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American Senators Condemn Wilson's Proposal

12,000 SOLDIERS, DISABLED OR UNFIT, RETURNING TO ONTARIO IN FEW MONTHS

ALLIED DEFENCE HALTS ALL GERMAN ATTEMPTS TO BREAK RUMANIANS

WASHINGTON EAGERLY AWAITING NEXT PEACE MOVE FROM GERMANY

CAPTIVES TAKEN IN RUSSIAN DRIVE TOTAL 1,158 MEN AND 12 GUNS

WILSON'S SUGGESTIONS WOULD INVOLVE U. S. A. IN CONSTANT WARFARE

Mean Rebellion Against World Sovereignty.

SENATORS CONDEMN MOVE

Iowa Statesman Refuses To Follow President's Lead.

BEAUTIFUL SENTIMENTS

Sad Spectacle, However, To See Flag of Peace Leading To Hell of War.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Opening debate in the Senate today on President Wilson's world peace proposals, Senator Cummins, Republican, of Iowa, declared that to do what the president suggested would involve the United States either in almost constant world war or constant rebellion against the authority of world sovereignty the president proposes.

Asserting that he stood with the president in every moral effort possible for him to exert to bring an end to the present war, Senator Cummins said he refused to follow him "when he leads the way toward the world sovereignty which he has proposed."

Before Senator Cummins began speaking, Senator Lewis, Democratic whip, most prominent Senate defender of the president's peace moves, introduced a resolution which was temporarily had laid on the table, declaring that the address which the Iowa senator criticized did not suggest abolition or limitation of the Monroe doctrine or military aggression by the United States in foreign countries.

Senator Cummins spoke directly on his resolution, which would set aside time for exclusive debate of the president's recent speech address, but he departed from that phase to discuss its merits which had aroused thought and debate throughout the civilized world.

Declaring that the message "overflows with just and beautiful sentiments, so eternally right that they instantly command the approval of all lovers of humanity," Senator Cummins said it was easy to raise a banner of humanitarian, but that "it is a sad specacle, however, to see a flag raised in devotion to the heaven of peace leading a march straight to the hell of war."

"I affirm, as my belief," said Senator Cummins, "that if this country shall do what the president proposes we will be involved, either in almost continuous war waged all over the world, or we will be engaged in almost constant rebellion against the authority which he proposes to set up over us.

"If he stood alone as a proponent of a new theory in human affairs, it might not be necessary to make it the subject of grave consideration. But the truth is that the proposal has been before the world for centuries, has been at one time or another the dream of sages and philosophers, and in our country was being urged by men of the highest prominence long before it attracted the attention of the chief executive. These facts make the action about to be taken by the president serious and formidable, and the suggestion calls upon those of us who believe that the plan can end in nothing but disaster to utter a note of warning."

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW—COLDER.

Toronto, Jan. 30— 8a.m.

Forecasts.

Today—Fresh to strong northwesterly winds; fair, becoming cold.

Wednesday—Northerly winds, and much colder.

Temperatures.

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

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	30	14	Clear
Calgary	—24	—28	Cloudy
Winnipeg	— 8	—26	Clear
Port Arthur	24	—10	Clear
Parry Sound	36	20	Cloudy
Toronto	40	29	Clear
Ottawa	18	18	Fair
Montreal	30	24	Fair
Quebec	14	12	Cloudy
Father Point	2	—16	Snow

Minus (—) means below zero.

Weather Notes.

The disturbance which was over the Great Lakes yesterday has passed to the Lower St. Lawrence, and the western high pressure is now spreading eastward over Ontario.

The weather has become extremely cold again in the Western Provinces, and the cold has also extended over British Columbia, where the temperature is unusually low.

SUFFRAGETTES CAMP AT PREMIER'S HOUSE

London, Jan. 30.—A delegation of suffragettes camped out on the doorstep of Premier Lloyd George's official residence in Downing street this morning, declaring they would remain there until they received the premier's reply to a request that he receive the delegation.

As the weather grew colder and windier, they accepted an invitation extended by the premier's secretary to wait inside the house.

USING WILSON'S SUGGESTION IN NEW PEACE MOVE

Kaiser Is Believed To Have Adopted "Peace Without Victory" Slogan Too.

WASHINGTON IS ANXIOUS

Belief There Almost Certainty of New Terms From the German War Lord.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Washington, Jan. 30.—The kaiser's next move toward international peace, considered one of the critical steps in peace developments, was anxiously awaited today.

Unofficial reports which have reached this country daily during last week have led those close to the president to believe the Wilson "peace without victory" suggestion offers Germany's ruling power a big opening to come through with the most "lenient" terms and still not appear to humble itself before the world.

A "peace without victory" will enable Germany, it is believed, to offer terms squaring in many ways with those laid down by the Entente. Advance information indicates that Germany will support the president's peace arrangements as regards freedom of the seas, an autonomous Poland, the yielding of Belgium, Serbia, Montenegro, Rumania and Northern France.

REPUBLICAN VOICES HIS DISAPPROVAL OF WILSON'S PROPOSAL

"Peace Without Victory" Proves Stumbling Block.

ANOTHER RESOLUTION

Democrat Wants It Understood Monroe Doctrine Is To Be Continued.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Senator Lewis of Illinois, Democrat, today introduced a resolution which would express it to be the sense of the senate that President Wilson's peace address does not propoe abolishment of or limitation of the Monroe Doctrine, nor propose military aggression by the United States in foreign lands. He asked that the resolution lie on the table.

Another resolution by Senator McCumber, Republican, of North Dakota, which also was read and laid on the table, declared that while the senate sympathized with the president's effort to secure speedy termination of the war, nevertheless it was unable to agree with the president's proposal for "a peace without victory" or the specific terms for the United States joining a world tribunal to enforce peace.

14 Years' Sentence For Stealing Shoes

Convict Who Has Spent 39 Years In Pen Goes In Again.

Montreal, Jan. 30.—Thomas Leathead, who has served 39 terms in jail since 1891, was this morning sentenced to fourteen years in the penitentiary by Judge Bazin for stealing a pair of boots. Leathead, after hearing the sentence, fouly abused the judge from the dock.

CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLING.

Quebec, Jan. 30.—Ferdinand Patenaude, 33, of Montreal, and who was employed here last season as a clerk in the local offices of the Canada Steamships Lines, Limited, was today arrested, charged with embezzling the sum of $1,400 from the company. Patenaude pleaded not guilty and was remanded till Tuesday next for trial.

EXTENSION OF SEA WARFARE INVOLVES U. S.

Brings New Difficulties Between Belligerents and the Neutral Powers.

SUBS ARE THE REAL BASIS

Their Introduction Into War Has Altered Whole Merchant Status.

SECOND GUN IS NEEDED

Official Denial Made, However, of Britain's Intention to Mount Fore Cannon.

London, Jan. 30.—The Times claims that it is authorized to state that the allegation that Great Britain is preparing to arm merchantmen with guns forward as well as astern is untrue.

London, Jan. 30.—(New York Sun Cable).—An extension of sea warfare with Germany because of her threat to sink on sight all British ships armed with three guns promises to bring new difficulties between belligerents and neutrals, including the United States. It is learned from a high diplomatic authority that changes in the neutral attitude toward protective armament for merchantmen will be announced in the near future.

Great Britain has taken drastic steps, such as mining the North Sea coasts and improving the defensive armament of merchant ships, to counteract the present dangerous submarine campaign. The latter point, the arming of merchantmen, is thus far shrouded in mystery, but the controversy as to mounting guns both fore and aft on merchantmen may be reopened.

It is well known that the Allied countries believe that submarine warfare has materially changed the old laws regarding merchant armament, which were designed originally to protect vessels fleeing from enemy craft by using their gun only for defensive purposes.

Before the submarine entered warfare this was possible, but under the new conditions a submarine might come to the surface ahead of the merchantman, precluding the possibility of her using guns mounted on the stern only.

Both the British and French press have given the widest publicity to the intentions of the Allies to combat the submarine with every possible means. Several articles dealing with England's shipping have emphasized the fact that the admiralty was rapidly advancing the construction of tramp steamers of small tonnage but good speed.

ANOTHER MOVE BY GERMANS MADE ON HILL 304, STOPPED

French Repulse Hand Grenade Attack.

GET THREE MORE PLANES

British Shell German Headquarters at Lens, Says London Statement.

Paris, Jan. 30.—The Germans last night made another offensive movement in the region of Hill 304, northwest of Verdun, attacking a French trench. The attack, says today's war office announcement, was stopped by gunfire with considerable losses to the Germans.

A German raid on French trenches north of Badonvillers was attempted, but failed, adds the statement, which also reports an intermittent cannonade on the remainder of the front. Three German airplanes were brought down.

The announcement follows:

"On the left bank of the Meuse an attack with hand-grenades against one of our trenches in the region of Hill 304 was repulsed by our fire without any result other than losses for the enemy.

North of Badonvillers a German attack was repulsed. We took prisoners.

"In Upper Alsace our batteries were active in the region of Seppois. There was intermittent cannonading along the remainder of the front.

"Three enemy airplanes were brought down in aerial combats yesterday, one by Sergt. Hauss, who up to the present time has destroyed five German airplanes. It is confirmed that Adjt. Jailler has brought down six enemy machines thus far, five airplanes and one balloon."

SHELLING HUN HEADQUARTERS.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The report from British headquarters in France tonight reads:

"We blew a mine yesterday afternoon southwest of Lens, with good effect. Early this morning we raided the

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LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following were the highest and lowest temperature recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 40; lowest, 19.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 38; lowest, 23.

British Steamer Fights Off Sub on Spanish Coast

Amazon's Gun, Aided by a French Vessel, Frustrates Attempted Destruction.

Pernambuco, Jan. 30.—Passengers on the British steamer Amazon, which has arrived here from Europe, reported that the ship was attacked by a submarine in the neighborhood of Vigo, Spain. The submarine fired a torpedo which passed close under the ship's bow.

According to the passengers, several shots were fired at the submarine by both the Amazon and a French steamer which was in the neighborhod. The submarine disappeared, and it was not learned whether she had been hit or not.

NUMBER OF MEN INVALIDED BACK JUMPS TO 12,000

Disabled Soldiers To Come 3,000 to 4,000 Per Month.

BIG TASK FOR COMMISSION

Soldiers' Aid Up Against Big Problem in Handling Unusually Large Parties.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 30—Within the next few months 12,000 disabled or medically unfit soldiers will return to the Province of Ontario alone, and the Soldiers' Aid Commission of Ontario is face to face with the heavy problem in regard to their disposition. It is expected that they will come at the rate of between 3,000 and 4,000 per month. The number of monthly arrivals to date has been about 700.

The commission has agencies in each large town and city to carry on its work. Every facility will be given to disabled or partially disabled men to learn new trades.

Earthquake of Unusual Severity Recorded in U.S.

Upheaval 5,000 Miles From Washington Jars Seismograph Needles From Scales.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—A very severe earthquake, the tremors of which continued more than three hours, occurred during last night, centred about 5,000 miles from Washington. So severe were the shocks when they reached their maximum intensity that the recording needles of two of the four seismographs at Georgetown University observatory were thrown off the scales.

These maximum shocks were recorded on the vertical seismographs at 10:25 and 10:26 o'clock last night. The tremors did not die away until 12:53 o'clock this morning. The first shocks were recorded on the instruments at 9:47 p.m. (eastern time).

An earthquake of some intensity had been expected by Director Tondorf of the Georgetown seismographic observatory. He explained today that January had been singularly quiet with only two quakes reported, that in Northern New York State and Quebec Province, and the very disastrous one on the Island of Bali in the East Indies. January is one of the months of the season of maximum intensity of earth disturbances.

FELT AT TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 30.—A large earthquake disturbance was recorded on the seismograph at the Toronto Observatory last night. The first tremor was recorded at 9:57, and the heaviest between 10:10 and 10:25. The disturbance lasted four hours, and the estimated distance was from 5,500 to 5,800 kilometres. It is conjectured that the location of the earthquake was either in Alaska or off the coast of Peru, and in the absence of reports of damage it is presumed that it was submarine.

$40,000 ESTATE GOES TO SISTERS IN LOBO

Late Graham Boston Died Intestate at Winnipeg.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Winnipeg, Jan. 30.—Graham Boston, late secretary of Bawlf Grain Company, who died here ten days ago, died without a will. All his near relatives, sisters, live in Lobo, Middlesex County, and will come in for the estate, which, if it can be liquidated at its value of a few years ago, amounts to $40,000.

STEAMER ARRIVED.

New York, Jan. 30.—Arrived: Rochambeau, Bordeaux.

FREE ITALIANS UNDER TYRANNY OF AUSTRO RULE

No "Peace Without Victory" Enters Into Italy's War Program.

AN ANSWER TO WILSON

Lifting of Yoke of Bondage Indispensable Condition of Peace.

RUSSIA ALSO MAKES REPLY

Former Foreign Minister Fails To See Value of Sentiments Now.

Rome, Jan. 29, via Paris.—"Italy wishes, once for all, to free the Italians who are still living under Austrian tyranny," said Francesco Ruffini, minister of public instruction, in a statement today in regard to President Wilson's address to the Senate. "Part of the president's message, regarding the possibility of seeking guarantees for future peace, is supported in its fundamental ideas by the Entente, which in its note set forth the same aspirations for a stable settlement in Europe.

Discussion Premature.

"Naturally, the particular way in which Mr. Wilson proposes to safeguard peace in the future requires discussion. Such a discussion, however, is premature at this time, for us, since as the president himself admits, an indispensable preliminary to future understanding is that the 'present war must first be ended.' For us—actors, not spectators—this preliminary is of the greatest interest. Therefore it is essential to see whether our war aims, which involve such sacrifices for us, are in conflict with those essential conditions indicated by President Wilson as necessary to safeguard peace in the future.

Indispensable Conditions.

"The aims of Italy are indispensable conditions of peace. Mr. Wilson cited as an example of what was needed the reconstruction of Poland, adding that it was necessary to have 'inviolable security of life, or worship and of industrial and social development' for all peoples who have lived hitherto 'under the power of governments devoted to a faith and purpose hostile to their own.'

"Italy, having emerged from bondage by driving out the Austrians, has among her war aims the attainment of complete unity. This is justified historically, and its completion will be proper, because Italy does not wish to live by the grace of others. She has already been able to constitute her national solidarity, and is working today to settle finally the question of her unity.

Must Have Victory.

"President Wilson could not find a better exemplification of these principles than the war in which Italy is fighting beside her allies. Italy's aims can be attained only by victory, since

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DUTCH FEAR MOVES BY GERMANS MEANS HOLLAND'S INVASION

Trenches Being Constructed and Troops Massed on Frontier.

The Hague, Netherlands, Jan. 30—Via London.—The Amsterdam Telegraaf quotes from a Dutch newspaper a letter received from Breckkelenkamp, in Holland, near the German border, which says that the inhabitants of that part of the country feel some anxiety on account of the military preparations of the Germans along the frontier. Trenches have just been constructed, the letter says, and German troops have arrived at various places, such as Usisen, near Meuenhaus, where 20,000 men and much artillery are stationed.

SUNDAY CLOSING LAW OF QUEBEC INVOLVED

Merchant Wants It Declared Ultra Vires and Illegal.

Quebec, Jan. 30.—The court of King's bench, sitting in appeals here this week, will have to decide a rural case that has an important bearing on the closing of all stores and places in rural towns and villages, throughout the entire province. The case is brought up by Louis Rodrique of St. Prosper, Dorchester County, and he wants quashed by the appeals court a municipal bylaw of St. Prosper that enacts the closing of all stores and places of business or amusement on Sundays. He claims this Sunday store closing law is ultra vires and illegal. For the last few years, a number of rural municipalities have been enacting laws to close stores and other places of business on Sundays, to the great inconvenience of out-of-the-way farmers, who only come to the village once a week for religious services, but notwithstanding this inconvenience, the closing of stores on Sunday has been kept up.

N. B. PREMIER ILL; FORMER GOVERNOR REPORTED DYING

St. John, N. B., Jan. 30.—Hon. A. R. McLellan, former lieutenant-governor of New Brunswick, is dying at his home in Riverside, Albert County. He is 86 years old.

Premier Clarke, seriously ill yesterday at his home in St. Stephen, has improved somewhat.

TEUTONIC MOVES CHECKED WITH HEAVY LOSSES ON RUMANIAN FRONT; GERMANS WITHDRAWING

Russo-Rumanians Hold Fixed Line on Trotus-Sereth Front, and Defy Efforts of Enemy to Dislodge It—1,000 German Prisoners Taken by Slavs in the Jacobeni Battle Last Saturday.

London, Jan. 30—(N. Y. Times Cable).—The Times correspondent with the Rumanian army, telegraphing January 24, says: "The general situation on this front is a stalemate for the present. All enemy efforts during the last two weeks have been checked with great losses by the Russo-Rumanian armies, which are holding a fixed front on the line of the Trotus and Sereth. The line is at present so strong that the enemy seems unable to strike another blow. The enemy realizes that this is the case and appears to have decided to withdraw part of his forces from this front, where only four or five German divisions remain. The rest of the German forces have been relieved by Turkish and Austrian troops.

"On the front south of Galatz and in the Trotus Valley no Bulgarian unit is left except some artillery.

"Very rough weather hinders any kind of operations on a considerable scale. I saw some recently-captured German prisoners, who appeared absolutely unprepared for a winter campaign, all wearing very thin summer clothes. Some died on the road while marching to internment camps, and the deaths among them would certainly be more frequent but for the fact that the Rumanian soldiers who escort them often lend them their own coats.

YOUNG BUT READY, IS WAITING CHANCE IN BOYS' BATTALION



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PTE. JOHN BELCHER MORAN left the city with the 142nd Battalion when only 16 years of age. On arrival in England he was transferred to the 34th Boys' Battalion, and is now at Shorncliffe. His mother, Mrs. J. Moran, lives at 335 Horton street.

FOOD SHORTAGE NOW SO ACUTE, TURNIPS SAVED FOR HUMANS

Germans Can No Longer Feed Roots to Animals.

DROP OF 2,000,000 TONS

Potatoes Available for 1917 Very Scanty, Says Food Board Head.

Amsterdam, Jan. 30—Via London.—According to the Berlin Vorwaerts, Adolph Batocki, president of the food regulation board, clearly indicated in a recent speech that the German food supply for the spring was very scanty, and would require the most careful distribution and economical use. Calculating potatoes in the value of wheat, he said that for the current year there were 2,000,000 tons less of both available for human and animal consumption than there was last year, and that, owing to the prohibition of wheat for animal feeding, this would greatly diminish the yield of animal products. Even turnips cannot now be used for animal fodder.

Herr Batocki pointed out that imports from neutrals were a slender factor in the situation, and that the assets gained in Rumania, while valuable, could improve conditions only gradually owing to the transport difficulties. He defended the system of distribution of foodstuffs with the remark: "The scarcer the total quantity of supplies the more necessary is a system of management."

AUSTRIAN WARSHIP CRIPPLED IN FIGHT IN ADRIATIC SEA

Set On Fire by Italian Shells and Badly Damaged in Engagement.

Rome, via Paris, Jan. 30.—The Austrian destroyer Huszar was put out of action in a naval engagement in the Adriatic a few days ago, according to the Tribuna. The paper says that two Italian destroyers engaged an Austrian flotilla, and that the Huszar was hit several times and set on fire. She was towed into a neighboring port by torpedo boats. The Italians suffered no loss, the report says. The engagement was fought in the midst of a tempest.

SUB COMMANDER TREATS FISHES TO A LUNCH OF DUTCH CHEESE AND GIN

Orders 30 Tons of "Hollands" Heaved Overboard From Steamer.

New York, Jan. 30.—Thirty tons of merchandise, consisting of Holland gin and Dutch cheese, part of a 300-ton cargo on the Dutch ship Vulcanus, were thrown into the sea by orders of a German submarine commander when the ship was held up by a U-boat December 27, 24 miles off Start Point Light on the English coast, according to officers of the Vulcanus on arrival here today. The ship was on her way from Rotterdam to Lisbon, Portugal, the officers said when the submarine appeared. An officer came aboard, made a careful examination of the ship's manifesto, and carefull checked each item. He passed everything that to his mind would be of no use to the enemy, but drew a sharp line on the gin and cheese, declaring them "contraband foodstuffs," and ordered them thrown overboard. The submersible stood by three hours while the orders were being carried out.

Shot Through Heart By Hun and Cupid

Hockey Player-Soldier Has Dual Wound —Recovers From Both.

St. John, Jan. 30.—After being twice wounded in the heart—once by a bullet and again by cupid—and the proud possessor of an Iron Cross, Marcil Belliveau, a Moncton and N. H. A. hockey player, has been invalided home. Belliveau got his bullet wound in his heart at Courcelette during the attack on the famous sugar refinery there. He was operated on and his heart has now moved over to the right side. He got the Iron Cross after a hand-to-hand fight with a German colonel who was wearing it.

Belliveau married the nursing sister who looked after him in hospital. He exhibited the Iron Cross to friends here and also a prayer book through which the bullet that entered his heart had bored.

Czar Will Receive Entente Delegates

Welcome to Conference To Be Accorded Tomorrow at Petrograd.

London, Jan. 30.—Emperor Nicholas tomorrow will receive the delegates to the conference of representatives of the Allied powers which opens in Petrograd on Thursday under the presidency of M. Pokrovsky, Russian minister of foreign affairs, says a Reuter dispatch from Petrograd today.

The Russian representatives at the conference will include the minister of finance and communications and Sergius Sazonoff, the newly appointed Russian ambassador to Great Britain.

Fighting Mayor Is Offered Ontario Job

"Jack" Munro Has Chance to Enter Provincial Employ.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Jan. 30.—With his right arm still in splints as a result of wounds on a battlefield in Flanders, Pte. Jack Munro, soldier, ex-pugilist and former mayor of Elk Lake, Ont., one time of London, Ont., upon a visit to the legislative buildings today, was offered by Hon. Dr. Jamieson, speaker of the Legislature, a temporary position in the Ontario Government's employ. Pte. Munro is deciding between accepting this position or another position offered him in a munitions plant.

"We are glad to be able to offer our returned men any positions that may require to be filled," remarked Speaker Jamieson after the interview.

Every Allied Demand Being Met By Greeks

Crowds at Saluting of Flags Made No Disturbance.

London, Jan. 30.—According to official telegrams from Athens, the ceremony of saluting the flags of the Entente nations, in compliance with one of the demands made on the Greek Government for the disturbances at Athens last month, was carried out in a satisfactory manner. Prince Andrew of Greece personally led the Greek cavalry in the march past the flags yesterday afternoon. The crowds which collected in the neighborhood made no disturbance. All the other demands of the Allies are being met to their thorough satisfaction.

20,000 Barrels of Potatoes Destroyed

$100,000 Loss Through Fire in Houlton, Me., Warehouse.

Houlton, Me., Jan. 30.—Twenty thousand barrels of potatoes, awaiting shipment in a railroad storehouse near here, were destroyed by fire today. The owners estimated the loss at $100,000, a conservative figure, they said, in view of the high price now being paid for the product.

TOTAL CAPTURES INCLUDE 1,158 MEN.

Petrograd, Jan. 30, via London.—An increase in the number of prisoners taken by the Russians in last Saturday's battle in the Jacobeni region, on the northern end of the Rumanian front, is announced by the war office today. Twelve machine guns and four trench mortars were captured in addition to a total of 1,158 officers and men from the Austro-German forces.

The statement reads:

"Western front: Scouting reconnaissances and infantry firing are proceeding.

"Rumanian front: Regarding Saturday's battle northeast of Jacobeni the following alteration should be made in yesterday's communique: 'Our detachments took prisoner 32 officers and 1,126 men, and captured 12 machine guns and 4 trench mortars.'

"Caucasus front: The situation is unchanged."

SEVERAL HUNDRED AMERICANS HELD AS PRISONERS OF WAR

Crews of South Atlantic Raiders Held in Germany.

GIVEN BUT LITTLE FOOD

Released Swedish Sailor Tells Story of Privations of Yarrowdale's Men.

Copenhagen, via London, Jan. 30.—The Ekstrabladet quotes a Swedish seaman as saying that crews from armed ships sunk by the German raider in the South Atlantic, held as war prisoners in Germany, include between two hundred and three hundred Americans, four Swedes, three Dutchmen and one Dane. He says the steamer Yarrowdale did not sight a single British vessel throughout her entire voyage after she was captured. The vessel had all her lanterns lighted at night from Cape Lindasnaes, off the south coast of Norway, until she reached Skagen, on the north coast of Denmark. She arrived at Swinmunde on December 31. The men taken to the prison camp at Neustrelitz were given little food except kohlrabi and small allowances of bread.

Before leaving Germany, according to the Ekstrabladet, the 26 men released were compelled to sign an undertaking to make no claim against Germany.

CAPE HAITIEN, Haiti, Jan. 29.—A vessel believed to be the German raider, is reported to have been cruising off Monte Christi, on the north coast of Santo Domingo, Saturday.

COPENHAGEN, via London, Jan. 29.—The Ekstrabladet reports the arrival in Copenhagen of 20 Swedish, Norwegian and American seamen belonging to the

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PRESENTED TO TORONTO

Art Collection Purchased by J. Ross Robertson Given to City.

Toronto, Jan. 30.—What is declared by experts to be the finest ornathonological (art) collection on the continent was last night presented to the city of Toronto by J. Ross Robertson. The collection represents the life work of the late William Pope of Port Ryerse, Norfolk County, where he lived for 40 years, and was purchased by Mr. Robertson to prevent it being shipped out of the Dominion. The presentation was made at the reference library. C. W. Nash, biologist of the Provincial Museum, and S. T. Wood, as well as Dr. C. K. Clarke and Dr. G. H. Lovke, paid tributes to Mr. Robertson's generosity.

"We never have coffee at our house, because I can't make good coffee".

Have you ever started right —with Chase & Sanborn's "SEAL BRAND" COFFEE?

In ½, 1 and 2 pound tins. Whole—ground—pulverized—also fine ground for Percolators. Never sold in bulk. 185

CHASE & SANBORN, MONTREAL.

Lots of Beautiful Pets, Mice and Rats, in Trenches

Continuation of Extracts From Lieut. Kenneth Somerville's Letter to His Parents, Written While on Active Service in France.

"Today has been very quiet, and the artillery has been sending over hardly any 'Iron Rations' to Fritz today. He'll get an extra allowance at some future day, but I don't think he'll be any too hungry."

"One town we passed through has a new legend since the war began. During the bombardment, the figure on the top of the cathedral was hit, and now hangs down, suspended. It was a statute of 'Mary and the Child,' I think, and is about twenty feet high. It's wonderful the way it hangs up there. Well, they say when it falls peace will be declared. I know if it falls, and anyone is underneath there will be lots of pieces, but can't vouch for the truth otherwise. I wish it would fall, and then we would find out."

"Where we were in last time and for seven hundred yards in the rear and six or seven hundred yards in front was nothing but shell holes and the trenches. Gee, we were given instructions in building trenches, and if we had even imagined a trench like that we'd have been canned sure. In the distance I named above you could hardly stretch a table napkin out without part of it touching a shell hole. The best part is that those holes were mostly made by our shells while Fritz was in those trenches. The decision is bad, but it stirs up the soil, and some French peasant in future days will rise in the world (more probably from an old grenade or dug than by overwork)."

"For fear you don't know what a dud is, it's a shell which doesn't explode, but is still alive and may go off if it gets hit on the nose cap or something. They are also called 'conscientious objectors.' I wouldn't like to be hit by one. I know a mule that did. It's dead."

Poor Old Dog.

"We have had quite a lot of rain lately, but at present we are having fine weather for fall, cool and crisp. We had a rather funny experience the other day. It was our last day in the trenches, and along about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, in wandered a dog. It was a peach of an animal, and one of our stretcher-bearers immediately grabbed, rigged up a collar and chain and tied him up in a 'funk hole.' He then looked up some bully beef and proceeded to get friendly with the dog. We kept him there all the rest of the afternoon and intended to take him out when we were going to be relieved. Along in the evening, Fritz started to throw over 'marmalade,' and it was getting quite exciting. There was an awful crash overhead when a shrapnel came rather close, and the dog started to howl. The stretcher-bearer grabbed him, but could not get him to stop and yelled out 'He's wounded,' said to 'kill him,' so the stretcher-bearer gave the dog a couple of smashes with a rifle. Now no self-respecting dog likes to get hit, so he made for the stretcher-bearer and there was an awful row. At last Bill killed the dog with his revolver. It was funny while it lasted, but it was tough luck on the dog."

"——— says to thank you very much for your congratulations. He is acting second in command now during the colonel's absence, but I guess he'll be back with the comapny in a day or so. I'll be glad when he gets back."

Great Little Gun.

"We finished our course yesterday at noon. It ended with a grand finale attack on some supposedly Hun trenches. We exploded a mine, and we certainly should have had some Huns on top of it, it went up so well. Then we went over and did some bombing. Fortunately all I had to do was to take up my machine gun to protect the left flank, so I didn't have to exert myself very much. After we had taken the trenches, they gave a demonstration with the Stokes gun, and it certainly was great. Fritzie would like to know something of this gun, but, believe me, he'll have to go some to find out about it. They are certainly a great little machine."

"In the afternoon the battalion sent a limber and a guide to bring us back to the battalion. Though it wasn't a particularly nice day, it was a great march. This is a really beautiful country around here and a great deal like Canada in regards to scenery, but, believe me, I'll take Canada every time."

"It was great to get back to the battalion again, and it feels almost like home. The place we are at now is a great deal like the first place we struck when we came to these spots, a village of farmers with no stores, and not even an estaminet here, so I don't know what the inhabitants did for a pastime before the war. In every other villages estaminets and cafes seem to hold the dominant place."

"We are having wonderful weather just now, at least, it would be if we were in Canada. Bright, cold days and cold, starlight nights. Last night there were millions of stars out, more than I have seen for a long time. Mitchell and I slept together in a feather bed, humped-up in the middle. I drew this outside and woke up from a sound sleep to find that I was half-way through the door. As I had taken most of the bedclothes with me, Mitchell allowed me to come back. It was awful getting up this morning though, and the battalion nearly marched off without me."

Mules Draw Guns.

"The machine guns are drawn by pack mules on the march now. The men used to pull and push the limbers themselves, but when they got on a steep hill it used to keep us back, and one night they got mired, and we didn't see men, guns or limbers till next morning. The mules seem to think it is a disgrace to have to do work like that, and they let us know it. Sometimes they'll take a toss nd that I was half-way through the company, and then at other times, they show great fatigue. It's lots of fun for everybody but the fellows managing them, but we should worry."

"How would you like to buy a beautiful dugout for a souvenir. One with a fine cold-air system, great ventilation except when Mitchell lit a fire in the middle of the night, and we all thought we were going to be gassed. Poor Mitch, I'm afraid we'll have to court-martial him for that."

"We have lots of beautiful pets, mice and rats. I may possibly get an order from the Hudson Bay Company for a few million skins of these nice, glossy, big fellows, like lions. They spoil our meals. I remember one night, one of the batmen was bringing supper down to us, when he stepped on two of them (he says there were a dozen, but I think he exaggerates), and it was goodnight dinner. But the cute little mice are the greatest. Anything eatable we have, they sample. They have nice comfortable beds in our haversacks, and generally make themselves quite at home."

Somewhat Disturbing.

"The view from where we are is lovely at times, but, at other times, somewhat obstructed by trench-mortar and things that go through the air and are disturbing. Some people find their greatest joy in life staying out in the trench when there is a little "strafe" going on, and watching for these things to dodge. I do not find this highly amusing, but will speak well of it from a physical culture or training point of view."

