. Existence then is sweeter, although in heat I fry, the while I shoo the skeeter, and swat the noisome fly. But when the frost falls white upon the autumn world, and wire-edged zephyrs nightly grow colder and more cold, I feel rheumatic twinges, I feel lumbago's shock, and all my joints and hinges are creaking as I walk. The doctor and the plumber are busy with my bones, and so I long for summer with useless sighs and groans; but as I long for autumn, when summer is on deck, add there's no top or

SUGAR PRICE COMES DOWN

Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited Make Important Announcement at Montreal

Montreal, Nov. 2.—A clean-cut drop in the price of sugar is announced by the Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited, which lowers the price of Lantic Sugar by ten cents per cwt., all grades. Furthermore, the company promises other reductions as conditions warrant them.

With no very large stock sugar on hand for immediate demands, the company nevertheless expects no trouble in securing enough raw sugar to keep its refinery running continuously. It believes sufficient raw sugar has been ordered to meet the regular Canadian demand, if hoarding and speculating be eliminated.

The news that no sugar famine threatens will be received with joy by the average consumer, even if it does come as a blow to those who have been storing unusual quantities away and talking about the move as proof of their smartness.

bottom to sizzling heat, by heck. Alas! There is no season that suits me to the ground; I always find some reason to raise a doleful sound. I'm always longing, yearning, for something that is past, for summer weather burning, or winter's angry blast.

SALTS IF BACKACHE AND KIDNEYS HURT

Stop Eating Meat for a While If Your Bladder Is Troubling You.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's uric waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sour, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you'll have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from our pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is a life saver for regular meat eaters. It is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink.

RUMMAGE SALE

Proves the Usual Success Under Auspices of W. H. A.

A Goodly Sum Realized—Names of Those Having Affair in Hand

The annual rummage sale under the auspices of the Women's Hospital Aid, opened yesterday afternoon in Victoria Hall. There was the usual large crowd of purchasers, and a big rush when the doors opened, but three officers handled matters in excellent style: Mrs. Schell, the President, Mrs. T. S. Wade, the Secretary and all the other officers and members worked splendidly. In fact for organization, business efficiency and co-operation, it is very hard indeed to equal the W.H.A. Mrs. F. D. Reville was treasurer for the occasion and reported receipts for afternoon and evening of \$456.

Articles of every sort were offered, ranging from baby's booties to a Grand piano, and from books to a stuffed alligator.

The men's clothing department led in the returns, with furniture section second and women's clothing third. The following were the convenors and committees:

Millinery
Mrs. Jones (convenor), Mrs. Mabon, Mrs. Gordon Smith, Mrs. N. D. Neill, Mrs. J. Spence, Mrs. E. H. Hicks, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Read, Misses Johnston, M. La Bordo, L. Ballachee, Howie, A. Savage, Jackson, Berger, C. Digby, N. Donville, J. Ruff.

Furniture
Mrs. E. C. Secord (convenor) Mrs. J. F. Macdonald, Mrs. Forbes Wilson, Miss Colter.

Groceries
Mrs. C. J. Mitchell (convenor), Mrs. F. Harp, Miss Watkins, Mrs. Gordon Mitchell, Miss Wye.

Boots and Shoes
Mrs. Henwood (convenor) Mrs. W. E. Mann, Mrs. J. Colter, Mrs. T. Foster.

Women's Clothing
Mrs. J. J. Hurlie (convenor) Mrs. T. H. Jones, Mrs. Alf. Jones, Mrs. McFarland, Mrs. E. Brooks, Mrs. Vaughn.

Men's Clothing
Mrs. Livingston (convenor), Mrs. Webster, Mrs. Agnew, Mrs. P. H. Secord, Mrs. Fleming, Mrs. Whately.

Children's Clothing
Mrs. Colquhoun (convenor) Miss Ball, Miss Bowen, Mrs. Davis.

White Elephant Table
Mrs. J. E. Waterous (convenor) Mrs. W. P. Paterson, Mrs. C. L. Laing, Mrs. J. W. Watkins, Mrs. Battersby, Miss Gillender.

Odds and Ends
Mrs. Ames (convenor) Mrs. Passmore, Mrs. Bates.

Downstairs, in a prettily decorated room, the members of the Junior Hospital Aid had charge. At a home-made cooking table were Misses E. Sanderson, Helen Kippax, New Tomlinson, W. Ryan, G. Brohman and C. Sanderson.

At the tea table Mrs. Bauslaugh and Mrs. Broughton presided, assisted by Misses Hitchcock, Palmer, Ham and Wade.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Warm and Cosy!

with one of our Heaters. Come in to-morrow and see them. We are sure you will be pleased with the extraordinary values offered.

A fine line of Oak Heaters, nicely nicked, good value at **\$16. and \$20.**

One Crown Brilliant Heater, burnt one season, in first-class shape, at— **\$28.00**

Lounges, covered in dark green and imitation leather, at very low prices.

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Luxurious Looking Fur Coats!

Cleverly Designed Selected Pelts and Guaranteed Dyes at Low Prices

Misses Hudson Seal Coat, 38 inches long, fancy poplin lining, for \$135.00

Handsome Hudson Seal Coat, 38 inches long, fancy brocaded lining, large collar, deep cuffs at \$165.00

Same coat, 42 inches long \$175.00

Same coat, 46 inches long, \$225.00

WE HAVE THESE COATS IN ALL SIZES

Handsome Skunk trimmed Persian Lamb Coat, collar, cuffs and border, \$350

Also a complete stock of Natural Muskrat Coats at \$75 and \$225

Handsome Hudson Seal Coat trimmed with skunk collar, cuffs and border, at \$175, \$195 and \$250

Handsome Lynx trimmed Coats, natural and black Lynx at \$225, \$350, and \$400



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MARKET STREET. NEAR COLBORNE.

IF MEALS HIT BACK AND STOMACH SOURS

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea bad taste in mouth and stomach headache, you can get blessed relief in five minutes.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula, plainly printed on these fifty-cent cases of Pape's Diapepsin, then you will understand why dyspeptic troubles of all kinds must go, and why they relieve sour, out-of-order stomachs or indigestion in five minutes. "Pape's Diapepsin" is harmless; tastes like candy, though each dose will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all the food you eat; besides, it makes you go to the table with a healthy appetite; but, what will please you most, is that you will feel that your stomach and intestines are clean and fresh, and you will not need to resort to laxatives or liver pills for biliousness or constipation.

This city will have many "Pape's Diapepsin" cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be enthusiastic about this splendid stomach preparation, too, if you ever take it for indigestion, gases, heartburn, sourness, dyspepsia, or any stomach misery.

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the wind has dismal note; fall weather gets my billy (the garden name for goat). In summer I am healthy, as husky as can be; no ailments plunk or stealthy are bringing grief to me. Existence then is sweeter, although in heat I fry, the while I shoo the skeeter, and swat the noisome fly. But when the frost falls white upon the autumn world, and wire-edged zephyrs nightly grow colder and more cold, I feel rheumatic twinges, I feel lumbago's shock, and all my joints and hinges are creaking as I walk. The doctor and the plumber are busy with my bones, and so I long for summer with useless sighs and groans; but as I long for autumn, when summer is on deck, add there's no top or

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Prince Rupprecht's Drastic Vengeance—The Subjugation of Belgium and a Fiendish Orgy of Brutal Excess—The Devil's Kultur

"Hell Let Loose"

For the first time since the German occupation of Belgium opened a new and terrible chapter in the history of human suffering, Prince Rupprecht found himself driven by the logic of events to doubt the efficacy of the methods he had been so ruthlessly employing.

These methods had lacked nothing in thoroughness nothing in their rigorous unbending severity, and yet they brought him only a harvest of failure. Ever since his return from Berlin to the front (where the Kaiser had despatched him after a severe verbal castigation, for the part he had played in the events I described last week), ever since the failure of his plot against the High Command, which I fully revealed in last week's issue, Rupprecht had sought more than ever to emulate the methods of Alva in the Netherlands.

He had burnt, pillaged, tortured even in his determination to break the indomitable spirit of the Belgian people, who, scourged and desperate as they were, yet contrived to defy him. The reason for his increased ferocity and almost measureless inhumanity was not far to seek. The Kaiser had placed him on his mettle. He had warned him, first that any further attempt to intrigue against himself would be visited with dire consequences. Secondly, the Kaiser had insisted that, come what may no matter by what means the subjugation of Belgium must be completed.

