

WILL IT BE WAR OR PEACE BETWEEN THE MUSCOVITES AND BULGARIANS?

Balkan State Maintains Silence; and Has Not Yet Answered the Ultimatum; Maybe Never Will.

Petrograd, Oct. 5, via London 12:05 p.m.—Russia's ultimatum to Bulgaria was not delivered to Premier Radoslavov until four o'clock yesterday afternoon. This statement was made officially here to-day.

Previous advices from Petrograd were that the Russian ultimatum had been delivered on Sunday, and that the 24-hour limit within which a reply was demanded expired yesterday. As this period did not begin until the actual time of delivery of the ultimatum, the Bulgarian Government has until four o'clock this afternoon (about 9:30 a.m. New York time) in which to decide whether to accept a policy of strict neutrality or to side openly with Germany, Austria and Turkey.

IMPRESSED BERLIN. Berlin, Oct. 4, via London, Oct. 5.—Russia's ultimatum to Bulgaria has made a deep impression here, but has resulted in a feeling of relief because of conviction that the moment has arrived when the diplomatic situation in the Balkans must be clarified within a few hours. The general opinion is that Bulgaria cannot yield to Russia's demands and that the ultimatum may even cause the pro-Russian element to rally to the support of the government.

BLOCKADE OF LITTLE USE. Germans consider that the entente powers selected an unpromising moment to make their voice heard at Sofia. Discussing the consequences which are likely to follow a breach in the diplomatic relations between Russia and Bulgaria, the newspapers profess to expect an immediate declaration of war by the entente allies with a blockade of Bulgaria's ports on the Black Sea, and on the Aegean as well as the landing of an Anglo-French army at Saloniki. The papers contend a blockade would have no practical effects since Bulgaria now places little dependence upon foreign

GERMAN STEAMER IS TOPPED BY A BRITISH BOAT

For First Time in This War Allies Give Huns Some of Own Medicine.

London, Oct. 4.—The German steamer Svonia, of Stettin, has been torpedoed in the Baltic by a British submarine, according to an Amsterdam despatch to Reuters. Ten of the crew have been landed, while the remainder are on the way to Sassnitz. The version of this incident sent to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Copenhagen says that the Svonia ran ashore after it was fired upon by a British submarine.

The steamer Svonia, which was built in 1895 at South Shields, was 2,790 tons gross. It was owned by a shipping firm of Stettin.

NO WAR YET FOR ROUMANIA

Milan, Oct. 4, via Paris, Oct. 5.—The hour has not arrived for Roumania to enter the war in the opinion of Premier Bratianu expressed to a deputation of parliamentary delegates of the opposition, according to a Bucharest despatch to The Spectator. The opposition petitioned the Premier to put an end to pro-German propaganda and order the mobilization of the Roumanian army. In reply M. Bratianu said:

"Acceptance of your demands would mean that the hour had struck for Roumania to join the war. The government is not of the same opinion. It is impossible to give the reasons now but the vital interests of the nation demand that the government shall have the full and unequivocal confidence of parliament."

Premier Bratianu's words were echoed by Alexandre Marinoniu leader of the Conservatives in an address at the opening of a political club when he declared: "Roumania must remain neutral."

The barns and driving shed adjoining the Cooksville Hotel were gutted by fire. The loss is about \$1,500.

EARL HOUSER FROM CITY KILLED AT WAR

The sad news was received by cable in the city to-day that Pte. Earl Houser had been killed at the front.

He left here with the 4th Mounted Rifles under Lieut. Stratford, and on arrival in the Old Country, when men of his command were asked to volunteer to go to the front as infantry he at once offered his services.

Further details of the circumstances surrounding his death are expected later.

Earl, who was 22 years of age, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Houser, 176 Grey street, and his father works at the Wood Mills. The son was at one time a lineman on the Hydro-Electric.

He was a bright young man, well liked by all, and has now met the death of a hero.

The general and the sincere sympathy of the community will be extended to the bereaved family.

The British War Office is considering a new scheme for the training of Canadian aviators.

ISLAM HAS NOW DECLARED A HOLY WAR, WITH ARMENIANS AS VICTIMS

Passengers on S. S. American Arrived at New York State That No Story Can be Too Strong For Truth.

Washington, Oct. 5.—The Turkish Government will be formally notified that unless the massacres of Armenians cease, friendly relations between the American people and the people of Turkey will be threatened.

Instructions to that effect had gone to-day to Ambassador Morgenthau at Constantinople for presentation to the foreign office.

OFFICIALS HERE MADE IT PLAIN, however, that the message did not threaten a rupture of the diplomatic relations between the two countries. The ambassador's instructions are merely to inform Turkey that the American people already are so stirred by the reported massacres that a continuance of the atrocities might result in a break in the friendly relations between the two peoples.