"News as usual is scarce. Everybody is in good health and enjoying life as much as possible. I have changed into a race course for mice and rats (fortunately nothing smaller so far). I must be a good course, as I am very popular with them, and they hate me to move around at all."

"Harold Gray has got his old job of adjutant back on the battalion he is with. He will make good at it, I guess, and I was glad to hear of it. I don't think I told you before, but during one of our actions, I was under the command of Major McCrimmon. He's all right, too, and was on the job."

DIOCESAN CONFERENCE

Many Problems Discussed at Meeting in St. Marys.

At a diocesan conference of the Anglican Young People's Association, held at St. James' Church, St. Marys, Rev. W. J. Taylor, rector of St. James' Church, opened the conference with devotions and an appropriate address of welcome. Rev. Wm. Lowe of Lucan was elected conference chairman, and Rev. Mr. Powell of Milverton, conference secretary-treasurer. Rev. I. B. Howard, B.A., of Tillsonburg synod, secretary-treasurer, managed the conference in a capable manner. Rev. John H. Mills, B.A., of Stratford, gave the first address at the morning session on the work of the local branch of the A. Y. P. A. The address was followed by a lively discussion. Rev. C. O. Pheull of Millbank opened the afternoon session with devotions. Rev. Canon Gunne spoke on "A.Y.P.A. Ideals." Rev. Mr. Goodband of Lakeside spoke on "The Problems of the County Branch," and Rev. E. C. Ryott of Kirkton led in discussion. Capt. Rev. A. C. G. Clarke of Waterloo conducted the round-table conference.

The evening service was opened by Rev. J. R. Bythill of Granton, and Rev. Canon Sage, D.D., of St. George's Church, London, spoke on "The Church and Her Young People." Rev. R. E. Charles, B.A., of St. David's Church, London, gave an address which closed a most profitable and successful conference.

At the conclusion of the conference a district A. Y. P. A. was organized with the following officers: President, Rev. J. N. H. Mills, B.A.; secretary, Rev. P. G. Powell; executive committee, Rev. G. T. Goodband, Rev. J. B. Bythill, B. F. Lancaster and Mr. Gram.

BUY A BLOCK IS NOW PLEA OF SCHOOL KIDDIES

Have Patriotic Scheme to Help Sailors —Addressed by Dr. A. Hall.

Several hundred of the city school children were addressed by Rev. Dr. Alfred Hall, chaplain of the British navy, Monday afternoon, At Chesley Avenue School he addressed the pupils from the senior grades of Rectory, Aberdeen and Chesley Avenue schools. He spoke to the students at the Collegiate later in the day.

Cards were distributed to the children for the purpose of raising money to provide comforts for British sailors.

Each card bears the likeness of a lighthouse composed of twenty blocks, each representing a contribution of ten cents. One of the blocks is crossed off every time a contribution is made, and when the card is filled out the owner is presented with a cross made from the copper of Nelson's flagship, the "Victory."

C. P. R. NOTIFIED BY TRAINMEN SALARIES AGREEMENT AT END

Decision Affects Members of Order Throughout East.

PREPARE NEW SCHEDULE

Men's Executive Meeting in Montreal To Formulate Demands of Order.

The C. P. R. has been notified by the Order of Conductors and Brakemen that the agreement as to salary schedule has terminated. This covers all eastern lines and affects every member of the order east of Port Arthur.

The executive of the organization is now meeting in Montreal, drawing up a new schedule, which will be presented to the company at an early date.

The men and the company have had an agreement covering a period of years. A clause specified that it could be terminated by either party to the agreement by giving thirty days' notice in writing. That notice has been forwarded to the officials of the company and will become effective on March 1.

In the meantime, the new schedule will be drawn up in Montreal. Every district in Eastern Canada has sent representatives, including the London district. The sessions will last possibly two weeks, and the new schedule will be submitted to the various unions for their ratification. This done, it will be presented by the organization to the C. P. R., and a demand made that the terms be met.

Whether there will be a strike or not depends on the company railwaymen say. They are determined, one of the union men informed The Advertiser, to get what they want, and nothing short of a complete backdown by the company will suit.

Information as to the details of the agreement proposed could not be learned. It is expected that an increase of probably 20 per cent all round will be demanded. Whether this will take the form of the demands formulated in the United States, viz., an eight-hour day, at the present rate of pay, is not known. In any event, the advance asked will be substantial.

C. P. R. officials do not consider a strike probable. They point out that an arrangement was reached with the men in the west, and they figure that an amicable arrangement can be arrived at when time comes. Morley Riley, this city, is representing the local trainmen at the Montreal conference, as he did at Winnipeg.

CATHOLIC SCHOOL BOARD HAS EXCELLENT REPORTS

Assets of Nearly $147,000, and Good Balance in Bank.

The 59th annual report of the receipts and expenditures of the Catholic board of education of the city, for the year 1916, which was recently submitted, shows a flourishing condition.

The assets amount to $146,881.64, of which $135,000 is given as the value of school sites and buildings. The balance of cash in the bank is given as $1,151.64 and the government grant last year was $370.00.

Among the list of disbursements are shown $8,936.67 as teachers' salaries; $2,003.35 paid to school janitors; $7,000 paid on school loan and $1,799.53 for fuel and light.

SKETCH OF LIFE WORK OF REV. WM. GODWIN

Christian Guardian Gives Account of His Ministry in Many Charges.

In the last edition of the Christian Guardian appears a detailed sketch of the life and work of Rev. William Godwin, whose death occurred in this city in October last. He was well known by many Londoners, having been pastor of three city Methodist churches. The following is an extract taken from the Guardian: "He was born at Richmond, Elgin County, Ontario. He attended Wesleyan Theological College and, completing his probation, was ordained at the Guelph Conference in 1877. He was married in 1879 to Miss Martha Wigle of Kingsville, who certainly proved to be a worthy helpmate in the work of the ministry, maintaining through all their ministry the dignity, hospitality, and usefulness of the parsonage as a centre of Christian influence. Among his circuits traveled were Chatham, Essex, Kingsville, London (three times), Blenheim, Walkerville, Goderich, St. Thomas, Exeter, Ammerstburg, and Parkhill. While at Exeter he suffered a severe attack of pneumonia, and later at Parkhill his strong constitution gave way, and, suffering from heart affection, he was compelled to seek a superannuated relation to the church. He was loath to give up his much-loved work. After resting a year he removed to Sweaburg, where he thought, by taking light work, he might build up his strength. The people there were very appreciative of his character and his work. He would often say while there, "I would love to preach and visit the people all the time." He soon discovered he was not going to be able to continue his work. However, he supplied at Sweaburg until June, 1916. In September he removed to 633 Maitland street, London, hoping to be able still to direct for a time his family affairs and spend a well-earned retirement. This, however, was not to be; the Master had other plans for his faithful servant. He was taken worse a week after moving to London, although he still cherished a hope of surviving for a time and would cheerfully say "God's will be done." To his sorrowing companion he would quote the promises so precious to him. Two days before he died he said: "Oh, I do not think I am going to get better. I am going to heaven. Good-bye. Tell all the children to meet me there." He then lapsed into a state of coma from which he never recovered."

GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Stevens Celebrate Event in Chatham.

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan H. Stevens of Chatham, both well known in this city, was recently celebrated at their home in that city.

The event was marked by the attendance of scores of friends, who congratulated the popular couple upon their long and happy period of married life.

Seven sons were present. They were: Dr. Roland H. of Detroit; H. J., grain merchant in Medicine Hat; F. B., produce dealer, in Winnipeg; Dr. J. H., of Woodstock; D. N., of the Winnipeg Board of Trade; W. A. of the Calgary Board of Trade, and Starr S., who is associated with his father in the Canada Flour Mills Company, Limited.

Mr. Stevens is one of Chatham's pioneer businessmen.

In 1880 he moved his family to Chatham, and in 1881 he, in co-operation with Senator Archie Campbell and John Campbell, erected the first roller flour mill in Canada. This was the foundation of the present Canada Flour Mills. The firm, under the name of Stevens, Campbell & Co., owned and operated mills at Blenheim, St. Thomas and Aylmer, and had a long string of elevators in Western Ontario in addition to the big mill in Chatham.

Mrs. Stevens was born near Bowmanville in 1844. Her family moved to Blenheim and it was there that she was married. Mr. Stevens, the next year, purchased the business which had been conducted by her father.

The interest which has been dearest to the heart of Mrs. Stevens, next to the rearing of her sturdy family, was of a charitable nature. For ten years she was president of the home for the friendless board, and she was active in the renovation of the home on Lorne avenue, making it a more pleasant and comfortable place for the old folks to spend their declining days. For some years she was president of the Women's Auxiliary of Holy Trinity Church and she has always taken an interest in the I. O. D. E. and other organizations.

ANOTHER BLOW TO THRIFTY HOUSEWIVES; SOAP PRICES HAVE TAKEN SUDDEN JUMP

Laundries Again Increase Their Schedule, Blaming Cost of Materials.

There's nothing to it, you'll just have to quit getting dirty. That's if you are an economizing sort of a person and wish to effect a saving in the line of soap. It took another jump recently, and the delightful yellow bars which formerly retailed for a nickel are now bringing 6 cents.

Laundries have been chiefly affected. They have been forced to advance prices three times within the past six months, the third increase being made on Monday. The increase of 50a prices the managers state has been chiefly responsible, although coal scarcity has assisted. The majority of laundries in the city are now paying $2.35 a cwt. more for soap, than they did at the outbreak of the war.

Soda, formerly 1ca. pound, is now 3c, and blue, which once sold for $3 a pound, is now quoted as high as $17 a pound, and as managers of the laundries state, is not as good quality as that manufactured some years ago.

Another minor item is marking ink. At one time it could be bought for $3 a pint. Now it costs $6.50.

VETERAN TREASURER OF FIRST CHURCH HONORED

Presbyterian Board of Management Has A. M. Hamilton as Guest of Honor at Banquet.

The board of management of the First Presbyterian Church held a banquet in the Tecumseh House Monday evening, A. M. Hamilton, veteran treasurer of the church for the past 54 years, being the guest of honor.

His health was drunk by the members of the board, and he was requested to keep the position for the next six years, at the end of which time they would let him resign from the position if he wished.

R. G. Fisher, chairman, delivered an address of welcome to the men and spoke very highly of Mr. Hamilton. Mr. Hamilton has been the watch-dog of the cash box for over fifty years, and has watched it very carefully. "We would let Mr. Hamilton resign from his position," he said, "but not until he has been in the service for 60 years, and then if he wished to resign we will let him. We are glad to have Mr. Hamilton with us, and we hope he will enjoy this small entertainment which we have prepared for him tonight."

Mr. Hamilton responded to Mr. Fisher's address, and thanked the board for remembering him and celebrating this occasion. He agreed to remain in his position for the coming six years if possible, and do all he could to help the church. Mr. Hamilton then told the history of the First Presbyterian Church, which was very interesting and much enjoyed by those present. He told of how the First Presbyterian Church was started, and how the men saved and plodded along to make that church a success.

Rev. W. J. Knox, pastor of the church, gave a very interesting address. He said that Mr. Hamilton was the one man who could tell the history of the church, and he should write it before he passed away. It was very important, and would be a valuable addition to the written history of London. Mr. Knox praised Mr. Hamilton very highly for his work, and assured him that his work was much appreciated by the members of the church.

Mr. Knox also told the story of the Presbyterian ministers who came out here from England and helped the Presbyterian churches of Canada and of this district.

Other speeches were given by members of the board, and all spoke highly of Mr. Hamilton, and praised him for his past services to the church, and wished him success in the coming year.

ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL EVANGELISTIC MEETING

Rev. O. C. Elliott Points Out Wrong Conception of God.

There was a very successful meeting in the London South Baptist Church last evening. Rev. O. C. Elliott of St. Thomas, who, in the temporary absence of Evangelist Torrie, took the services on Sunday, had charge of the meeting. Mr. Elliott took as his text I. Timothy, Chapter ii., verse 4. He pointed out that people have wrong conceptions of God. He said God would have all to be saved and to come into the knowledge of the truth. Three evidences were given of God's anxiety to save people, viz:

1. Preventatives that He has put in the way; mother in the home; church and Sunday school, Christian friends.

2. Provisions of His grace: The giving of Jesus to die; His complete life of obedience; the gift of the holy spirit.

3. Exceeding great and precious promises of His word: forgiveness of sin; receiving all who come; to keep by His power.

The singing was bright, which helped make the service a success.

Tonight Rev. A. C. Bingham of Egerton Street Baptist Church, and formerly of Petrolea, who conducted evangelist services in the church a short time ago, will have charge of the work. The song service begins at 7:45, and all are welcome.

From Up Among the Yukon Snows

Comes Advice to Sufferers to Use Dodd's Kidney Pills

Glacier Creek Lady Says They Have Been Her Stand-by for Sixteen Years and She Has Never Known Them To Fail.

Glacier Creek, via Dawson, Yukon, Can., Jan. 28—(Special).—"North of fifty-three, where doctors are long distances apart and those remedies that are a very present help in time of need are the reliance of the settlers' Dodd's Kidney Pills have established an enviable reputation. Hear what Mrs. A. Armstrong, a well-known resident of this place, has to say of them:

"Dodd's Kidney Pills have been my stand-by for sixteen years," Mrs. Armstrong states. "Both myself and my family have the greatest faith in their medicinal qualities. When any of my friends complain of even a headache I treat them with Dodd's Kidney Pills and they never fail to do good.

"It always gives me pleasure to say a good word for Dodd's Kidney Pills." Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all kidney ills from backache to rheumatism, Bright's disease and heart disease. These troubles come from sick kidneys. That's why Dodd's Kidney Pills cure them.

PUT CREAM IN NOSE AND STOP CATARRH

Tells How To Open Clogged Nostrils and End Head-Colds.

You feel fine in a few moments. Your cold in head or catarrh will be gone. Your clogged nostrils will open. The air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more dullness, headache; no hawking, snuffling, mucous discharges or dryness; no struggling for breath at night.

Tell your druggist you want a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your hostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, and relief comes instantly.

It is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer needs. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable.—Advt.

THE ONLY MEDICINE THAT HELPED HER

Fruit-a-tives Again Proves Its Extraordinary Powers.

Rochon, Que., March 2, 1915.

"I have received the most wonderful benefit from taking 'Fruit-a-tives.' I suffered for years from Rheumatism and change of life, and I took every remedy obtainable without results. I tried 'Fruit-a-tives' and it was the only medicine that really did me good. Now I am entirely well—the Rheumatism has disappeared, and the terrible pains in my body are all gone. I hope that others, who suffer from such distressing diseases, will try 'Fruit-a-tives.'

"MADAME ISAIE ROCHON."

Fifty cents a box. 6 for $2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

CHARGES DISMISSED

No Evidence to Convict Alleged Pugilistic Artists of Disorderly Conduct.

The case against two young men, each charged with fighting on a Grand Trunk train, was dismissed in police court today because of lack of evidence.

The evidence of one patrolman only was heard, but it was not sufficient to warrant a conviction.

According to his testimony he witnessed nothing, but heard a great deal.

The alleged fistic encounter was claimed to have been staged on the Toronto train at 1:30 yesterday afternoon.

The husband, according to witnesses not called to court, intercepted his wife and a boarder at the train, and accused them of attempting to elope.

The wife denied the accusation.

At any rate the husband assumed the aggressive, and according to several persons who witnessed the affair he gave his wife's friend a "beating."

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box; 25c. 5

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

INFANTRY.

Killed in Action—57168 Sergt. H. J. Winona, Ont.; 454978 Lance-Corp. Henry Boyer, Glengarry, Ont.; 850474 Walter Barr, England; 478672 M. Ostapuk, Russia; 195246 Frederick Wicker, Peterboro, Ont.; 211219 P. G. Hodge, England; 726570 Wesley Brown, Cheltenham, Ont.; 212562 Charles Hillman, Ruthven, Ont.; 210673 A. R. Norgate, England; 195317 H. N. McArthur, Cambellford, Ont.; 410181 A E. Parsonage, Ottawa; 213471 John Truax, Leamington, Ont.; 455759 M. J. Dalton, West Meath, Ont.; 210719 Ernest Plate, Amigari, Ont.; 195086 W. J. Grist, England; 141222 John Hodkinson, Hamilton, Ont.; 210069 Alex Bondar, Russia; 57739 R. E. Boyce Collingwood, Ont.; 57471 Ross Makie, Owen Sound, Ont.; 405102 Sergt. Tom Paul, Toronto; 724199 C. G. B. Wallis, England; 59254 W. A. Dent, England; 123169 Geo. Grant, 735 Princess avenue, London, Ont.; 195013 Frank Birdgenaw, Peterboro, Ont.; 183540 A. F. Burton, 91 Metcalfe street, St. Thomas, Ont; 724145 W. G. Lee, Woodville, Ont.; 725598 Malcolm McEachern, Hartley Victoria, Ont.; 472746 W. R. Barber, Owen Sound, Ont.; 145768 Charles Kirkness, Toronto; 408838 Ernest Moore, Wyevale, Ont.; 1718054 Dan Maniex, Toronto; 121124 Honore Charbonneau, Montreal; 681778 Charles Smith, Hamilton, Ont.; 162342 George Gordon, Toronto; 163476 J. F. Walker, Toronto; 401577 George Wheatley, Sarnia, Ont.; 195472 E. J. Grout, England; 130243 F. Rosenburg, England; Lieut. J. A. Campbeyy, Weymouth, N. S.; 669708 Frank Frost, Toronto.

Previously Reported Missing; Believed Killed—189347 J. J. McCarman, 615 Richmond street, London, Ont.

Died of Wounds—195312 Wm. Johnston, H.M.S. Hindustan, R.N.

Reported Missing—210891 Fred Storm, Netherby, Ont.

Missing—142479 John Hoey, Hamilton, Ont.

Previously Reported Missing; Now Reported Killed in Action—160328 A. R. Evans, England.

Previously Reported Wounded; Now Reported Killed in Action—162146 A. N. Beatty, England; 168291 Robert Boville, Toronto; 164529 James Cunningham, Detroit; 219966 James Hamill, Donnville, Ont.; 138780 Lance-Corp. John Middleton, Toronto.

ENGINEERS.

Reported Wounded; Remaining on Duty—502978 Sapper Frederick Garton, England.

Wounded—193104 Sapper S. C. Langley, England.

Died—505549 Sapper D. J. Downey, Detroit.

INFANTRY.

Previously Reported Missing; Now Reported Missing—436899 John Uttley, England.

Seriously Ill—443706 Marshall Reid, Chilcot, B. C.; 429744 James Scott, Scotland; 108645 Sergt. A. H. Wright, Dunsmore, Alta.; 160939 W. S. Aldis, England; 150794 Frederick Baker, England; 208233 F. J. Taroulily, Channel Islands.

Previously Reported Wounded; Now Reported Wounded and Missing—177118 R. W. Lightbound, Montreal; 437819 Jack Arnold, Edmonton.

Previously Reported Wounded and Missing; Now Killed in Action—a22457 H. W. Fraser, England.

Previously Reported Wounded; Now Reported Wounded and Missing—474224 H. G. Green, England.

Previously Reported Wounded, Now Reported Missing—187531 E. J. Blaine, Winnipeg; 160242 Richard Choules, England; 443437 James Harrison, England; 442469 John Jerram, England.

Reported Missing—219810 J. A. Hutton, Scotland; 448216 Wm. Donnachie, Montreal; 770880 W. A. Jardine, Toronto.

Reported Wounded — 460631 J. A. Slater, Winnipeg; 624885 Walker Wright, Lougheed, Alta.; 624610 P. Romanik, Russia; 541190 L. Pearson, Toronto; 442504 Corp. John Jardine, Scotland; 132172 H. T. Crozier, Montreal; 445719 Corp. R. E. Atkinson, Harcourt, N.B.; 457161 S. Moran, Farmington, Mo.; 158581 Thomas Green hill, Toronto; 457662 Edw. Brannen, Arlington, Mass.; 458223 Wm. Robertson, Montreal; 138537 Corp. Alex Blair, Scotland; 414358 John Ross, Grande Ferry, N.S.; 102712 Robt. Dawson, Stapleby P. O., Vancouver Island, B.C.

Dangerously Ill—9473 W. C. MacMurchy, Toronto.

Wounded, Remaining at Duty—141453 Geo. Hooker, Hamilton.

Shell Shock—105266 J. H. Kent, England.

Wounded, Returned to Duty—130265 F. L. Kennedy, Vancouver, B.C.; 417991 M. Oleinik, Russia.

Wounded—166650 Geo. Savoie, Swanton, Vt.; 453026 Sergt. Alfred Platt, Toronto; 102188 R. W. Price, Errington, B.C.; 889228 Lucien Martin, St. Anne de la Pocatiere, Que.; 171116 A. Hawkins, Scotland; 469378 James McNeil, Bridgeport, N.S.; 461476 J. H. McLaren, Winnipeg; 654766 M. L. Weber, Zurich, Ont.; 414338 S. Chaisson, L. Carauquet, N.B.; 133141 J. Martin, Ireland; 443375 James Miller, England; 460886 Corp. W. H. Wilson, Kelowna, B.C.; 126005 H. D. Grigg, Woodstock, Ont.; 160863 W. D. Whyte, Calgary; 156215 Geo. Langmuir, Scotland; 161266 E. A. Deschane, Vancouver; 141795 Wm. Tucker, St. Catharines, Ont.; 210751 Patrick Rodgers, Scotland; 67728 George Stronack, England; 178098 Wilfrid Pettitt, England; 410001 Reg. Sergt.-Major. W. H. Marsden, Ottawa; 410410 W. Strongier, Russell, Ont.; A10551 George McDonald, North Sydney, N.S.; 716537 Herbert Harris, Glace Bay, N.S.; 454125 Percy Bland, unknown; 445177 L. E. Campbell, Styckney, N.B.; 742850 G. C. Morrell, St. John, N. B.; 412977 Wm. Gray, Scotland; 781013 A. A. Aselin, Nashua, N.H.; 476316 Patrick Champagne, Bellivier, Sask.; 888146 Percy Blight, England; 781035 A. Biggs, England; 178198 C. A. Wilson, Toronto; 53651 Arthur Humphreys, England; 706131 A. Hanton, Vancouver; 108206 J. McNevin, Goedrich, Ont.; 208152 Chas. Johnson, Rockford, Ills.; 190150 G. E. Page, Talbotville, Ont.; 410221 Sergt. J. E. Welch, Ottawa; 761100 John Blake, England; 220203 A. E. Flinn, Toronto; 783622 John Billings, Barrysbay, Ont.; 410632 George Sweeney, Rankin, Ont.; 410945 Corp. A. W. Whitehead, England; 145283 Lance-Corp. W. L. Lytte, Lindsay, Ont.; 733855 Robert Crowell, Shelburne County, N. S.; 418414 A. Starnaud, Montreal; 406347 Joseph Ledger, Hamilton, Ont.; 733174 L. H. Cleveland, Halifax, N. S.; 733023 John Buteler, New Ross Road, N. S.; 715[illegible] Daniel Dobson, Trenton, N. S.; 732824 P. R. Bennett, Canning, N. S.; 194054 Wm. Stanley, England.

Reported Wounded—441210 Norman Finlayson, Peake Station, P. E. I.

MOUNTED RIFLES.

Previously Reported Missing, Now Reported Killed in Action—111275 Corp. J. W. Lamont, East Galesville, N. B.

ENGINEERS.

Wounded—319 Second Corp. William Harper, England; 504555 Sapper John Boyle, Scotland.

Ladies' Suits---Authentic Spring Fashions

Already one can hear upon every side—What is new in Suits or Coats—and this is the polite evasion, says Mrs. Westermann, the leading fashion artist of America.



The Fashion Mirror

There is a time for all things, and this platitude is not entirely amiss in the desire of many women to be moons and moons ahead in their new outer garments. It is quite possible that we should be interested in January in what they are going to wear in June—yet really it seems a long way off to be giving much worry about. Personally I feel that "we should never motor over the viaduct until one is compelled to do so." Yet we should always be well prepared in advance, even if it be only to be aroused with authentic knowledge of what the styles are to be. It is quite certain, however, that the spring apparel is sure to be influenced by the sport apparel worn in the late fall, just as it was a year ago. This will of course be truer of spring and summer coats and suits than of the present fall and later styles of street garments.

Large collars, unique belts, simple cuffs, very little trimming, bright colors, loose comfy effects predominate in the cloth garments for spring. Skirts are destined to be ever so little longer—though some say in French "nevair," and they will be amply full. Most of our style authorities are charitable enough to say that positively we are going to be comfortable—and I say "for which I thank you."

If Ordered Now, Your Suit Will Be $5 or $6 Less

Orders are still being taken at January prices in the Ladies' Tailoring Department, but only a few more can be booked, as we have now almost all the orders we can execute until the 1st of March, when the spring rush will be on. Besides the price advantages for the tailoring, it is a great advantage to have your spring suit finished and ready for the first spring day, when others will be worrying and urging their tailor to rush their suit through. This reduction does not mean that you will get a cheaper-made suit, but a suit made cheaper, for you will always get the best we can turn out and guarantee. It is merely an inducement for you to have your spring suit made a month earlier, that we may give steady employment to our workroom hands between seasons and also relieve the congestion of work when the season opens up.

Tailored Suits, regularly made for $25.00, $27.00 and $30.00. January prices .....$20.00, $22.00 and $24.00

New Spring Fashion Plates Are In.

Khaki Lawn

for soldiers' handkerchiefs and summer shirts, a specially fine soft finish, as sold in large quantities for Red Cross work. Be sure and make up some for the boys in khaki. The value in this line is extra good; 33 inches, 28c yard Special price quoted for full pieces to Red Cross workers. Write for samples.

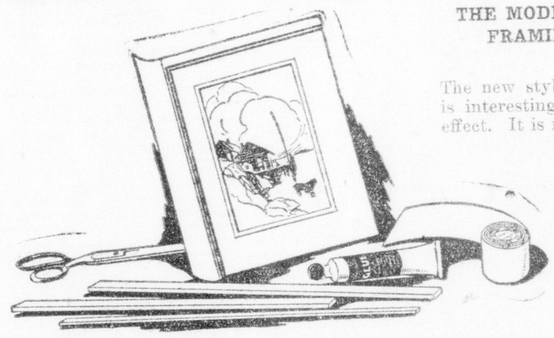
Khaki Drill

for Red Cross bags, men's and boys' shirts, overalls and Boy Scout uniforms, excellent wearing material and good weight; 29 inches .....30c and 35c

Khaki Sandown Cloth

A nice soft-finished goods suitable for boys' suits, girls' school dresses, also separate skirts or suits; 36 inches .....28c yard

Do Your Own Picture-Framing



THE MODERN ART OF PICTURE-FRAMING WITH GUMMED BINDING.

The new style of picture-framing which is interesting everyone now is the deep effect. It is no more difficult than the flat work, and produces frames which can scarcely be distinguished from the wood. We have the full equipment now for this work—if you have a few pictures you would like to see in a frame you will get a most pleasing effect with this new process at a very small cost. The directions for this work, which are easy and simple, will be found in every roll of binding, and any explanation needed will be given at counter.

CARDBOARD STRIPS for gluing on glass for deep frame effect, 24 in package, ¼ and ½ inch. A package .....15c and 20c

CARDBOARD MOUNTS, in grey and brown, also backs, in three sizes, 6½, 8 and 10 inches by 8½, 10 and 12 inches. At...2c, 3c, 4c each

Gilt Binding, six-yard rolls. Each 20c
Brass Hangers, Dozen ...10c

Main Floor.

January Cotton Sale

BLEACHED SHEETING, 35c.

English Twill Sheeting, soft finish. Special, 70-inch.....35c yard

BRIDAL CLOTH, 20c.

Fine quality for dainty underwear, beautiful soft finish, pure white, 40 inches.....20c yard; 12-yard bolts for $2.25

PILLOW COTTON, 18c.

150 yards only, Plain Pillow Cotton, 42 and 44 inches. Special .....18c yard

On Sale Wednesday.

Large Sheets in brown and grey. A sheet 12½c

Glass for pictures, three sizes. Each...12½c, 15c, 20c

Binding in oak, mahogany, ebony and green, six-yard rolls. Each 15c

At Stationery Counter,

AFTERNOON TEA.

Lettuce Salad with Mayonnaise Dressing, Thin Bread and Butter, Cup of Tea or Coffee 15c

SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED

SPECIAL.

Toasted Cheese Sandwich, Cup of Tea or Coffee 10c
French Coffee Cake, Cup of Tea or Coffee 10c

Weakened by Anaemia Doctors Gave No Hope

Said She Was Threatened With Consumption, and Gave Her Three Weeks to Live.

Anaemia is indicated by thin, watery blood. The gums and eyelids grow pale, there is great weakness and fatigue and digestion fails.

Since Dr. Chase's Nerve Food forms new, rich blood, it is naturally most suitable as a treatment for anaemia. This letter proves its efficiency in the most severe cases.

Mrs. J. Adams, Port Hope, Ont., writes: "About six years ago I was taken with very weak spells and though I doctored with the family physician and used other medicines for two years, I got very little relief and, in fact, continued to grow weaker. I was so weak I could not wait on myself or raise my hand to my head and decided to go to my daughter in Toronto. When examined by Toronto doctors they pronounced me to be in a dangerous condition, threatened with consumption and other ailments, and said I would not live for three weeks. One day I was looking through Dr. Chase's Almanac and read about the cure of anaemia by the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I began the use of this treatment at once, and am now well on the way back to health, after having used the Nerve Food for six months. I want my friends to know that my cure was effected by Dr. Chase's Nerve Food alone, and after my discouragement from the use of other treatments, I feel it my duty to let everybody know about this remarkable cure."

As a restorative for persons who are pale, weak and rundown there is no treatment to be comapred to Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. Gradually and naturally the red corpuscles are increased in the blood, the color is restored to the cheeks and the strength comes back to wasted nerves and muscles. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50c a box, 6 for $2.50, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

ECONOMY AND EDDY'S MATCHES

BUYING THE CHEAPEST ARTICLE IS OFTEN THE POOREST ECONOMY.

WE DO NOT CLAIM TO MAKE THE CHEAPEST MATCHES, BUT WE DO CLAIM TO GIVE

THE MOST OF THE BEST FOR THE LEAST MONEY

THEREFORE ALWAYS, EVERYWHERE BUY

EDDY'S MATCHES

"KEEP HEADS DOWN" WARNING GIVEN BY SAXONS TO BRITISH

Lieut. Walters Says They Are Decidedly Friendly.

DON'T LIKE CANADIANS

Germans Not in Love With Methods of Patrols and Raiders.

"Our battalion is in support for the holiday," writes Lieut. Joe Walters, formerly of The Advertiser editorial staff and now overseas in France, in a letter dated December 25, received by a member of the editorial staff. "The battalion on our right front celebrated Christmas Eve by slipping over and bagging 36 Heines. That afternoon two Huns walked over to our lines and gave themselves up. They declared that they were ill-treated, ill-fed and that they were tired of endless bloodshed and war. From information received from them, a bombing raid was carried out, which resulted as above.

"Don't know who's across from us now, but think it must be the Saxons. One can always tell when Prussian battalions are across in the Hun trenches, because there is more activity. Last week a mysterious white sign was raised above the Hun parapet. On it was inscribed: 'Keep your heads down till after the 23rd.'

Tip Was Good.

"Apparently friendly Saxons were giving us a quiet tip, for the following day sniping became much more active and telling. Evidently our old battle friends, the Prussians, were in again.