Starved into Submission.

Rupprecht bent himself to the task with a dreadful, a hideous devotion that reminded me of the remorseless, because self-righteous, rigidity of the Inquisition. "By God, Battyani," he said to me one day, "if nothing else will suffice to subjugate these people, I will make their land into a desert. The rook, who flies above it, will have to carry his food upon his back, for not a bite of anything will he find below him; not a scrap, not a bite of anything will we leave to this cursed land—except he added grimly, "the bodies of the men and women, who, if necessary must be starved into submission. It is our duty to be thorough in this matter, and thorough I intend to be."

Ains, there can be no doubt but that he made good his words. Though he was in the work of sowing desolation, misery, ruin, among a people whose only crime was their helplessness, and whose rights and liberties Germany herself had sworn solemnly to protect.

When the Bavarians failed, as they often did, against the Regulars of the Belgian and French armies, they visited their wrath on the heads of the unoffending civilians. Innumerable instances of this occurred while I was on the staff of Prince Rupprecht and a casual reference to my diary recalls one with terrible vividness to my mind. At Gerbeville, on the banks of the Meuse, the population fell a victim to the fury of the "beautiful blonde beasts avid for blood and slaughter," that Nietzsche hailed as the super-men of the future. Sweeping forward with the

frenzy, the frantic frenzy that always marks the German advances, Rupprecht's vanguard had sought to rush the village at dawn. Ordinarily the enterprise would not have proved very dangerous but it happened that some sixty chassours—a pied, issued some orders by telephone, and a desperate and most effective resistance, with the result that they converted a bloodless operation into a prolonged and costly struggle while, even more galling to the pride of the German officers in command, was the fact that the chassours made good their escape suffering themselves only a trifling loss.

Tragic and Ghastly Results.

Rupprecht was furious when he heard the news. "By God," he said, "somebody must pay for this. It is time that we taught these people the folly, the criminal folly of resistance. They have to learn these things, their franc tireurs change from uniform into peasant's clothes, and vice versa day by day. We cannot operate under such conditions. If there is not other means open to us, we must exterminate the vermin and we will begin with Gerbeville," and he issued some orders by telephone, orders which were swiftly followed by tragic and ghastly results.

For, balked of the chassours, Rupprecht's Bavarians took a drastic vengeance on the civil population. From the moment of their entrance to the town they gave themselves up to a fiendish orgy of brutal excesses. Entering the houses with savage yells, they burnt the buildings, killed the cowering men and women in the street as they fled terror-stricken at the approach of the incoming hordes. Some they dragged into the streets to be shot, others they murdered in their houses or struck down in the street as they fled terror-stricken at the approach of the incoming hordes. Some they dragged into the streets to be shot, others they murdered in their houses or struck down in the street as they fled terror-stricken at the approach of the incoming hordes.

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Hell let loose among the Belgians are the only words I find to indicate the fruits of "frightfulness" that I saw before my eyes. And for the men responsible can Hell itself afford a punishment? Will not its wardens say in the words of your great Shakespeare:—"What course for perjury can this dark monarchy afford, can't accuse for perjury, Ave, what scourge for the perjurer, who deceived Europe into a false security and then sprang on her,

age. It was she who answered the door, and she it was whom the miserable brutes shot point blank with no word even of warning; shot her so that she fell back into the arms of the son-in-law, who ran up just in time to catch her as she fell back mortally wounded.

Domineering Witness.

She is a damning witness surely of the "thoroughness" that Rupprecht boasted. Her life had been the blameless, hard-working, self-denying existence that the peasant woman leads and has led through centuries. She might have posed, I thought, for one of the masterpieces of the great French painter Millet, whose peasants, bowing at the Angelus, or ploughing the fields, always have seemed to me to be the "honest, simplest, and most wholesome types that Europe affords. No itch for meddling in politics had this woman. She was content with the greater task of rearing her family, ordering her house, husbanding her frugal resources, and discharging her daily duties with the strength of calm reserve. But the Kaiser and Rupprecht, and the rest of the War Lords, these great super-men had set their minds upon a scheme of well-politick, and she, and thousands more like her, were made to live in terror and anguish.

God! It made my blood boil when I later found her body reverently wrapped in a blanket, with a handkerchief over her face.

"She did not answer my knock quick enough, sir," the sergeant who shot her explained to me. "We Germans have to teach these 'fine-hounds' that it is death to keep waiting," and with a salute that betokened at once respect for my rank, and unalloyed pleasure with himself, he swaggered off, a typical product of the Devil's Kultur, which has transformed men, made in the image of God, into machines of destruction.

But that household was only one of the victims of Bavarian fury that day. "We must shoot these women and children," I heard an officer say, "we must make a name of them." Before I could ask him for an explanation, my attention was claimed by a voice calling out, "Mercy! Mercy!" and turning, I saw an old man being half-dragged, half-pushed by the butt-end of the rifles of two Bavarians, into a barn—a barn from which already smoke was issuing in great spirals. The cheer, later, when the old man had been forced inside, was ablaze with fire. I can hear the old man's screams now. They ring in my ears at this moment. He was burnt alive!

At the Bayonet Point.

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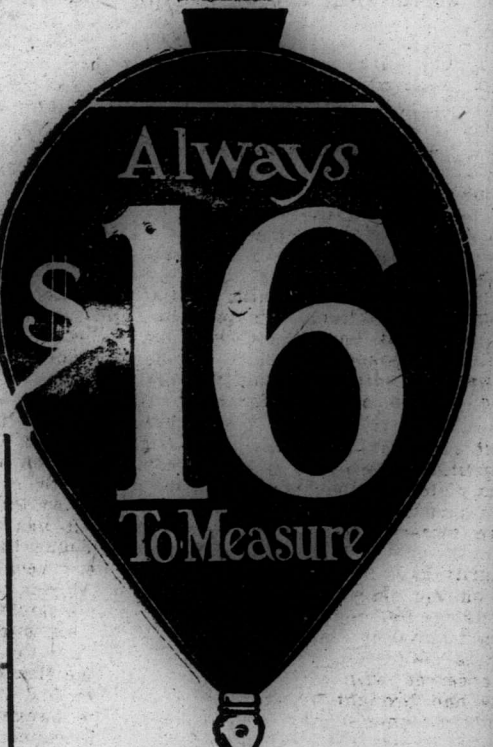
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armed to the teeth, sprang at her like an assassin—to use an assassin's weapon against her!

Needless to say, I found no echo of these reflections either in Prince Rupprecht or the other officers of his staff, and when the hideous work of that dreadful day concluded, we sat down to a recherche dinner at the village inn. His Highness had been first outraged and then killed, had been warned not to let his private grief interfere with the preparation of the feast that had been spread that night for Rupprecht by the very hands of the men whose dearest and nearest had been butchered. What matter that? What mattered the blackened country side, whose buildings still blazed, whose maddened cattle lay dead in the streets, side by side with the men and women Rupprecht's Bavarians had slaughtered, while up and down there wandered as yet unslain by the drunken, peevish privates of his force, poor half-demented wretches, mad—mad beyond hope of recovery, mad from the stress of the awful ghastly sights and sounds that they had seen?

But Rupprecht was in high feather. "We have taught those people a lesson at last," he said, draining his goblet of champagne. "One or two more punishments like these will bring home to them the folly and wisdom of opposing us further. They will soon accept the Pax Germanica," and he rose from his seat glass in hand, to propose the toast, "Deutschland über Alles."

"We must be more wary next time gentlemen," the Prince proceeded. "Our gains to-day have been quite incommensurate with the losses we have sustained. Our next advance against Villette, which these Belgian swine have fortified. It will prove a tough nut unless we are careful. We cannot envelop it from the stress of mous cost, and if we advance and rush upon it from the high road our men will be subjected to a cross fire. But it seems that there is a road leading through the woods on to the back of the village, from whence we could take the Belgians in the rear, and cut them down like grass," and with a chuckle, evident of the bloodiness of opposing us further, he pointed out the situation to us on the map.

"Our men will leave here at dawn," he said. "You, Colonel Waldenstein, will be in command, and Count Battyani will, at my request, accompany you. Once you are through the wood and out on this side," and he laid his finger on the spot, "you can easily rush the enemy's position from the rear, and you remember our order of the 3rd October—no quarter is to be given."