A HOLY WAR. New York, Oct. 5.—The Turks and Kurds are waging a holy war of extermination on the Armenians, according to sixteen members of the American board of foreign missions who arrived from Van, Turkey, on the Swedish steamer Helig Olav to-day.

Ernest Yarrow, one of the missionaries, told how the Armenian population of Van, numbering 1,500 held out against 5,000 Kurds and a Turkish company, commanded by a German officer from April 20 to May 17, when the Russians arrived and relieved the town.

FIRE ON THE AMERICAN FLAG. "We had six American and two Red Cross flags," said Mr. Yarrow, "and we flew these over the mission, but they were not respected by either of the combatants. The Turkish company arrived three or four days before the Russian relief came, and the Turkish soldiers from the Turk guns tore down all of our flags."

Mr. Yarrow said that many of the Armenians were suffering from typhus and other diseases and when he left the conditions almost everywhere in Armenia were terrible. Half of the missionaries were taken ill during the siege and six of them died.

Mr. Yarrow said that many of the atrocities practiced by the Kurds on the Armenians were indescribable. He confirmed all the reports of the United States and said that only a portion of the real story had been told.

SWEDEN AGAINST RUSSIA. The military and wealthy classes of Sweden are strongly in favor of entering the war against Russia, according to Walter R. Leventritt, after his arrival. He said the working class was antagonistic to Russia, but much opposed to entering the war. Sweden has sent large quantities of war and other supplies to Germany and he said he saw bales of cotton piled high on many docks, awaiting shipment to Germany.

WITHIN STONE'S THROW OF FOE, MAJOR NEWMAN WRITES HOME

The 19th Battalion Ordered to the Trenches as Soon as They Arrived—Officers Went in at Dawn Saturday, Sept. 18th.

Major Bert Newman of the 19th Battalion, has written a letter home from the trenches. Scarcely had the battalion arrived at its billets in France when the word came to go into the trenches. The men had to get up at 3:30 a.m. on Saturday to move in. The trenches are only 150 yards, in some cases 50 yards from the enemy. A rifle and artillery fire goes on constantly.

In the trenches in France, September 10th, 1915. Arrived here yesterday morning. On Friday afternoon the Battalion was inspected by the G.O.C. He told us that we would be sent to the trenches at once, sooner than expected, so at 9 p.m. that night we received word that the colonel, quartermaster, M.G.O. and the O.C. of each company, with two of the officers, were to take over the trenches we were to get up at 3:30 Saturday morning and start for here. Have been here 24 hours and it seems not half bad. Had a very good sleep last night. The trenches here are very fine, indeed much better than I expected. We are going out this afternoon and expect to meet the Battalion to-night or tomorrow morning. Then I expect to bring my company in Monday night. Of course it will be some job getting my men settled and on to their jobs. We are only 60 yards in some places to 150 in other places away from the German trenches. Have had some hard marches since we left. The night we left it was five the next morning before I rolled in. Then we moved off again at 12 noon, Wednesday, and did not reach our next billet until midnight. A great many of the men were so used up that they had to fall out, and of course came in at all hours. Some got lost and did not catch us for a day. I stay out at a crossroads until 2 a.m. to direct any stragglers that came along. Thursday we left about 1 p.m. for our next billet which we reached at 7 p.m. It was in a small French farm just large enough for my company, the other companies were in farms close by. We all slept in a small orchard behind the barn, and it wasn't long before everyone was asleep. The next day the men simply laid around and rested, with the exception of the inspection which took about one hour. As I said before, I left the next morning for here. One good thing, we have had lovely weather all the time. It is simply a grand dugout. The country around here is very fine. It seemed very funny to

ALLIES CHANCES ARE AS 4 TO 1

New York, Oct. 5.—A news agency despatch from Paris published here this afternoon says: "In the scale of human hazards, the allies have 80 chances in 100 of scoring a decisive victory over the Germans when the general offensive begins."

This statement was made by General Joffre to his life-long bosom friend, the editor of The Depeche de Toulouse.

General Joffre told his friend that he had now at his disposal 3,000,000 troops on the line or ready to be sent there at a moment's notice without counting about 700,000 British and 600,000 Belgian troops co-operating with him. Ammunition has been a pouring in steadily streams he asserted and in addition to the supply at the front the allies have a reserve of 15,000,000 shells for emergency use.