"I really believe that if the rank and file of the Hun army had the ultimate 'say' they would declare for peace at any price tomorrow. I wish you could see how contentedly the prisoners walk behind our trenches along the lines of communication. One Tommy can guard half a hundred of them.

"In the Somme all that was necessary was to point out the way to hundreds of captured Heines to the rear and they hustled off out of gun range on their own account. Apparently they never thought of treachery. All they wanted was to get out of the Canadians' terrible artillery fire.

Don't Like Canadians.

"The Hun doesn't like the Canuck Tommy. He does not approve of his methods of fighting. You have probably heard that when our Canadians take over a part of the line almost at once they take over 'No Man's Land' as well, at least so far as night work is concerned.

"Our battle patrols, with their deadly Mills bombs, are not exactly favored by Fritz. Our scouts and raiding parties that steal through his wire and take his sentries out of his trenches and get away before he knows what has happened have 'got his goat'. He has the 'wind-up,' as they say out there, frequently bombing his own wire and sweeping it with machine guns during the night, alarmed by fancied noises.

"The Mills grenade and the sharp bayonet, backed by a husky Canuck, make an unfortunate trio for Fritz and a bad combination to work against."

Sheet Music Sale.

Popular and operatic music, 5c a copy, six for 25c. Mason & Risch, 248 Dundas street. 81c

LODGE OF INSTRUCTION FOR ROYAL ARCH MASONS

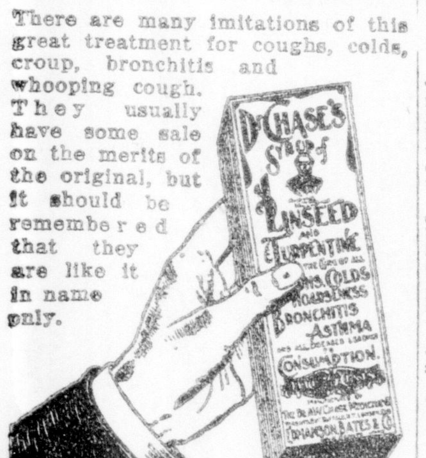
Degrees Exemplified Under Direction of Rt. Ex. Comp. O. S. Clarke of Point Edward.

The Royal Arch Masons of London District No. 2 are holding a lodge of instruction at the Masonic Temple this afternoon and evening, under the direction of Rt. Ex. Comp. O. S. Clarke, Pt. Edward. Masons from all over the district are in attendance. At 2 o'clock this afternoon, the M. M. degree was worked by the local chapters, with Ex. Com. L. A. Boss, of London Chapter presiding. The work was done in splen[illegible] [illegible] o'clock the M. E. M. degree [illegible]plified by the Wawanosh [illegible]nia. The visitors did some rea[illegible]ent work, and were most favora[illegible]eceived. Dinner will be served [illegible] building, and at 7:30 o'clock the local Masons will put on the Royal Arch degree, with Ex. Comp. George E. Logan, of St. George's Lodge presiding. Among the prominent Masons visiting the chapter are M. Ex. Comp. W. S. R. Murch, Toronto, Grand Z., M. Ex. Comp. George Moore, Hamilton, Grand Treasurer, and Rt. Ex. Comp. H. T. Smith of Toronto, Grand Scribe E.

Flattering to the Original

But Imitations Only Disappoint

There are many imitations of this great treatment for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis and whooping cough. They usually have some sale on the merits of the original, but it should be remembered that they are like it in name only.



This is a facsimile of the package bearing portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D.

USE "TIZ" IF FEET ACHE, BURN, PUFF UP

Can't Beat "Tiz" for Sore, Tired, Swollen, Calloused Feet or Corns.

You can be happy-footed in a moment. Use "Tiz" and never suffer with tender, raw, burning, blistered, swollen, tired, smelly feet. "Tiz" and only "Tiz" takes the pain and soreness out of corns, callouses and bunions.

As soon as you put your feet in a "Tiz" bath, you just feel the happiness soaking in. How good your poor old feet feel. They want to dance for joy. "Tiz" is grand. "Tiz" instantly draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up your feet and cause sore, inflamed, aching, sweaty, smelly feet.

Get a 25-cent box of "Tiz" at any drug store or department store. Get instant foot relief. Laugh at foot sufferers who complain. Because your feet are never, never going to bother or make you limp any more.

LOCAL NEWS

TO CHANGE PATRICIA.—A permit was issued this morning to Halls, [illegible] ed, for alterations to the Patricia Dance Hall, to equip it for moving pictures, amounting to $2,200.

MARKERS DELAYED.—The 1917 motor vehicle markers will not be ready for distribution until February 15th next. In the meantime 1916 permits will be valid until that date. This is the official word received in the city.

COL. SUTHERLAND HERE.—Col. Sutherland, officer commanding No. 2 Construction Battalion, is in the city today in connection with the organization of his battalion. He is staying at the Tecumseh House.

BOARD OF WORKS TO MEET.—The board of works of the city council will meet this evening to discuss routine business. There is much to be covered, but nothing of striking importance.

THREE DISCHARGED.—Among recent discharges are Gunner C. Rhodes, a minor, from the 63rd Battery; Pte. Charles Hawkins, medically unfit, from the 186th Battalion; Pte. J. D. Ames from No. 1 Special Service Company, to work in war munitions.

MORE RECRUITS.—Recent recruits obtained at Windsor, for the overseas detachment Canadian Engineers, Carling Heights are: A. Boyd, N. Cox and A. J. Watkins, Englishmen by birth; W. A. Stewart, Canadian, and A. E. Pence, Cherubusco, Indiana.

CLAIMS $268.—The Cross Fertilizer Company of Sydney, Cape Breton, has taken action in the county court against J. C. Reid of McGillivray Township, the company claiming $268.75 as the amount of goods sold and delivered, to wit, 20 tons of slag.

HAS SISTER HERE.—Pte. J. Attwell V. Rutherford, who was recently officially reported missing and believed to have been killed on January 5th last, was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Rutherford of Saskatoon, Sask. Mrs. J. A. Simmons of that city, and Mrs. William McDaniel of 1040 King street, this city, are sisters.

WANTS ORDER CHANGED—In the appellate division of the supreme court at Toronto yesterday, a motion was made by E. C. Cattanach to vary the minutes of order, as to the question of costs in connection with the West Nissouri Continuation School case. By consent, Justice Riddell will dispose of the motion.

PATRIOTIC MEETING.—Rev. Dr. Alfred Hall, captain, and chaplain of the British navy, will address a mass meeting of patriotic women of London in Cronyn Hall, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, under the auspices of the Municipal Chapter I. O. D. E. All citizens are invited to attend this meeting.

COMING ON THURSDAY.—The party of returned men recently reported at Quebec expected to arrive in this city at 11:15 on Thursday morning, via the C. P. R. Included in the party is Sergt. Jimmie Murray, D. C. M., son of Scott Murray, King street. It is expected that "Sergt. Jimmie" will be given a great reception, as his friends in this city are legion.

DRAFT SAFE IN ENGLAND.—Word has been received by Major Shaw, Canadian Army Dental Corps, Carling Heights, that the last draft sent overseas from the Dental Corps had arrived safely in England. The members of the draft left here in charge of Capt. E. F. McGregor, on December 12 and arrived on December 29. After being held in quarantine for two weeks, it is now located at Bramshott Camp.

NO WORD OF SERGT. OAKLEY.—Having expected Sergt. James Oakley to arrive with the party of returned soldiers now at Quebec, and not receiving his name among the lists of those on board the Northland, the Soldiers' Aid Commission made inquiries about him from the military authorities at Quebec. Today word was received that there was nothing known of him in Quebec and no record of his arrival in Canada.

ESCAPING FROM GERMANY.—An interesting revelation of conditions in Germany before the outbreak of war was made by Dr. F. Louis Barber of the Colborne Street Methodist Church, speaking in the Sunday school of the Wellington Street Methodist Church Monday night. Dr. Barber was in Germany when war broke out and his account of his escape from the hostile territory was a particularly thrilling one. Miss Edna Brownlee of Grey street sang two solos.

STOPPED TREE CUTTING.—Employees of the utilities commission endeavored to cut down trees in front of the Lord Roberts School on Princess avenue today, and the neighbors protested vigorously. The matter was taken up with Thomas Rowe, chairman of the board of education, who protested against this vandalism. He communicated with Chairman Pocock of the utilities commission, and it is expected that the trees will be saved. Many protests have been heard throughout the city about the needless cutting down of trees.

EXHIBIT AND DEBATE. — Two teams composed of members of the London branch of the Ontario Vegetable Growers' will exhibit table carrots, lettuce, round white potatoes, white and Savoy cabbage and green onions in bunches of six at the city hall on February 3. A feature of the evening will be a debate, "Resolved, that opportunity means more for a boy's success than ability." The affirmative will be taken by Messrs. Baker, Lucas and Moulton; the negative by Messrs. Davis, Fuller and Dengate.

BATTERIES SHOW UP WELL.—Co. Georges Roy, inspector of horse, field and heavy artillery, this morning inspected the 63rd Battery, at Queen's Park Camp. On Monday he inspected the 64th Battery at Guelph. He expressed himself as very much pleased with the condition and ability of both units.

CLASS CLOSES.—A course in bayonet fighting and physical training has been finished at the district school at Stratford. The school was in charge of Capt. Forneret, and the entire staff of instructors was composed of returned men. The examinations were held on Monday and the results were highly satisfactory. The class proved to be one of the best ever graduated by the school.

TWELVE DIRECTORS TO BE ELECTED TO FAIR BOARD

Annual Meeting To Be Held on February 14 at City Hall.

The annual meeting of the Western Fair Association will be held on February 14 in the city hall.

The most important business will be the election of twelve directors to the Western Fair board. The old directors are: Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore, Controller J. H. Saunders, W. McNeil, T. H. Smallman, A. T. Little, Jeffrey Hale, W. E. Robinson, Capt. T. E. Robson, R. A. Carrothers, W. M. Spencer, John Pringle, and E. S. Crawford.

Two other directors have failed to receive election. William Moore formerly came from the East Middlesex Agricultural Society, but legal difficulties in the way of residence prevented his appointment from this organization. W. W. Gammage came from the city council, but he is not eligible this year.

There may be some interesting developments at the annual meeting.

OPTOMETRISTS HAVE NO DESIRE FOR TITLE

Don't Want To Be Called Doctors, They Claim.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Jan. 30.—Mr. Justice Hodgins at the medical commission hearing today heard evidence regarding optometry. Dr. Arrell of Hamilton, representing the Academy of Medicine, said the academy objected to the suggestion that the board should be appointed to examine and license those supplying, by purely mechanical means, glasses for defective vision. A man who had no medical training could not properly examine eyes. W. H. Fennell, optometrist, agreed that no glasses should be supplied by optometrists, where there were diseases of the eyes. They did not want to be called doctors, he claimed.

LONDON TO HAVE A REAL PHOTOPLAY WITH LONDON PEOPLE AS THE ACTORS

Film To Be Produced in This City, the Participants To Be Chosen by a Popularity Contest.

London is to have a real home-made photoplay with London people as the "movie actors."

This announcement was made yesterday by Thomas Logan, manager of the Majestic Theatre. Arrangements have been completed except for the selection of the actors, and around this will centre a contest which promises to be of intense interest.

A popularity contest will determine who are to be the participants. This will be conducted at the Majestic Theatre during the next three weeks. The young lady who receives the largest number of votes will play the leading part and will be known as Dot, the heroine of the play. The young man who receives the largest vote will play the leading part opposite to Dot, and the most popular "kiddie" will play the leading juvenile part. There will be twelve parts in the picture and the other members of the cast will be selected from the next highest candidates.

This is not all. If London has any candidates for the movie stage, here is an opportunity to have that ambition satisfied. After the big film is shown here, it will be sent to New York, where it will be reviewed by representatives of the largest film companies in America. They may find in it a character or characters which they have long sought. Then there are others who may wish to take part just for the pleasure of seeing themselves on the screen, playing an important part in a regular photoplay. It may develop that London has a Mary Pickford, Charlie Chaplin or Francis Bushman.

The question in London during the next three weeks will be, "Who is Dot"?

If you are interested in taking part in this big film, enter your name on the nomination blank which appears herewith and send it to the Photoplay Manager at the Majestic. If you know of any friend who would like to take part, send the name in. This nomination blank will carry a credit of 1,000 votes. If you desire any further information see the photoplay manager at the Majestic.

One of the largest film-producing companies in America is coming to London to make this photoplay.

NOMINATION BLANK

GOOD FOR 1,000 VOTES.

Name ....For Leading Lady

Address ....

Name ....For Leading Man

Address ....

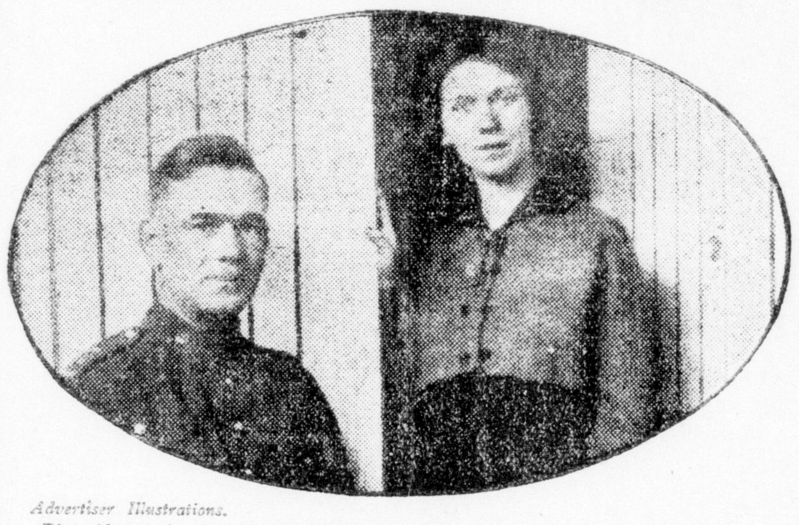
Name ....For Leading Kiddie

Address ....

Nominated by ....

Drop this nomination blank in the ballot box in the lobby of the Majestic Theatre, or mail it to the photoplay manager at the theatre. Only one nomination will be accepted.

HE DIED, PROTECTING HER



Advertiser Illustrations.

Pte. (formerly Sergeant) George Grant, one of London's volunteers, was killed in action on January 17, word being received by his widow, who is shown with him, on January 25. Pte. Grant left with the 70th Battalion and was transferred in England. He said good-bye to London on April 21, 1916, and was soon in the trenches. There he fought valiantly, without being wounded, until the day of his death. He was born in Reading, Eng., and is survived by his widow and one little boy, living at 735 Princess avenue.

VACUUM GAS COMPANY TO SUBMIT PROPOSITION

Will Offer to Supply Product Either to Commission or Consumers.

The Vacuum Natural Gas Company will make an offer to supply natural gas to the city at the meeting of No. 1 committee on Wednesday afternoon, according to advices received in the city today.

The offer will be a twofold one, to deliver the gas to the utilities commission for distribution, and the other, that the company shall distribute it.

The request of the McClary Manufacturing Company for the right to connect with the mains of the Southern Ontario Gas Company, just outside the city limits, will also be received and discussed.

The Southern Ontario Company has made no proposition, as yet, nor is it likely that one will be made.

COUNTY CAN ECONOMIZE ON BRIDGES THIS YEAR

No Big Ones To Be Built, Only Some Small Culverts.

Middlesex County will at least be able to economize this year on bridge construction, there being not one new structure of any proportions to be erected during 1917. Several thousand dollars were expended last year in the construction of new bridges the largest the Delaware bridge, being built at a cost of $17,000. Five small structures were completed last year, and with the completion of all these nothing remains to do but build small culverts and complete some now in the course of construction.

The flooring on the Wardsville and Byron bridges will be finished as soon as weather permits. That on the Wardsville bridge will be of creosoted blocks, and on the Byron structure of concrete. The Gilesite bridge will be rushed to completion in a few months, the superstructure of the old Delaware bridge having been on the ground since last October.

In the matter of road improvement mile strips in at least 30 sections of the county will be repaired.

SPRING CEREMONIAL OF MOCHA TEMPLE IN MAY

Many Candidates Receiving Preliminary Education for the Event.

The spring ceremonial session of Mocha Temple will be held in the Masonic Temple on May 11. Past Illustrious Potentate Dr. A. Roy Routledge will preside, as Capt. J. L. Richmond, the potentate, will be in England or France.

A large class of candidates is receiving preliminary education, and there will be many new features.

Invitations will be sent to a large number of shrines to come here, and pay a visit to the local Shriners.

PHOTOPLAY NEWS

"THE FOOLISH VIRGIN."

Clara Kimball Young is a name to conjure with in screen circles, and Londoners had recently an opportunity to see her in "The Common Law." It is safe to say that everyone who saw her then will go to see her this week in "The Foolish Virgin," and they will not be disappointed. To some this will be an additional revelation of her powers; others will, perhaps, consider the vehicle less worthy of her art, but none will regret a visit to the Lyric where the film is being shown. There is a good story, well dramatized and superbly acted.

The story of "The Foolish Virgin" is well known. The dreamy girl teacher who rashly marries a man sprung from the slums, without inquiring into his origin or past, finds out her mistake when on a visit to the Carolina Mountains. She discovers a true friend in the country doctor, and made comfortable and happy until the return of her reformed husband, the last scene being the sad and yet happy reunion. The scenery is beautiful; the acting, as has been said, well-nigh perfect.

A pleasing singing act is offered and an amusing, really funny picture, and interesting news of Canadian military units in training, complete a first-class program.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. J. L. Stapleton will receive informally from 4 to 6 o'clock at her home 398 Dundas street, on Wednesday, January 31.

LEFT WIFE AND SON ONE SHILLING EACH TO BUY A ROPE TO HANG THEMSELVES

Queer Bequests Made by Former Middlesex Residents in Last Wills.

Records kept at the local surrogate court, of wills filed for probate in years past show that some eccentric documents have been drawn up by Middlesex County residents, now dead. Some of these were never given publicity and beyond the court officials and families, no one ever knew of their contents.

Perhaps one of the most peculiarly worded wills, was that drawn up by an aged Middlesex farmer, whose married life apparently had not been a path of roses. Reputed to be wealthy as was afterwards proved by his last will and testament, he inserted a clause concerning his wife as follows: "To my wife—who has always been a burden to me, I bequeath a British shilling with which to purchase a rope to hang herself."

Referring to his eldest son he said, "To my son—I also bequeath a British shilling so that he may purchase a rope and hang himself."

To the remaining four children, he left his entire fortune.

Another strangely worded will was that of a man whose brother had apparently entered the ministry against his wishes. Referring to his brother he wrote: "To my brother—Now a sky-pilot, I bequeath my silver pitcher which he will no doubt disgrace by filling it with lemonade."

In the wordings of wills is frequently brought to light many instances where relatives are cut off with only small portions because of some grievance that may have been lingering with the maker of the will for years.

EXPECTED SENSATIONS IN LEAK "PROBE" FIZZLES OUT

Connection of White and von Bernstorff Lead to Expectations.

New York, Jan. 30—As unexpectedly as Sherman L. Whipple, counsel for the "leak" investigating committee, brought the name of Ambassador von Bernstorff into his examination of the German official's friends, Archibald H. White, the New York financier, he suddenly closed his direct interrogation of White today after obtaining denials from him that he had received advance information from any German official regarding any of the recent peace movements.

Having established the close relationship between White and the ambassador yesterday and questioned the witness closely about alleged efforts of Thomas Lawson to arrange a meeting with von Bernstorff, Whipple today drew an expectant audience to the hearing room. Then, with rumors of possible sensations flying fast, Whipple asked White less than half a dozen questions and turned him over to the committee for further examination.

Reading first from testimony previously taken by the committee in Washington, Whipple brought out that details of the German Government's peace proposals and President Wilson's peace note were known in German official headquarters here and in Washington before they were made public, and asked White if he received any advance information about them through such channels. White answered negatively.

MILITARY CROSS WINNER HAS RELATIVES IN CITY

Lieut. R. W. Simmie of Wiarton Lands With Party at St. John.

St. John, N. B., Jan. 30.—Returned men landing here who had won the military cross were Lieut. Simmie, Wiarton, Ont., and Lieut. F. J. Behan, Toronto. The former did good work on the Somme. He went into action with 48 men and came out of the fighting with but five uninjured. His work with the grenade section was considered most valuable.

Lieut. Behan went overseas as a private.

Other returned officers were Major G. T. Gibson and Lieut.-Col. O. E. Talbot, Quebec City, and Lieut. Boyd, Hamilton, Ont.

Lieut. R. W. Simmie, who was awarded the Military Cross, and who landed at St. John today with a party of returned men, is a nephew of A. L. Simmie, 512 English street.

His home is at Clavering, near Wiarton, his father being the owner of a sawmill there. He went overseas with a battalion from that district, and was wounded three times. His last wound was received during November, while carrying out the manoeuvre for which he was awarded the Military Cross.

Although he mentioned the engagement in letters to his relatives here, he attributed most of the credit to his men, and would accept little for himself.

It is expected that he will come to London for a few days at least.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

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

New York, Jan. 30.

	Open.	High.	Low.	1:30.
Trunk Lines and Grangers—				
Baltimore & Ohio.	80⅞	81¼	80⅞	81¼
Erie, com.........	31⅛	..	..	..
Erie, 1st pfd......	46	..	..	..
Great Northern...	116⅝	116⅞	116⅝	116⅞
G. Western, pfd..	38⅝	..	..	..
Illinois Central...	105⅝	105⅝	105¼	105¼
New Haven.......	43⅝	43¼	39½	40½
N. Y. Central....	100½	100⅝	100⅛	100⅝
Rock Island......	31½	31¾	31½	31¾
St. Paul..........	89½	89½	87¼	88½
Wabash, com....	14⅝	..	..	..
Pacifics and Southerns—				
Atchison, com....	105⅞	106⅞	105⅞	106¾
Canadian Pacific.	160	161	159¾	161
Col. Southern....	24⅛	25	24⅛	24⅞
Louis. & Nash....	130	130¼	130	130¼
Northern Pacific..	105	108⅛	107⅝	108
Southern Pacific..	96⅞	97¼	96⅜	97⅛
Southern Railway	30⅞	32⅜	30⅞	31⅜
Union Pacific.....	143⅛	143¼	142¼	143
Coalers—				
Ches. & Ohio.....	63⅛	63⅝	63¼	63⅝
Lehigh Valley....	77½	77⅞	77½	77⅞
Norfolk & West..	136½	136	136½	136
Ontario & West..	27	27	26¾	26¾
Pennsylvania	57¼	57¼	57⅛	57¼
Reading Railway.	100⅝	100⅝	98½	99⅝
Tractions—				
Brooklyn Transit.	77½	77⅝	77⅛	77⅜
Interboro, com...	15¼	..	..	..
Industrials—				
Allis-Chalmers ...	27¼	27¼	27	27
Am. Beet Sugar..	90¼	90¾	88½	90⅛
American Can...	49	49	47¼	48½
American Car....	67	..	..	..
Am. Locomotive..	75¼	76⅝	74	75¾
Am. Smelters.....	106⅝	106⅞	105¼	106⅝
Am. Tel. & Tel...	127⅜	..	..	..
Baldwin Loco....	54½	55⅜	53⅝	54¾
Central Leather..	86¼	86½	85¼	86
Corn Products....	22⅝	22⅞	21⅞	22⅞
Col. Fuel & Iron..	46½	..	..	..
Consolidated Gas.	131	131	130⅝	130⅝
Distillers	27⅛	..	..	..
General Electric..	169⅛	..	..	..
General Motors...	114½	114½	110¼	113
Goodrich Rubber..	58⅝	59⅝	58¼	59⅝
G. Northern Ore..	36	36¼	35⅝	36¼
Inter. Nickel.....	42⅝	43	42⅝	43
Ice Securities.....	28⅜	..	..	..
Maxwell Motor....	53½	54¼	53½	54¼
Marine, com......	29⅞	30	28½	29⅜
Marine, pfd.......	84⅝	85¼	83⅝	85
Studebaker	105¼	105⅜	103⅝	105
U. S. Rubber......	58⅜	59	58⅜	59
Virginia Chemical	43¼	..	..	..
Willys-Overland..	35⅝	35⅝	35½	35⅝
Coppers—				
Anaconda Copper.	82⅝	83	81⅞	83
Butte & Superior.	59⅝	50¼	49	50¼
Chino Copper.....	54⅛	54⅛	53¾	54⅛
Inspiration	56⅞	57	56⅝	57
Miami Copper....	41⅞	42	41⅝	42
Nevada Con....	24⅛	..	..	..
Utah Copper.....	105⅝	106½	104¼	106⅝
Oils—				
Am. Linseed Oil..	18	..	..	..
Cal. Petroleum...	26⅜	26½	26¼	26½
New Mexican.....	99½	100⅜	99½	100¼
Texas Oil.........	228	228	225¾	228
Steels—				
Bethlehem Steel..	435	435	421	421
Crucible Stel....	62¼	62¾	60¼	62¾
Lackawanna	84	84	83½	83¾
Pressed Steel Car.	81½	81½	79¾	81
Republic Steel....	78¼	78⅛	76¼	77⅞
U. S. Steel.......	112⅝	113¼	111⅝	113⅛
U. S. Steel, pfd...	120¼	..	..	..
Bonds—				
Anglo-French 5's.	93¼	93¼	93⅛	93¼

NEW YORK COTTON EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

New York, Jan. 30.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
March	17.26	17.29	17.18	17.19
May	17.47	17.47	17.37	17.42
July	17.40	17.41	17.34	17.40
October	16.50	16.50	16.41	16.42
December ...	16.51	16.58	16.50	16.58

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

Chicago, Jan. 30.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Wheat—					
Sept. ..	138½	138½	135¼	133½	135¼
May ...	172½	175¾	170¼	175¾	171¾
July ...	146	149½	145½	149½	145¾
Corn—					
May ...	99⅝	100⅝	99⅛	100½	99⅛
July ...	97⅞	99⅛	97½	99⅛	97⅝
Oats—					
May ...	55¾	56⅝	55	56⅝	55¾
July ...	53⅝	54⅝	53½	54⅝	53¾

CHICAGO PROVISION MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

Chicago, Jan. 30.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Pork—				
May	$29 00	$30 00	$29 62	$30 00
Lard—				
Jan.	16 55	16 55	16 55	16 55
May	16 47	16 65	16 42	16 65
Ribs—				
May	15 65	15 72	15 60	15 72

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

Winnipeg, Jan. 30.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Wheat—					
May ...	170½	175⅞	169⅝	175⅞	171¼
July ...	167¾	173½	167½	173⅛	168¼
Oats—					
May ...	57¾	59¼	57¼	59¼	57⅜
July ...	57	58¾	56⅞	58¾	56⅞
Flax—					
May ...	270	270	270	270	271¼

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

Minneapolis, Jan. 30.—Wheat—Close—May, $1 79⅞; July, $1 75⅛.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

Kansas City, Jan. 30.—Wheat—Close—May, $1 72⅝; July, $1 45½.

CLERICAL WORK FOR RED CROSS SOCIETY IN 1916 COST $584

Philip Pocock Quotes Figures To Disprove Criticisms.

NO SALARIED OFFICIALS

Administration Expenses Only Trifle Over 1 Per Cent—$1,000 Donation.

Philip Pocock, chairman of the Men's Auxiliary of the Canadian Red Cross Society here, has a complete denial to the criticisms of those who claim that there is an expensive salaried staff connected with the administration of the funds, and he simply points to the financial statement to prove his claims. The total receipts of the Canadian Red Cross here up to January 17 were $70,578.76. The disbursements were $63,273.84, which was for material, etc., which the ladies worked up, and forwarded to the boys in France. The expense was as follows: Clerical assistance, $584; stationery and printing, $132.59; postage, $104.28, and advertising, $248.61, making a total of $1,069.48. However, the London papers donated the advertising, reducing the expense by $248.61, making the net expense $820.87 for administering nearly $70,000, or a trifle over 1 per cent.

"The only expenses were the clerical assistance, and the stationery, printing and postage," said Mr. Pocock. "We pay no rent, and we have no salaried officials. The printing and postage is due to the fact that we send every contributor a circular, including the financial statement. That is necessary, and, in my judgment, good business. The balance for clerical expense is $584, or less than two-thirds of one per cent. That's cheaper than anything else could be done. Practically all the big business firms in the city give us some of their stenographers and clerks to assist. These girls, trained in the work, are most unselfish, and deserve all kinds of credit. Any person reading the financial statement can come to no other conclusion than that never was a fund more economically administered than this. I do not think it fair to the women, who devote so much time to the work, and the staff of the Huron and Erie, who oversee this work, that anonymous criticisms should be levelled at their work. There is the statement. It speak more strongly than I can."

Mr. Pocock received a letter today from E. Leonard & Sons, inclosing a check for $1,000, contribution to the fund. Mr. Leonard praises unstintingly the splendid and economical administration of the funds, and expresses the hope that the contributions to this fund may be much larger than ever, "in appreciation of the magnificent work you are doing for our beloved city."

IN POLICE COURT

A trio of persons, two male and one female, appeared in the police court dock today each charged with intoxication.

The first to answer to his name was a West London young man, a cigarmaker, who appeared today for the fifth time since prohibition went into force. Leniency has been exercised on all other occasions because of his wife and family. On the last occasion he signed an agreement to contribute more liberally to his family's support, and it was further specified in the agreement with the police magistrates that he was to be fined $50 and costs or two months in jail if he again appeared on a charge of drunkenness.

Magistrates Macklin and Dyer, true to their word, imposed the above penalty today when he pleaded guilty to the charge.

"You have a fat chance of getting the fifty, so I guess I'll take the two months," he said.

The next, a Scotchman with a musical burr to his speech, arose when his name was called, and said, "On deck, sir. I am guilty. I was visiting with my brother in Toronto and he treated me so well that I came home still drunk, but I'll not do it again."

"A somewhat frank admission, and you deserve credit for being truthful, but we must fine you the minimum amount $10 and costs," said Magistrate Macklin.

Although it is customary that "ladies come first" in other walks of life the young woman who appeared on a charge of intoxication was called last.

"I got a case from Montreal by express, and took a few shots, but I guess I took too many," she said. She was permitted to contribute $10 and costs to the city treasury.

WEDDING BELLS

DENSHAM—MEDLEY.

At the Dundas Street Centre Methodist parsonage recently Albert George Densham and Florence Medley, both of this city, were united in marriage by Rev. Amos J. Thomas. They will reside here.

CHEESE

Montreal, Jan. 29.—Cheese is quiet. Cheese—Finest westerns, 25¾c@26c; finest easterns, 25c@25½c.

New York, Jan. 29.—Cheese firm; state, whole milk flats, held, specials, 25c; do. average fancy, 24½c@24¾c.

Liverpool, Jan. 29.—Cheese—Canadian finest white, new, 145s; do, colored, new 145s.

WALL STREET.