An older officer urged the need of a guide.

The Strange Guide

Prince Rupprecht laughed disdainfully at this caution of the elder man's, who, however, was the more prudent soldier. "Pray have no fear, my dear colonel," he sneered. "Don't distress yourself. The difficulty had already occurred to me, and I am providing you with a

guide—an absolutely reliable and trustworthy guide whom you may depend on, Sergeant," turning to the orderly, "bring him in," and we turned to wait with lively curiosity to see what manner of man it was whom Prince Rupprecht had thus put his faith.

He was a strange figure indeed. Half tramp, half mendicant, his clothes had just that fantastic disarray that points nearly always to a deranged mind. His gait was shambling and uncertain, his face wreathed in a various smile. It did not need Prince Rupprecht's expressive gesture to tell us why he trusted him. Our guide was an idiot. It was for this reason that he could be trusted. No sane Belgian certainly would lead his country's enemies on to the destruction of his own fellow countrymen. But to this man's deranged mind war and death, the burned cottages, and the maimed corpses that were lying strewn upon the road—all these things were without significance, and the difference between Belgians and Germans, friends and

foes, did not exist.

"Jacques knows the woods," he said with a vicious smile (Jacques being of course, himself) "He knows each note-of the birds, and he knows the trees and often talks to them. He will take you there all right," and he broke into a mirthless hollow laugh that somehow set my nerves on edge and made me wonder if the man's madness was so very real as it seemed.

But Rupprecht had no doubts. "Give the poor fool some sweets," he said to the sergeant, "and take him away," and he proceeded to dwell on the matchless ingenuity of the idea of defeating the Belgian commander, a brave and skillful leader, by the aid of the village idiot.

Duped by the "idiot."

It was a great notion everybody agreed, but none the less I felt far from happy when, a few hours later, just as the first rays of the sun were reddening over the hill tops behind which the Belgians lay, we advanced in treble file through the wood that held the key to their position. The darkness was intense, no sound

broke on our ears save the fluttering of the startled birds; and that mad, mocking laugh of our guide, who marched at the head of our column. That he knew the route I could not doubt. Never once did he pause or hesitate as he led us past streams down through glades and on into avenues that one would never have suspected existed. But suddenly Waldenstein touched my arm and pointed to the luminous watch he carried around his wrist. "We have been close upon an hour," he said. "According to Rupprecht's reckoning we should have been through the wood by now. There is a mistake somewhere." Even as he spoke, his horse reared and stumbled, its forelegs sinking in the ground. I reared back just in time, and realized as I did so that we had been duped. Rupprecht's idiot had led us into a swamp.

Quickly I gave the order to halt, and dismounting, ran to Waldenstein's assistance. As I did so I heard that mocking laugh again, and turning we saw the guide swinging himself in a swaying position.

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(From Thursday)

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The Sealed Valley

By HULBERT FOOTNER

Author of "Jack Chanly"

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(From Thursday's Daily.) Nahnya, after a quick glance in his face, lowered her eyes. "This my mo'er," she said in a low voice.

The old woman made a bow to the doctor. She was frankly terrified by the sight of him. She did not in any way suggest the mother of Nahnya, being without grace. She was the middle-aged mother of many with pretty hair neatly parted and braided, eyes as stoical as Charley's, and a skin like wrinkled, waxed brown paper. She had the strong, patient look of the aging worker.

Ralph, looking from one to the other, could not find any point of resemblance between mother and daughter. The fact caused him a certain grim satisfaction. His professional eye fixed on the old woman's pitiful, crooked arm.

So it was true, after all, that Nahnya had fetched him to cure her mother? He felt relieved—but only the more mystified. For why, if everything was plain and aboveboard, had she taken such desperate precautions to ensure secrecy Nahnya was no fool.

He angrily gave it up, and turned his back on the old woman, who, as soon as his eye fell upon it, began to soothe the injured arm with deprecating glances toward him. Ralph had already observed with a hard smile that they had brought up his little satchel of instruments and medications on the litter.

He had made up his mind that nothing should induce him to open it. The two women had brought packs containing everything needed for a comfortable camp, and they set about making ready for the night. Nahnya said no more to Ralph, nor did she look at him again, but her actions were eloquent.

Watching her with sidelong glances, a great uneasiness grew in him. She cut a heap of spruce boughs to make him a soft bed. She roasted a ptarmigan she had brought with her, and when it was done, took it to him to tempt his appetite before he turned in. She offered it silently, with an extraordinary upward look—soft, penitent and imploring.

The look raised a storm in Ralph's breast. He confused and touched and angered him together. His heart leaped to answer it, and his indignant pride held it back.

"Why can't she be open with me?" he thought. "Does she think she can treat me like a piece of baggage and then bring me to my knees again with a soft look?"

He accepted the offering as his right, without relenting, and Nahnya went sadly back to her own bed beside her mother.

With a great air of unconcern, Ralph crawled between his blankets and resolutely closed his eyes. But the struggle within him went blithely forward. He would, and he would not. She had used him intolerably, and he hated her.

She was sorry, and he loved her. The mystery she chose to wrap herself in exasperated him; her quiet resistance to his will maddened the mate in him.

There were times when he felt as if the only thing that would give him any peace would be to crush her utterly. Then he would remember the look in her eyes which promised a secret heaven for him to whom she chose to open it. Daylight was coming again before Ralph fell asleep.

When he woke the struggle was over. Such a struggle in him could have but one outcome. His pride caved in. After all, he told himself, he was a doctor, and he could not turn his back on a grievous injury.

He did not mean to forgive Nahnya, at least, not in a hurry; but he knew he could not forgive himself if he went away leaving a doctor's work undone.

Perhaps he was not quite frank with himself in this; perhaps it was only pride trying to save something from the ruins; perhaps he never would have left Nahnya could he have helped it.

Every imaginative heart that loves—loves the sentimental satisfaction of heaping coals of fire upon the head of the beloved. She would feel sorry she had need him so, but she would be relentless.

When she had suffered a great deal—perhaps—So, after breakfast, still scowling like a pirate, he opened his doctor's kit, and issued gruff orders to Nahnya. The sun came out in her face; she said not a word, but flew to do his bidding.

Admirable was her capability and her deftness. In no time at all the frightened old woman was made comfortable on a deep bed of spruce boughs, with splints, bandages and hot water waiting.

When it was all over and the old woman began to come safely out of the ether weeping copiously, but vastly relieved in mind, Ralph re-packed his satchel viciously.

When his purely professional absorption was no longer called for, he ran up the flag of resentment again. Nahnya had said nothing. Once, when the danger point was passed, she had leaned across the patient and squeezed his hand, but he had quickly pulled it away. Her eyes followed him, expressing a passion of humble gratitude.

It infuriated him; why, he could scarcely have told; perhaps because it was so clear that it was only gratitude, and not the other kind of passion that he was hungry to see there. At any rate, he could not support the look.

Snapping the valise shut and tossing it to one side, he strode away leaving the patient to Nahnya. "It's done," he thought bitterly. "And she's done with me. A lot she cares what I'm suffering. She sacrificed me without a qualm to the old woman."

"Now she's cured, I can go back, and be hanged to me, I suppose. Well, I don't mean to be fobbed off so easily. I've done my part, and I'm a free agent. I won't leave here till I've unwound every thread of this silly mystery she entangles herself in."

By and by the old woman fell into a natural sleep, and Ralph was free to leave her. He lit his pipe and wandered off on the faintly marked trail.

In the perpetual twilight of their camp one got the feeling that this forest rolled on forever, but Ralph had not gone above three hundred yards before he unexpectedly came to one of its boundaries.

To the left of the trail it ended at the base of a mighty precipice of naked gray rock. Standing at the edge of the trees and looking right and left, the height of rock extended as far as he could see. Looking up it was too beetling for him to see its summit.

Continuing upon the trail a little way farther, he came to the edge of a gulch, where he could obtain a wider prospect. Looking up now, he had dizzying, foreshortened glimpses of peaks and domes of rock, with a distant view over all of the supreme summit shaped like a gigantic thumb of rock sticking up out of fields of snow, gilded and dazzling in the sunshine and incredibly far-flung.

It was a stirring experience thus to be brought without warning into the immediate presence of such a god. Ralph gazed, forgetting his private spite against Fortune.

At his feet the gulch came down

SIDE TALKS

By RUTH CAMERON

SHOULD THE WORM TURN.