Sir Sam Rides in a Ford. By Special Wire to the Courier. Kingston, Oct. 5.—Major-General Sir Sam Hughes arrived in the city at 8 o'clock this morning from Ottawa. Two Ford cars were in waiting at the station, and Sir Sam, accompanied by Colonel T. D. R. Hemming, got into one of the cars and was driven to Barriefield camp, where he reviewed the troops. He will take part this afternoon in the presentation of colors to the 59th battalion.

Bishop Williams of Huron consecrated St. John's church, St. Thomas, which was recently freed of debt.

EUROPE MOVES DARKLY DOWN TO NEW HORIZONS, THINKS LONDON

Views of London, Paris and Vienna German Centres is That War in the Balkans Must Come.

London, Oct. 5.—Under such captions as "Bulgarian treason" and "Bulgaria sells herself" all the editorials in the London morning papers take her lot with the Teutonic powers. The Times, in an editorial says: "WAR WITH ONE."

"Either King Ferdinand has complied with Russia's demands or he has made war with Russia and her allies inevitable. If, unhappily, he has chosen war with one of the entente powers, he has chosen war with all. Upon that there can be no shadow of doubt."

"We are told that nine tenths of the Bulgarian people bitterly deplore the base ingratitude of King Ferdinand's course, but we cannot be influenced by the supposed sentiments of Ferdinand's subjects. If they are so weak and docile they must bear the consequences. They paid the heavy penalty of his treason when at Austria's invitation he drew the sword against his allies after the first Balkan war."

THE TRAGEDY IS CRUEL. "Untragedy by his experience he is ready to again stake their fate upon a second gambler's throw. The tragedy of the situation he has created and they are permitting him to create, is cruel to all who have watched the growth and progress of Balkan liberties for the last generation."

TURNED THE WRONG CORNER. "The powers of the quadruple entente have another great war on their hands. Bulgaria, at the German prodding, has taken the wrong turn, hoodwinked by the astute German press campaign."

WHAT THE STANDARD THINKS. The Standard thinks that the Bulgarian policy is based on blind hatred of Serbia and the determination to prevent the creation of a greater Serbia, and that "the present suicidal policy is based on the belief that the Teutonic powers are already the victors in the war."

The Morning Post says: "Europe moves darkly down to new horrors and tribulations, the extent

GERMANS DUGGED A PIT AND THEN FELL INTO IT

Their Impenetrable and Bomb-proof Dug-outs Suddenly Became Death Traps After the British Rush on Loos and Lens.

British Headquarters in France, Oct. 5.—The scene of the attack by the British in the region of Lens is a flat mining country dotted with heaps of slag, mine pits, ruined buildings, splintered and felled trees and earthworks churned by explosions, with slightly rising ground toward Loos and Lens. Nothing is visible except the soft puffs of shrapnel bursting and volumes of black smoke from the British Gordon high explosive shells marking the positions where unseen British troops are organizing their gains and the Germans are preparing their new defensive line. To their infinite satisfaction the British, who have long looked at that eyesore, the twin towers of the mining works at Loos, now have in their possession this German vantage point. The church at Loos, which was used as an observation post, is a heap of stones as a result of the bombardment preceding the attack.

SERVES NEW MASTERS. The normal population of Loos is 10,000 poor miners and their families. Three hundred of the inhabitants remained in the town during the battle, taking shelter in the cellars of their wrecked and miserable homes. One aged woman who cooked for the Germans is now cooking for the British.

The infantry skirmish line that approached the town saw six women and a child coming toward them in the midst of the battle. Some British soldiers turned from the task of business of the charge to that of rescue, but before they could get the women under some sort of shelter two of them had been wounded.

ELABORATE DEFENCES. The elaboration and permanency apparent conviction of the Germans that their line was secure. The dugouts often were thirty feet deep, cemented, equipped with electric lights and arm chairs, a home impregnable even by the high explosive shells of big calibre.

The British bombardment cut the wire in front of the German trenches into bits and battered the fire trenches and their traverses into irregular piles of earth. Under such a falling of shells it was suicidal for the Germans to attempt to remain outside their dugouts to try to man the machine guns or to use their rifles.

Some incidents had a humorous as well as a tragic side. In these sudden encounters at close quarters. Where a charging Briton met a German emerging from a dugout, bayonets, bombs and even fists were used in the melees. Great difficulty was found in gathering and guarding the prisoners in such a confined space as their wrecked trenches. With rifles and bombs lying about the Germans, even after capitulating, were likely to seize them to rush to cover in a traverse or shell crater and renew the fight.

The British, in keeping with their tactical plan, had undertaken to gain certain ground by the attack. The Germans fought desperately and were vicious and prompt in their counter-attacks, displaying a rage born of the realization that they had lost their comfortable dugouts which had cost them much painstaking labor, and of the unpleasant prospect of a winter in the mud building new caves.