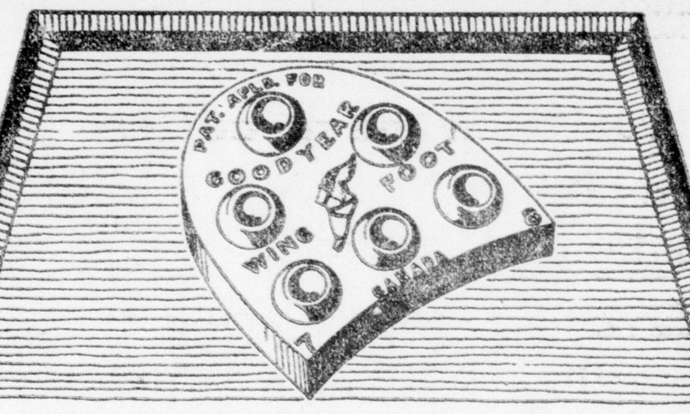
1:30 p.m.—Full recoveries were shown by a majority of the important stocks during the noon hour, Steel leading the movement. Low-priced rails, like Southern Railway, Erie, Rock Island, Wabash and Kansas City Southern, also were active and strong.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Jan. 30.—There was some activity once more on the local stock exchange this morning. There were sales of 3,723 shares of listed stocks, 4,840 mines, $16,300 bonds and a few shares of unlisted securities. Dominion Steel opened at 64¼, declined to 61½, and closed at 62¾, with 1,780 shares sold. Nova Scotia Steel opened at 110, was down to 107, but recovered to 108¾; sales, 425. Steel of Canada opened and closed at 63¾, with sales of 135 shares at from 62¾@63¾. Quotations:

[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.]

	Ask.	Bid.		Ask.	Bid.
Am Cy..	..	25	Rogers..	..	76
do pfd.	54	49	do pfd.	93	90
Barcel..	13	12¾	Russell..	80	75
Brazilian	46	45¾	do pfd.	105	102
B C Fish	60	..	Saw. pf.	66	..
Burt, c..	79	77	SWheat	140	..
do pfd.	92	..	Spanish.	17	..
C Bread.	17	16	Stl Can.	64	63½
do pfd.	86½	85	do pfd.	96¼	95½
C Car...	30½	29	T Paper.	74	72
dop fd.	72	70	Tor Ry.	83	82½
Cement.	63	62½	Tw City.	95	94
do pfd.	94½	94	Win Ry.	..	78
C S L...	34½	33¾	Banks—		
do pfd.	93¼	93	Com'rce	187	185½
CG Elec.	113	112	Dom....	..	212
C Loco..	60	57	Imperial	200½	197
do pfd.	89	88	Ottawa.	202	..
C P R...	162	161	Royal ..	212	211½
C Salt..	140	120	Toronto.	..	192
ConLife	335	320	Union...	..	138
Coniag.	440	..	Loans, etc.—		
C Smelt.	33	32	C Land.	..	158½
Con Gas.	165	164½	C Perm.	..	170
Canners.	20	18	C Invest	..	75
do pfd.	65	63	H Prov..	..	141
Detroit.	125	124½	H & E..	..	209
D Steel C	63¾	63¼	20% pd	..	196
Dom Tel.	..	90	L Bank.	..	145
Duluth..	48	45	OntLoan	..	175
Mackay.	88½	87½	T Trusts	..	211
do pfd.	68	67	T Mort..	..	140
M Leaf.	102	100	[illegible]		
do pfd.	95¾	95	C Bread.	94	93½
Monarch	41	40	C Loco..	95	..
do pfd.	81	..	Mex Elec	30	..
NStl Car	17	16	M L & P	45	35
do pfd.	65	63	Penmans	..	84½
Nipis'g.	850	810	Quebec..	69	67
NSSteel	109	108¾	Rio Jan.	..	85¾
P Burt..	29	28	S Paulo.	..	82
do pfd.	..	80	Spanish.	88	..
Petrol.	1310	1275	Stl Can.	..	97
P Rico..	42½	41	War Loan, 1925...	97⅞	97¾
Quebec..	28	27			
Riordon	123	120	War Loan, 1931...	97¾	97½



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STATES CONSIDERING MOVING ON OF CLOCKS

Big Daylight Saving Convention Opens in New York City.

New York, Jan. 30. — The national daylight saving convention opened a 2-day session here today to consider the proposition to turn the clocks of the United States one hour forward after midnight on the last Sunday of April and turn them back after midnight on the last Sunday of September.

Delegates from all over the country were present, including ten from the American Railway Association, which fixes the time zones for train schedules. Among the organizations supporting the movement are the New York Daylight Saving Committee, under whose auspices the convention is held; the Chambers of Commerce of Chicago, Boston, Cleveland, Rochester and Pittsburg; the Merchant's Association of New York and the More Daylight Club of Detroit. Marcus M. Marks, president of the borough of Manhattan, and chairman of the New York Daylight Saving committee, suggested the organization of a national daylight saving committee, with officers and members representing each part of the country, its purpose to be general education of the public daylight saving and the enactment of legislation to make it nation-wide. A committee was appointed to place the plan before the United States Chamber of Commerce conference in Washington.

WESTERN MINERS RETURN TO WORK GRADUALLY

Resuming Mining Pending Final Settlement of Difficulties.

Fernie, B. C., Jan. 30.—The miners of district No. 18 are gradually returning to work pending a final settlement of the difficulty. Hillcrest and Frank miners decided last night to resume operations this morning. Blairmore is now the only camp in the pass remaining idle, and it is expected that the camp will fall into line as the result of the meeting today. A consultation has been arranged for today of the miners at Tabor, Lethbridge, Coalhurst and Chinook with a view to these camps calling off the present sectional strike. The camps at Fernie, Michel, Coleman and Carbondale resumed work yesterday after idle periods varying from two days to two weeks.

BRIGADIER-GENERAL LONG BRILLIANT, BRAVE, MODEST

Saved Wounded Man at Risk of Life Then Enjoined Secrecy.

London, Jan. 30—Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.—Brig.-Gen. Walter Long, son of Right Hon. Walter Hume Long, secretary of state for the colonies, who has been killed in action, was educated at Harrow. He left Harrow in 1898, was gazetted to the Scots Greys in 1899, and proceeded with his regiment to South Africa. In November of that year he participated in the relief of Kimberly. He was badly wounded at Dronfield the following day. He was mentioned in dispatches several times and gained the D. S. O.

On returning to duty after recovering from his wounds he was appointed aide-de-camp to Gen. Bruce Hamilton and served throughout the campaign. On returning to England he became aide-de-camp to Sir Barry Scobell, commanding the 1st Cavalry Brigade at Aldershot. This appointment he resigned in order to return to his regiment.

He then went to India as an additional aide-de-camp to Gen. Creagh, and subsequently went to Canada as aide-de-camp to H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught. He later rejoined his regiment, and had just been examined for the staff college when war broke out. He went to France with his regiment and was at the front through all the early part of the war, including the retreat from Mons. It was said he saved a wounded man at the risk of his own life, but enjoined the man he rescued to tell no one of the incident.

He was promoted major commanding a squadron and then given command of a battalion of the Wilts and given a brevet lieutenant-colonel'cy. He was made brigadier last November, and fell at the head of his brigade on Saturday, January 27.

After the fighting on the Somme, the general of the brigades commanding his division wrote: "His services are invaluable. His cheery laugh worth a battalion." He spoke in the highest terms of the way he had done his duty. The late Brig.-Gen. Long was mentioned in dispatches several times by Gens. French and Haig, and was given a companionship in the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St.

George.

He was a keen sportsman, a good cricketer and poloist, and played both games with his regiment. He was a fine horseman, and won a great many steeplechases. He was champion lightweight boxer of Harrow, and for two years was middleweight champion of the British army. He was always most keen on his duties.

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LONDON'S OBLIGATION.

LONDON will give, and give without taxation, all that the patriotic fund and Canadian Red Cross Society require from her; she will prove herself glad and eager to subscribe. This is the message sent out by thos in charge of organizing the campaign, and it is for the people of the city to "make good" these patriotic sentiments. That they will do so, without asking the city council to raise one cent of the amount, The Advertiser does not doubt for a moment.

The sum total asked for these two patriotic schemes from London is $300,000. Of this amount, roughly, $200,000 will go to the patriotic fund, and $100,000 to the Red Cross.

This is no great sum when compared with the gifts of other cities. Hamilton, with not nearly double London's population, has given $500,000 to the patriotic fund; Brantford, less than half the size of this city, has given $130,000 to the same fund; Ottawa has done equally well, and Toronto, with perhaps ten times as many people as we have here, has donated $2,500,000, exclusive of what the city council has given. In no case does this include donations to the Red Cross Society, which will be supported separately in these other centres. From these figures it will be seen that London is only asked to give 40 per cent of the sum readily subscribed in Hamilton, and it can never be said that the people of the Ambitious City exceed us in patriotism.

In deciding to raise all that is needed by voluntary subscriptions, the organizers of the campaign have expressed a confidence and faith in the people which ought to, and will, cause a glow of pride in everyone who takes the slightest interest in the cause. Conscription of money, whether by municipality or government, is unnecessary here, and this fact will be impressed on the whole Dominion when London hands over, willingly and eagerly, $200,000 to look after the dependents of soldiers and the wounded on the fields of battle for 1917.

There is much to be said in favor of this voluntary method; almost the same arguments apply in this connection as in recruiting, and while it is possible to get the required men without compulsion, no one urges that force be used. But there is an additional argument; almost certainly there will be fewer attempts made to impose on the fund when it is known that every cent is freely given, not extracted by law.

London has never been behind in giving for a good cause when the call came, and never in her history has a better cause been placed before her. To fail would be a disgrace, but of that there is no fear. Sir George Gibbons, Sir Adam Beck and others have staked their reputation, practically, on getting the money without recourse to taxation, and they have mapped out the campaign and assured themselves of its success.

At this date there is no need to say how deserving are the funds of all possible support. If there is anyone in the city who does not realize the magnificent work both branches are doing, reiteration will not force it upon his consciousness. Nothing will, unless it be that he should some time feel the need and get relief from one or other.

For the campaign, here's a prophecy of success, and an earnest wish that the prophecy be fulfilled.

GOOD OLD TIMES.

SCARCITY OF potatoes makes us think of times long ago when the all-important tuber was known only to American Indians and wild swine or other wild animals that grubbed it up. Our Saxon ancestors got along without potatoes, corn, peaches, turkey, rice, bananas, oranges, lemons, sugar and tobacco. No chocolate bonbons, no cigarettes, in those days! No tea or coffee. Was there good butter? Some of us get along without a number of these things, too; but our ancestors were not tantalized by the sight of them heaped up in fascinating shop windows, with impossible prices ticketed on them. There could not have been any H. C. L. problem in such a time. Eggs and milk were probably almost free.

INSULTING

THE NEWS that the German emperor intends to promote Franz Bopp, the consul-general at San Francisco recently sentenced for neutrality violations, cannot be very gratifying to Americans. That the new German representative at San Francisco should make this announcement is a public insult to the United States. Insult is added to the many injuries which have been inflicted.

Prussianism has long been insulting, bullying and assaulting civilization, both openly and secretly. It has done so because feeling that it had the brute strength to overcome all opposition. In 1896 the kaiser sent a telegram to Kruger congratulating him on the repulse of a British raiding expedition. Since then, insolence has been heaped on insolence.

Now that the bully has been met and held, and is face to face with possible annihilation, the insolent habit survives the power that made it formidable. The insult hurled at the United States courts on the evening of the kaiser's birthday is simply from a habit.

It was at a meeting of Germans in San Francisco, celebrating the sacred day, that this latest insult, practically a contempt of the United States courts, was delivered. Americans have been famous for trampling on obtrusive foreign flags. Are they afraid of the German skull-and-crossbones? Do they allow the Jolly Roger of the Hohenzollern to be flicked in their faces on the Head Dynamiter's birthday? At any rate a crowd of Huns, denizens of a republic, are such good citizens of it as to hold unmolested a joyous gathering on a European despot's birthday, sing hoch-hochs to his name, and roar applause to an insulting blackguard who promises that a convict from the republican courts shall be rewarded for his crimes against liberty and civilization by a promotion when he gets out of jail.

CANADIAN JANUARY.

WHAT A GLORIOUS January day was Sunday. The sun shone and the wind hid itself, the snow gleamed clean and dry, the air was an elixir. Any who have run away to the Gulf of Mexico or Florida would wish themselves back at home for a day like that, though we have many a day no doubt in our blustery season to which a particular person might prefer the warm and heavy humidity of the South.

Shelley, the poet, who fled to Italy in fear of consumption, sang some pleasant songs of splendid days in Lombardy or at Naples. The Italian sky has found a hundred poets, home and foreign, to give it praises. Here in Canada the January days offer themselves to any poet who will come along. Perhaps our old friend Bill will "tittle up his rustic rede" once more, and expecting him, we leave off right here with a toast to January now departing from our midst, coupling therewith the name of Bill or the The Old 'Un, whichever tunes up first.

A PRECEDENT.

WOODROW WILSON has been hailed by some few people as the apostle of a new and lofty ideal of peace, as exemplified in his speech to the United States Senate. And while the press in the Allied countries does not consider him practical in his views, not a few English and French papers give him credit for sincerity and appear to consider him original. An amusing commentary, however, has come to light in the publication by a prominent English writer, Frederick Harrison, who has unearthed a communication from the emperor of Brazil to President Lincoln during the American civil war. A synopsis appeared in Friday's issue, but it is worth reviewing. It seems the Brazilian ruler also appealed to the belligerents to stop fighting, just as President Wilson has now done, and for the same reasons. He said: "I speak in the name of humanity and of the neutrals of South America, whose industry and commerce are seriously affected by this most unaccountable war. The Confederate states assure me that they are quite ready to discuss peace. When the Federals can show the same attitude peace will be made." He adds: "There must be peace, I say, without victory. Both of you want the same object, and neither of you can get all you want. The foundation of peace is equality of states." And this final extract sounds very familiar: "I speak for the friends of humanity in every nation. My voice is that of true liberty throughout the world. These are Brazilian principles, and they are the sacred principles of manhood."

Either President Wilson has been indulging in a little plagiarism, or else his mind operates on similiar lines to the late Don Pedro of Brazil. It is to be hoped that, as a matter of courtesy, the Allied Governments and press will treat his peace effort with more consideration that President Lincoln gave to the Brazilian peace note. Mr. Harrison tells us that Lincoln did not answer Brazil at all, but is reported to have said to his secretary: "Take no notice of this hypocritical swaggerer. The devil might as well preach a sermon that the only godly peace was to give men and nations free play to break the decalogue."

Free play to break the decalogue is what a peace without victory would mean in the present war. The great war president of the United States had sound views of the immorality of a peace based on immunity to criminals. His successor at Washington today is a gentleman and a scholar; and no one doubts that he sincerely desires peace in the interests of humanity in general and the United States in particular. But with all his study of modern conditions he does not seem to have grasped the idea that gave rise to the war, and the ideal that must prevail if enduring peace is to follow it. He really does not seem to know what the belligerents are fighting for, and is, therefore, no judge of the essentials of peace.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Canadian soldiers are honored wherever they go. Even faction-torn Ireland lays down the shillalah to welcome the Canadian Rangers.

The war is over. Duty is done and the soldiers return home to take up their former life once more. This refers to "the Mexican war," of course.

High positions in countries at peace do not guarantee safety from attack. Even such potentates as King Alfonso and President Wilson are threatened by train wreck or the consequences of a leak.

Sir Sam still busies himself about military matters. On the other hand we hear very little from Mr. Kemp. It evidently takes time for a minister of militia to attract attention, and also to lose it.

THE NIGHTMARE



—N. Y. Evening Telegram.

THE ADVERTISER'S DAILY SHORT STORY

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A HERO'S CUE.

By Sylvia Turner.

"Heroism," said Dr. Marley at the dinner table, "is largely a matter of accidental coincidence——"

"Coincidence must be accidental," interjected Roland jocularly.

"And a certain excitable reaction, mental, of course, wherein the hero feels irresistibly impelled to act in accordance with the exigencies of the moment."

There was a silence at the tables where Mrs. Bardwell's paying guests took their evening meal. When the doctor felt called upon to explain, there was always silence. The doctor felt it was a respectful silence, and Roland said to let him dream in peace. But Frances glanced up with a little laughing glance at Roland, and Miss Brockway gave vent to an audible sigh. Opposite Frances sat Williams, absorbed as usual in his own thoughts, and eating too fast.

"Do you agree with that, Mr. Williams?" asked Miss Brockway tactlessly.

"Yes," said Williams, without parley. "No man is a hero who sets the stage and acts a part. It is purely involuntary."

The doctor beamed at him from across the room. He had not noticed Williams specially before. He was a newcomer, whereas the doctor was as permanent a fixture as the blue-globed gas jets overhead.

Miss Brockway regarded him with a reserved and maidenly interest also. She had not liked the way he read newspapers at the table before, but, she decided, it had evidently produced in him a firm and decisive mind. But Frances smiled, a provoking little one-sided smile, and Williams saw it. He gave her one straight, level glance of rebuke, and knew in his heart it was not even seen.

After dinner, as usual, he avoided the congregation of kindred souls out on the front steps and in the double parlors. Roland always joined them, but Williams went on up to the back room they shared in common and went after his engineering books with a certain savage avidity. It was late when he finished, about 11:30. Roland came up, humming a fragment of Hawaiian melody he had caught from Mrs. Bardwell's preserved harmony. He spoke of the new moon and of Frances' dancing.

"Some girls are merely spectacular, but she has soul and intelect," said Roland. "She is not exactly what you'd call beautiful Tom, but she's tantalizing and interesting. Did you know she was from Kentucky, too?"

Williams nodded his head impersonally. Yes, he knew she was from Kentucky, and he knew some of her cousins at college, and he'd met her father once, or, at least had heard him make an address on Kentucky's great and glorious heritage of preserving the thoroughbred type on the American turf. He was from Kentucky, too, but he didn't think it was the only state in the Union. This yoking oneself to a patch of earth when the world lay in front of one as a field of endeavor made Williams weary. He slammed his books down on top of the desk, and started for bed, merely requesting his roommate to drop Hawaii into the seventh circle of horrors.

It was far into the night when he wakened with the muscles of his throat taut and stinging. When he opened his eyes he faced a gun-metal colored mist. Making for the window in a quick dive, he opened it wide, drew in the keen air deeply and turned around to rouse Roland. It took more than a friendly call or a touch on the shoulder. Williams wasted no time, but splashed water in his face and told him to get out in the halls and rouse the people, while he found the source of the fire.

"Ring in an alarm," he called, as he slapped a Turkish towel out of cold water and held it around his face and nostrils in the down rush through the halls. And from then on until he was fished out unconscious from the subcellar by the firemen Williams dropped out of moral ken, but Ronald discovered involuntary heroism. He was in his pajamas with a raincoat thrown hastily over them, going from door to door rousing the slumbering boarders. Also, he went to the corner and turned in the fire alarm, rather dazedly. And when he came back he met the full contingent of Mrs. Bardwell's household coming downstairs with their most precious belongings clasped in their arms. The doctor bore his typewriter and a suitcase, Miss Brockway a pillowcase full of valuables and aromatic ammonia on hand for emergencies. But Frances stood out on the front steps in a corduroy robe, with a long cloak around her.

"Have you seen Mr. Williams anywhere?" she asked. "The firemen are coming, aren't they?"

"Oh, yes," Roland assured her, happily. "I have just turned in the alarm. I don't think it's dangerous yet, though. Only, of course, the smoke. We might all have been suffocated."

"That's what they are saying," answered Frances. "It was good you wakened in time."

Now right there was Roland's chance, and he missed it because the doctor spied him, and hailed him as a hero. So did Miss Brockway, almost fainting on his shoulder, and offering him the aromatic ammonia hysterically. So did each and every one of the survivors, individually and severally. He had roused them and saved their lives. Roland almost believed it himself, especially when he caught Frances's smile. It was amused, but it was amazingly friendly, too.

"My boy," said the doctor, feelingly, "we can never forget this night or repay you. You took your life in your hands going through those smoke-filled halls."

"Without a thought of himself," Mrs. Bardwell added. "It has saved me hundreds of dollars.

Then came the engines outside and the firemen. And Clarence, the colored waiter, emerged from the basement entrance gasping and the bearer of tidings.

"It's a boiler of clothes done got left on de laundry stove," he explained, "and Mister Williams he's down dere in de smoke right by de furnace. He put ue fire out all by hisself."

Two stalwart firemen bore Williams up out of the laundry in the sub-cellar. it was a bad anu-climax. He was unconscious and blackened, and his hands were burned and his eyebrows and hair were singed. And while everyone worried and tended to him Frances turned just once to Roland and asked:

"Didn't you know he was down there?"

"Why—er—yes," replied Roland, earnestly. "You see, he wakened me first and told me to ring in the alarm and rouse everybody——"

"And you forgot him?"

"Frances, I just this minute got back from sending in the alarm——"

"This minute?" Frances' eyebrows raised. "What an instantaneous response the department gave you! You might have told someone that he was down there, you know—there was time while they were praising the hero."

And then William opened his eyes, and said quite anxiously and impulsively before everyone:

"Frances!"

"I'm here, Tom." She went over to the big couch where he lay and gave him her hands, even with Miss Brockway's eyes upon them.

"Everybody safe?"

"Every one," she assured him.

"It was only that blamed laundry stove," he muttered, "but the smoke got me by the throat——"

The doctor turned around and softly left the parlor. After him went Miss Brockway and Mrs. Bardwell, and the rest, last of all Roland, and left the two from Kentucky alone. Clarence, fanning himself on the front steps, encountered Roland.

"Did you save anything of importance, Mr. Wade? Seems like everybody jes grab what dey don't want in a fire and leave all dey need behind."

"I lost everything," answered Roland with dignity. "Not even hope is left at the bottom."

"Never you mind," Clarence smiled. "Mister Williams saved dat bunch of washing, and your shirts was right on de bottom."

But the ex-hero was silent, and in the front parlor there was silence, too, until Frances came out with a little happy smile on her face, and a wee smudge of black on her cheek.

Wait a Minute!

By J. H. F.

After all, some foolish virgins have swell "lamps."

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A piece played on the organ recently had the charm of wild strawberries, says an inspired reporter. This could be easily agreed to if there was no drouth hereabouts. It's a tough load to carry now.

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A businessman on the market Saturday bought a dozen eggs, perfectly fresh, from a lady. He took them to his office and commenced to brag about them. A visitor wanted to see them, and he opened the bag. The friend counted them and discovered only nine eggs. The businessman tore his hair and started in a mad pursuit of the lady who cheated him. We used "businessman" sarcastic like.

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Men will wear kimono sleeves in their coats next year, we hear. We will order our suit this year. Cute idea, ain't it?

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A New York traffic officer has been given a legacy of $30,000 for helping a woman across the street. The worst of being polite is that everybody has not got $30,000.

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A Japanese farmer has made $1,000,000 in ten years in California, growing potatoes. Wish you could grow eggs that way?

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It is estimated that 60,000 persons hit the trail at Billy Sunday's meetings in Boston. However, they kept the saloons open to allow for an easy and expeditious comeback.

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Quebec, apparently, is satisfied with the way that the Borden Government is handling recruiting in that province. Judging from the returns from Dorchester, Quebec seems to enjoy it mightily. The trouble is that the other provinces do not relish it.

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Now that the influence of Sir Wilfrid Laurier has been broken in Quebec (see reports in the Conservative press) look out for a general election.

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"Actress tells secrets," says a headline. We quit reading it as soon as we found out it was some new bunion cure. We thought she was going to say a spoonful about the neighbors.

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President Wilson is an idealist, and it looks as if he is mighty far from home on this universe at this moment. Some day ideals will be worth something.

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A woman looks often into her mirror, but she should get one that will show her feet in the white spats. It would cure her.

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London may have an aviation school. Probably to shoot down the tax-rate.

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Steward, the murderer of Jackson, blames a hair-trigger for the killing. The revolver was in the hands of a hair-brained crook, and that caused the murder.

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We are going to have some cold weather, we hear. The first thing you know winter will be in our midst.

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A Hula Hula dancer started a stampede at a church meeting in Sioux City on Sunday. No, Gladys, the men did not run out.

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Somebody tried to kill the king of Spain the other day. They did not succeed. Probably the bullet hit him in the head.

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A California girl has sent King George a pair of pink pyjamas. Mercy. She wants to start a regular row, forsooth.

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An Indiana woman wants to banish corsets. Yes, she looks the part. You know the kind.

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A Chicago woman, the widow of a Chinaman, is going to marry an Indian. Hope she lives long enough to complete her color scheme.

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A novelist says that at heart every woman is a cave woman. Mayhap. Still a lot of them like fudge and cigarettes.

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A chap named Dollar has given $50,000 to a theological college. He seems to want to try and make his dollars pray for Dollar.

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A New York chap named Ferrier has tramped 180,000 miles. He must be a regular on Broadway.

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The hens are now laying for the folks, and a few lucky souls are getting theirs. The hens lay for the speculators, and the speculators lay for the consumers, as a gent puts it, but now we are getting a few by the underground method. Lay, you pullet, lay.

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LIGHTS OUT.

"Lights out!" along the land,
"Lights out!" upon the sea;
The night must put her hiding hand
O'er peaceful towns, where children sleep,
And peaceful ships that darkly creep
Across the waves as if they were not free.

The dragons of the air,
The hell-hounds of the deep,
Lurking and prowling everywhere,
Go forth to seek their helpless prey,
Not knowing whom they maim or slay,
Mad harvesters who care not what they reap.

Out with the tranquil lights!
Out with the lights that burn
For love of law and human rights!
Set back the clock a thousand years;
All they have gained now disappears,
And the Dark Ages suddenly return.

You that let loose with death
And terror in the night,
God grant you draw no quiet breath
Until the madness you began
Is ended, and long-suffering man,
Set free from war lords, cries, "Let there be light!"

—Henry Van Dyke, in Philadelphia Ledger.

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Some automobiles shine, and others are simply shines. Let's flivver.

THE LITERARY TRAWLER

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[From Today.]

THE DANGER OF IGNORANCE.

Ignorance may be bliss, but it is never safety.—William Archer, in the Daily News.

SHALL WE TRY CHRISTIANITY?

The urgency of problems such as the persistence of war and the illusions of peace has never been seriously regarded by our educators. Having tried in succession churches, conscriptions, cosmopolitanism, trade, nationality, representation, congresses and tribunals of every pattern as prophylactics, we shall have perhaps in the end by a process of exhaustion to try Christianity. The playing fields may help us to win wars, but scarcely to evade them. Knowledge is the unique specific with history and sociology (both in their infancy) as its surest stepping-stones.—Thomas Seccombe, in the New Witness.

MACHINES AND MEN.

The disposition of the military expert is still to think too little of machinery and to demand too much of men. He makes irrational demands for men, and for the wrong sort of men. Behind our front at the present time there are, for example, many thousands of cavalry, men tending horses men engaged in transporting bulky fodder for horses, and the like. These men are doing about as much in this war as if they were at Timbuctoo.—H. G. Wells, in the Daily Chronicle.

MAN AND MACHINES.

We believe that we are fighting as Men for Man vesus the Machine. Most of us are uncomfortably sensible that we have been victims of the machine in politics, in religion, and in general education. Today, the war-machine, the most ruthless of all machines holds us in its grip. We are being ground fine—how fine not even Mr. Wells can tell us. Probably we have come to one definite conclusion; that Man is greater than any Machine. Humanity has been torpedoed but Humanity remains immortal, whereas machines are eventually scrapped.—Horace Annesley Vachell, in the Daily News.

THE FOOD CORNERERS.

To corner food and artificially raise its cost during war-time was a crime which the law should put down, and the law so far has only gone to the length of a rather serious threat as to what it would do. The war could only be won by work—in the workshop as well as on the battlefield—and the workman had a right to look to his country to do the right thing by him, as he had done by his country.—J. R. Clynes, M. P., at Huddersfield.

A PACIFIST DEFINED.

A pacifist is one who is open to discuss terms of peace—before the Allies shall have entered Vienna, Constantinople and Berlin.—Frederic Harrison, in the Morning Post.

"PLEASE SEND SOCKS"

[By Eva Saul.]

Over the sea the call comes,
Ringing loud and clear,
Mothers, wives and sisters
Friends and sweethearts dear.
Wouldn't it make your heart ache,
Though they were hard as rocks,
The call of our splendid soldiers,
"Please, send socks!"

Tommy down in the trenches
Among the mud and rocks
Soon as he can he wrenches
Off his frozen socks.
While he tries to dry them,
Feet stinging, cold and bare,
"Wouldn't it be heaven, boys,
If we had another pair?"

Men can face an army,
Shot, or shell, or sleet,
If they only can be
Comfy in their feet.
They are bravely fighting on
Bearing many a scar,
Our duty nobly done
Helps to win the war.

Some of us proudly wearing
Last year's hats and clothes
So we may do our share in
Buying wool for hose.
All down the line are working,
The lighthearted and the true,
But somewhere someone is shirking;
Surely, it can't be you,

None of us now receiving,
Or planning fancy teas,
All are knitting, weaving,
Busy as hives of bees.
If you bravely do your part
Till the war is done,
Joy will reign within your heart
When your crown is won.

All across the heavens then
Like a jubilee,
"Inasmuch as unto them
Ye did it unto me."
And the Master blessing you
All the heavens shall ring
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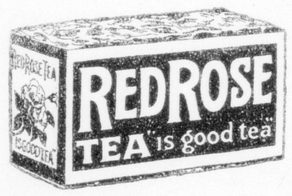
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Harry Lauder's Address.

Dear Miss Grey,—Would you please inform me as to the best way of obtaining "Harry Lauder's" present address? SWEET WILLIAM.

Ans.—The famous songster's home address is given as Laudervale, Duncon, Scotland, and no doubt a missive addressed to him there will eventually find him.

Written in Trenches.

Somewhere in France,
Jan. 3, 1917.

Dear Miss Grey,—Excuse writing, spelling, etc., as I am writing this letter in the trenches, and Fritz is giving us —— with his iron rations. But I do hope the girls of Canada will urge the young fellows of Canada to come out here and give us old veterans a rest. Hurrah, 70th, give the slackers a talking to; tell them to don the khaki and be men. Remind them of our home-coming, and how ashamed they will feel, or should feel, and a few "beatings up" they will get for prolonging the war. Now I must conclude as the atmosphere around here is a little too warm to write, so au revoir,
DETONATOR BILL.

Ans.—You have never written us before, have you, "Bill?" But we'll hope you may do so again, and that you are giving Fritz as good as he is sending to you.

Could Not Obtain Them.

Can you supply the following information:

What is the strength of the different denominations (church) in Canada?

2. The same in Ontario?

3. How many soldiers belonged to each in Canada?

4. How many soldiers belonged to each in Ontario?

Hoping I have not asked too much, I remain, J. M.

Ans.—I could not locate figures for Ontario, nor the number belonging to each denomination who wear the uniform. I do not know where you could obtain this latter, except from the militia department at Ottawa.

These are the statistics given for Canada: Church of England, 1,043,017; Presbyterian, 1,115,324; Methodist, 1,079,892; Baptist, 382,666; Lutherans, 229,864; Roman Catholics, 2,833,041; Congregationalists, 34,054; Jews, 74,564; Greek Catholics, 88,507; and Salvation Army, 18,834.

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A SCHOOL-DAY ADVENTURE

Route to School in Days Gone by Was Not Without Its Perils.

[ELSPETH WILSON.]

Just where the swampy soil sent forth such a luxuriant profusion of ferns and lady-slippers, lay a heap of decayed logs. Close by was the path worn smooth by little bare feet as they journeyed to and fro in pursuit of knowledge. This particular situation is now a setting for the beautiful gardens of a modern farm home, but in those days of swampy marsh and flowering lady-slipper, no habitation was near, a dense wood then skirting the highway.

Fearing to be late and thereby miss the merit card—about the size of a postage stamp—awarded for punctuality, Sister Bell and I, one summer morn, broke into a sort of jog-trot when nearing the school. In her haste Bell had with her foot, loosened a piece of the old rotted logs in passing the pile, and instantly a peculiar, swishing rustle attracted our attention. One glance revealed to our frightened gaze, a large strange-looking snake crawling over the old logs. In alarm, we sped, now in dead earnest to the safety of the school house, and soon had told our experience to an eager band of listeners. One and all intuitively felt that this was a "rattler" that we had encountered, one large specimen of those dangerous reptiles having been killed by wood-choppers near that locality in the earlier summer.