When the worm turned of course he ruined his chances of making a hundred per cent. perfect record for meekness, but think what a healthy—and doubtless much needed—shock it must have been for the person who was about to step on him. Meekness is undoubtedly a great virtue, subjectively. But looked at objectively isn't it also a great temptation. Given a sweet, self-effacing, apologetic-for-living worm of a mother and how many sons and daughters won't relieve the fits of irritability that come to the best of us by flinging out at her.

Of course He'll Blame Her. Given a wife who is in the habit of letting her husband blame her for everything that happens and how many husbands won't let off steam at an annoyance by blaming her for it.

I once knew a wife who had let herself get into this habit. A friend found her crying one day because her husband had been especially un-reasonable. "I'm really so cross to me if he really loved me," she moaned.

"Do you love your mother?" ask

ed her friend. The wife stopped crying to consider this unexpected counter and to say that of course she did.

Yet She Snaps Her Mother Up. "Yet I've often heard you snap her up," pursued the friend inexorably. "Now don't get cross with me but think it over. Why are you irritable when you love her so much? For just one reason. Because she lets you be and because it's human nature to impose on anyone who permits it."

"I don't see what that has to do with—" began the wife. "Everything," said the very frank friend. "You have your mother on the run, so to speak. And between you and your husband the relation is reversed. He has you on the run. If you could make him realize that you just won't be unfairly blamed wouldn't he be more careful? If your mother took a firm stand against your being irritable to her, wouldn't you probably try to control yourself as you do with other people when you feel cross?"

Can There Be Too Much Meekness? The conversation went on for some

THE MAN

(Continued from Page 12.) self from branch to branch of the overhanging trees and watching our discomfort with an obvious pleasure and intelligence that made us realize instantly that we had been tricked.

Quick as lightning Waldenstein whipped out his revolver and leveled it at the man's head, but he was too late. A sudden crackle of musketry from the trees told me the enemy had fired first, and he fell back dead in my arms. Next moment lead was pouring into us from all directions. The idiot had laid his plans well, indeed. Our force was cut to pieces; only a remnant returned to camp that morning.

THE END

time but that was the gist of it, and the result was that the wife tried the new plan. I am afraid I ought to tear this up. For I am guilty of setting myself against one of the prime Christian doctrines. Doubtless as I grow older I shall understand things better, but just now it does seem to me that a little firmness of character sometimes adds more to the sum of happiness in the world by giving one's brother more incentive to be just (and aren't we our brother's keepers) than a too flabby meekness.

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FLYING MEN AND THEIR MARVELOUS WORK GRAPHICALLY DESCRIBED

The Novelist, Jeffery Farnol, Uses His Pen to Paint Air Pictures — Unwritten Law Never to Desert Comrade Until He is Surely "Done For"

(Jeffery Farnol in New York Tribune)

A few short years ago flying was in its experimental stage; to-day, though man's conquest of the air is yet a dream unfulfilled it has developed enormously and to an amazing degree, to-day flying is one of the chief factors of this world war both on sea and land. Upon the Western front alone there are thousands upon thousands of airplanes—monoplanes and biplanes of hundreds of different makes and designs, of varying shapes and many sizes. I have seen giants armed with batteries and swivel guns and others mounting veritable cannon. Here huge bomb-dropping machines with a vast wing spread; solid steady flying machines for photographic work and the light swift climbing double-gunned battle planes capable of mounting 2,000 feet a minute and attaining a speed of 200 kilometers.

Of these last they are building scores a week at a certain factory I visited just outside Paris, and this factory is but one of many. But the men (or rather youths) who fly these aerial marvels—it is of these rather than the machines that I would tell since of the machines I can describe little even if I would; but I have watched them hovering unconcerned, by (and quite contemptuous of) the barking attention of "Archie" above white shrapnel bursts—fleece, innocent seeming puffs of smoke that go by the name of "wooly bears" I have seen them turn and hover and swoop and swoop and graceful as great eagles. I have watched master pilots of both armies, English and French, perform soul-shaking gyrations, high in air, feats quite impossible hitherto and never attempted until lately. There is now a course of aerial gymnastics which every flyer must pass successfully before he may call himself a "chasing" pilot; and from what I have observed it would seem that to become a pilot one must be either

all nerve or possess no nerve at all. Conceive a biplane, thousands of feet aloft, suddenly flinging its nose up and beginning to climb vertically as if intending to loop the loop, conceive of its banking suddenly and remaining for perhaps a full minute poised thus upon its tail absolutely perpendicular. Then, the engines switched off, consisting of ever helplessly, tail first, reversing suddenly and plunging earthward spinningly round and round very like the helpless flutter of a falling leaf. Then suddenly the engine roars again the twisting fluttering rear things become instinct with life, rights itself mechanically on its flashing pistons, swoops down in swift and headlong course, and, turning up as light as graceful as any bird.

Other nerve-shattering things they do, these soaring young demigods of the air—feats so marvellous to such earth-bound ones as myself fears, indeed, so wildly daring it would seem no ordinary human could be expected to attain unto. But in and around Paris, and at the front I have talked with, and known many of, these birdmen, both English, French and American, and have generally found them very human indeed, often shy, generally simple and unaffected and always modest of their achievements and full of admiration for seamen and soldiers, and heartily glad that their lives are not jeopardized by their aerial, or submarine, or muddy trenches, which sentiment I have heard fervently expressed not once but many times. Surely the ordinary understanding.

Fire Three Poe Machines.

"Yesterday there was much aerial activity on our front."

"Depots were successfully bombed and five enemy machines were forced to descend, three of them in flames. Three of ours did not return."

I shall never read these oft-recurring lines in the communiques without thinking of these three youthful figures so full of life and the joy of life, who we watched depart that dull and cloudy morning.

Here is just one other story dealing with three seasoned air fighters veterans of many deadly combats high above the clouds each of whom has more than the victor's laurels, credit and whose combined ages total up to sixty of thereabouts. We will call them X, Y, and Z. X is an American, Y is an Englishman, whose peach-like countenance yet bears the newly healed scar of a bullet wound, and Z, is an Afriander. Here begins the story.

Upon a certain day of wind rain and cloud news came that the Boches were massing behind their lines for an attack, whereupon X, Y and Z, were ordered to go up and verify this. Gaily enough they started, despite unfavorable weather conditions. The clouds were low, very low, but they must fly lower, so at an altitude varying from fifteen hundred to a bare 1,000 feet crossed the German lines X, Y and Z, flying wing and wing behind Z's tail. Ah at once "Archie" spoke, a whole battery of anti-aircraft guns filled the air with smoke and whistling bullets—away went X's propeller, and his machine was hurled upside down immediately. Y and Z, rose by marvellous pilotage X managed to right his crippled machine and began to fall; promptly Y and Z descended, in the Air Service never to desert a comrade until he is surely "done for" and hence Y, and Z's hawk-like swoop from the clouds to draw the fire of the battery from their stricken companion; down they plunged through the battery smoke, firing their machine guns point blank as they came, and so, wheeling in long spirals their guns cracking viciously they mounted again and soared cloudward together, but there, among the clouds and in comparative safety, Z developed

engine trouble. Their ruse had served, however, for X had contrived to bring his shattered plane to earth safely behind the British lines. Meanwhile Y, and Z, continued on toward their objective, but Z's engine failed more and more, and finally leaving Y, to carry on alone, was forced to turn back. And now it was in the mist ahead he beheld another machine which, coming down upon him proved to be a German, who, mounting above him, promptly opened fire.

Bullets Carry Away Gear.

Z, struggling with his balking engine, had his hands pretty full. Moreover, his opponent, owing to greater speed, could attack him from precisely whatever angle he chose. So they wheeled and flew, Z endeavoring to bring his gun to bear, the German keeping skillfully out of range, now above him, now below, but ever behind him. Thus the Boche, flying in Z's tail, had him at his mercy; a bullet ripped his above, another smashed his speedometer, yet another broke his gauge; slowly and by degrees nearly Z's gear was either smashed or carried away by bullets.