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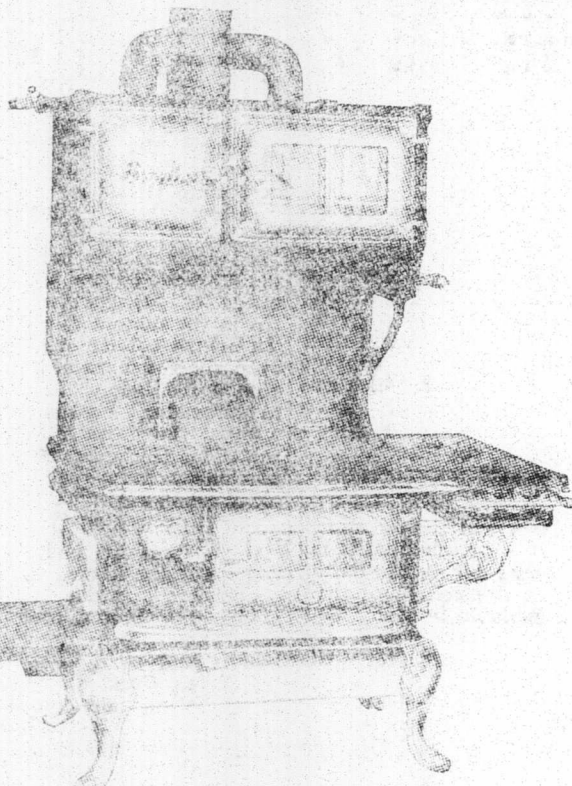
The Duel of Death Between Big Guns

A corporal of King Edward's Horse, now in France as infantry, writes the following description of one of the terrible artillery duels that preceded the Allies' offensive movement.

TAKE NOTICE! City of Brantford - Storm Sewers

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WELCOME AND FAREWELL AT HARVEST HOME

The Harvest Home festival at St. Jude's Church last night proved a splendid success. It not only fittingly celebrated the yields of a most bountiful season, but also served as an opportunity to bid God-speed to Rev. C. E. Jenkins and to extend a hearty welcome to his father, Rev. T. B. Jenkins, who will have charge of the parish during his absence.

SUPPER AND A FINE PROGRAM WAS PROVIDED

Sydenham St. Anniversary Services Conclude in an Enjoyable Manner.

The Silver Anniversary services of Sydenham St. church were continued last evening, when an old-fashioned tea meeting and entertainment was held. Notwithstanding the inclement weather there was a very large attendance, the church being filled when the programme started shortly after 8 o'clock.

AN INGRAINED PREFERENCE FOR VOLUNTARY EFFORT

Such is characteristic of the British People, Says a Cabinet Minister. London, Oct. 5.—"The success of the present operations is such as to encourage the hope that it is the beginning of the end," said H. J. Tennant, Parliamentary Under-Secretary for War, to a newspaper representative yesterday.

WESLEY LEAGUE ELECTS OFFICERS

The regular weekly meeting of Wesley Epworth League was held last night but owing to the bad weather the attendance was not as large as usual. The officers were elected for the winter term as follows: President, Mr. Jack Lewis; first vice-president, Miss Ethel Johnson; second vice-president, Blanche Graham; third vice-president, Billy Newham; fourth vice-president, Beulah Winder; secretary, Fred McEwan; treasurer, Murray Luck; missionary treasurer, Miss Pearl Lane; pianist, Miss W. Litch; assistant pianist, Mrs. Nigh; decorating committee convener, Mrs. Farr.

Nuptial Notes

RAMSAY-WALKER. A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized on Saturday, October 2nd, when Mr. Melvin N. Ramsay of Scotland, Ontario, and Miss Grace O. Walker, also of Scotland, were united in marriage by Rev. Alfred B. Beveridge of Brant Avenue Methodist church.

Social and Personal

The Courier is always pleased to see items of personal interest. Phone 276.