It is not difficult at any time to create a sensation in a country school, and in a few moments we had aroused sufficient excitement and thrills to please the most exacting. A juvenile volunteer army was speedily organized, with the slaughter of the rattler its objective. Therefore at intermission, armed each with cudgels, as weapons of defence, the boys set out with a brave front, the little girls creeping in the background. These latter attended out of sympathy for Bell and me, who clutched our pink sunbonnets in nervous fingers, with some idea of "shooing" the horrid thing away should we chance upon it. For our bold defenders insisted that we must show the exact spot where we received the morning's shock.

Recess passed in a fruitless search. Noon hour, having bolted our luncheons, found us again in search, and at its close, their credulity being sorely tested, signs of disbelief were apparent. One grinning urchin derisively declared "'twas only a garter, after all," and well we knew that for even a little girl to show terror at this common kind of snake was to brand her forever as a "'fraid-cat."

Somewhat crestfallen at being unable to prove our statements, and bearing as best we might the signs of flagging interest, we who turned eastward at the school gate, started to plod the weary miles that intervened between us, home and supper. In again passing the particular spot of which we had cause to be yet suspicious, the boys of the group dashed into the long grass and onto the logs, to prove in a spirit of bravado that there really was no cause for alarm, assuring us meanwhile that they could and would quickly demolish the very longest, biggest rattler ever seen.

While thus protesting bravely, one boy, Billie, who perhaps boasted loudest, stepped into a little creek, then dry. Soon with blanched face Sister Bell dumbly pointed downwards towards where Billie, stockingless, and shoeless, stood. There, not two feet from his bare toes lay the venomous thing, coiled, with head erect, preparatory to make a spring. A swift blow from a club in the hands of one boy noted for his presence of mind, and the snake's head was off before poor Billie was aroused to a sense of his dangerous position, while the entire number of us looked and felt uncomfortably weak and queerly shaky. That there might remain no doubts about it, the rattles, which numbered ten, were removed by the slayer and borne as a trophy to the teacher to be displayed to the whole school upon the following day.

Needless to say, by-paths and flowery dells were for the remainder of the summer, avoided by us, and to this day I cannot cross a field of long grass without starting at the slightest rustle, while I look with suspicion at even a common garter at the risk of being a "fraid-cat."



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DAILY BIBLE QUESTION CLUB

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

"Jesus, the Savior of the World." John, iii., 1-21.

Golden Text—"God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten son, that whosoever believeth on him should not perish, but have eternal life." John, iii., 16.

4. Verse 4—Nicodemus affects to misunderstand Christ, concerning the new birth, why did he do this? (See John, vi., 62.)

5. Nicodemus was a good man and "a ruler of the Jews," but what is the proof that he needed to "be born again?"

6. Verse 5—What is the meaning of "Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit he cannot enter into the kingdom of God?"

Zero Weather Hard On Tender Hands and Faces

Prevention and Cure Both Needed to Keep Skin Soft, and Not "Chapped."

This is the star season for chapped hands, cracked lips, and roughened faces, and it is a wise woman who protects herself against the damages of wind and frost, or at least lays up a store of remedies against their ravages.

If more of our Canadian women would take the time to don a chiffon veil before going outdoors in zero weather, they would require fewer cosmetics to keep their skin soft and smooth. Apart from this, the best way to protect the skin is to apply some vanishing cream, then a coating of powder, before venturing forth. The powder need not be applied so thickly as to be noticeable, and hence, to a great many people, offensive. If women exercised more judgment in the quantity to use, and the tinge best suited to their particular complexion—fair, medium or brunette—the use of powder would not have been so universally condemned.

With cold cream some women hesitate to use it, fearing a growth of superfluous hair as a result. Scores of others, however, use it regularly, and having found one certain brand suited to their flesh, adopt it, and "will have no other." Again, there are devotees numerous to home-made cold cream. A very good formula for a home-made preparation is this: Half-ounce white wax, half-ounce spermaceti, half-ounce lanolin, one ounce cocoanut oil, two ounces oil sweet almond, one ounce orange-flower water, 30 drops tincture benzoin, five drops oil of rose. Heat first five in a double boiler. Beat until cold. Mix liquids and slowly cream, a few drops at a time.

Cleansing Necessary.

Where cream and powder are used on the face, the "wearer" should never retire without first cleansing the face well. Otherwise, the pores get clogged with the cream and powder, and an unwelcome crop of blackheads will result. Good warm water should be applied first, and the skin scrubbed vigorously with mild soap, and a facecloth not too rough. Rinse the flesh, cooling the water gradually until quite cold, then dry thoroughly. In the morning cold water only should be dashed well over face and neck. This closes the pores and prevents taking cold.

Protect the Hands.

Many various remedies are resorted to for keeping the hands "in decent order" during the winter months. Especially for the women who tend their own fires, wash the dishes, and perform the thousand-and-one tasks about the household, are smooth, dainty hands a next to impossibility. The wearing of rubber gloves has partially at least solved the problem for hundreds of women, especially in tasks where the hands are in water. For dry tasks, cakeshifts are many. One woman always wears an old pair of gloves when blackening her range. Another uses a clean paper bag each time, slipping her hand inside and grasping the handle of the brush through the paper. For emptying ashes and work of a similar nature, a pair of loose mitts or canvas work gloves are admirable. They slip on easily, and do not confine the hand too much. Of hand-lotions there are legion. Some favor the old-fashioned one of an ounce each of rosewater and glycerine, and ten drops of carbolic. Occasionally the juice of half a lemon is substituted for the carbolic. A witch-hazel preparation is found healing by many who may not like glycerine.

Those Painful Cracks.

For the painful little cracks which sometimes develop at the corners of the nail, as well as for those on the lips, nothing is more healing that mutton tallow, melted just enough to allow a little carbolic acid being beaten in. Fill the crack up well with this mixture, tie a rag over, and in a day or so, with additional treatments, the sore little crevice should be healed. It is poor economy to purchase poor soap for either toilet or household use. More is required, for one thing; the work is not so well done, and the hands suffer exceedingly, especially if "city" water has to be used.

It pays to care for the nails every day, if only five minutes' time is spent. Before retiring, bathe and dry the hands carefully, anoint with your pet lotion, and don a pair of loose gloves with the finger-ends cut off for ventilation. By exercising a little care and thought, the effort of keeping the hands in fairly good shape should not be an irksome one.

This toilet preparation for the hands is known as "May Dew," and requires: Gum tragacanth, ¾-ounce; cologne, 2 ounces; alcohol, 2 ounces; glycerine, 2 ounces; warm soft water, 1 pint. Dissolve the tragacanth (which must be in crystals, not pulverized) in water (it may take 24 hours), before adding the other ingredients. A little boracic may also be dissolved and added, as it is very healing.

COMPLEXIONS.

Beloved sisters, don't you think
It time to change your color scheme?
We're rather bored with white and pink;
It palls, this fare of peach and cream

The ancient Briton, stained with woad,
A dazzling, lasting, harmless blue,
Suggests a very fetching mode,
That we think should appeal to you.

And there's the ocher that Poor Lo
Smeared on to strike the foe with fear—
Do you not stalk the timid beau?
We trust we make our meaning clear

Of course your native skins might serve
Our fancy and our hearts to strike,
But then—it takes a lot of nerve—
We own we don't know what they're like!

—Chicago Ledger.

If you suspect moths in any portion of the carpet, sprinkle it well, lay a towel over it and steam with a hot iron. The heat and steam will kill the worms and eggs.

Greasy pots and pans are more easily washed if they are first wiped out with soft paper to remove the most of the grease.

March is the month to get after the insects and destroy the larvae that may have been laid last summer.

DO YOU SUFFER FROM BACKACHE?

When your kidneys are weak and torpid they do not properly perform their functions; your back aches and you do not feel like doing much of anything. You are likely to be despondent and to borrow trouble, just as if you hadn't enough already. Don't be a victim any longer.

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"JUST THE THING"

And What They Really Got.

(By Juliet W. Tompkins in Woman's Magazine, London, Eng.)

If there was one thing Miss Curtin could do well, it was select Christmas presents. She put into it her intelligent head as well as her kindly heart and liberal purse, and the appropriateness of each selection was so happy that she could scarcely keep it till Christmas. To buy a pile of gifts and then deal them out would have seemed to her an insult to her affection. She took each member of her list upon a separate mental excursion and did not pause till she could exclaim, "Just the thing."

Sometimes the notes of thanks disappointed her a little, but this year she was confident of a glowing response, especially from the six dear girls who called her Aunt Mollie. She had taken such pains. For Beatrice, an ethereal girl who lived by and for her painting, she had a fine copy of a Correggio Madonna. Katherine was a family scholar and was specializing in literature, so Miss Curtain had chosen for her a morocco-bound edition of Borrows' "The Bible in Spain." Amy, petted and prosperous, and "just out," was to have a dressing jacket of rose crepe and lace. Jean, good, courageous girl, studying shorthand that she might help carry her family's load, would need to look fresh at her work, so for her there was an electric iron. For Natalie, moving feebly from bed to couch, a baby pillow, downy and delicate with embroidery, and for Georgia, sturdy, sport and inveterate traveler, a camp kit that condensed canteen and frying pan, cup and kettle into a package no heavier than a flask. Miss Curtin's last happy task before she went away for Christmas was to write the six names and addresses on six slips of paper and lay them on these six gifts. Her secretary would do them up and the chauffeur would deliver them after he had taken her to the train.

Six eager looking notes awaited her on her return. That promised well—sometimes the dear girls were a little slow about writing, or waited a telephone. It was so sweet to make young people happy. Miss Curtin was beaming with satisfaction as she broke open Amy's envelope. "Dear Aunt Mollie—I am delighted with your present. I have spent the whole morning over it. I had never heard of Borrow and am so flattered at your giving it to me. I always get frilly things, dozens of them, as if I hadn't any brains, and I dare say I haven't many. But they would be more if everyone expected them of me. Now when I go to Spain, it will mean so much more—"

Miss Curtain dropped the sheet and with agitated hands caught up the note from Kathleen—Kathleen, whose brow rose for intellect, and whose student lamp burned far into her quiet nights. What had the poor girl received? "My Dear Aunt Mollie,—Your Madonna came like an inspired answer to the question that has been tearing me in two. How did you guess, and how did you find this exquisite way to answer? For the baby head against her arm—after all that is real life, isn't it? I don't like my work any less, but suddenly I love Howard a thousand times more. I am not going to take my degree if I can't take Howard too. And it is you—"

"My conscience," muttered Miss Curtin, and then "Kathleen, who would ever——" The news held her until she remembered that the Madonna had been meant for Beatrice. None of the other gifts would have been right for ethereal Beatrice, dreaming in colors. She opened the next note with troubled haste. "Dearest Aunt Molly—The kindest and most enchanting present I have ever had. I have spent a rapturous morning froning every little frill and ribbon I possess and I can't tell you what fun it has been. People forget that one can be a human girl even if one is an artist; sometimes I almost forget it myself. But this adorable, amusing little iron has opened for me again the nice old kitchen door of life. I am so grateful——"

Jean's iron! All very well for Beatrice to enjoy it, but it was to have been the comfort of brave little Shorthand Clerk Jean's days. What unsuitable offering had taken its place? Jean's letter staggered with excitement. It looked as if it had been cried over: "Darling Aunt Mollie,—You never were poor, or going to work, or not expecting ever to have a possession that wasn't plain, sensible and durable. How did you guess? That little soft rosy dressing-jacket is like a song in my room. I lay it in a drawer, and it goes on singing so deliciously that I have to take it out again. It is a promise that some day—— I am crying like a great idiot, but you made me so happy, what else can I do? It is far too lovely for my life, that is the joy of it. For I slip it on, and then I am——"

Miss Curtin's eyes dimmed. She took up the next letter with a bewildered hesitation. It was from Georgia, the good sport who never wrote, and sometimes forgot even to telephone. "I say, Aunt Mollie, that is a sweet little pillow! It goes to the spot some way; I can't tell you how. It seems like a white pup I once had. I was fonder of the pup than I ever let on. I am such a rough go-ahead sort of a person, it is years since anyone gave me anything suited to a lady. I like it more than——"

Miss Curtin began to look exhausted. She turned reluctantly, also fearfully to the sixth letter. The pen in Natalie's frail hand usually wavered, but today it had a new sweep. "Aunt Mollie, what a wizard you are! You have sent me the woods and the outdoors, and a big breath of health. I felt it full in my face as I opened the little shining camp outfit. I squealed so that the family came running in terror—and then they loved it, too, and we cooked me a real breakfast on it, coffee and an egg, and for the first time in two years I had an appetite. I am going to use it some day up in the real woods. I have told the doctor so, and he says "All right," and we all believe it, and it is as happy a Christmas——"

When Miss Curtin's eyes were clear again she say the maid hesitating in the doorway. "Please, ma'm, I was meaning to tell you——" "Yes, Katy," Miss Curtin said feebly. "I come in to dust the day you left, and I pushed those little labels off your packages, but I think I got them back all right, ma'm." There was a wan pause, then, "Yes, you got them right, Katy," Miss Curtin said humbly.

TO THE 18TH A. M. C.

Hurry up, then, my lads, hurry up!
With the dead lie the living in pain,
But the Red Cross is ever their bright star of hope
(May God's star be the gift of the slain!)
Though fire-swept the field they must traverse,
And their ranks ever swell the death roll,
Ere the reaper can gather the spoils of the fray,
Come the lads that will levy their toll.

Chorus.

Hurry up! Hurry up! Hurry up!
That death's harvest the lighter may be,
For the toll will be heavy when gleaned the red field
By the lads of the 18th A. M. C.

Hurry up! Come along! Hurry up!
And the bearers are up and away,
In the race against time and the battle with death,
Whose hand 'tis their mission to stay,
Mark a record unique in war's story,
The proud crosses "For Valor" they hold,
And the deede that make brighter their record today
Will be written in letters of gold.

Chorus.

Hurry up, my lads, hurry up!
Find the soldiers that proudest would be
Of their badges and shoulder-straps—send them along!
They're the lads of the 18th A. M. C.

IN THE KITCHEN.

When expecting guests, plan the meals ahead for the entire time the guests will stay. Then you can enjoy your company and not have the every-day bother of planning the meals.

The housekeeper who must do her own dishwashing on cold, windy days should remember that a cut lemon kept convenient and rubbed on the hands after each dish-washing will save her from rough hands.

Many housewives have bemoaned the fact that their tarts and pies do not have the delicious brown desired. Always keep in your cupboard a small pastry brush, and brush your tarts and pies over with milk just before putting them in the oven.

If the tablecloth in quite clean, except one or two spots, slip a folded towel between the tablecloth and the padding and on the towel place an empty bowl, having the stain directly over the bowl. Pour boiling water through the stain until it fades away. Place another towel over the wet place and iron until dry.



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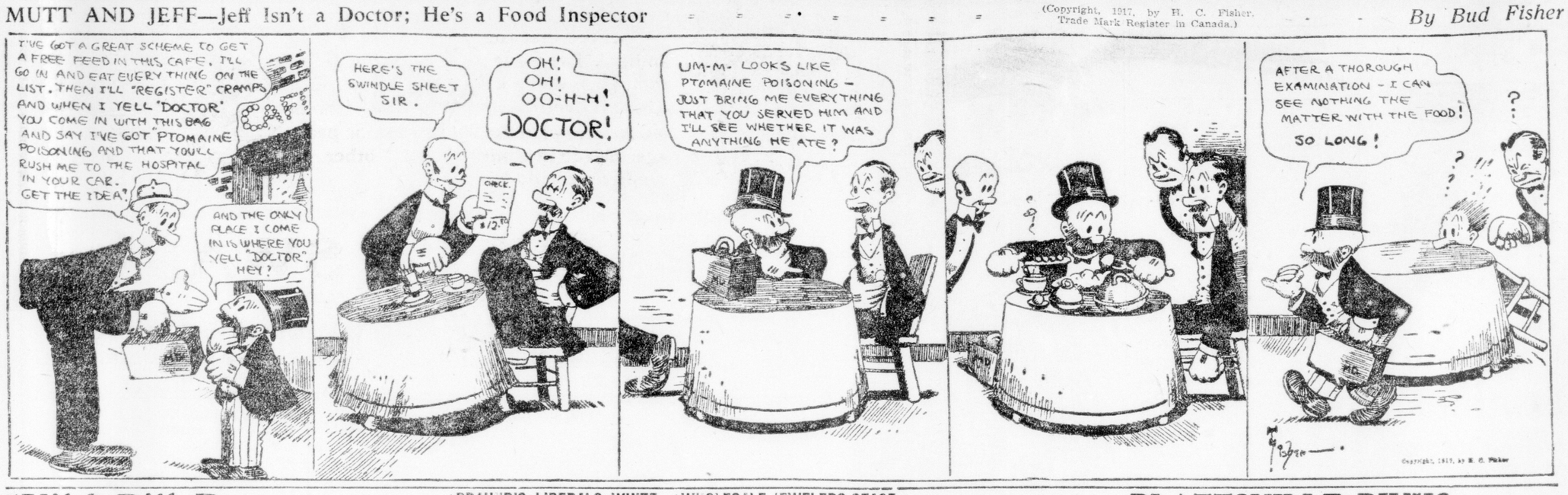
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STRAIGHT NEWS AND SIDE SLANTS ON SPORT

MUTT AND JEFF—Jeff Isn't a Doctor; He's a Food Inspector

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By Bud Fisher



Wild Bill Donovan Predicts Close Race

Yanks' Manager Says It Will Be Nerve-Shattering Affair—Mack's Athletics Will Bear Watching — Big Four Fading From View.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Wild Willyum Donovan has a hunch. Yizza boy! Bill's hunch, in tabloid form, amounts to the belief that the pennant gallop in the American League this year is going to be a nerve-shattering affair. And it looks like Bill knows whereof he speaks. At least, there are several hundred baseball luminaries and just plain critics who agree with him.

To begin with, Bill ought to know something about the American League. He has been connected with a club identically ever since it was born, and as far back as 1908, when the Johnsonian circuit enjoyed the tightest little race of its career, Bill was in there tugging at his cap and hitching up his belt, and he played a prominent part in deciding that race. But let Bill tell it himself.

"Last year we had a grand race," says Bill. "But I look for a better race this year, because there will be more teams in the running. I look for a better balance throughout the league. Late in August of 1916 there were seven teams fighting. I look for all eight clubs to be in the race at that stage of the game this year.

"Big Four" Fading Now.

"I believe that the teams which have been big factors in the past few years, principally Boston, Detroit and Chicago, will show up a bit this year. That is why the race should be closer. I believe that Connie Mack's Athletics will bear all sorts of watching. Don't take the Athletics' showing of last year as an indication of what can be expected next summer. If you do you are liable to get badly fooled. So, with the leaders slipping back a little, and the other clubs coming on, the field will have more balance.

"Boston's veterans are still good. There's no doubt in my mind that Lewis, Hooper, Gardner, Barry and Hobitzell have the goods, but they can't be expected to show the way to the field quite as after years. The same goes for Chicago, with Collins, Jackson, Fournier, Scott and Benz. At Detroit Cobb can still be expected to do his annual share, but Crawford is almost through, and Jennings' pitchers are mostly veterans. Of course, Jennings will have a well-rounded club, and it will be in the race, but I don't believe it can make as strong a bid this year as it did in 1916.

Yanks Have Real Chance.

"Now, take a slant at the rest of us. The Yankees should go much better this year. I honestly believe that we have a grand chance for the pennant if we can get away from the old jinx that kept two and three players on the injured list throughout the whole of last season. Eliminate the cripples and look what we've got. We have some young pitchers, such as Russell and Shocker, not to mention Cullop and Shawkey, who are now years from the veteran stage. And then there's Pipp, Gilhooley, Gedeon and Maisel, also youngsters, who will improve.

"The Browns will show improvement, too. Jones wasn't well enough acquainted with the league last year. He didn't even know his own players well enough. But look out for him this summer. Cleveland, with Morton and Coveleskie in shape, is going to be heard from and will be dangerous. Griffith has some mighty promising youngsters at Washington and a fighting ball club.

"So it looks like a tight old race from where I sit. See if I'm right."

OWEN SOUND WINS GROUP HONORS FROM CHESLEY

Ryan in Goal Stars for Homesters.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

CHESLEY, Jan. 29.—Owen Sound won the senior group of the Northern Hockey League here tonight by defeating the homesters 7—3. The game was slow, ice being extremely soft. Ryan in goal for Chesley put up a wonderful exhibition, and it was owing to his good work that the score was kept down to seven goals. Owen Sound led at the end of the first period 4—1. Each team scored in the second spasm, while in the last period the locals were able to locate the visitors nets but once.

The teams:

Owen Sound.		Chesley
Young	Goal	Ryan
Breen	Defence	Green
Matherson	Defence	Kreenger
Walkengham	Centre	Johnston
Finlay	R. Wing	Scheinholtz
Hicks	L. Wing	Dickson

Referee—Ashley of Wiarton.

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MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE

DOUBLE FOR HYMANS.

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The teams and scores:

HYMANS.				
G. P. Stockton	160	163	134	457
W. Boyd	148	146	143	437
F. Beelan	137	128	148	413
R. Ferris	183	162	159	473
A. Benedict	156	146	186	488
	752	745	770	2268
WHITES.				
R. Cushman	148	135	146	429
P. Gallagher	144	141	160	445
J. Rockwood	131	134	171	436
J. Gallagher	142	166	162	403
H. Brown	153	184	174	511
	718	754	732	2226

KITCHENER WILL PLAY STRATFORD TONIGHT

Fast Teams Will Meet for the First Time.

STRATFORD, Jan. 29.—Tuesday night hockey followers in this district will have an opportunity of picking a winner for this group. For the first time Kitchener and Stratford juniors meet. Each has an unbroken string of wins, and the game here on Tuesday and the return in Kitchener on Friday promise to be the best of the season.

The Stratford team is in first-class condition, and fans are backing it to win. The winner of this group should travel a long way towards the silverware.

Hewittson of Toronto will referee, and the local line-up will be the same as usual.

LES DARCY WILL MEET AL McCOY ON MARCH 5

Claimant of Middleweight Championship Signed to Match the Australian.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Al McCoy, claimant of the middleweight championship, signed here tonight for a match with Les Darcy, of Australia, at Madison Square Garden, on the night of March 5. Grant Hugh Brown, manager of the garden, made the announcement tonight.

RELEASE TWO PLAYERS

New York Americans Let Sweeney and Keating Go to Toledo.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The New York Americans today sold the releases of Catcher Edward Sweeney and Pitcher Ray Keating to the Toledo club of the American Association. Sweeney played with Toledo under an optional agreement last year, during which time a large part of his $8,000 salary was paid by the New York club. Keating was released late last season to the Richmond club, but was returned to New York at the end of the International League season.

WINNIPEG TEAMS PLAY.

Winnipeg, Jan. 30.—In the senior patriotic hockey league the Monarchs defeated the 223rd Battalion by 5 to 3.

BRAUND'S LIBERALS WHITE WASH EVERITT'S FAST BOYS

Win 4—0 Game at Simcoe Rink Last Night on Soft Ice.

Ted Braund's demon bunch of Liberal hockeyists swooped down on Everitt's seven at the Simcoe street rink last night and swamped them 4—0 in a game of hockey that was fast considering the condition of the ice. Ted has gathered together a likely bunch of stick handlers, and his boys should make a strenuous bid for the championship. Harrison, the junior O. H. A. star, put up a good game for the winners, as did Bryant and Cline. Everitt put up a nice exhibition for his own team, while McBurney displayed lots of pep. The teams:

Braund.		Everitt.
Gillies	Goal	Braund
Bryant	Defence	Everitt
Binder	Defence	Cook
Logan	Rover	McBurney
Cline	Centre	Clarke
Gardner	L. wing	Hazelgrove
Harrison	R. wing	Donahue

Referee—Art. Ellah.

Picks Mooney Gibson as Catcher on Team of Vets

Selected Backstop of Star Playing Aggregation in the Big Leagues Ten Years or More — This Bunch Could Make Trouble.

[By Malcolm MacLean.]

Baseball statisticians say that the average life of a player in the major leagues is about two years. Many hold out longer than this, but the great mass of men who come from the minors or colleges shine a brief time and drop into obscurity.

Only a few experts can tell you the line-up of the St. Louis Browns or the Boston Nationals of five years ago. Players pass so rapidly that only a comparatively few stick beyond five seasons. Those who cling for a decade can almost be numbered on the fingers of two hands.

There are several reasons for this situation. By the time they have passed their apprenticeship in the minors, a large percentage of the stars reach the big show too old for more than a few years of the fierce competition they meet.

Every season some players burst into the majors who have a meteoric career, but who are unable to maintain the pace they set. Sickness and injuries cut down others. In selecting an all-star team of a decade the members all but pick themselves. A striking feature of this squad is that it would have been one with the old winning punch in any of the past ten years.

Easy to Pick Fielders.

There is no question about the outfielders of a decade—Cobb, Crawford and Schute. It would be hard to locate another major leaguer who has served out ten years of service. Of the trio, Cobb is the most talked of and the most brilliant. He joined Detroit in 1905, so he has actually played more than the ten seasons allotted to this selection. Ty batted under .300 that first season—.240 to be exact. Since that date he has passed .300—the standard of hitting measurement—without a slip. During nine of these years Cobb led the American League in hitting. His nigh marks were those of 1911 and 1912, when he passed .400. In 1911 it was .420. Cobb has excelled in all departments. In 1911 he crossed the plate 147 times. He has always been a marvel on the bases.

Sam Crawford, also of Detroit, has seldom had full credit paid him for his achievements on the diamond. This has been due to Cobb. If Sam had been on any other club it is probable that he would have occupied a more distinguished place in the limelight. One of Sam's greatest assets has been his ability to clean up. He has always taken a long, healthy swing, and rival pitchers always hate to see him come up. Almost since he entered the majors—he played with the Reds in 1900, and went to the Tigers in 1903—Crawford has been near the top of the sluggers.

Schulte Still Good.

Frank Schulte is still regarded as a top-notcher. He played with the Cubs from 1904 up to last summer, when he was traded to the Pirates. Cold figures show Frank has been one of the game's greatest fielders. He has been a .300 hitter, and in 1911 topped his league in batting runs across the plate.

Few infielders have passed the ten-year post. Hal Chase of the Reds, because of his remarkable hitting and fielding in 1916, is called the leading first-sacker of the year. He was the champion batter, and the only Federal Leaguer to come back with the dash. Hal gained an even 55 points over his 1915 mark with the Feds.

Larry Lajoie, who wound up at Philly, has set so high a mark as a second-sacker in his 20 years of major service, that he gets the place from Evers and Eddie Collins. In spite of his falling off in batting the past two years, his total average is way over .300. After batting only .256 in 1914, his total was then .346. He led his league four times.

Wagner at Short.

Hans Wagner fills in at shortstop. Records show Hans started with Louisville in 1897, and went to the Pirates in 1900. From 1915 and 1916 Wagner fell below .300, but .287 for last season wasn't half bad. It was low for him, however, after he had led the league eight times, and the only man to bat over .300 for seventeen years.

Wagner has faced pitchers more than 10,000 times. He got his 100th homer June 22, 1915. At that time Crawford had 95, Lajoie 78, and Cobb 54. Hans led his league in driving runs home in 1907-8 and 9.

Terry Turner of Cleveland is placed at third. He has rounded out thirteen years with that club. Gibson of Pittsburg is the catcher, who has filled out ten years of actual service. During some of these years he caught practically every game for the Pirates.

Christy Mathewson should head the list of pitchers. He joined the Giants in 1900. Last year he won two of the games in their run of seventeen straight. He beat Boston, 2 to 0, and St. Louis, 4 to 1. Matty's best years were 1904, 1907, 1909 and 1910. He had .814 in 1904. He passed .800 two other seasons. Matty has two no-hit games to his credit, and in the world series of 1905, shut out the Athletics three times.

Walter Johnson of the Senators is another ten-year pitcher. He worked in more games last year than any of his rivals—a total of 48—and took part in 371 innings. He allowed an average of 1.89 earned runs per game. Johnson pitched 56 shut-out innings straight in 1913. In 1910 he fanned 307 men in 41 games—an average of 7.49 per contest.

Plank Deserves Place.

Eddie Plank, who finished 1916 with the Browns, is entitled to a place. He joined the Mackmen in 1901, yet was good enough in 1916 to work in 235 2-3 innings and allow an average of only 2.33 earned runs per game. In 1912 he had a pitching average of .813 for the Macks. He was the Fed's best pitcher in 1915, working 269 innings and allowing the small average of 2.01 earned runs.

"Red" Ames finished at St. Louis in 1916, allowing only 2.64 earned runs per game. He has been called a hard luck pitcher, but has been good enough to stay on top since 1904, when he joined the Giants. Last comes Chief Bender. He started with Mack in 1903. He had a mark of .821 in 1910. The next year he had .773. He does his best work in the pinches.

TEAM OF A DECADE

Left field—Schulte.
Centre field—Cobb.
Right field—Crawford.
First base—Chase.
Second base—Lajoie.
Shortstop—Wagner.
Third base—Turner.
Catcher—Gibson.
Pitchers—Ames, Johnson, Mathewson, Bender and Plank.

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WHOLESALE JEWELERS STAGE FAST HOCKEY EXHIBITION

T. H. Baker & Co. Beat Charles Jones Puckchasers 2—1 at Westminster.

The hockey seven of T. H. Baker & Co., wholesale jewelers, beat the puck chasers from Chas. Jones & Co., also wholesale jewelers, at the Westminster rink last night, the score being 2—1. The game was fast from start to finish, although the ice was sticky. Woolley and Heddon did good work on the winner's forward line, while Beam was the scintillating artist for the Clarence street diamond setters. Both goaltenders were right on the job and stopped some hot ones. Phillips refereed an impartial game.

The teams:

Jones.		Baker.
Culvert	Goal	Rennie
B. Jones	Defence	James
Mott	Defence	Hunter
Beam	Rover	Woolley
Bengate	Centre	Heddon
Fowle	L. Wing	Parker
Marshall	L. Wing	Cookson

Referee—Phillips.

ALL-STAR GAME AT TILLSONBURG TONIGHT

TILLSONBURG, Jan. 29.—An all-star junior hockey team from Norfolk County, composed of players from Port Rowan, Port Dover and Simcoe, will meet the local junior O. H. A. team on Tuesday night. As Simcoe always proved hard contenders on former years, local fans are looking for one of the closest games of the season.

The local team drew a bye in the N. H. L. series, and will play the winners of the London-Sarnia series unless arrangements are made to admit Woodstock and play home and home games to meet the winners.

EMBRO CURLERS.

EMBRO, Jan. 29.—The Embro curlers are getting in a lot of practice for the annual bonspiel to be held here February 9.

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Collingwood 5, Midland 3.
Weston 2, Brampton 5.
Frontenacs 4, Queens 2.

O.H.A. Junior.

U. C. C. 1, De La Salle 5.
Barrie 10, Newmarket 2.

N. H. L.

Owen Sound 7, Chesley 3.

GAMES TONIGHT.

Senior O. H. A.

Riversides at Aura Lee, 8:30 p.m.

Intermediate O. H. A.

176th Battalion at Port Colborne.
Welland at Dunnville.

Junior O. H. A.

St. Andrew's at U.T.S., 4 p.m.
Preston at Elmira.
Kitchener at Stratford.