All this time it is to be supposed that Z, thus defenceless, is wheeling and turning as well as his crippled condition will allow, endeavoring to get a shot at his elusive foe; but as he told me, he felt it was his finish, so he determined, if possible, to ram his opponent and crash down with him through the clouds. Therefore waiting until the Boche was aiming at him from directly below, he threw his machine into a sudden dive. Thus for one moment he had him in range, for a moment only, but the range was close and deadly and Z fired off half his tray as he swooped his heading down upon his astonished foe. All at once the German waved an arm and sagged over sideways, his great battleplane wavering uncertainly, and as it began to fall Z, avoided collision by inches. Down went the German machine down and down, and watching, Z saw it plunge through the clouds wrapped in flame.

Phew! The relief made for hope as fast as his balking engine would allow.

These are but two stories among dozens I have heard, yet these I think will suffice to bring something of the spirit animating those young paladins. The spirit of Youth is surely a godlike spirit, unconquerable care-free, undying. It is a spirit to which fear and defeat are things to smile and wonder at, to whom risk and dangers are joyous episodes and Death himself, whose face their youthful eyes have so often looked into, friend familiar by close acquaintance.

Upon a time I mentioned the same thought to an American aviator, who nodded his youthful head and answered in this manner:

"The best fellows generally go first, and such a lot are gone now that there'll be a whole bunch of them waiting to say 'Hello, old way?'"

RE-CIVILIZATION AND HOW IT FEELS

Gradual Change of View-point Induced in a Convalescent Home

This article was written by Sergt. Frank Giolma, an ex-patient of the Esquimalt Military Convalescent Hospital in British Columbia.

A week of intermittent furies of rain, heralding winter, would appear to have made the majority of the nine hundred and thirty-two patients in "J" Unit turn with added zest to the numerous schools, and vocational training classes in general carried on for their benefit. This work is proving of much greater benefit than at any rate the public in general and the invalids themselves at first thought.

It takes three months to turn a civilian into a soldier, common sense, discipline, and habit, do not, do not, his army habits as easily as his khaki, and take up the old trend of his civilian life as if he had never left it. I doubt that that it was the old habit of turning Tommy loose, right from the field of battle, back to the old civil freedom that caused so many to overstep the mark, and by their actions bring the uniform into disrespect. It is in prolonging this change from discipline to freedom, and at the same time making the soldier begin to occupy his mind with matters other than military, that the vocational section and indeed the whole management of the convalescent hospitals in "J" Unit are doing such excellent work. While a patient himself, the writer has watched with ever growing interest the latest mental of the returned soldier slowly giving place to an ever deepening interest in the

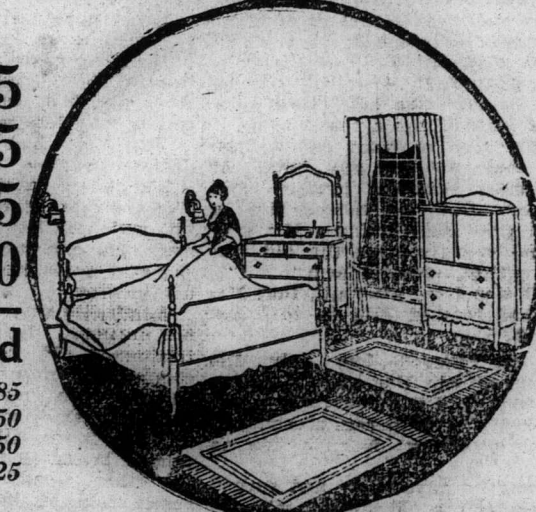


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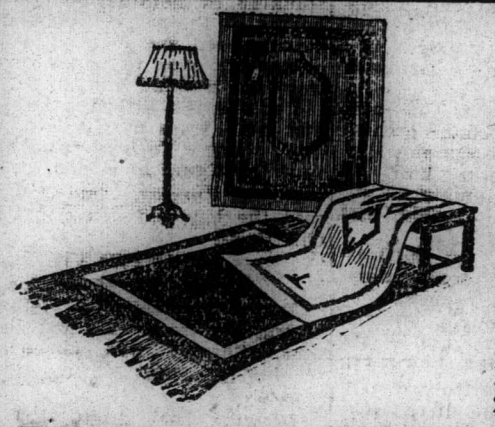


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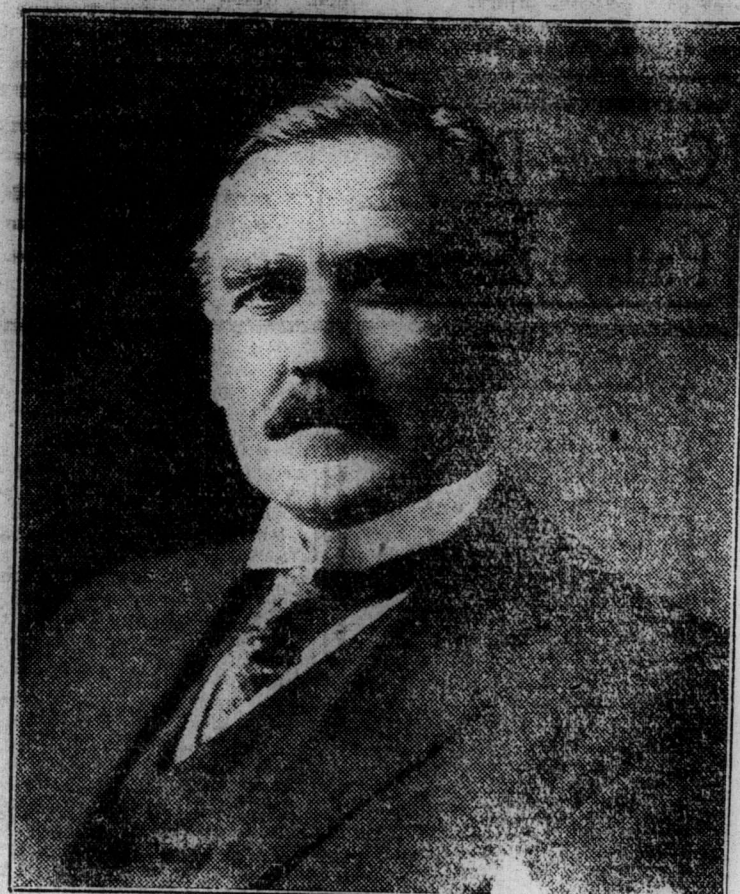
First Three Weeks.

The majority of men who return from France are for a short period mentally unfitted for civil life. The change is too drastic, the swing of the mental pendulum so sudden, that equilibrium is temporarily lost, and if a man is trying to hold down a job he most probably fails, when his brain has been slowly brought back to normal; he would not only have made good but actually proved himself a better man and workman than he was before he joined the Army. The study of the police reports of any of the "J" Unit Hospitals corroborates this, except in the case of incorrigible characters it is noticeable that lapses from decorum in all and every respect occur, if at all, within the first two or three weeks of a man's return. Under the system employed in "J" Unit the delinquent while being dealt gently with is at the same time impressed with the fact that he is still in the Army and has to play the game. The iron discipline of the Service is there and can be enforced if necessary but is not blatantly and jauntingly apparent; indeed the patient is never reminded of its existence unless he goes out of his way to look for trouble.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

to his personal requirements, and he has regained the old speedy knack, coupled with an added and new nervous assurance and a broader outlook on life, the latter making him a better citizen and a better man. It is then that the Medical Officer sends him up for a final Board and he is a free man once more and a much better man as he himself is well pleased to own thanks to the M. H. C. C.

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TERRIBLE TALE OF GERMAN S.-W. AFRICA

Natives Murdered on Suspicion of Having Aided British Soldiers

(By Capt. Rowe, with British Forces in Africa)

"The treatment of carriers lately by the Germans has been terrible. Their carriers include our Indian soldier prisoners of war and many wretched villagers, young boys, old men and women; in fact they catch those who cannot run away. They chain them together and just work them until they die of starvation and exhaustion. In following upon Wahle's trail from Malangali to Bupeme we kept finding dead and dying carriers. Nor after an action do they trouble any more about their wounded Askari, but just leave them to die."

The above is an extract from an official report received from Brigadier General Northey, the commander of a British column in East Africa. The knowledge that even the soldiers from India who were taken prisoners by the Germans at the beginning of the war, are being done to death in this singularly brutal manner must stiffen still further the determination of every Briton to put an end once for all to an intolerable state of affairs.