Judge Hardy has returned from a visit to Toronto. Mr. W. S. Brewster is in Toronto on legal business. Miss Mable Myers of Winnipeg, is the guest of friends of the city. Mrs. J. Rennie Thompson of Quebec, is the guest of Mrs. Digby. Mr. J. C. Montgomery, deputy postmaster has left on a holiday trip. Mr. David Whyte was the guest of Mr. W. Eastcott over Sunday and Monday. Rev. C. E. Jenkins is spending a few days in the city on his last leave of absence. Mr. Ames who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wilkes, has returned to his home in Cobalt. Mrs. Aldah Shattis, who has been visiting in Guelph and Rockwood, will return home to-day. Miss Westcott who was the weekend guest of Mrs. George Watt, Dufferin avenue has returned to London. No doubt patronize with enthusiasm. When Rev. Mr. Smythe called the gathering to order to begin the programme he was greeted with a full house. It gave him pleasure to introduce to them and to hand over the programme to, Mr. W. S. Brewster, who was one of the first trustees of the church and vice-chairman of the original committee which considered the establishment of Sydenham St. church. Mr. Brewster is still a trustee. The chairman in taking the programme, paid his compliments to his friends and the church on the Hill. Mr. Brewster was in a merry mood and handled the programme in a tactful and pleasant manner. The programme itself was a varied and lengthy one. Entertained in the order of the evening. The Wood family gave several double quartets and pleased the audience with their numbers. Miss Arnold and Miss Miskelly in their pianoforte selections demonstrated themselves to be possessed of rare talent. The readers for the evening were Misses Malcolm, Hagey and Waterhouse. The former two young ladies are just coming out and their work was so well done that they had to respond to well-deserved encores. With reference to Miss Waterhouse little need be said. She is generally recognized as the best pianist in the city, and her renderings last night served to enhance her reputation. The Sydenham Street Old Boys quartette, rendered a number of their old favorite selections to the satisfaction of all. Mr. A. Scutton, in whose home the first prayer meeting was held before the church was started, and who has been prominent in the church life, gave a brief address dealing with reminiscences. Rev. J. Chapman, of Shennstone Memorial Baptist church, offered his greetings and congratulations to the congregation in a bright speech and Mr. John Mann, one of the oldest Methodists in the city, also spoke a few words. Altogether the programme was thoroughly enjoyed. Following was the programme as carried out. Opening exercises and introduction of chairman, Rev. Mr. Smythe; church prayer; double quartette, the Wood Family; piano solo, Miss Miskelly; reading, Miss Lena Malcolm; quartette, Sydenham Street Old Boys; solo, Mr. David Whyte; reminiscences, Mr. A. Scutton; reading, Miss Dorothy Hagey; piano solo, Miss Dora Arnold; greetings, Rev. James Chapman; reading, Miss Marion Waterhouse; double quartette, Wood Family; reading, Miss Marion Waterhouse; vote of thanks; quartette, Sydenham St. Old Boys.

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Obituary

AUGUSTUS BRERLEY The death occurred yesterday of Mr. Augustus Brerley, of 89 Murray street, at the age of 86 years. The funeral will take place from the residence to-morrow morning, interment being made at Simcoe.

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A change came over the world last week, and the sun came out. Business optimists, felt faith was justified in deed.

Added to the cheering news from Europe came the cheerful news from New York—the British loan has been arranged.

With a steady market for sterling, shippers to Great Britain will be glad where they are "at". This applies to Canadian shippers as well as those of the United States.

But recently exchange has been very far from par, going down to a point where it is nearly 5 per cent. below par.

Most Canadian grain is sold under contract for a future delivery. In the price fixed, exchange is allowed, generally at a point or two below current rate as a margin to cover down.

When it reached \$4.50, few Canadian shippers sold their London bills. The loss would have been too great. They held them, waiting for the market to rise, and trusting that the British Government would take steps to adjust the situation.

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mains the problem of finding ships to carry our crop to the British market, and we have equal confidence that the British Government will find a solution for this problem.

There is said to be 100,000,000 bushels of Western Canadian wheat already invested in the interest in the markets, with about 50,000,000 ready at head of the lakes.

BETTER TIMES COMING. "There is generally a feeling of returning confidence, and jobbers and manufacturers are looking for better times," reports Dun's Commercial Agency.

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## Another "Defy" From the Federal League

Chicago, Oct. 5.—Charles H. Weeghman, President of the Federal League Club of Chicago, which won the pennant in that league yesterday, telegraphed to the National Baseball Commission, challenging the winner of the series between the Boston Americans and the Philadelphia Nationals for the championship of the world.

## Beat Red Sox Twice; Bump Three Pitchers

New York, Oct. 5.—The New York Americans defeated the new Boston champions in both sections of a double-header, the scores being 5 to 1 and 3 to 2. The New Yorks hit Leonard hard in the first game, while Markle, a recruit, held the new champions safe at all stages. In the second game Caldwell won a pitcher's battle from Foster, with the visiting pitcher weakening in the eighth.

First game— R.H.E.  
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New York..... 5 9 2  
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## Second game— R.H.E. Boston..... 2 4 2 New York..... 3 8 3 Foster and Thomas; Caldwell and Nunamaker, Schwert.