Exhibition.

118th Battalion 4, Preston 4.

SARNIA AND DETROIT DRAW IN FAST GAME

Fastest Hockey Seen in City of Straits This Season.

DETROIT, Jan. 29.—After three regulation periods and five minutes of overtime had been played between Sarnia and Detroit hockey teams tonight, the score stood 4 and 4, with positions about even.

The Detroit septette on two occasions appeared to have the game won, but the Canadians played wonderful hockey and dragged the game out of the fire.

Some of the best hockey of the season was seen in the last four minutes of the second period. With the score tied at one goal both sides suddenly burst loose with so much pepper that for a minute it seemed to rain pucks.

After a conference between the managers it was agreed to play five minutes overtime only and there was no scoring on either side.

Line-up:

Detroit.		Sarnia.
Hammelef	Goal	Dwyer
Pletsch	L. Defence	Lege
Johnson	R. Defence	McCart
Holman	Rover	Rose
Black	Centre	Hillman
Shaw	L. Wing	Dore
Roberts	R. Wing	Roc

Referee—Hamilton, Detroit.

Boxing

In the prize fight world things have been happening with startling regularity.

Billy Miske has cleaned up with all the light heavyweights, one after another, and sighs for more worlds to conquer. He sighs particularly for a chance to make Les Darcy wish that he had never left that dear old Australia.

Darcy's theatrical venture has proven an awful fiasco, and he seems to be a little fearful that if he meets Miske his pugilistic ambition, as well as his dream of a fortune, will suffer a very rude shock.

All the wires are working in the effort to arouse public interest in a match between Fred Fulton, conqueror of Tom Cowler, and Jess Willard, but somehow the fans want to see the ponderous plasterer take on a few more "hopes" before waxing warm over his proposed encounter with the champion.

Johnny Dundee has suffered his first knockout. It was handed him by an unknown, Willie Jackson, from some where, most likely the Bronx, New York city. Welsh, in the meantime, got a nice trimming in Milwaukee, same being executed by Richie Mitchell in a ten-round bout. It was a no-decision affair, of course, so Freddy remains champion, but with an added taint of cheese on his title.

118TH BATTALION HOLDS PRESTON SENIORS TO TIE

Fast Game Played on Soft Ice—Edwards and Hiller Star.

Preston, Jan. 29.—The 118th Battalion hockey team held the fast Preston Seniors to a tie here tonight, the score being 4 all. Considering the fact that the ice was soft a fair exhibition of hockey was staged, combination being in evidence.

Gus Edwards and Hillier showed up well for the soldiers, while Schlegel, Bowman and Irwin shone for the homesters.

The line-up:

Preston—Goal, Short; defence, Trusshinski, Bowman; rover, Williams; centre, Schlegel; wings, A. Bowman, Ruppel.

118th Battalion, London—Goal, Joss; defence, Otto, Hagerman; rover, Leroux; centre, Hiller; wings, Edwards, Elliott.

Referee—Allen Kinder of Preston.

LONDONS AND THISTLES HOLD 'SPIELS TONIGHT

The London Curling Club will hold its usual Monday night bonspiel tonight, weather permitting. The draw will be made at 7:15. The Thistles will also hold a 'spiel if the weatherman behaves.

KRITCHELL BECOMES A MANAGER.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Jan. 29. — Paul Kritchell, formerly a catcher with the Toronto club, has been appointed manager of the Bridgeport team of the Eastern League, it was announced tonight.

PLATTSVILLE RINKS COP M'LAREN TROPHY

Defeat London Curling Club in Final Match of Colts Bonspiel This Morning—Consolation Series Is Still On.

The Plattsville Colts were up 4 shots in the final match in the Colts' League at the London Curling Rink today, against the London curlers, Frank Ashplant and his tribe were right on the job and were up 2 shots against Hall's 4, but Frank's club mates could not stand the excitement, and Griffith's rink was beaten 6 shots by Prangley's quartet.

In the first match of the Consolation series the Thistles easily defeated the St. Marys rinks, the score being 32—11, scor against the Parks rinks.

The well-known weatherman frowned on the Colt bonspielers that visited the city yesterday, and in consequence instead of twelve rinks being present to take part in the proceedings staged at the London Curling Rink, there was only half that number. St. Thomas, Plattsville, St. Marys and Paris were the only outside entries, while the Thistles and the London Curling Club were both represented, the former losing out to the Lyle street boys by three shots in the first round.

The ice was heavy, and in consequence the games were not as interesting as they otherwise would have been. Nevertheless, some good sport was had. The St. Marys crew did not arrive until late, and the Thistles, who drew a bye, decided to go on with the London curlers. The St. Marys spielers, when they did arrive, were mossed out shot by the Paris curlers. The Railroad City entry was not good enough for the Plattsville boys, skipped by R. Hall and O. Primble, losing out 33—23.

In the second round the London outfit grabbed the heavy end of a 29—25 score against the Paris rinks.

At the annual meeting, held just previous to the beginning of the competition, the following officers were elected for next year's bonspiel:

Honorary President—A. F. McLaren of Stratford.

First Vice-President—G. Gourlay of Paris.

Second Vice-President—John Macpherson of London.

Honorary Secretary-Treasurer—James Sinclair of Paris.

The executive committee will consist of the above officers and James Bristow of St. Thomas, O. Prangley of Plattsville, W. Heuther of St. Marys, A. E. Chapman of London Thistles.

The 1918 bonspiel will be held in Paris, and the fee was raised to $1.50 per player, amounting to $13 for eight men and $1 club fee. The rinks and scores:

FIRST ROUND.

Paris.		St. Marys.
G. Gourlay		W. Heuther.
Skip	13	Skip 15
J. R. Inksater.		W. A. Sutherland.
Skip	12	Skip 9
Total	25	Total 24
Paris up one shot.		
London Curlers.		London Thistles.
C. W. McLean		W. Mortimore
W. H. Talbot		A. E. Chapman
W. A. Casselman		N. Keene
J. W. Griffiths,		F. G. Browne,
Skip	19	Skip 3
J. Macpherson		H. J. McCallum
F. Munro		H. L. Scheiding
D. Copeland		P. B. Fetterly
F. Ashplant,		A. M. Trick
Skip	4	Skip 17
Total	23	Total 20
London up three shots.		
Plattsville.		St. Thomas.
S. Shraine		J. R. Balkwell
R. Gofton		J. D. Lamont
R. McKie		H. T. Gough
R. Hall,		F. W. Sutherland
Skip	15	Skip 13
H. Schassenburg		D. J. Broughner
N. Potter		J. Chantler
M. Lockman		W. B. McLaughlin
O. Primbley,		J. B. Bristow,
Skip	18	Skip 10
Total	33	Total 23
Plattsville up ten shots.		

SECOND ROUND.

London Curlers.		Paris.
C. W. McLean		Geo. Foster
W. H. Talbot		M. Skelly
W. A. Casselman		R. Inksater
J. W. Griffiths,		G. Gourlay,
Skip	13	Skip 15

J. Macpherson		R. E. Haire
F. Munro		Jas. Sinclair
F. D. Copeland		M. Taylor
F. Ashplant,		J. R. Inksater,
Skip	16	Skip 10
Total	29	Total 25
London up four shots.		

CONSOLATION.

Lon. Thistles.		St. Marys.
A. M. Trick	17	W. Heather 4
F. G. Browne,	15	W. A. Sutherland 7
Total	32	Total 11
Thistles up 21 shots.		

FINALS.

Plattsville.		Lon. Curling.
R. Hall		F. Ashplant
skip	14	skip 16
O. Prangley		J. W. Griffiths
skip	16	skip 10
Total	30	Total 26
Plattsville up 4 shots.		

SEVEN TEAMS BUNCHED IN WINNIPEG DOG RACE

Fergus Falls, Minn., Jan. 30.—Seven of the eight dog teams entered in the Winnipeg-St. Paul dog race are due here shortly before noon today and are bunched for the real test of the race. The teams will have 201 miles to cover from here to St. Paul. Sprints, which will show the strength of the teams, are expected to start late today and continue until the finish of the race, which officials predict will be some time Friday, one day before the close of the outdoor sports carnival at St. Paul.

The finish of yesterday's drive, which brough Joe Metcalf, Bill Grayson, Gabriel and Albert Campbell up with Hyurtur Hanson, Mike Kelley and Kumar Tom-son, the three who have been leading since the teams crossed the line into North Dakota, is said to be but a forerunner of the driving which will be done during the remainder of the race. The seven spent the night at Rothsay, Minnesota.

Fred Hartman, driving four dogs and handicapped by a badly-swollen knee, is 48 miles behind the leaders, but still determined to finish the race. By changing the route slightly yesterday the distance of the race was reduced from 522 to 509 miles.

PETER MAHER ILL.

New York, Jan. 30.—Peter Maher, once a celebrated heavyweight pugilist, is an inmate of Bellevue Hospital today and the physicians say he is suffering from a complete physical breakdown. Maher is 47 years old. He has not appeared in the ring for several years. In his last important fight he was knocked out by Bob Fitzsimmons.

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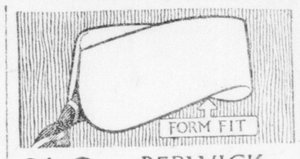
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Duncan Ross Wants Dormant Money Used for Patriotic Fund

Resolution in Commons Calls for Use of "Unclaimed Balances."

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Duncan Ross, M.P., for West Middlesex, went these moneys applied to patriotic purposes. To this end he has given notice of the following resolution:

"That in the opinion of this House it is advisable that unclaimed balances at present in the chartered banks of Canada, should be transferred to the treasurer of the patriotic fund to be used for the usual patriotic purposes."

MANUFACTURERS OFFER COMPENSATION TERMS

TORONTO, Jan. 29.—The manufacturers will present to the Government their submissions with regard to the payment of medical fees for injured workmen on Wednesday.

The manufacturers, it is understood, will offer that they are prepared to pay first-aid charges, that is doctors' fees, surgical and hospital charges. On the other hand they will insist that they be given fourteen clear days before compensation becomes due. They also insist that the administration of first-aid payments shall be left in their hands individually, and shall not be paid under the authority of the compensation board.

ROBERT J. KELLY'S DEATH.

BROCKVILLE, Jan. 28.—Robert Jas. Kelly, who was twice elected warden during 27 years in the township council of Elizabethtown, and who unsuccessfully contested this riding for a seat in the legislature against Sheriff Dana in 1[illegible] died at his home here today. He was 73 years of age.

TH WERE RUNDOWN

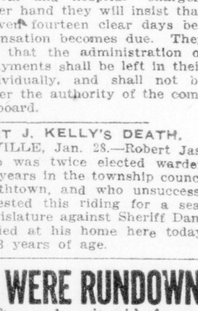
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U. S. IS SUFFERING FROM CLAMMY PALSY, DECLARES BIGELOW, AMERICAN AUTHOR

"Trust in God" Illuminates American Cent, But Nothing Else in Country—Consuls Are Broken-Down, Wheezy Political Bums or Other Types of Has-Beens.

TORONTO, Jan. 29.—That the United States is suffering from a clammy palsy during this war, in a desperate effort to preserve "benevolent neutrality," and that the motto, "Trust in God," illuminated the American cent, but nothing else in the country, were two of the statements made this afternoon in a remarkable address on "The Hun at the Gate," to the Canadian Club by Poultney Bigelow, the American author and journalist. Mr. Bigelow left his audience in no doubt as to where his sympathies lay. He declared that he knew Germany inside and out. She had been battening and fattening in the far east out of the generosity of the British Empire.

Describing the consular service of his own country, Mr. Bigelow declared that it comprised "broken-down, wheezy political bums; cheap, worn-out lawyers and dentists; broken brokers, men who could never earn a living at any honest or respectable business."

Turn to British Consul.

"These are the men I find I have to go to as representing the majesty of my nation, and I have to sew my pockets up before I enter their offices. Then I have to turn from his door and go to the British consul to get what I want."

Mr. Bigelow declared that if Great Britain lost hold upon the United States as she did in 1782, German gunboats would sail up the Hudson and Mississippi and sweep up everything. "Then we will haste to come crawling and whining to Montreal and Toronto for protection."

Enforced Neutrality.

"We might as well understand each other," continued Mr. Bigelow, "because on my side of the line, between the Hebrews and the Hun, the Hibernians and the Hyphenates, there is scarcely a university where a white man with red corpuscles can find a place, and there is hardly a newspaper that will accept letters that will interfere with the neutrality that has been invoked upon them. Even our naval commanders have been commanded to be neutral—that means, to be very kindly to the Huns."

Act of Sportsman.

The Germans had never learned to be sportsmen, he said. It was the sporting spirit which had caused Admiral Chichester to back up Admiral Dewey in Manila Bay.

Speaking of South Africa, he described Paul Kruger as "nothing but a mere American politician, an apostolic cowboy, with the mouthiness of William Jennings Bryan and the slim tergiversation of the Hon. Josephus Daniels." He was willing to apply an even lower standard if any of his compatriotis in the audience could help him.

German Efficiency Stinks.

Tonight Mr. Bigelow addressed a large audience in Convocation Hall on German methods of colonization. German "efficiency," he said, "stank to heaven." It was the efficiency of the pirate, the burglar, the murderer and the torturer. The German propaganda in the United States showed utter lack of ordinary common sense. He spoke from personal experience of the harshness with which the natives in German colonies were treated. The German idea of exercise was a walk to the nearest beer house. When, in warm climates, the beer went sour they got bilious, and then "God help the poor natives."



CONFESSED SLAYER OF DETECTIVE READY TO DIE

Maintains Killing Was Accidental, But Prepares for Death.

WINDSOR, Jan. 29.—Resigned to the death penalty, which he admits is due him for his crime of slaying Marshal Jackson of Winnipeg, Canadian deportation officer, James Steward, who was captured Saturday morning after a two days' hunt, wrote to officials of the Salvation Army on Monday asking that officers be sent to assist him in making ready for the end.

"There is no use denying it, or making any attempt to defend myself," Steward told his guards, who will patrol the narrow corridor in front of the murderer's cell, night and day, until the trial in March. "I will do all I can to make myself right with God."

"As I said soon after my arrest in the Windsor hotel, I never intended to kill Jackson, who was kind to me, and told me of the presents that he intended to take back to his family in Winnipeg; but I did want to regain my liberty, and this is the result—under arrest on the charge of murder."

Steward's appetite has not been affected by the vision of the gallows, which, he says, haunted him Saturday night and all day Sunday, to such an extent that sleep came to his tired frame at infrequent intervals.

Without food or drink from the time he walked from his seat beside Officer Jackson in the railroad coach to take a drink of water, just previous to the shooting, Steward has been provided with an unlimited amount of food. Since being taken to Sandwich jail he has done nothing else, and expresses sorrow for Jackson's family.

Entente Conference Now at Petrograd

LONDON, Jan. 29.—A conference of representatives of the Entente powers is assembling in Petrograd, says a Reuter dispatch from the Russian capital today.

France is represented by Gaston Doumergue, minister of the colonies, and General Castelnau; Great Britain by Lords Milner and Revelstoke, and Italy by Senator Vittorio Scialoja and General Count Ruggeri Ladoroli.

These representatives together with military and political suites accompanying them, says the dispatch, have arrived for the conference.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT COLONEL-IN-CHIEF OF VOLUNTEER FORCE



H. R. H. DUKE OF CONNAUGHT.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—"The King has appointed the Duke of Connaught to be colonel-in-chief of the volunteer force," says an official announcement issued here today.

Threat To Destroy Catholic Church With Liquid Fire

Thirty-One Detectives Are on Hand at Montreal Service.

MONTREAL, January 29.—Thirty-one detectives from this city attended the services in the Catholic Church at St. Henri yesterday. With them it was not a spiritual duty, but a matter of protecting the worshipers against possible harm, though no person outside of the authorities knew the presence of the sleuths.

Nothing unusual happened, however. Rev. Father DeCarrie, the parish priest, had received a letter from a woman, who stated she had overheard a plot to destroy the church, and all within it, by means of a liquid fire produced from a powder, the powder to be set off in water. He communicated with Archbishop Bruchesi, and it was at the latter's request that the detectives were sent to the church.

HALF MILLION LOSS IN HARTFORD, CONN., FIRE

Early Morning Blaze There Threatened To Sweep Entire Business Centre.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 30.—Two large stores in the dry-goods district, G. Fox & Co., and the Woolworth 5 and 10 cent store, were destroyed early today by a fire which threatened at one time to sweep through the business centre of the city. Early estimates by the proprietors of the stores placed the total loss at over $500,000.

IN BAYFIELD 70 YEARS

BAYFIELD, Jan. 29.—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Ferguson, aged 79 years, wife of John Ferguson, held to Bayfield Cemetery, was largely attended. The service was conducted by Rev. A. McFarlane, assisted by Rev. J. E. Jones. The pallbearers were four sons and Messrs. George Ferguson and Charles Falconer, nephews of the deceased. Among those who attended from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Will Green, and Mr. George Ferguson, Colborne; Miss Lillian Ferguson, Goderich; Mrs. Charles Simons, Goderich, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carter, Clinton. The flowers were beautiful; among them a pillow and wreath from the family; a spray from grandchildren, and one from Mrs. Charlie Baxter, London.

She was born at Ancaster, but had resided here ever since she was 9 years old. She had been in failing health since last spring, but recently sustained a stroke. Those in constant attendance at her bedside were Mrs. James Reid, Detroit; Mrs. E. E. Sharpe, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Rhynas and Philip, Brantford; Miss Nora, Capt. Jack and wife, William and family, Alexander, Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Balkwill and Mrs. Margaret Ferguson and son James, widow and son of her son, James, drowned eleven years ago. She also leaves two sisters and one brother, Mrs. Charles Simons, Goderich; Mrs. Biggart and Mr. John Falconer, Bayfield.

YOUNG CANADIAN FLIER KILLED IN TRAINING

Son of Major McQueen Meets Death in Texas Air School.

San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 30.—David E. McQueen, aged 24, was killed late yesterday while making a flight at a school of aviation here. The dead man is a son of Major G. L. McQueen, in the Canadian records office, London, and was training to join the aviation corps of the Canadian army in France.

STEAMER VERONA AFIRE.

SEATTLE, Jan. 29.—The passenger steamer Verona, which left here at 6 o'clock tonight for Everett, was on fire when she passed Mukilteo Light, four miles from Everett, at 9:30 tonight. Reports from Everett at 10:30 o'clock said that no lives were lost on the Verona.

BORDEN DENIES PORTION OF RECRUITING CHARGES

Contradicts Opposition Story, But Ignores Quebec Nationalist Alliance.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

OTTAWA, Jan. 29.—That he had declared opposition to further enlistment of Canadians for overseas service was denied to Parliament today by Sir Robert Borden.

This was the reply of the prime minister to the charge made Saturday by J. G. Turriff, member for Assiniboia, that the head of the Government had made a statement to representatives of the Ontario Recruiting League that if he had his way no more men would leave the country for military service abroad.

The premier said to Parliament the statement credited to him "was entirely inconsistent with every act and word of mine so far as I am aware." He ignored the other charge by Mr Turriff that he had kept the Nationalists alive to discourage recruiting in Quebec that he might line up the English provinces against Quebec in the next election.

Pleased With Dorchester.

Dr. Edwards (Conservative), Frontenac, expresses pleasure with the victory of Hon. Albert Sevigny in Dorchester. He declared that the result was a good omen for the Conservative party.

G. W. Kyte (Liberal), Nova Scotia, held that the national service commission had been turned into a partisan organization, with the resignation of Sir Thomas Tait and the succession of R. B. Bennett.

Get Busy in Recess.

Hon. Charles Murphy wants Parliament to get busy during the recess. He urged the appointment of committees to sit during the recess to review the bill consolidating the railway act, to investigate the Hughes' charges, the Bruce Hospital charges and the Ross rifle.

PANGBURN DESERTED WHILE AT KINGSTON

Was Under Surveillance, But Was Suddenly Missing.

[Special to The Advertiser.] NN

KINGSTON, Jan. 29. — Clarence E. Pangburn, sentenced at Windsor to two years for forgery, was known in military circles here. In June last he enlisted here with the 156th Battalion, and for two months was with a company under Capt. Graham. Several complaints were received at military headquarters that he had been seen around Tete de Pont Barracks, and Fort Henry, under suspicious circumstances, and for this reason he was placed under surveillance, but before any definite information could be secured against him he deserted the ranks, and nothing was known of his whereabouts until his recent arrest in Western Ontario.

RAILWAY EARNINGS.

MONTREAL, Jan. 29.—C. P. R. earnings for the month of December were: Earnings, $12,426,867.44; expenses, $7,405,438.83; net, $5,021,428.61; decrease, $680,822.87; decrease in gross, $278,806.01.

BASKETMAKER EXEMPT.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—A young basketmaker has been granted an extension of his military exemption on the ground that he is engaged in executing a hurry order for 2,400 wastepaper baskets for the war office.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

At New York, Carmania, from Liverpool.

EARL OF CROMER DIES SUDDENLY IN LONDON

Man Who Rehabilitated Egypt Passes Away After Long Illness.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Evelyn Baring, first earl of Cromer, former British agent and consul-general in Egypt, died suddenly this evening. He had been ill for some time.

The Earl of Cromer was born in 1841. He was appointed British agent and consul-general in Egypt in 1883, but resigned in 1907 owing to ill-health. It was said that Earl Cromer's sway in Egypt had been almost as absolute as that of an emperor. It was declared to have been a record of genius in administration in the minutest detail. Evelyn Baring in 1880 was made a financial member of the Council of India, at the age of 39, and by dint of successful work three years later was removed to Cairo. In bankrupt Egypt he did wonders in reducing taxation to a minimum, abolishing forced labor and placing the country on a paying basis. In 1892 he was raised to the peerage and in 1901 was made an earl. One of the principal works of Earl Cromer in Egypt was the irrigation system, considered a model of the world. Since the outbreak of the present war Earl Cromer contributed numerous articles concerning important happenings. In July of last year he was appointed chairman of a commission to investigate the Dardanelles campaign.

SPAIN, SATISFIED, TO STICK BY ITS NOTE

Will Not Change Tenor of Its Ways, Declares Editor.

Madrid, via Paris, Jan. 30.—Discussing Spain's answer to President Wilson's note with the editor of the Mundo, Premier Romanones said: "The Government is satisfied with what it has done and will consequently keep to the views expressed in its note. The note to President Wilson was drawn up with the double object of affirming again in a categorical manner our neutrality, and putting Spain in a position with regard to the other countries which will permit her to intervene efficaciously for peace at the proper time."

BRITISH STEAMER AGROUND.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 29.—The British steamer Kenmore, from Leith, is aground off North Point, at the entrance to Potapsco River.

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GERMAN SEA RAIDER REPORTED OFF N. Y.

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 29.—Wireless warnings from Entente warships received here tonight told of the presence of a supposed German raider in latitude 40 north, longitude 60 west, which would be 700 miles off New York. The supposed raider was seen in this position January 19.

Merchant ships were cautioned against approaching this point.

MONEY MISSPENT IN AIDING IMMIGRATION

Hon. George W. Brown Condemns Present Canadian Policy.

MONTREAL, Jan. 29.—Hon. George W. Brown, former lieutenant-governor of Saskatchewan, in an address to the Canadian Club here today, attacked the country's immigration policy.

He declared that last year, in spite of all the money spent on immigration, 140,000 persons had gone into the West and 150,000 had gone out to the United States. He attributed this to the cost of supplies, heavy taxation and restricted markets. He regarded the western states as the real source of successful immigration for the Canadian West, but these people would not come when they found that their supplies cost them 30 per cent more, while their products would not bring as much as in the States.

COMMISSION REPORT BELIEVES ROGERS LIED

Winnipeg Probers Intimate Hon. Bob Did Not Tell Truth.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

WINNIPEG, Jan. 27.—An interim report by Judge Galt on his investigation into the agricultural college construction will be presented to the Legislature on Tuesday afternoon. It is a severe indictment of the members of the Roblin Government of that period. While official figures show that three-quarters of a million dollars was the estimated cost of the buildings, actual payments made total three and a half million dollars.

The history of the contract with Carter, Aldinger & Halls by which their contract was raised $13,000 after they had started work and had signed an agreement to raise at the suggestion of Hon. Robt. Rogers, although the firm only got $1,200 of the amount, the rest going into the Conservative party fund, is a severe reflection on the Minister of Public Works Rogers.

The report distinctly intimates that Hon. Robt. Rogers' several statements to the commission concerning this contract are not believed to be true.

Several contractors received large extra payments for work which they did not do and for material they did not supply, and the province was robbed of a sum that runs over a million dollars.

CUSTER'S POET-SCOUT IS REPORTED DYING

"Captain Jack" Crawford Is Seriously Ill.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—John Wallace ("Captain" Jack) Crawford, the "poet scout," was reported dying at Woodhaven, N. Y., in a telegram received here today.

Captain Crawford was chief of scouts with General Custer at the time of the massacre, but was on his way to headquarters with dispatches, and was active in organizing the pursuit of Sitting Bull. Crawford, who was born in Ireland in 1847, learned to read and write while ill in the hospital, and afterwards wrote a number of plays, stories and poems.

J. K. MORRIS, WHO WAS POSTMASTER AT BLENHEIM 60 YEARS



BLENHEIM, Jan. 29. — After 50 years of active service as postmaster in Blenheim, and not quite one year retired, J. K. Morris is dead. In April last he was considered the oldest in service of Canada's postmasters. He was 84 years old and came here on May 1, 1856, taking charge of what was then known as Rondeau postoffice, now Blenheim. He was born in Leeds County, July 26, 1832. He served in the 24th Battalion in 1861, and during the Fenian raid of 1866. He was a member of the Kent county council for 20 years as reeve of the town, and attained the warden's chair. At one time he had considerable lumber interests here, and suffered fire losses on two occasions.

Mr. Morris retired from the postmastership last April, being succeeded by W. J. Baird. He was a member of the A., F. and A. M. The funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon from his late residence, the services being conducted by Rev. J. B. McCracken, rector of the Anglican Church, of which deceased was a member. He leaves, besides a widow, the following sons: Charlie at home, Joseph, John, Fred, Garnet and Bert, all in the west, and daughters, Mrs. Jackson of Fort William and Mrs. Mitchell of the west.

NO TRACE OF STEAMER REPORTED ON FIRE

Search of Puget Sound Fails to Reveal Blazing Vessel.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 30.—A thorough search of Puget Sound waters in the vicinity of Everett, 25 miles north of here, today, failed to throw any light on a report last night that a steamer was on fire. The steamer Kulsham, with doctors and pulmotors, went from here to the scene to investigate. She steamed about for several hours and returned today without finding any wreckage. No vessels are known to be overdue or missing.

SUICIDES ON EXPRESS GOING INTO SYRACUSE

SYRACUSE, Jan. 29.—A well-dressed man, with papers in his clothes bearing the name and address, "Nathan MacDonald, Buffalo," committed suicide on the eastbound Empire State Express just before the train reached Syracuse late today.

The man was about 36 years of age and had more than $500 in currency in his possession. Letters indicated he was a member of the Buffalo Chapter American Institute of Banking, with offices in the Marine Bank building, and that he had a Canadian connection.

"BONE DRY" BILL FOR OREGON.

SALEM, Oregon, Jan. 29.—The House of Representatives today passed a "bone dry" prohibition bill which forbids importation of alcoholic liquors into Oregon. The bill now goes to the Senate.

DISTRICT CASUALTIES

KILLED IN ACTION

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John Truax.
LONDON.
Geo. Grant.
ST. THOMAS.
A. F. Burton.
OWEN SOUND.
Ross Markle
W. R. Barber.
SARNIA.
George Wheatley.
RUTHVEN.
Chas. Hillman.

WOUNDED

WOODSTOCK.
H. D. Grigg.
GODERICH.
J. McNevin.
TALBOTVILLE.
G. E. Page.

GREECE SALUTES FLAGS OF ENTENTE NATIONS

Meets Demands of Allies as Recompensation for Treacherous Acts.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The ceremony of saluting the Allies' flags by Greece was carried out Monday afternoon in the Zappeion, in accordance with the arrangement recently entered into between the Greek Government and the Entente powers, says a Reuter dispatch from Athens.

The Allied ministers, the commander of the first army corps and the members of the Greek cabinet were present. The general public was excluded from the building. No untoward incident occurred.

BURGLARS' OPERATIONS CAUSE $350,000 BLAZE

Overcharge of Nitro-Glycerin Destroyed Large Boston Building.

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—Fire early today destroyed the five-story brick building occupied by Thomas Kalley & Co., blanket manufacturers, in the centre of the wholesale district, causing a loss estimated at $350,000. Fire Chief McDonough said today that in his opinion the blaze was caused by an overcharge of nitro-glycerin, or some other powerful explosive used by burglars in an attempt to break open the Kalley company's safe.

NEW BRUNSWICK PREMIER ILL.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Jan. 29.—Hon. George J. Clarke, premier of New Brunswick, is seriously ill at his home in St. Stephen.

CANADIAN NEWSPAPER FOR BOYS IN ENGLAND

LONDON, Jan. 29.—A proposal is under consideration for the establishment of a daily newspaper in England for the benefit of Canadian soldiers, both here and in France, and for the large Canadian civil element which has come in the train of the Canadian army.

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Note.—Another prominent physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bon-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists, and widely prescribed by them. The manufacturers guarantee it to strengthen eyesight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances, or refund the money. It can be obtained from any good druggist, and is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family." It is sold in London by Standard Drug Company, Strong's Drug Store, and other druggists. law, 5 Feb. 27.

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The Rev. Dr. Alfred Hall,

Chaplain of Royal Navy, will speak on "The Work of the Navy," under auspices Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, Cronyn Hall, on Wednesday, Jan. 31, at 3 p.m. All patriotic citizens are cordially invited to attend. b

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BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

BORN.

LEE—On Tuesday, Jan. 30, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Lee, a daughter (Marjory Florence). b

MAHLER—At Delaware, on Jan. 27, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Mahler, a son (Winson Llewellyn). b

McHARG—At Victoria Hospital, London, Jan. 28, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. David R. McHarg, a son. b

DIED.

BOSTON—At her late residence, 78 Wharncliffe road west, on Jan. 29, 1917, Annie Boston, widow of the late Alexander Boston, in her 73rd year. Funeral from the above address on Wednesday at 3 p.m. Services at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Hamilton papers please copy. 80u

McCARTHY—At her late residence, concession 11, Biddulph, Mrs. Michael McCarthy, on Monday, Jan. 29, 1917. Funeral on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. b

PUGH—At 22 Pipe Line road, on Saturday, Jan. 27, 1917, Sarah Pugh, widow of the late John Pugh, in her 75th year. Funeral from the above address on Wednesday, Jan. 31, at 2:30 p.m. Services at 2 o'clock. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. 79c

In Memoriam.

GRANT—In loving memory of my dearest and devoted husband, Pte. George Grant, 21st Battalion, France, who fell on the field of honor, Wednesday, Jan. 17, 1917, aged 28 years, 10 months and 2 days. Died for wife, King and country.

To rest his loving soul's departed,
A rest more pure than earth can give;
He's gone—the faithful and true-hearted—
Home, where kindred spirits live.

But, though gone, not gone from my memory, not gone from my love,
But gone to his Father's home above.
b —His Wife and Baby.

LEWIS—In loving memory of Corp. William Heber Lewis, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Percy Lewis, 538 Elizabeth street, who gave his life on the battlefront in France, one year ago today. b

OSBORN—In loving memory of William Osborn, who passed away Jan. 30, 1916, late of 555 St. James street.
b —His Wife and Sons.