Every Colony Suffers

This unmitigated evidence from General Northey is not singular. The evidence of a similar character from every colony that once had the misfortune to be in German hands is overwhelming. It also bears out the letter of the threats which Germany uttered before the war to unbelieving ears. She has promised again and again in her official "Kriegsbrauch im Landkreise," no less than in the works of her most noted writers, to shrink from no cruelty calculated to inspire terror to her advantage. This being so, proofs that she has kept her word may seem unnecessary. It is, nevertheless, advisable, now that the imminent prospect of defeat is inducing her to veil as far as possible her former deeds and utterances, to keep the memory of the past before us. That the present deeds of Germany are in exact keeping with those she has committed in the past intensifies the charge against her.

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All day long Dicky played out under the apple tree, happy as a lark. He was so quiet that mamma wondered what he was doing. She had baked him an apple pie in a tiny tin pan, and with it behind her back she sort of stole out the kitchen door.

"Yes, these are yours and these are mine," she heard Dicky say. "This you can put in an apple pie for me—what? Of course I mean a mud pie. When we get bigger mamma will let us make a real apple pie," continued Dicky. Mamma peeked around the corner of the house. She was surprised to see Dicky alone, dividing his store of apples into two piles.

"Why, where's your playmate?" mamma exclaimed, looking all around.

Dicky drew an imaginary playmate to his mamma's side. "My little dream girl. She comes every day to play with me," answered Dicky.

Mamma pretended to shake hands with the little girl, and Dicky laughed.

"You see, I get so lonesome, playing alone, that I just made up this little girl to talk to," exclaimed Dicky.

"Golden hair and blue eyes?" asked mamma.

"Brown hair and brown eyes," replied Dicky, and mamma laughed.

"Well, I've made you both a nice apple pie," she said, and, kissing Dicky, mamma gave him the pie and went back to her work.

Dicky cut it into two pieces and, holding out one piece to his imaginary playmate, said:

"That's yours because it's the biggest."

A tiny hand reached through the pickets of the fence and snatched the piece of pie.

Dicky, startled, looked up and met the smiling eyes of a dirty-faced little girl. Dicky watched the piece of pie disappear, then the hand shot out for more.

"Please, I'm hungry!" said the little girl.

Dicky handed her his slice.

"Why don't you go home if you're hungry?" he asked.

"I never had a home, only the orphan's home, and I don't like it, so I'm going to run away," replied the little girl.

"Maybe if you'd wash your face mamma would let me play with you," suggested Dicky, opening the gate.

"And she'll give you some money if you're hungry."

The little girl followed her new friend into the house. Dicky explained the situation to mamma, and mamma washed the dirty face and hands and combed the tangled hair.

She gave the children a nice little dinner all by themselves. The girl was invited to remain and play with Dicky, and the two raced and played together so beautifully that mamma telephoned the orphan asylum for permission to keep the runaway over night, then tucked the little stranger into a little bed with a big mother kiss. And the next morning the little girl was up and ready to set table for mamma.

This pleased mamma so much that she looked into the record of the little one and at last signed papers that made the little girl Dicky's legal sister. Both children were very happy.

"She's just as good as my dream girl, even if her hair is yellow. I guess we'd better call her Sunshine," laughed Dicky.

So the little orphan found a real home and Dicky found his little dream girl. They were all very happy.

of an indisputable character relating to a great number of trials in German Southwest Africa before the war. These clearly indicate that savage treatment of natives by Germany is the exception, but the rule, and it is evident that the principle generally accepted was that a native could be shot at sight for any alleged offence. The following are merely instances from very many similar cases.

Walter Bohmer, N. C. O., murdered two Hereros and wounded two others. They were running away from service; he just called them to him and shot them.

Frank Jusez, police officer, murdered a native accused of theft by kicking and stamping him to death after flogging him.

A Bushman was flogged to death on the off chance that he meant to steal.

This will give a general idea of the offences committed daily in German Southwest Africa. More important is the case of a German officer named Venuleth, of the same colony, because words used by him in his defence suggest the habitual and intentional attitude of the German toward the native. Venuleth was tried by a court of the Union of South Africa; for shooting two Bushmen after a trial that was a mere farce. One cynical excuse he gave for his conduct was that "they were Bushmen, and the Bushmen are a great nuisance and always stealing cattle." Incidentally, he made this frank admission: "I would in certain circumstances convict a man against whom a charge has not been proved. He was eventually acquitted on the ground that he had some reason to believe that the murdered natives were spies.

A similar state of things existed in the German Cameroons. Here the German native troops were almost invariably allowed every kind of license in their dealings with native civilians. They could murder, rob, burn, and carry off women pretty much as they pleased. In a short-sighted way, the policy may have paid, natives accepting military services readily, both for the advantages which they gained and the disadvantages which they escaped. Yet

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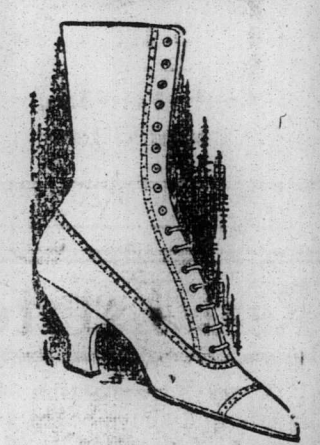
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It would be hard to believe in such a policy being adopted by a civilized race if it were not in strict accordance with principles openly avowed long beforehand.

Many Villages Burnt

As illustrative of the German attitude in the Cameroons toward native natives during the war, a passage from a captured document is peculiarly illuminating. The Duala natives were believed to be making themselves useful to the British, chiefly by acting as guides. Every Duala village within reach of the German troops was therefore ordered to be burned and every severity practised. On October 7, 1914, a German official von Englebrecht, formerly private secretary to the governor of the colony, wrote to Hauptmann Geiser, a German commander, giving instructions to the effect already stated. This document contains the following passages:

"Prisoners will only be made when they are caught red-handed and can be legally tried and condemned to death." The obvious implication that it would be wise to dispose of the innocent beforehand is startling even from the ex-private secretary of a German Colonial Governor.

He does not for a moment realize that while the governing of a native race may require a firm hand, it equally requires a just and sympathetic mind. It is the truest wisdom to keep in sight the interests of the governed, and this he has never learned.

There is an island in the Pacific called Marakei. It belonged formerly to Germany. The following address from the people of Marakei to the British commander speaks for itself.

"The mind of the men of Marakei, Porasmuch as they understand the benefit of the protection and freedom, after former misrule, afforded by British laws . . . they affirm that as they are prevented from assisting the empire at war in any other way, theirs indeed are the coconuts, and they will contribute naught unceasingly for the war and cease not until the war is over. They do not want to be hated, but they like the British government, they are determined that they shall win the war, and that they shall be governed by England for all time. This only is the mind of the men of Marakei."

A Fable on Victory Bond

There was once a Person who talked boastfully about his Swell Home and his Uppishly Upholstered Car. He would drive Fifty Miles to be present at a Picnic where there were Free Eats. He always finished first in races where there were Rich Prizes and No Entrance Fee. When somebody blew him to a Fine Supper at the Big Hotel, he could hurry home to upbraid his Poor Wife because she could not provide such Delicacies of Diet out of an Allowance which kept her Stimping on her own Clothing in order to furnish Decently Digestible Dinners for her Lord and Master. No Child dared Consume Candy in his presence, lest the Omnivorous One should take it away, on the plea of saving the Little Folk Severe Indigestion. At Home he was a Regular Hurricane, for his Business Associates regarded him as a Big Blow.

When a Neighbor Took Sick, our Hero was always sure to have a Sudden Engagement calling him rapidly to Another Quarter of the Town, where he would not have to bother Calling the Doctor. When Giggling Girls came around to collect money for the Red Cross, he was ever ready to give them Free Advice, but looked Pained when they asked him for Cold Cash. If the Plea was Pressed, he took care to thrust his Surplus Earnings into a Pocket with a Button on it, and would shortly be seen beating a Strategic Retreat.

In moments of Extreme Exuberation, induced by Strong Waters for which Somebody Else had Paid, he was wont to describe himself as a Humdinger of a Good Fellow. At Home, however, he was privately considered a Grouch, and at the Office everybody Hated him.

Moral—You can't judge the Size of a Man or a Motor Car by the Noise they make. When Canada, in a week or two, floats a Victory Loan for \$150,000,000, the man who Loosens His Pocket book will not necessarily be a Patriot, but the man who merely Loosens His Tongue will in most cases be a Fraud. The Fellows at the Front are Buying Victory with their blood. The Fellows at Home are Poor Sports if they do not help buy it with their Money.