**CUSTOMARY ATHLETIC LOSS.**  
Washington, Oct. 5.—Harper was wild yesterday, but he outpitched Nabors and Ray, and Washington won from Philadelphia, 7 to 3. Scores—  
R.H.E.  
Philadelphia..... 3 8 3  
Washington..... 7 9 1  
Nabors, Ray and Perkins; Harper and Williams.  
(Only two American games scheduled.)

## Whitted and Dugey Real Lucky Chaps

Some people are inclined to believe that George Whitted is the luckiest man in baseball because he was twice traded to a championship team in two successive seasons. But what would you call Oscar Dugey? Dugey will share in his second world's series in two years without having played a very important part in the winning of either pennant.

Whitted was one of the most important cogs in the Philly machine, and he was largely responsible for the spirit shown by the team throughout the season. Dugey, on the other hand, has done but little, although Moran considered him one of the smartest ball players in the club and declares that he is capable of stepping into the game at any time without the team slowing up.

## Winnipeg Vies Out of Hockey and Football

Winnipeg, Oct. 5.—On account of so many members of the Victoria Hockey Club having gone to the war they have decided to suspend senior hockey and football this year. This was decided at their annual meeting. Junior and intermediate teams will be supported in both sports.

J. D. Pratt, president of the club, called the attention of those present to the fact that 50 per cent. of the members, including many players are

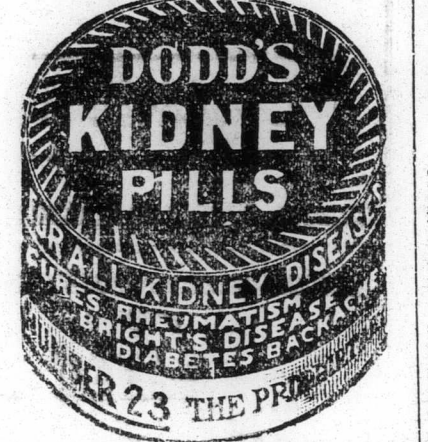
now wearing khaki. Four of the boys have fallen. Art Muir, Ball, Erskine and Robertson. Coe Dion and Dick Denison are now home suffering from wounds. Less Muffatt, Cotky, Fowler, Charlie and Francis Caldwell are now in training and expect to leave for the front in a short time.

## Moran Makes Mark in His First Attempt

Although world's series clashes will not provide Patrick Joseph Moran, the Phillie manager, with any new sensations he having been under fire while with the Cubs, this will feature him before the fans as a leader making his first bid for honors in the baseball arena. Moran established a baseball record when he led the Phillies to the flag this year, he being the first man who ever succeeded to a pennant in his initial season as a manager. The smiling, modest, alert tactician of the Phillies carries his honors well, and although willing to fight to the finish, if beaten it is predicted that he will lose with as much grace as he wins. When Moran was working in the textile mills of Fitchburg, Mass., almost thirty years ago, he probably never figured he would lead an entry in the world's series, but he has accomplished this end.

## Carrigan Carries Worries of Red Sox

Hats off to William C. Carrigan, of Lewiston, Me., and former Toronto player, who has overcome obstacles of great height and has polished off an otherwise well regulated machine by bringing the Red Sox to the door of the world's series. Carrigan is deserving of honors. He took the Red Sox when the club was almost rent asunder by feuds and he smoothed out the troubles, shouldered the worries and brought his players to a point of good fellowship. Carrigan is an aggressive leader so long as he can win. He drives his players hard and demands that they obey him. He un-



doubtedly will be a leading factor in the coming series and to this end it will be doubly interesting to watch the duel of wits of the two managers, who are both of Irish descent and both from New England.

## Shove the Giants Back Into the Basement

Boston, Oct. 5.—The Braves won two games from the Giants yesterday winning easily in the first game, 4 to 1, but being forced 12 innings in the second, the score of which was 5 to 4. Boston was helped to both of its victories by poor pitching or by errors.

## Wilson to Be There

Washington, Oct. 5.—President Wilson plans to go to Philadelphia Saturday to see the second game of the world's championship baseball series. The President will be accompanied by Secretary Tumulty, Dr. Cary T. Grayson, his naval aide, and Miss Helen Woodrow Bones, his cousin.

In one of the fastest games on record the Brooklyn Robins beat the Phillies, 3 to 2. A fumble by Stock in the sixth inning proved the cause of the Phillies' defeat. The game consumed just one hour and three minutes.

The smallest crowd of the season saw the Nationals defeat the Athletics 7 to 4. Though Harry Harper, pitching for Washington, allowed nine hits and donated eight bases on balls, he saved the day by tightening up in the pinches.

The Boston Braves shoved the Giants down into the cellar again by taking both ends of a double-header. Ledy' Tyler's ability to keep the hits well scattered and the perfect support of his team-mates and also a lot of errors by the Giants contributed to make the first game easy for the Braves.