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TONIGHT

HEAR REV. A. C. BINGHAM

South London Baptist Church. Subject, "A Young Lady Who Rejected a King." Fine, hearty singing. Come. b

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$2,400—COTTAGE, ADJOINING CITY, on car line; half-acre land, stable, apples and small fruits, natural gas; taxes, $15. Patterson, Imperial Bank Chambers.

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MEETINGS

MEETING OF RATEPAYERS HIGHLAND and Manor Park, Wednesday, Jan. 31, in temporary schoolhouse, Highland Park, to discuss propositions on land for permanent school site. Invitation extended to all interested in welfare and progress of two estates. Especial plea to those to be present who will sign petitions for same. By order of secretary. 81u

I. O. O. F.—EUREKA LODGE, NO. 30—Regular meeting this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock, in the Oddfellows' Hall, Richmond street, Bank of Nova Scotia Building. The second degree will be conferred. Every officer is asked to be present. Visitors always welcome. H. Bolton, N. G. P

THE DISTRICT CHAPTER OF INSTRUCTION will open Friday at 2:30, in the new Masonic Temple, Queen's avenue. The R. A. degree will be conferred in the evening at 7:30, after which there will be a fourth degree. All R. A. Masons welcome. O. F. Clark, G. D. S. b

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE — GOOD cash grocery business; good cash hardware business. Will exchange for city property. Owner interested in other business. Box 74, Advertiser. 76n

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LOST — BETWEEN DUNDAS AND G. T. R. station, green leather handbag, containing cardcase and small sum money. Reward, this office. b

LOST — BLACK LEATHER PURSE, containing money and bank book. Return to this office. Reward. 81c

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LOST — BLACK POMERANIAN PUPPY, female. Reward. 331 Queen's avenue. 81c

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GIRLS FOR BINDERY WORK—APPLY Lawson & Jones, Limited, Clarence street. 81c

WANTED — PARLORMAID — APPLY Miss Gibbons, 257 Dufferin avenue. 81n

WANTED — COOK-GENERAL — APPLY 49 Ridout street. 81c

WANTED — COMPETENT WOMAN for cooking. Apply stewardess, Victoria Hospital. 80c

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WANTED — EXPERIENCED SALESLADY for ladies' ready-to-wear. Metropolitan Skirt and Suit Company. 80c

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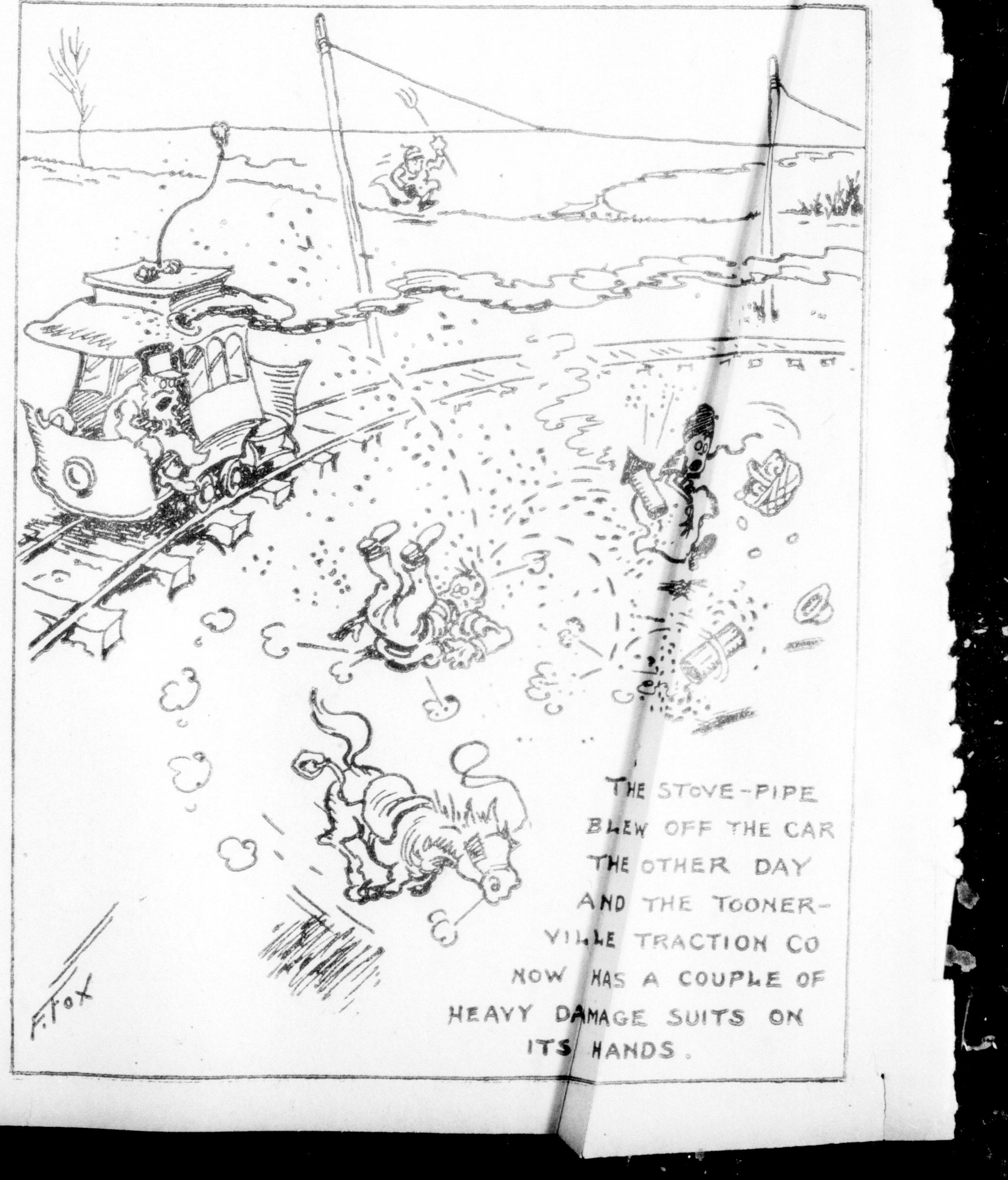
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LONDON, Jan. 29.—A British official communication issued this evening, concerning the fighting on the Irak front in Asiatic Turkey, says:

"As the result of operations Saturday night and Sunday morning we are now in complete possession of Turkish first and second lines southwest of Kut-el-Amara, on the right bank of the Tigris, on a front of 4,300 yards.

"We also hold the enemy's third and fourth lines on a frontage of 600 yards.

"Turkish dead to the number of 950 already have been counted and collected. More remain to be counted. Prisoners aggregating 127 were taken, together with one gun, one Maxim, three trench mortars, and a quantity of other materials."

CLAIM 2,000 BRITISH DEAD.

BERLIN, Jan. 29.—Via Tuckerton.—The official Turkish communication of January 28 reads:

"The enemy on January 24 shelled our Felahie position heavily but made no attack. On January 25 south of the Tigris, the British after a violent artillery bombardment, made an attack with strong forces and succeeded at the cost of heaviest losses in capturing some ground. Two thousand British dead are lying before a small part of our front.

"On January 26 the enemy made another attack and was repulsed completely."

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SEVERAL AMERICANS

crew of the British steamer Yarrowdale, which was captured by the German raider in the South Atlantic.

They had been interned at Neustrilitz. According to these men the Yarrowdale proceeded to a German port by way of a course north of the Faroe Islands, along the Norwegian coast to the Skaw, and thence through Cattegat Sound to Swinemuende.

A DANGEROUS BOAT AND DANGEROUS MEN.

PERNAMBUCO, Jan. 29.—From information gleaned from survivors of steamers sunk recently in the South Atlantic by the German raider, it has been learned that the raider was a vessel of the merchant type, about 300 feet long, and with parts of her sides movable. She had two telescope masts, two telescope funnels, a false hand steering gear on the poop deck, which concealed her largest guns, and four concealed torpedo tubes.

The steamer, it is said, mounted four 6-inch and two 7-inch guns, and also smaller guns, including several of the machine type. She was equipped with ventilators, and was of the fruit-carrying type of boat, her 'tween-decks space giving accommodation for many prisoners.

Only After Cargo Boats.

The captain of the raider, according to some of the men brought here, informed a captured British officer that he was not interested in passenger boats. He sought only cargo boats, he said, as he had no accommodations for women and children. The raider frequently repainted and had on board sufficient material to completely change her appearance. There is disagreement among the men landed here as to whether the raider is armored. All of them agree, however, that the raider is thoroughly equipped and that no detail in this respect has been overlooked. As an example, they say, each prisoner, on boadring the raider, is furnished with a kit, hammock and blanket.

Prisoners Behind Iron Doors.

The prisoners are kept in the hold behind iron doors, and some of the men say that their lot was not a pleasant one, owing to the intense heat and the uncertainty of their fate, especially when signal shots were fired at a new victim and they were expectant of an answering shot. Enemy prisoners, it was stated, were allowed an hour daily for exercise, while neutrals, who wore white bands on the sleeve, were granted greater liberties, and also given a Christmas present made by German girls.

Worked to Southwest.

After December 12, the raider worked southwest toward Pernambuco, her most daring feat being the capture of the British collier Minish, which had her rope fenders still over her sides. At 10 o'clock on the morning of January 12, the raider placed 273 survivors of steamers sunk on board the Japanese steamer Hudson Maru without an accompanying prize crew. The Japanese captain was ordered to follow the raider until 6 o'clock in the evening, when he was to turn west and put into the nearest port. The orders were obeyed and the hungry survivors were brought into Pernambuco.

Quoting a captured British captain, the raider is a dangerous boat in the hands of a daring man.

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THREE ITALIANS

her enemy never for an instant has hidden or modified the principles of tyranny and oppression which would negative absolutely the principles proclaimed by the president."

VICTORY PEACE ESSENTIAL SAYS RUSSIAN DIPLOMAT.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 29.—Via London.—Sergius Sazonoff, ex-foreign minister who has just been appointed Russian ambassador to London, commenting on President Wilson's Senate speech in an interview printed in the Russian newspapers today, voiced the view already taken by most prominent Russians in stating that President Wilson's efforts to prevent a repetition of the world war had his full sympathy and particularly commending the idea of a peace league, but he failed to see the practical value of the speech at this time.

"I must say," said M. Sazonoff, "that I cannot see from reading the speech how President Wilson proposes to realize his idea which is by no means new. It is impossible to understand a peace without victory. It is quite impossible to return to the statu quo ante."

Imperative Terms.

M. Sazonoff mentioned as the terms without which the Entente Allies could not consider peace, these:

"The restoration of Belgium and Serbia and the return to France of Alsace and Lorraine.

"The ceding of territory to Italy.

"The freedom of Poland and Rumania.

"Russia's domination of the Dardanelles and free access to the sea."

Referring to the development of Russian trade the former foreign minister said:

Faith in Allies.

"America and England have declared several times their intention to develop trade relations with Russia, and to increase their export of goods to the Russian market. All talk by our enemies that we shall find ourselves under the economic yoke of the English and French has no basis. It isn't the custom of the English and French to oppress the countries to which they are exporting goods. Germany's dream of economic domination in Europe is a lost hope."

BRITTON AND GRIFFITH DRAW.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 29. — Jack Britton of Chicago and Johnny Griffith of Akron, Ohio, went ten rounds to a draw here tonight. Both men put up a good scientific bout, and at no time was there any danger of a knockout.

LONDON PRESBYTERY W. M. SOCIETY HAS RAISED BIG AMOUNT

Gets $7,816 in Year, an Increase of $2,200.

ANNUAL MEETING TODAY

Visitors in City From Many Points Entertained in London Homes.

The Women's Missionary Society of the London Presbytery, including auxiliaries and mission bands of the various Presbyterian churches within the bounds of the presbytery has raised within the past year the sum of $7,816.40, an advance of more than $2,200 over last year. Last year there was a marked advance in contributions over the previous year. Amid war conditions and with all the war relief duties devolving upon the members, the Women's Missionary Society in the past three years has made striking progress.

Last April, in response to an appeal from the general board, the total amount forwarded from the presbyterial treasurer was $1,163, collected at Easter thankoffering meetings.

The foregoing report was presented by the treasurer, Mrs. M. B. McEachern, at the first session of the annual meeting of the London Presbyterial W. M. S., which opened at 2 o'clock today in the First Presbyterian Church, with a large attendance of delegates from outside points and representatives of auxiliaries and mission bands of the city Presbyterian churches.

Opening Exercises.

Mrs. D. L. McCrae presided, and the opening Scripture reading was given by Mrs. D. C. MacGregor of this city, Mrs. Stewart of Dutton leading in prayer.

Apart from the greetings of the presbytery, conveyed by Rev. James MacKay of New St. James' Presbyterian Church, the afternoon was devoted to consideration of reports presented as follows:

Mission Band, by Mrs. Pepper, St. Thomas; Messenger, Mrs. Alex. Henderson, London; Strangers, Mrs. Wood, London; Library, Mrs. Crawford, Wilton Grove; Literature, Mrs. Peterman, London; Home Helpers, Mrs. Evans, St. Thomas; Press, Mrs. Anderson, Wilton Grove; Supply, Mrs. Ballantyne, London. An open discussion followed reading of each report.

Mrs. W. A. Bremner, St. Thomas, offered the dedicatory prayer, and at 4 o'clock, a mission band conference opened, led by Mrs. Pepper of St. Thomas.

Tea is being served in the church at 6 o'clock, and will be immediately followed by a conference in the lecture-room on "Ways and Means."

Rev. W. J. Knox is presiding at the public meeting in the church at 8 o'clock this evening, when an address will be delivered by Rev. James Menzies, M. D., missionary on furlough from Honan, China. The presbyterial report will be read by Mrs. John McEvoy and Mrs. McCrae will present a banner to the banner mission band.

List of Delegates.

Registration of delegates began at 1:30 o'clock. The following are among delegates whose names have been sent in to the convener of the billeting committee, accompanied by the names of their hostesses, in cases where the visitors are not staying with friends or returning to their homes for the night:

AILSA CRAIG.—Miss Wylie, with Gavin Rowat, Wortley road; Miss Anderson, with Mrs McEvoy, Elmwood avenue.

BELMONT—Miss Jean Black and Mrs. John MacNabb, with Mrs. James MacMillan, 295 Princess avenue; Mrs. J. Currie, with Mrs. Peter Macdonald, 228 Central avenue.

COOK'S, CARADOC.—Miss Donna Ramsay and Miss Alice McCracken, with Mrs. U. A. Buchner, 574 Waterloo street.

COWAL.—Mrs. Wm. Carroll and Mrs. Dougal McTavish, with Mrs. Morris, Becher street; Mrs. Bennett, with Mrs. John Ferguson, 27 Askin street.

CRINAN.—Mrs. Haig, West Lorne, with Mrs. Childs, 788 Wellington street. Miss Aggie McEachern and Miss Margaret Walker, with Mrs. Fraser, 840 Wellington street.

CRUMLIN.—Miss Annie Judd and Miss Louisa Buffin, with Mrs. Patterson, 530 English street.

DUTTON.—Mrs. R. Stewart with Mrs. John MacMillan; Mrs. J. M. Blue and Mrs. John Kerr, with Mrs. J. L. Richmond.

FINGAL.—Mrs. George Moore and Mrs. Hedley Sutherland, with Mrs. Cleghorn, Ridout street south.

GLENCOE.—Mrs. John Strachan, with Mrs. Duncan, 10 Bruce street; Mrs. J. G. McLachlan, with Mrs. Donaghy, 538 Colborne street; Mrs. Suitter, and Mrs. Joseph Grant, with Mrs. Davidson.

HYDE PARK.—Miss Vera Keays and Miss Lily Robson, with Mrs. J. Turnbull, 712 Lorne avenue; Miss Ena Skippen and Miss Daisy Hamilton, with Mrs. Dunn, 243 Wortley road; Miss E. Weir, with Miss Weir, 146 John street.

KINTORE—Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. G. B. Anderson, jun., with Mrs. John Marr, 385 Dufferin avenue.

KINTYRE.—Mrs. Neil D. McMillan, with Mrs. M. B. Boyd; Mrs. J. D. Scott, with Mrs. M. B. Boyd.

LOBO.—Mrs. McCullough, with Mrs. A. E. Cooper, 526 Waterloo street; Mrs. Nichols, with Mrs. Thomas McDonald; Mrs. A. A. Turner and Mrs. Duncan Turner (McBride's), with Miss Thompson, Hellmuth avenue.

SOUTHWOLD.—Mrs. Robert Meek and Miss Lizzie McArthur, with Mrs. W. J. Carson, 26 Prospect avenue.

MELBOURNE — Mrs. C. Howell with Mrs. Perry, 46 Stanley street.

ST. THOMAS—Alma Street Church, Mrs. Brenner and Mrs. S. Carr, with Mrs. R. D. Millar, 270 St. James street.

ST. THOMAS—Mrs. D. McLachlan, Knox Church, Mrs. Horton, with Mrs. Patterson, 921 Colborne street.

SOUTH WESTMINSTER—Miss M. Flowers and Miss M. McLachlan, with Miss Inez Hutchinson; Mrs. Neil Munro.

TAIT'S CORNERS—Mrs. Jas. Treslan and Mrs. James Lethbridge, with Mrs. Glennie, 773 King street.

THAMESFORD—Mrs. Dundass, with Mrs. McWilliam, 421 Dundas street; Mrs. G. P. Hogg and Mrs. W. W. Hogg.

VANNECK—Mrs. Milne, with Mrs. Campbell, 255 Huron street; Mrs. R. S. Douglas.

WALLACETOWN— Mrs. Wm. Braddon and Mrs. S. M. Jones, with Mrs. W. A. McCutcheon, 359 Central avenue; Mrs. J. A. Cameron, with Mrs. Kelso, 96 Wilson avenue.

WARDSVILLE—Miss Mulligan.

CAMPBELLTON—Miss E. McIntyre and Miss Jean Buchanan, with Miss Fraser, 516 Wellington street; Miss Mary McPherson, with Mrs. Davis, 515 William street; Mrs. Norman Ford, with Mrs. Whealon, 512 Oxford street.

NORTH CARADOC—Mrs. Archie Hellmuth avenue; Mrs. Hugh McPhail, Crawford, with Miss Thompson, 808 with Mrs. Dickie, 860 Hellmuth avenue.

PORT STANLEY—Mrs. Jelly, Mrs. Meek, Mrs. Sanderson and Miss Ida Ferguson; Mrs. S. H. Eastman, with Mrs. James Armstrong, 349 Maitland street.

RODNEY—Mrs. D. J. McArthur, with Mrs. Mooney, 304 Grosvenor street; Mrs. D. Graham and Mrs. J. A. M. McLean; Mrs. D. Stephens, with Mrs. D. McDougall, 232 Tecumseh avenue.

MOSA—Mrs. J. Fraser Smith, with Mrs. Rowat; Mrs. Joseph Moore and Miss C. Little, with Mrs. Sargent, 529 King street.

MOUNT BRYDGES—Mrs. Robertson, with Mrs. Patterson, 921 Colborne street.

MUNCEY—Mrs. James Nagle and Mrs. Charles Bateman.

NEWBURY—Mrs. Malcolm and Mrs. Fletcher, with Mrs. Walker.

NEW GLASGOW—Mrs. F. G. McDiarmid and Mrs. Wm. Watson, with Mrs. Ollerhead, 583 Colborne street.

TWO MORE SUNK

Norwegian and Portuguese Vessels Destroyed.

Christiania, Norway, Jan. 30.—Via London.—A telegram received here today from Bergen reports the sinking of the Norwegian steamship Hallbjoerg, 2,587 tons gross. Her crew was saved.

London, Jan. 30.—The Portuguese steamer Fome Do Douro, of 1,207 tons, is reported sunk, Lloyds Sipping Agency announced today.

TABLOID NEWS OF CANADA, THE WAR AND THE WORLD

WESTERN ONTARIO

Mrs. A. Mayhew, 87 years of age, one of the oldest residents of Thamesville, died from pneumonia.

Frank McLeod, a Sarnia garage employee who caused $500 damage to two cars he stole from a garage to go joy-riding with last Sunday, was convicted in police court there and sent to jail for four months.

Thamesford women have spent more than $715 in the past quarter in their patriotic work.

Sarnia is expecting to organize and establish a Y.M.C.A. there.

Thomas Martin, for nearly 70 years a resident of Colchester Township, died at his home near Harrow after a short illness. He was 80 years of age.

Kitchener's British League has received a reply from Premier Borden announcing that its request for a suitable commemoration of Canada's fiftieth birthday would receive immediate consideration.

Ruthven district reports indicate an unusually good condition, generally speaking, for all livestock.

While the St. Clair river, at Sarnia, is comparatively clear of ice, the ferries have a hard time making their landing at Black river.

General reports from Western Ontario say that the snow has helped wheat materially.

Harriston is arranging for a fund for returned soldiers. It will be known as the comfort fund.

At a meeting of the Oxford County returned soldiers last night arrangements were made for the creation there of a local branch of the Soldiers Aid Commission.

A record output for the Crinan cheese factory has been recorded.

CANADIAN

Quebec's social service commission will appeal to the Government in another effort to stop the race track gambling in that province.

Cable reports from Belfast tell of the wonderful reception accorded there to the Canadian-Irish rangers who are touring Ireland now.

An authoritative statement from the C.P.R. says that Vice-President Bury went to England on business for the company and not to take over control of the Russian railways as was announced.

Another increase in cartage rates by the agencies connected with the C.P.R., G.T.R. and C.N.R. will go into force on March 1 unless suspended by the Dominion Railway Commission.

AMERICAN

Pliny Fisk, New York banker, denies all connection with Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo in the stock market leak growing out of reported advance information on Wilson's peace note. Fisk denies receiving any advance information.

"Sir Roger," a pedigreed silver fox sold for $500 at the fur auction in St. Louis.

John Wallace, ("Captain Jack" Crawford,) the poet-scout who was chief of scouts with Gen. Custer, is reported dying at Woodhaven, New York.

Twelve of the thirteen New York policemen who underwent a three weeks' diet test, gained on the 25 cents per day menu. The unlucky thirteenth man lost four pounds.

President Wilson has again vetoed the immigration bill, passed by congress because of its literacy test provision.

GENERAL

Emperor Charles of Austria, has created the King of Bulgaria an Austrian field marshal, according to a Vienna dispatch to Reuter's. The emperor visited the Bulgarian king on his way home from German headquarters, where he had attended the birthday celebration of the German emperor.

Auguste Rodin, the famous sculptor, instead of being ill, as was stated in the Parisian papers Monday, was married on that day to Mlle. Rose Beurre. The marriage took place at Meudon and Etienne Clementel, minister of commerce, and M. Peytel, director of the Algerian Credit Bank, were witnesses. Albert Dalimier, under-secretary for fine arts, and a few intimate friends were also present. M. Rodin is 76 years old. He was married for the first time when he was 23, and his first wife acted as his model in the early years of his struggle for recognition.

A Constantinople dispatch to Reuter's says that the Turkish Parliament, on the recommendation of the Government, has formally adopted the Gregorian calendar.

The Mohammedan calendar, used up to the present in Turkey, was based on the changes of the moon, and consisted of a year of twelve lunar months, commencing in the Gregorian July.

France is suffering from the continued cold weather, which has blocked water transportation by the freezing of canals and rivers, and which has increased the coal shortage.

The Pall Mall Gazette demands the appointment of a "money dictator" to prevent the Americans from rushing up the interest rates. If the war lasts another year, says the Gazette, the dictator will be the only way out of the difficulty.

An official denial of the accuracy of William C. Anderson, Labor M. P.'s statement, that a rationing system was to be adopted by Britain, has been made by Lord Devonport, the food controller.

According to a German news dispatch, the Rumanian capital is to be moved again, this time to Russia.

France has made special provisions for its soldier students of the recruits of 1918, to take their examinations before Easter. These will be less severe than ordinary.

Budapest, capital of Austria, is already figuring on the benefits that will accrue to it through having a young emperor. It has announced that after the war regular court periods will be held at the Hungarian capital with a naturally-increased business as a result.

WAR

Lloyds announces that the Norwegian steamer Argo, 1,261 tons, has been blown up and that nine of her crew are reported lost. The Norwegian steamer Fulton, 1,030 tons, has also been sunk.

Germany has announced that interned civilian prisoners will be forced to work on public service in the same way as German civilians.

Britain's pension fund will require £50,000,000 per year and will take a staff of 2,000 to administer.

BURIED AT NEWBURY.

NEWBURY, Jan. 29. — The funeral of Mrs. Richard Reycraft was held from the family residence, lot 9, con. 1, Mosa Township, to Oakland Cemetery. Mrs. Reycraft was 84 years of age and was one of the first settlers in this district. She is survived by her husband, six sons, Richard and Joseph at home, Elias, reeve of Mosa, William, John and Thomas, and two daughters, Mrs. Gibbins of Mosa and Jennie at home.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

The January thaw and consequent bad roads were responsible for a particularly small attendance at the market today. It is expected that if road conditions become worse during the night that the prices of hay and produce will rise again. Only a few loads of hay were brought in today. They sold for $12.00 to $13.00 a ton. Straw brought $9.50 to $10.00 a ton. No old wheat was offered.

Potatoes are particularly scarce at $2.25 to $2.35 a bag. Green onions are being offered at 40c a dozen bunches. Dry onions sell for $2.25 to $2.50 a bushel.

Apples are selling for $1.25 a bushel.

Creamery butter is slightly firmer at 47c a pound.

There was a slight drop in live hogs, the highest price paid being $13.00 per hundredweight. Dressed hogs were slightly cheaper at $17.50 to $18.00 per hundredweight.

Grain, Per Cwt.			
Oats, per cwt.	2 05	to	2 12
Barley, per cwt.	2 00	to	2 00
Wheat, per cwt.	2 33	to	2 33
Grain, Per Bushel.			
Oats, per bu	69	to	73
Wheat, new, per bu.	1 70	to	1 70
Vegetables.			
Potatoes, per peck	40	to	45
Potatoes, per bu.	1 50	to	1 60
Potatoes, per bag	2 25	to	2 35
Cabbage, per doz.	60	to	1 50
Dry onions, per bu.	2 25	to	2 50
Green onions, doz.	40	to	40
Parsley, per doz.	30	to	40
Carrots, per bu.	90	to	1 00
Celery, per doz.	40	to	60
Parsnips, a bu.	1 10	to	1 25
Turnips, a bu.	50	to	60
Lettuce, per doz.	40	to	40
Beans, per bu.	6 00	to	6 50
Rhubarb, doz	1 00	to	1 00
Fruit.			
Apples, per bu.	1 25	to	1 25
Spy apples, per bbl.	4 25	to	5 25
Hay and Straw.			
Hay, per ton	12 00	to	13 00
Straw, per ton	9 50	to	10 00
Dairy Produce, Retail.			
Butter, creamery, lb.	47	to	47
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls	40	to	42
Butter, crocks, lb.	40	to	41
Eggs, per doz.	55	to	60
Honey, 10 lbs.	1 20	to	1 40
Honey, sections, doz.	2 40	to	2 50
Dairy Produce, Wholesale.			
Butter, creamery, lb.	44	to	44
Butter, dairy, in rolls	36	to	40
Butter, store lots, lb.	35	to	35
Eggs, crate, doz.	48	to	50
Wholesalers to Farmers.			
Butter, dairy, lb.	38	to	39
Eggs, basket, doz.	44	to	48
Eggs, crate, doz.	45	to	46
Chickens, per lb.	13	to	15
Old fowl, lb.	11	to	13
Poultry, Alive, Wholesale.			
Young chickens, lb.	16	to	17
Old fowl, per lb.	15	to	15
Ducks, per lb.	15	to	16
Geese, per lb.	19	to	20
Poultry, Dressed, Wholesale.			
Chickens, per lb.	26	to	22
Ducks, per lb.	20	to	20
Old fowl, per lb.	16	to	16
Geese, per lb.	19	to	20
Ducks, each	80	to	1 25
Turkeys, per lb.	30	to	32
Poultry, Dressed, Retail.			
Chickens, per pair	1 70	to	2 00
Geese, per lb.	21	to	22
Live Stock.			
Hogs, per cwt.	13 00	to	13 00
Fat sows, per cwt.	10 00	to	10 50
Small pigs, pair	5 00	to	7 00
Butchers' Meats.			
Dressed hogs, cwt.	17 50	to	18 00
Veal, per cwt.	15 00	to	16 00
Beef, per cwt.	12 00	to	14 00
Heifer beef, cwt.	13 00	to	14 00
Lamb, per cwt.	18 00	to	20 00
Hides and Wool.			
Wool, per lb.	36	to	40
Cow hides, No. 1	21	to	21
Cow hides, No. 2	19	to	19
Calfskins, per lb.	30	to	35
Lambskins, each	1 00	to	1 75

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,000; market steady; beeves, native, $7 75@11 95; western steers, $7 75@10 15; stockers and feeders, $6@9; cows and heifers, $5@10 25; calves, $11@14 75.

Hogs—Receipts, 38,000; market was steady; light, $11 10@11 60; mixed, $11 15@11 70; heavy, $11 25@11 75; rough, $11 25@11 40; pigs, $9 40@10 60; bulk of sales at $11 35@11 65.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; market was strong; wethers, $10@11 50; lambs, native, $11 75@14 50.

Toronto, Jan. 29.—Receipts at the Union stockyards today were 3,244 cattle, 105 calves, 2,615 hogs and 360 sheep. Trade was active, with prices steady to strong.

Latest quotations:

Choice weighty steers	$10 50	to $11 00
Do. medium	9 75	10 25
Butchers choice handy	9 50	10 25
Do. good	8 75	9 25
Do. medium	7 75	8 50
Do. common	6 75	7 50
Butchers choice cows	7 75	8 50
Do. good	6 75	7 50
Do. medium	6 00	6 50
Butchers bulls choice	7 50	9 00
Do. good	6 75	7 25
Do. medium	5 75	6 50
Do. bologna	5 00	5 50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6 75	7 60
Do. med. 700 to 800 lbs.	6 00	6 40
Stockers, 700 to 900 lbs.	6 25	6 60
Do. com., light	5 00	5 75
Cutters	4 50	5 25
Canners	4 25	4 50
Milkers, good to choice	80 00	100 00
Do. com. to med	50 00	70 00
Springers	55 00	100 00
Calves, veal, choice	13 00	14 00
Do. medium	8 00	10 50
Do. common	5 00	7 50
Do. grass	5 00	6 00
Spring lambs, choice	14 00	14 75
Do. culls	8 00	10 50
Sheep, ewes, light	9 50	10 00
Do. heavy and bucks	7 50	9 00
Do. culls	4 00	7 00
Hogs, weighed off cars	14 00	....
Do. fed and watered	13 75	....

Packers, f.o.b. country points, $13.25; less $2.50 to $3.50 on sows; less $5 on stags; less $2 on light; less $1 on heavies; less ½ per cent Government condemnation.

Toronto, Jan. 30.—Receipts at the Union stockyards today were 790 cattle, 187 calves, 1,775 hogs and 227 sheep. Trade continued strong at yesterday's high level in cattle and small stuff. Hogs remained steady at the lower prices.

Cattle—Exporters, choice, per cwt, $9 75@11; butchers, choice, $9 50@10 25; do, medium, $7 75@9 25; do, common, $6 75@7 50; butcher cows, choice, $7 75@8 50; do, medium, $6 75@7 50; do, canners, $4 25@4 50; do, bulls, $5@9; feeding steers, $6 75@7 60; stockers, choice, $6 25@6 60; do, light, $5@6; milkers, choice, each, $50@100; springers, each, $50@100; calves, $5@14.