NERVOUS AILMENTS

Few people realize that nervous ailments often arise from digestive troubles. The stomach fails, for some reason, to digest food properly and the nerves become exhausted in striving to continue their work. Impure blood also causes nerve troubles, but frequently it is in the stomach where the mischief starts. As the nourishment is carried to the nerves by the blood, it will be seen what an important connection exists between the stomach, the nerves and the blood, and how such troubles as nervous headaches, nervous dyspepsia and insomnia may begin.

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Associated Press
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WANTED—Teamster, only steady man need apply. Adams Wagon Co. M/54

WANTED—Carpenters for inside work. Apply at once. Wag's Lunch, 63 Dalhousie Street. M/54

WANTED—Laborers. Apply to foreman on the job. Bell Telephone Co. Lorne Bridge. M/7

WANTED—Night janitor and fireman for block one with experience preferred. Apply Box 323 Courier. M/42

WANTED—A few carpenters. Apply Gibson Coal Co., 164 Clarence St. M/3

WANTED—Immediately, first-class Tool Makers. Good wages. Watrous Engine Works Co., Brantford. M/5

WANTED—Three young men to help in spinning and carding department. Slingsby Manf. Co. M/42

WANTED—Young man wanted by a Kitchener manufacturing company, who has a knowledge of double entry bookkeeping and who is not eligible for military service. Box 44 Courier. M/W/44

WANTED—Two smart boys for Sorting Department. Apply Slingsby Co. M/48

WANTED—An educated returned soldier as representative for Woman's Century in Brantford. Apply Mr. Murray Room 15, Bank of Toronto, 205 Yonge Street, Toronto.

WANTED—Young man experienced candy maker. Apply Tremaine, Market street.

Female Help Wanted

WANTED—Office hand. Apply by letter only. Verity Flow Co. Limited. L/12

WANTED—Spinner for night work. Apply Slingsby Manf. Co. M/7

WANTED—Weavers and apprentices. Highest wages paid. Apply Slingsby Manufacturing Company. F/50

WANTED—Young woman, or widow, for housekeeping by middle aged man, no family away all day, light easy place. Apply Box 340 Courier. F/5

WANTED—A stenographer 1 or 2 evenings a week. Apply Box 335 Courier. F/7

WANTED—Maid for general house work, only three in family. Apply Mrs. Malcolm, 44 Chestnut Ave. F/7

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Articles For Sale

FOR SALE—Cheap canoe and boat house. Owner leaving city. Apply 28 Ada Ave. A/42

FOR SALE—Coal range with oven, good condition. 121 Market st. A/42

FOR SALE—Thirty-five dollars, buys a good horse at 30 King Street. Phone 1966. A/46

FOR SALE—1 3/4 storey brick house all conveniences, garage deep lot. Immediate possession. Phone 2004. A/7

FOR SALE—Gas range in good condition. Apply 47 Chestnut avenue. H/5

FOR SALE—Parlour suite, good as new. Apply 209 Chatham St. A/7

FOR SALE—Chevrolet, five-passenger car. Fully equipped, good condition, price \$575. Apply Courier Box 336. A/7

FOR SALE—Highest Bidder, quantity light, clean old brass. The Courier. A/7

FOR SALE—Single comb, black Minocra, yearling, utility dollar each. Vern Everett, Simcoe. A/50

FOR SALE—Slightly used Lady's and gents winter coat, cheap. Apply 187 Marlborough st. A/34

FOR SALE—Parlor suite, rugs, parlor lamp and pictures. Cheap for quick sale. Apply Box 40 Courier. A/34

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FOR SALE—Rabbits, English greys, Belgian Hares, Angoras, breeding pairs or young, 18 Lawrence St. at noon and after 6 p.m. A/54

FOR SALE—Cheap, fur coat sable trimmed good as new, long plush coat and two cloth coats. Sizes 38. Apply in mornings 331 Colborne. A/3

FOR SALE—1 radiant home heater with oven, 1 medium size coal or wood cook stove, 1 small coal or wood stove, 1 large sideboard, 1 mission oak settee, leather cushions, 2 baby buggies, 1 turned oak buffet, 2 sets turned oak chairs leather seats, 1 kitchen cabinet slightly used, 1 oval iron desk. We sell on commission, cost advanced on goods placed for sale, clean dry storage. The Central Storage and Auction Co. 179 Colborne Street. Phone 295. A/3

Lost

LOST—Oct. 28, wrist watch, reward at 114 Sheridan street. L/5

LOST—On Pearl, Palace or Brant Ave a small gold and amethyst brooch, valued as a keepsake. Reward at 80 Brant Avenue. L/42

LOST—Between Dundas and Dufferin Streets, sable ruff. Please return to 325 Dundas Street and receive reward. L/54

LOST—Between Rawdon and Clarence Streets on Nelson street hand bag containing five dollars. Kindly return to Courier. Reward. L/42

For Rent

TO LET—Rooms. 95 Wellington street. T/3

TO LET—Three furnished rooms for housekeeping. Eagle Place. Box 339 Courier. T/3

TO LET—Furnished room, all conveniences. Apply 194 Nelson Street. L/7

TO RENT—Two storey white brick house, 8 rooms, barn and 10 acres of land on Paris road, half mile from city limits. Apply T. Carlyle, R. R. No. 4, Phone, 933 r 1 and 3. T/7

TO LET—Barn, icehouse, warehouse. Apply 331 Colborne. T/52

TO RENT OR FOR SALE—On easy terms, cottage and two lots. Apply W. A. Hollnager, Court House. L/3

TO LET—Eight roomed house with Nov. 11th. Apply 110 Madison Ave., Hamilton. T/50

WANTED—Driving horse for keep on farm for winter. Box 325 Courier. T/50

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TO RENT—Nicely furnished bedrooms, centrally located, all conveniences. Apply Box 334 Courier. T/42

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DR. CHRISTIE IRWIN—Graduate of American School of Osteopathy, 33 Edgerton St., Office hours: 9 to 12 a.m. and 2 to 6 p.m. Bell telephone 1330. D/17

DR. C. H. SAUDER—Graduate of American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Missouri, Office Suite 6, Temple Building, 76 Dalhousie St., Residence, 33 Edgerton St., Office phone 1544, house phone 3126. Office hours: 9 to 12 a.m., 2 to 5 p.m. evenings by appointment at the house or office. D/17

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Miscellaneous Wants

WANTED—Experienced housemaid Apply Belmont Hotel. F/54

WANTED—Lawn Mowers to sharpen and repair. C. J. Mitchell, phone 148. M/W/3

WANTED—Work, dressmaking, sewing of every description. 96 Wellington street. M/W/3

WANTED TO RENT—Six or seven roomed house. Apply Box 334 Courier. M/W/3

WANTED—House with all conveniences, at once, preferably near Hamilton Radial. Apply Courier. Box 341. M/W/3

WANTED—Second hand lathe, press drill, 2 gas heaters and counter. Apply Box 338 Courier. M/W/3

WANTED—At once maid for general housework. Apply Mrs. Roy Second, 12 Chestnut Ave. M/50

WANTED—Card Cleaners also men for night work. Slingsby Manufacturing Co. M/50

WANTED—A building lot fairly central, good frontage. 73 Dalhousie St., Phone 646. M/W/50

WANTED—Respectable boarders, all conveniences. 32 Mary St. M/W/48

WANTED—To exchange a 12 room house central on a good brick bungalow or cottage, central, Phone 646. M/W/48

WANTED—Married man desires position on farm, experienced yearly engagement. Apply Courier Box 337. M/54

WANTED—Old False Teeth; don't matter if broken. I will pay \$2 to \$15 per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. F. Teri, 403 N. Wolfe Street, Baltimore, Md. Nov. 1 M/54

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WANTED—One or two rooms, furnished, central, all conveniences for business man. Apply Box 323 Courier. M/W/44

WANTED—By Business man furnished room, central, conveniences. Apply Box 330 Courier. M/W/48

WANTED—Furnished house, must be first-class. Apply Box 333 Courier. M/W/48

WANTED—At once, man with a 20 H. P. or over portable engine and boiler to supply power for a sawmill in a woods near Brantford. Winter's job. Apply Hay & Company, Limited, Woodstock, Ont. M/3

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To The Editor of The Courier

Perhaps you would care to print the following letter, as many are under the impression that the Prisoners of War Department of the Canadian Red Cross was refusing funds for the adoption of prisoners. London, Oct. 11, 1917.