## BASEBALL RECORD

Table with columns: AMERICAN LEAGUE, Won, Lost, P.C.

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## FALL FAIRS.

Table listing various fall fairs with dates and locations.

Rocklyn..... Oct. 8  
Rockwood..... Oct. 12, 13  
Rocky..... Oct. 11, 12  
Rohby..... Oct. 11, 12  
Schomberg..... Oct. 11, 12  
Simco..... Oct. 12, 13  
South River..... Oct. 12, 13  
Sunbridge..... Oct. 12, 13  
Tara..... Oct. 12, 13  
Tewkesbury..... Oct. 12, 13  
Thamesville..... Oct. 12, 13  
Thorold..... Thanksgiving Day  
Underwood..... Oct. 12  
Victoria Road..... Oct. 12  
Waterford..... Oct. 12, 13  
Waterford..... Oct. 12

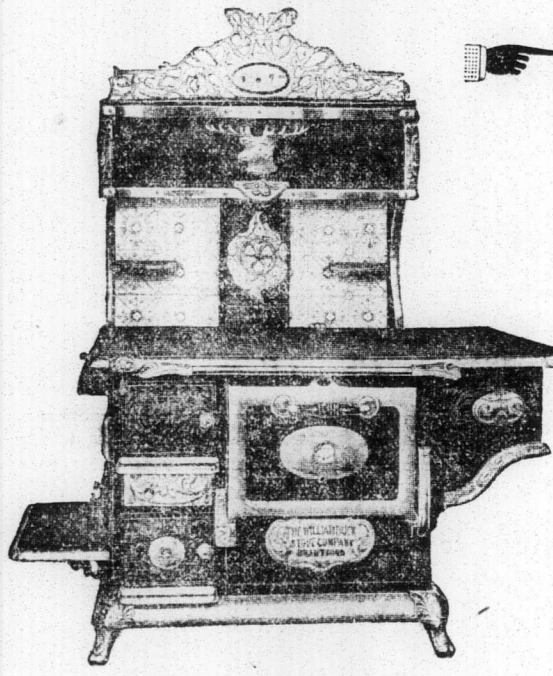
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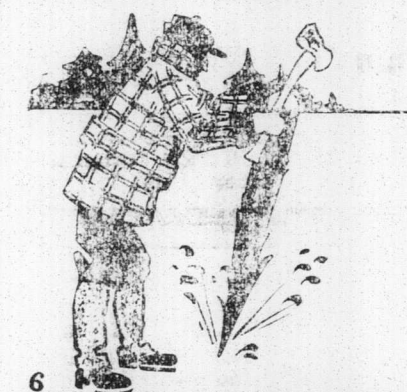
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## REVIVE GLORIES OF OLD ARABIA IS HUN DREAM

In the Vossische Zeitung appears a characteristic article entitled "The Heart of Islam." It is characteristic in that it is one of an endless series appearing in the German press and pointing out the policy which Germany will pursue after the war in countries which she has hitherto not controlled, but where she believes she has important interests at stake. As a rule, these countries have hitherto been regarded as within the British sphere of influence, but countries in which Russian and French influences are paramount are also the subject of examination. The general trend of all these articles is to show that in Egypt and Syria in Morocco, the Congo State and Algiers, in Persia, Baluchistan, Siam and the Malay States a system of indifferent government prevails which is contrary to the best interests of the inhabitants, and that it is the world mission of Germany to remedy abuses and inaugurate a system of government and economics which will bring happiness to hitherto downtrodden races and measureless wealth to enterprising Germans.

The article on "The Heart of Islam" deals with Arabia. In the opinion of the writer the reform of Arabia might be left to Turkey—of course under German direction. It will be the task, we are told, of the German-Turkish Allies to rebuild desolate villages, to repair the choked harbors, and generally to pour fresh blood into the country. The way to revive Arabia, says the article, is to prolong the Hedjaz railway to Mecca, and here and there, where needful, to build branch lines to the sea and into the interior eastwards. It is most important to keep an eye on the harbors, which must be so enlarged as to enable German steamers to call at them. Kaiways and harbors, telephones and telegraphs will reduce Arabia to order.

### THE PATRIOTIC PRESS

In the German newspapers recently there are constant references—almost daily—to articles in the London Daily Mail and Times, which are quoted to show that Great Britain is not doing her part in the war, that the English are divided in their councils and that they have no confidence in their leaders, either political or military.