Miss M. E. Bennett.

Dear Madam:

Pte. J. E. Aldous, No. 17193.

This man is being sent the usual six 10-lb. parcels per month, costing £3, which, in addition to his pocket money of £3, 7 6 per month. Of this amount only £1 14, 0 is subscribed for by adopters. I think you have been misinformed about the necessity for sending funds to adopt prisoners, as we are only too grateful to have them wholly or partially adopted. It is also much nicer for the men themselves, as they feel that somebody has a more personal interest in them, than if they never received any parcels except from the general fund.

Yours truly,

E. R. BULKELEY.

List of contents of the three parcels sent fortnightly to each prisoner:

One lb. carton special bacon, 1 lb. tin rabbit and onion sauce, 1 lb. tin corned beef, 1 tin Norwegian herrings, 1/2 lb. packet tea, 1/2 lb. sugar, 1 lb. tin Ideal milk, 1 lb. tin tin biscuits, 1 lb. tin tin pudding, 1 lb. tin nacker Quaker Oats, 1 cake First Aid soap.

One lb. carton special bacon, 1 lb. tin roast beef and vegetables, 1 lb. tin tin rabbit and onion sauce, 1 lb. tin tin jam, 1/2 lb. tin tea, 1/2 lb. tin sugar, 1 lb. tin Nestle's Milk, 1 carton ration milk biscuits, 1 packet Grape-Nuts, 1 cake Lifebuoy Soap.

One lb. tin steak and kidney pudding, 1 lb. tin sausages, 1/2 lb. tin beef dripping, 1 lb. tin box wholemeal biscuits, 1/2 lb. tin, 1/2 lb. sugar, 1 lb. tin Ideal milk, 1/2 tin Canadian pink salmon, 1 lb. tin Orschek and vegetables, 1 lb. tin apple pudding.

Besides these, 8 lbs. bread biscuits, 2 1/2 lbs. rusks, tobacco and soap are sent fortnightly.

FOOD AND FUEL BY-LAW

Editor of Courier—

Dear Sir—Notwithstanding all that has been said and all that has been done in the fuel situation, there still seems to be so much misconception of the matter, (and none appear to be more ignorant than the Fuel and Fuel committee of Brantford city council) that it may not be out of place for one who has been in the business all his life to present a few facts at this time.

I have not spent one dollar nor have I asked one taxpayer to defeat the By-law now before the ratepayers of this city. What I would like to see is, that every one who is entitled to vote would, on Saturday next record his vote in the way that he thinks is in the best interests of the city. In a matter of this kind it is so satisfactory when only a small number express themselves at the ballot box.

The present fuel situation is entirely due to the war. There never has been any shortage of fuel in Brantford before the war except when strikes or for a very short time by poor transportation.

When war broke out, and for some time after, the miners were working on an eight hour day, and I think we all agree that under normal conditions no one should be asked to work more than that in or around the mines.

Large numbers of the working men at the mines were citizens of some of the countries at war in Europe, and these men began to leave the mines in large numbers, and as country after country was added to the list of belligerent states, the number going back to fight for their country greatly increased. Then munitions were in demand, and factories making them offered high wages which also took men away from the mines, as well as other industries. The making of these munitions and other war supplies demanded more fuel to run the factories at high pressure day and night.

To meet this situation the mine owners, or operators, induced their men, by increasing their wages and giving a bonus, to work longer hours and were also able to get back some of their men from munition factories, until to-day in the anthracite fields they are turning out more coal than at any time in the history of the coal industry.

Our railways were affected in the same way, men leaving to go to war and making munitions, causing a shortage of men not only to run their trains, but in shops, some shops being turned over to munitions entirely, so that there was and is a shortage of cars and locomotives; notwithstanding this shortage, our railways were put to this extra work of transporting men, food and munitions to the seaports to go over seas.

So that even when the coal was being gotten ready in increased quantities, there were delays in transportation.

We are at war, and should not expect to get all we want when we want it.

On account of the agitation and the clamor that has been going on for the last year, a very large number of people, a much larger number than in any previous year, placed their orders for their full year's requirements very early in the season, during April and May. There was delivered in Brantford during the early months of the season considerably more than any former year, but any one who considers for a moment will

readily understand that it is an utter impossibility for the miners to produce, the railway to transport or the merchant to deliver the full year's requirements in three or even six months.

Early in the year the government appointed a Fuel Controller, who immediately got into touch with the source of supply, and received assurance that Canada would be fairly dealt with in the matter of coal from United States. Canada has had up to date her full share, and Brantford has had her full share and all that Brantford has received has been delivered to the people. At conference with the Fuel Controller, he advised the merchants to keep filling their orders so far as possible until such time as he should limit the amount to be delivered to any one person.

At the beginning of the season, the Brantford coal merchants placed orders with every one of the line companies that can or will ship coal into Canada, and also with a number of independent operators, and for some months now the merchants here have been trying to get all the coal possible from every source of supply known to the trade, and had it not been for the orders of the United States government, there would have been enough coal to give every one what was really needed.

As the change in government orders, setting all that can be got and more than Brantford's requirements, is enough coal arriving in Brantford to prevent suffering.

Under these circumstances, what is to be gained by the city council dabbling in the fuel business and money as at a former time, there may have been need then, but there is none now, for the merchants are getting all that can be got and more than Brantford's requirements.

Mr. Taxpayer, is the Chairman of the Food and Fuel Committee such a financier or business genius that you are willing to allow him to have \$50,000.00 of your money to be used in a business about which he knows absolutely nothing.

Yours truly,

FRED MANN.

"A Chiel's A'mong Ye Takin' Notice and Faith'll Print It."

Dear Sir—In to-night's issue of your paper I notice a rather long letter from B. A. Caspell on the coal question. I have read this through carefully and I don't see that the letter clears up the point at all. He says we have eleven coal dealers here at present, are they all making a fair living. I will take it that they are. Have the people been supplied with coal from all accounts? Not now the point is this the people want coal so some means must be devised to get it, and a large number of people in this town are of opinion that a Municipal coal yard would fill the bill better than any private outside individual who is working for profit alone. I do not for one minute believe that the whole monopoly of business lies under the hats of the eleven coal dealers who are so anxious to retain the coal business amongst them. B. A. Caspell does not favor the result of working out the by-law, apparently he thinks the city is going to get soaked. I however read between the lines apparently he is afraid that the city would make good on the deal and that the move would be harmful to private speculation. B. A. Caspell laments the possible speculation of \$50,000.00 and to get this money we have to get the vote from a class who he advises not to vote for it. This I think shows that he is mainly interested in holding on to the old state of affairs, which I do not think under the circumstances it would be a good thing for the coal users of Brantford to do. B. A. Caspell mentioned about the chief promoters of this city coal business knowing so little about what they are undertaking. I wonder how much any of the coal men in Brantford know about the business previous to talking it up. I think that this looks to me like an insult to the intelligences of the Brantford people.

Brantford is one of the principle manufacturing towns in Canada and there are men at the heads of affairs, who could buy and sell the whole eleven coal dealers in any corner of the market. In conclusion I have no vote myself worse luck, but if I had it would go for a Municipal coal yard, food yard and fish yard also. I hope those who have a vote will study the matter out closely, if they do I think the city will be better off for it.

Yours truly,

J. GARROW.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN HOME WEST LAND REGULATIONS

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, who was at the commencement of the present war, and has continued to live in Canada, British subject or a subject of an allied or neutral country, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion Land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for District. Entry by proxy may be made on certain conditions. Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of land in each of three years. Pre-emption. Price \$200 per acre. Duties reside six months in each of three years after existing homestead patent and cultivate 50 acres extra. May obtain pre-emption patent as soon as homesteaded land on certain conditions.

A settler after obtaining homestead patent, if he cannot secure a pre-emption, may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$200 per acre. Must reside six months in each of three years. cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$500.00.

Holders of entries may count time of employment by farm laborers in Canada during 1917, as residence duties under certain conditions.

When Dominion Lands are advertised for entry, returned soldiers who have served overseas and have been honorably discharged, receive one day priority in applying for entry at advertised prices (but not Sub-Agency). Discharge papers must be produced to Agent.

W. W. COBE,
Deputy Minister of the Interior,
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