Judging by the prominence given to these extracts from a certain section of our press it is clear that the Germans are attached to them in Germany. As samples of numerous references we would quote the following:—From the "Berliner Tageblatt" of September 2: An article headed "The Dardanelles Expedition, Sharp Criticism of the English Military Leaders." The article from which the "Berliner Tageblatt" quotes is one written by the military correspondent of the "Times" in the "Deutsche Tageszeitung" of the same day another article by the "Times" military correspondent is quoted, and headed "Prastic English Criticism of England's Military Leaders." The heading of an article in the "Vossische Zeitung" of September 2, quoted from the "Times," is "The Art How to be Weak Everywhere." The heading is a quotation from a "Times" article condemning our conduct of military operations.

It is pretty similar in Austria. In the Vienna "Arbeiter Zeitung" of August 30, we have a prominent article headed "The English Underestimate Nothing of War." The article is a lengthy quotation from an article by a neutral correspondent in the Times. In the "Neue Freie Presse" of the same date we have a quotation from the same article.

### IN THE CAUSE OF CHARITY

A bright gleam goes occasionally through the disciplined dullness of the German press. In this country we read with amused interest of the numerous fantastically wooden monuments which German towns are raising in their most prominent squares and streets, and into which patriotic citizens are invited to drive nails for charitable purposes, from one mark upwards per nail. Angels, peasants, dragons, saints, crosses, mythical beings from old sagas, and Hindenburgs have all been utilized for this purpose, and the newspapers never tire of expatiating on the wonders of wooden monstrosities and the skill of the artists responsible for them.

Stuttgart affords a fine example of the grotesque war monument in its "Gallant Swabian in Iron." We are told it is "a beautiful embodiment of a Swabian trooper of olden days, who looks mockingly on his enemy." The pedestal is carved with reliefs, which are said to be caricatures of Germany's enemies. A bear represents Russia, a cock France, and a chameleon—what withering scorn! Italy. We are not told how England is caricatured.

"At Dortmund the citizens are to possess an 'Iron Reinholdus,' St Reinholdus, presumably, being the patron saint of the town. The saint is to be nearly 100 ft. long and made of oak. He is to have a thick chain around his neck, the links of which are to be gold discs contributed by the patriotic families of the town. The simplest form of disc to be engraved with the name of the family and will cost \$25, but for \$50 and \$75 a donor may have his name, arms and motto engraved on a gold disc, which may either be fastened in the chain or on the pedestal.

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## Why Do the Poppies Grow on Battlefields?

There is a brisk discussion in France between the scientific people and the sentimental tradition-loving peasants, says the Manchester Guardian. It has been noticed that all the battlefields of Northern France where blood was shed last year are awash with red poppies, which grow everywhere and border all the roads. The peasants see in it the aftermath of the blood shed in the fights of last autumn. Scientific men point out that it is merely the natural result of the fields being thrown out of cultivation. But at least the peasants have traditions on their side. The dreadful battle of Landen in 1693 when the victorious French and the defeated Allies left on the field between them some twenty thousand dead produced a similar phenomenon. Lord North, writing to his sister in the following summer, described the appearance of the field in words which gave Macaulay an opportunity for a characteristic flight: "During many months the ground was strewn with skulls and bones of horses and men. The next summer the soil fertilized by twenty thousand corpses, broke forth into millions of poppies. The traveler who on the road from St. Tron on Tirlemont saw that vast sheet of scarlet spreading from Landen in Neerwinden could hardly help fancying that the figurative prediction of the Hebrew prophet was literally accomplished and that the earth was disclosing her blood and refusing to cover the slain."

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## SOLD HIS HORSE FOR CIGARETTES

An officer writing home to a friend on Sept. 6, says: "I have now been in the first line of trenches for three days, and though we have had plenty of firing and all manner of shells hurled at us, we have not had many casualties. Our chief loss was an officer who was killed to-day in a sap. The bullet which laid the poor fellow out, was of course from a sniper, and came clean through a loop-hole. You realize the sad side of the whole business when your pals, who are so cheery and full of pluck and courage, go down."

"It seems so silly to spend one's time dodging bullets, although I hope our friends who keep popping away at a distance of from fifty to seventy yards are not so lucky, with their dodging as we are. I can hear shouting now and then, and their favorite taunt: 'When are you coming over?' Perhaps they will be sorry when we do arrive. They try to alarm us now and then by holding up canvas sheets with alarming war communique to the effect that our allies are losing thousands upon thousands but we laugh at their ridiculous efforts."

The men here are very good fellows and are full of anecdotes. One was telling me to-day that at the time of the great retreat he was lucky enough to find a horse, which he mounted. In this way he was able to sleep a little while travelling along. But the rich art of the story was the fact that he sold his horse next day to an artilleryman for a packet of wood-bines! How's that for a price?"

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