Sheep—Ewes, cwt, $9 50@10; bucks and culls, $7@9; lambs, $8@14 75.

Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, $13 75.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 750; active, steady.

Veals—Receipts, 450; market slow, at $5@15.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,200; slow; heavy, $12 25; mixed, $12 15@12 25; yorkers, $12 10@12 25; pigs, $11@11 25; roughs, $11 10@11 25; stags, $8 50@9 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3,000 head; sheep active, lambs slow; lambs, $11@14 75; yearlings, $9 50@13 50; wethers, $11 50@12; ewes, $6@11; mixed sheep, $11@11 25.

YESTERDAY'S CASH GRAIN RANGE

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Wheat: No. 2 red, $1.80¾; No. 3 red, nominal; No. 2 hard, $1.83¼ @ $1.87½; No. 3 hard nominal.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, $1.01 @ $101¼; No. 4 yellow, 97c @ $1.01¼; No. 4 white 97c @ $1.

Oats—Standard, 57¼c @ 58c.

Rye—No. 2, $1.46½.

Barley—$1 @ $1.25.

Timothy—$3.50 @ $5.50.

Clover—$12 @ $17.50.

Pork—$31.50.

Ribs—$14.87 @ $15.50.

MINNEAPOLIS.

Minneapolis, Jan. 29.—Wheat closed: May, $1.74; July, $1.68¾. Cash: No. 1 hard, $1.82@$1.84; No. 2 northern, $1.75@$1.78; No. 2 northern, $1.72@$1.78.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 94¾c@95¾c.

Ooats—No. 3 white, 52¾c@53¾c.

WINNIPEG.

Cash grain: Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.65¾; No. 2 northern, $1.62½; No. 3 northern, $1.67¾; No. 4, $1.45¼; No. 5, $1.24¼; No. 6, 93¼c; feed, 91c.

Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 53⅜c; No. 3 Canadian western, 51⅜c; extra No. 1 feed, 51⅜c; No. 1 feed, 50⅜c; No. 2 feed, 49⅜c.

Barley—No. 3, 86c; No. 4, 80c; rejected, 79c; feed, 79c.

Flax—No. 1 N. W. C., $2.63½; No. 2 Canadian western, $2.60½.

DULUTH.

Duluth, Jan. 29.—Wheat closed: No. 1 hard, $1.67⅞; No. 1 northern, $1.75⅞; No. 2 northern, $1.70⅞@$1.73⅞.

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

Chicago, Jan. 30, noon.—Wheat—No. 2 red, $1 74; No. 3 red, $1 72; No. 3 white, $1 74¼.

Corn—No. 3 mixed, 98½@99¾c; No. 4 mixed, 96@98c; No. 5 mixed, 94½@95½c; No. 6 mixed, 90@91c; No. 3 yellow, 98½@99¾c; No. 4 yellow, 96@99c; No. 5 yellow, 94½@95½c.

Oats—Standard, 55¾@56¼c

GRAIN.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Apprehension of crop damage as a result of unfavorable weather tended to give an upward swing to the wheat market today. Predictions were for a cold wave over a large territory where fall-sown wheat had no covering of snow. Advances were also stimulated by denials that Great Britain was preparing to arm merchantmen forward as well as aft.

Opening prices, which ranged the same as yesterday's finish to ¾c higher, with May at $1 71½@1 72½, and July at $1 45½@1 46, were followed by decided gains in new crop futures, but by a temporary sag in the May option.

MONEY.

New York, Jan. 30.—Bar silver, 76¾c per ounce.

London, Jan. 30.—Money, 3½ per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills and three months, 5@5⅛ per cent.

STANDARD STOCK AND MINING EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]
Toronto, Jan. 30—Noon.

	Bid.	Ask.
Apex	11¼	11¾
Dome Extension	27½	28
Dome Lake	32	34
Hollinger	680	685
Jupiter	31	32
McIntyre	190	191
McIntyre Extension	..	59
New Ray	140	141
Porcupine Crown	68	70
Porcupine Vipond	42½	44
Preston East Dome	5⅞	6
Teck-Hughes	76	80
Bailey	..	7½
Beaver	36	37
Buffalo	155	180
Chambers-Ferland	14	15
Coniagas	..	415
Crown Reserve	41	42
Foster	3	..
Gifford	4¾	5
Great Northern	13½	15
Hargraves	18¾	19½
Hudson Bay	..	62½
Kerr Lake	460	470
McKinley	52½	55
Nipissing	825	840
Peterson Lake	11½	12
Right of Way	5	5½
Seneca-Superior	1	2½
Silver Leaf	2⅛	2½
Temiskaming	60	61
Trethewey	15	19
Wettlaufer	7½	8½
Boston Creek	138	139
Tisdale	4	4½
Tommy Burns	35	41¾

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Morning Sales: Davidson, 500 at 72½, 4000 at 73, 2000 at 73½, 500 at 74; Dome Lake, 1000 at 36, 2100 at 35, 500 at 34½, 1000 at 34; Dome Mines, 25 at 21⅜; Gold Reef, 1500 at 3¾; Hollinger, 145 at 680, 200 at 685; Imperial, 1000 at 4½, 2000 at 4⅝; Jupiter, 2000 at 31; Kirkland, 300 at 46; McIntyre, 1725 at 192, 1400 at 190, 1600 at 191; McIntyre Extension, 500 at 59; New Ray, 6500 at 140; Preston, 100 at 5¾; Thompson-Krist, 300 at 30½, 200 at 30, 2600 at 30¼; Tisdale, 1000 at 4¼; Tomy Burns, 500 at 41¼; Vipond, 100 at 43½, 1500 at 43; West Dome, 2500 at 31½, 5000 at 33½ (buyers 60), 500 at 31½, 500 at 31¼, 100 at 31, 310 at 32; Bailey, 2000 at 7½; Beaver, 1000 at 36½, 2500 at 37½; Boston Creek, 1800 at 137, 3700 at 138; Chambers, 1500 at 14¼; Crown Reserve, 300 at 42; Gifford, 2000 at 4¾; Gold, 7000 at ⅜; Hargraves, 500 at 19¼, 7900 at 19, 600 at 18½; Kenabeek, 500 at 25; Lorain, 1000 at 35; McKinley, 1200 at 51, 300 at 52; National Silver Mines, 1000 at 20; ePterson, 500 at 12, 1000 at 11½; Shamrock, 300 at 20½, 550 at 21; Silver eLaf, 2500 at 2¼; Temiskaming, 300 at 60, 8000 at 60½, 1000 at 61; Trethewey, 95 at 15; Wettlaufer, 100 at 7½.

WALL STREET.

New York, Jan. 30—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Further acute weakness in New Haven shares, which fell 3 points to 40½, its lowest quotation in the history of that property, accounted for the irregularity of the stock list during today's early dealings. Other rails, including St. Paul, Norfolk and Western, Chesapeake and Ohio, and Ontario and Western, were heavy. Neutralizing features were found among the industrials, Bethlehem Steel gaining 5 points, and United States Steel a substantial fraction. Shipping issues, metals, Central Leather and some of the more active specialties also hardened on nominal dealings.

Noon—New Haven extended its decline to 39½ before it recovered to 41¼, meanwhile unsettling the entire list. St. Paul yielded 2½ points, Reading 1½, and some of the minor rails a point. Bethlehem Steel reacted 10 points, with an extreme decline of 1⅜ for United States Steel, 1 to 2 for related industries, as much for coppers, oils, shipping shares and Industrial Alcohol, and 2 to 5 for motors and accessories. Rallies of 1 to 3 points set in during the second hour, with pronounced strength in Atchison, other rails, however, holding back. Bonds were irregular.

COTTON.

[By Thomson & McKinnon.]
New York, Jan. 29.

There was little in the way of news to account for the rapid fluctuation in cotton. The advance of last week forced out the short interest. This morning an attempt to replace lines found a lessened buying power. Importance is not to be attached to every wave of buying and selling at this time of the year. It is merely the in and out operation of larger traders, and without the public in the market it is only natural that the swings should be liberal and rapid. The contentions with regard to supply and demand have been given prominence ever since the commencement of the season, and have in a measure lost force, and will be ineffective until more evidence of an actual scarcity should confront the trade later in the season. In the meantime advantage should be taken of the liberal price changes for trading operations.

Futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
March	17.42	17.42	17.12	17.13
May	17.50	17.57	17.29	17.29
July	17.45	17.53	17.27	17.27
October	16.48	16.58	16.39	16.39
December	16.62	16.65	16.62	16.65

Liverpool, Jan. 30.—Cotton—Futures closed quiet; January, 10:63d; January and February, 10.57d; February and March, 10.55d; March and April, 10.56d; April and May, 10.53d; May and June, 10.53d; June and July, 10.48d; July and August, 10.44d; August and September, 10.22d; September and October, 9.98d; October and November, 9.85d; November and December, 9.78d; December and January, 9.74d; January and February, 9.71d.

GROUNDS OFF NEW YORK

Norwegian Steamer Runs on Shoals During Fog.

New York, Jan. 30.—The Norwegian steamship Bowden, from Mantansas and St. Jago, Cuba, went aground last night on the southeast end of Barnegat shoals during a fog and rough sea and was reported today by officers of the coast guard cutter Mohawk to be in no immediate danger. It was believed she could be pulled into deep water at high tide.

Signals of distress were heard by the Barnegat coastguards shortly after the vessel grounded. Efforts to render assistance were futile, owing to the rough weather, and the Mohawk left here to go to her rescue.

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STRATHROY GETS COAL WHEN IN DIRE STRAITS

People Burning Packing Cases Before G. T. R. Rushed Supply Through.

Dougall Graham, mayor, and J. Scott, councillor, of Strathroy, interviewed G. T. R. railway officials yesterday relative to the need of more coal in that town. They were given assurance that immediate attention would be given, and several cars of coal were dispatched to that town today.

Messrs. Graham and Scott stated that the coal situation was so acute that many people had exhausted their supply and were resorting to the use of wood, and in some instances were unable to procure good wood and had to break up packing boxes or anything handy. Wood has been selling there at $9 a cord, which is regarded as an exorbitant figure.

The House of Refuge and Collegiate Institute there took the precaution to lay in an ample advance supply and did not suffer as a consequence.

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ANOTHER MOVE

enemy's lines northeast of Vermelles, bombing his dugouts and inflicting many casualties.

"The enemy's positions also were entered by us last night northeast of Armentieres. Our troops penetrated the enemy's third line again and destroyed his dugouts, together with their occupants. A considerable number of Germans encountered in the trenches were killed; in addition a few prisoners were secured in the course of these two raids.

"There was considerable artillery activity on both sides during the day north of the Somme, and also in the Ypres sector. We caused a large fire in the enemy's lines.

"Our heavy artillery has been active north of the Ancre, and against the enemy's headquarters, billets and dumps in the neighborhood of Lens.

"Much successful work was accomplished by our aeroplanes yesterday, and some fighting took place in the air. One enemy machine was destroyed; one of ours is missing.

SAY FRENCH ATTACKED.

Berlin, Jan. 30—Via Sayville.—French troops last night delivered fresh attacks on the German lines at Hill 304, northwest of Verdun, army headquarters announced today. The text of the statement reads:

"Western Front, Army Group of Crown Prince Rupprecht: On the Artois front there were several reconnoitering engagements. Between the Ancre and the Somme an artillery duel, which at times was strong, took place.

"Army Group of the German Crown Prince: Attacks made in the evening by the French against Hill 304 were without success.

"Eastern Front: Between the Baltic and the Black Sea there have been no important events.

"Macedonian Front: In the bend of the Cerna and on the lowlands of the Struma clashes occurred between reconnoitering detachments."

TOMMIES HAD BUSSES READY FOR PRISONERS

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, Jan. 29, via London, Jan. 30. —By a staff correspondent of the Associated Press.—The bitter cold continues along the entire western front, the ground now being frozen to a depth of several inches. Twenty-three degrees of frost, Fahrenheit, (nine degrees above zero), was registered by some of the army termometers Sunday night, the coldest weather this section of France has known in several years.

The cold is accompanied by clear days and starlit nights, and the booming of the heavy guns is heard on nearly every sector of the British lines. Despite the low temperature, especially in the upper air, aeroplanes are exceedingly active in co-operating with the artillery This entails much fighting at altitudes where the mercury registers far below zero. One British aviator descended after a duel in the air with the instruments of his aeroplane frozen, and he so numbed that he had to be helped from his machine. Nevertheless he was supremely happy.

Stand Cold Well.

The men in the trenches are resisting the cold wonderfully well. Many of them frankly say they much prefer the ice and frost to the water and mud of the milder weather. Everything possible is being done for the comfort of the men. Warm food and warm drinks are served to them every few hours.

A diverting incident of the recent operations of the Somme, in which more than 350 men were made prisoner, was the fact that the British troops in their anticipation of their complete success had brought up a large number of Old London motorbuses, in which they gave the Germans a free ride back to the prison camp.

THROUGH TO TORONTO

Train From Chicago at Noon Will Change Its Run.

A change in passenger train accommodation on the G. T. R. became effective at noon today.

Train No. 6, the train from Chicago due here at 12:20 p.m., will in future run through to Toronto instead of Niagara Falls, eliminating a change at Hamilton for passengers destined for Toronto.

A certain portion of the train will be attached to the N. Y. Central train at Hamilton bound for Niagara Falls.

NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

Will Be In Circulation at Thorndale Very Shortly.

THORNDALE, Jan. 29.—New books, valued at $50, have been purchased for the library, and will be placed in circulation shortly.

The Women's Institute will meet on Thursday at the home of Miss J. Farley. A topic, "Is a Woman's Time Worth Anything," will be given by Miss B. L. Hobbs and one entitled "Keep On the Sunny Side" will be given by Miss L. Vining. The musical program will consist of a violin solo by A. Watson, and a solo by Mrs. G. Van Horne. A demonstration will be given by Mrs. M. McIntyre, and the roll call will be answered by "Hot Dishes for Cold Weather."

Mr. John Scatcherd of Buffalo spent the week-end at "The Pines," Wyton.

J. Boughner and family of Tillsonburg have moved to the Scatcherd woods, Wyton, where he has been employed as teamster.

UNLAWFUL ENTRY IS CHARGE AGAINST YOUTH

Caradoc Farmer Brings His Hired Boy Before Magistrate.

Harry Smythe, a 19-year-old youth, has been employed for some time by Norman Stuart, at the latter's farm in Caradoc, appeared before Squire Chittick at the court house today on a charge of unlawful entry.

He was remanded one week for trial. Smythe was arrested yesterday on information laid by Mr. Stuart, and was brought to the city this forenoon by County Constable Fisher of Mount Brydes.

Smythe, whose home is in Kingston, commenced work for Mr. Stuart some months ago. Yesterday, while Mr. and Mrs. Stuart were in the city, it is alleged he broke into portions of the house that had been locked up.

BIG RECRUITING SCHEME ARRANGED FOR DISTRICT

Capt. W. E. Hindson Chief Officer in Charge—Good Results Expected.

When plans at present under way have been developed, it is expected that a "big push" will be given to recruiting in this city and district.

It is hoped if present plans develop that a systematic and lively recruiting campaign will be organized and put under way here and in every town and city in this district, as quickly as the organization can be rendered effective.

Major S. J. Robins and Capt. H. B. Kenny of the headquarters recruiting staff have been detailed by the chief recruiting officer for Canada to this district, and are likely to remain here for some time to assist in the recruiting work of this district.

Capt. W. E. Hindson, formerly chaplain of the 153rd Battalion, has been detailed for duty as chief recruiting officer for this district.

As soon as the orders were issued that no more chaplains were to be allowed to proceed overseas, Capt. Hindson asked permission to qualify as a combatant lieutenant in order that he might still be able to go overseas. He started his course, but on going before a medical board he was declared medically unfit for overseas service.

In view of the fact that he had tried so hard to get overseas and found himself unable to do so, and also on account of his ability in recruiting work, the officer administering the district decided to detail him to act as chief recruiting officer for this district.

With such officers in charge of the work, great success is expected.

PENNILESS SUSPECT HELD FOR FORGERY

Man Arrested in Chicago as Absconding Rivers Commission Secretary.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—A man believed to be L. Henri Charlebois, formerly secretary of the Government's rivers commission in Montreal, is under arrest here today. The police said he is wanted in Montreal on charges of passing worthless paper amounting to about $20,000 on the Bank of Montreal. They asserted also that since leaving Montreal last October, he had been in New York, Cleveland and Cincinnati. The man under arrest is penniless.

Montreal, Jan. 30.—L. Henri Charlebois, believed arrested in Chicago, is wanted here on a charge of cashing six forged checks to the amount of $15,000. He was one of the secretaries of the streams commission.

CONSTRUCTION UNITS' SPEEDY RECRUITING SURPRISES OFFICERS

Toronto, Jan. 30.—Lieut.-Col. Cecil G. Williams, acting assistant director of recruiting for Canada, is surprised but gratified at the splendid recruiting results achieved by the 256th and 257th Railway Construction Battalions, and Capt. Kendall's No. 1 Section Railway Engineers. In one of the dullest periods of recruiting these corps have enlisted 800 men from January 11 to January 30. Indications now are that they will be up to strength in two months from the day recruiting began.

"The easier physical regulations have of course, helped," Col. Williams said respecting this new record today, "and the fact that the railway construction battalions are to go across as units with as little delay as possible has been particularly responsible. But this rapid recruiting has convinced me of something else. It is, that thousands of sober-minded, responsible men, who for family reasons or business reasons have felt it impossible to go, are now deciding that they can delay no longer.

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Compliments London Women on Aims of Their Organization.

The Women's Gardening Association of London, with its patriotic aim to render national service through the increasing of production, has come to the attention of no less august a person than the director-general for Canada of national service, R. B. Bennett.

Mr. Bennett read of the Gardening Association in the papers. He approved, and he showed his approval in a manner most encouraging to the promoters, by writing a letter as follows, which was read at a meeting of the executive in Cronyn Hall yesterday:

"I am quite sure that the work you suggest can be successfully carried into effect. The Vacant Lots Club in Calgary, whose work has been very largely, if not entirely, directed by women, has achieved very notable results during the past two years, and I fully believe that if you vigorously present your plan, you will have most beneficial results. I am, yours sincerely,

"R. B. BENNETT,
Director-General of
National Service."

Important business was transacted yesterday in preparation for the general meeting to be held Monday next.

It was finally decided to operate a community store during the coming summer and autumn, and plans were drafted for the management.

James Boucher will be the speaker at the regular meeting Monday afternoon, delivering an address on "Amateur Intensive Gardening."

VOCAL RECITAL.

A recital which gave much pleasure to a large audience was given by vocal pupils of Miss Belle Brown of the London Conservatory staff at Heintzman Hall last evening. The work was artistic and in every detail showed the result of conscientious teaching. Piano pupils of Miss Gertrude Rennie, Master Walter Rennie (a pupil of Miss Dewey), and Miss Ethel Reynolds (pupil of Georgia Newbury) were the assistants. The vocalists were Misses Grace Crouse, Elsie Orr, Eva Vandelinder, Dollie Lawrason, Viola Stevens, Iva Mowat, Myrtle Robinson, Marie Forbes, Irene Bartlett, Lelia Ironsides, Eva Metcalfe, Bertha Armstrong, Lulu Somerville, Edna Skinner, Louise McCulloch, Ellinor Black, and the pianists: Misses Dorothy Collyer, Kate Meriam, Jean Henderson and Anna Eckert.

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Former Strathroy Girl Now in Hospital for Shell Shocked.

TELLS OF THE GOOD WORK

Men Are Well and Kindly Looked After in England.

Nursing-Sister E. Neelands, formerly of Strathroy, now of the Canadian special hospital for shell-shocked and wounded soldiers at Ramsgate, writes home, describing Christmas Day. The following is an extract from her letter:

"For weeks before, great plans were being laid by the boys themselves. From heads together in groups and mysterious looks exchanged here and there, we inferred some mischievous plots were brewing, and the more I saw of it, the more I rejoiced to think the poor wounded boys could take such pure enjoyment out of it. I was perfectly willing to be the butt of any amount of jokes just to have them planned and to see the enjoyment taken out of it.

"One joke was a very lively one. I had to rescue a poor crab which had been the unwelcome and unexpected bed-fellow of a dozen of the soldiers in turn. I was glad to rescue it and then put it safely away before it found a way up to the nurses' dormitory

All Were Busy.

"As a committee on decorations the boys excel; some with arms in slings, some on crutches, and others with heads all swathed in bandages—these hindrances counted as nothing—were busy as bees.

"The wards were beautifully trimmed with ivy, holly, mistletoe, bunting, flags, tinsels and anything to give color. It certainly looked fine. We had collected a large sum of money, sufficient to provide turkey and plum pudding for the entire populace of the hospital, which is no small matter, as you know. I am in hopes you went ahead with your own Christmas, not thinking of me with regret, for it certainly was a new and great experience for me to spend Christmas with so large a family connection. Yes, that's what it was like, hundreds of brothers and sisters spending Christmas together. It seemed to be my fate to enjoy it to the full, for I was on night duty Christmas Eve, and had three wards to look after.

Hung Up Socks.

"The boys hung up their socks just as they did years ago in their own old homes. I was wishing the dear mothers in Canada could just see their boys; it would rob many a heart of its ache. The many parcels that had arrived, basketfuls, bagfuls, piled up mountain-high, were brought out and distributed in the socks. Everybody got gifts; not one was left out. Oh! I cannot tell you anything about the bedlam next morning. Doctors and nurses, officers and men, everyone was a jolly boy or girl for a few undignified hours, plenty of music and laughter, story and song filled the hours.

"We tried to fight shy of the perilous mistletoe, but some of the bravest had it pinned in their hats and were surely 'on mischief bent.' Well, I could tell you a great deal more about the day, but space forbids; but was it not a beautiful little oasis of pleasure to come into our lives of stern duty, and as we settled down to strict business the next day how often our minds went back to some amusing incident of the previous day.

Not Sorrowful.

"Don't think that we are grave, stern-looking folk in our everyday life. I often think of the phrase, 'Laugh, and the world laughs with you,' or 'Life's worth while because you smile.' Many an anecdote is saved up, an amusing story laid by for use in the wards, to make some of the poor boys forget for one minute their pain and trouble. It seems so little to do, and yet it is wonderful how a good laugh clears the atmosphere in the ward. I will soon be off night duty and then have three days' leave to spend in Old London. Will write again soon. Ask some of my friends to send magazines and papers to me for the use of the boys in the wards."

HELP PRISONERS, IS PLEA OF SOLDIER

Canadians Cannot Do Too Much for Those in Germany.

Mrs. P. J. Watt of 49 Riverview avenue, whose son Robert is a prisoner in Germany, has received the following letter from a comrade of Pte. Watt:

Palace Hotel.
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Dear Madam,—This is to inform you that your son Robert is quite well at Stendal, and as he and I were great chums in Germany together he asked me to write and tell you that he was quite all right so far. He is on the camp Red Cross committee there and I can assure you that he is doing all in his power to help those poor men that haven't got so much. I have just arrived here, about two weeks, from Germany and I must say I never enjoyed my freedom so much, after being tied up in Germany for twenty months. Of course we have a certain radius here, you know, only it is a good big one. I don't think there is anything particular that Bob wanted. I was to inform you that he was getting his parcels through all right from you. I would like to say that our people at home cannot do too much for our poor comrades who are still in Germany.

Our party just arrived in time for the Christmas fun, and I can assure you we had a jolly old time. We are right on top of the Alps; it is just like the Canadian winter here. Trusting this letter finds you in the best of health and with best greetings for a prosperous New Year, I am, dear madam,

Very truly yours,
A. INGLIS,
5th Royal Highlanders.
British prisoner of war interned in Switzerland.

STRICKEN SUDDENLY.

KINCARDINE, Jan. 29.—The death of Mrs. Angus Hamilton, aged 46, of Tantallon, Sask., occurred at the home of her brother, Hugh McVean, here. Deceased had come east on a visit about a month ago, and her death was sudden and unexpected.

LAMBETH.

LAMBETH, Jan. 29.—Mrs. Bannatine is visiting with friends in Ingersoll.

Dr. Thompson of London was a week-end visitor with Dr. A. R. Routledge.

Mrs. G. Vandelinder has been with friends in Littlewood the past week.

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William Tansley To Become Superintendent of London Division.

Assistant Superintendent William Tansley of the C. P. R. it is expected will succeed Superintendent A. L. Smith, who leaves today for Sudbury to assume the position of president and general manager of the Algoma and Eastern Railway, a line owned and operated by the Lake Superior Corporation. Mr. Tansley, whose home is at 277 Piccadilly street, has had many years' experience as a railroad man, and understands the business from the ground up.

Assistant Superintendent Tansley takes over the position of superintendent today, and will act temporarily until a permanent appointment is announced from the head office at Montreal. It is expected he will receive the permanent appointment shortly.

Superintendent Smith, who has been in the city only since October last, has made many friends here during his brief stay. He succeeded Superintendent Thomas Collins, who was transferred to Toronto last fall. He has had many years' experience in railroad work, and has demonstrated his efficiency during his brief period of office here. His appointment as manager of the Algoma and Eastern is part of a reorganization of that system.

TELLS MOTHERS HOW TO CONDUCT MEETING

City Clerk Discusses Parliamentary Procedure Before Club.

An illuminating talk on "Parliamentary Procedure" by City Clerk Baker constituted the chief feature of the quarterly meeting of the Union Mothers' Club, held in the Lord Roberts school last evening.

Mr. Baker dealt with the subject from the standpoint of conducting meetings, dwelling on what constitutes a motion, how motions are received, amendments to a motion, recommendations, reconsiderations, how to limit the discussion on motions, and how to close off debates.

Examples were given of incorrect motions, such as the following: "Moved that this meeting express its unqualified approval of the extension of the franchise to women, and that the secretary be authorized to petition the premier of the province so as to extend the franchise to women."

Out of Order.

The speaker pointed out that this motion was out of order, owing first to the fact that as important new business notice of motion should first be given. In the second place, it contained two distinct propositions.

Taking this motion as a basis, the whole process of making amendments, etc., was illustrated.

Among other points explained was the difference between a motion and a bylaw.

An animated discussion followed the address, during which several questions were asked of the speaker.

The chief business of the evening was the accepting of the revision of the constitution, of which notice of motion was given at the last quarter's meeting.

Cordial Welcome.

A cordial welcome was extended to the Union Mothers' Club by Principal Bryant on the occasion of the first meeting held in the beautiful new school. He stated, indeed, that he would be pleased to have all meetings held in the Lord Roberts school, which offers special attractions, owing to its central location.

Numbers by Langton's orchestra and solos by Miss Clark and Miss Campbell enlivened the evening.

Mrs. F. W. Hughes presided over the meeting, which was very largely attended. A vote of thanks to Mr. Baker and others taking part was moved by Mrs. W. A. Buchner and seconded by Mrs. Donaghy.

WOMAN'S MUSIC CLUB

Special Program Will Be Given at Wednesday Recital.

A prominent feature of the fortnightly recital of the Woman's Music Club at 4:15 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the Normal School will be a paper on "The Orchestra and Its Instruments," by Clarence Gilmour, organist and choirmaster of the Church of St. John the Evangelist.

The idea in giving the subject a place on the plan of work for the second half of the 1916-17 season, beginning Wednesday, has been to give to those who hear a new power of enjoyment of orchestral music, and to prepare them to listen more intelligently to the orchestral concerts to be heard in London in the near future, given by the New York and Russian Symphony Orchestras, under the auspices of the Musical Art Society, and a concert on February 27, to be given for the Woman's Music Club by the London String Orchestra.

Apart from Mr. Gilmour's paper, an interesting program of Norwegian and modern music will be presented, arranged by Miss Agnes Burwell.

Admission will be only by membership or visitors' tickets.

DIED AT KINCARDINE.

KINCARDINE, Jan. 29. — Thomas Graham, aged 75, died at his home here yesterday. He was a retired farmer of Huron Township. He leaves a widow,

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RENEW PLEDGE FOR WAR RELIEF WORK

Splendid Reports at Meeting of Lord Roberts Chapter.

MADE A LIFE MEMBER

Mrs. E. B. Smith Honored for Many Years' Good Work.

A feature of special interest at the regular meeting of the Lord Roberts Chapter, I. O. D. E., on Monday afternoon, was the presentation of a life membership to the regent, Mrs. E. B. Smith.

In an appropriate little address, Mrs. J. B. McKillop, first vice-regent, referred to the many years which Mrs. Smith had graciously presided over the chapter, the manner in which it had flourished under her guidance, and her untiring, unremitting efforts which have been responsible in a great measure for its large achievements, particularly since the outbreak of war. In presenting the life membership certificate and pin, said Mrs. McKillop, the members felt it the very least they could do to express their affection and esteem for their honored regent.

Completely taken by surprise and deeply touched, Mrs. Smith was unable to reply for a moment or two, but, recovering herself, expressed her heartfelt appreciation.

Excellent Reports.

Reports were most encouraging, the financial statement bringing to light the fact that the chapter in something like six weeks has raised in the neighborhood of $600 for various objects. This sum included several Christmas checks. Notable among these were two for $50 each given by members of the chapter who applied the money usually spent on Christmas present for family and friends to the soldiers' comforts fund.

The members renewed their pledge to earnest efforts during the coming year, more strenuous work, if possible than they already have done.

It was decided to purchase a knitting machine owing to the great demand for socks. Sorrow was expressed for the removal by death within the past month of three of the chapter's most valued members, Mrs. C. S. Hyman, the honorary president, Mrs. Talbot Macbeth and Miss Ada Meredith. The chapter stood a few moments in silent homage to their memory. Resolutions of sympathy were drafted to be forwarded to bereaved relatives.

Annual Meeting.

Owing to the fact that the February meeting will be the annual, a nominating committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. T. H. Smallman, convener; Mesdames Puddicombe, Judd, W. A. Young, James Duffield, Thomas Alexander, T. W. Scandrett, Robt. Reid, W. T. Williams, C. E. H. Fisher and T. Mortimore.

A new committee was inaugurated, a "Round Robin," with Mrs. J. Egan Magee as convener. The duties of this department will be to look after telephoning members in regard to special meetings, business, etc.

At the close of the business meeting, afternoon tea was served, Mesdames T. H. Smallman, Duffield and McKillop performing the duties of hostesses.

BROTHER DROWNED ON LINER LAURENTIC

Rev. Arthur Carlisle Bereft by Sinking of Liner.

James Carlisle, brother of Rev. Arthur Carlisle of Windsor, formerly of London, was among those lost when the big White Star liner Laurentic went down last Thursday.

Word was received last evening that he was gone. Mr. Carlisle was chief engineer on the ill-fated steamer. He had been connected with the British navy for many years.

Miss Dorothy Carlisle of the public library staff is a sister.

Mr. Carlisle was for many years a resident of this city, and as a boy attended the city schools. He was also one of the first members of St. John's Athletic Club, founded by the late A. B. Cox. He was also an eager student of engineering while in London, leaving here to take up his work on oceangoing vessels. The family resided at that time on Waterloo street, later removing to St. George street. His father was an officer on the late Queen Victoria's favorite yacht, and Mr. Carlisle early became interested in the navy. For a time it was feared that he was one of those who had been lost on the big liner Titanic. The family for a long time were members of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, and had a large number of friends in London.

Mr. Carlisle had a number of brothers, among them being: Thomas, Rev. Arthur, Wilfred and Gerald, and several sisters, the late Mrs. C. E. Butler being one.

YOUNGER MEN AFTER INCREASE IN WAGES

Matter Will Be Taken Up at Street Railway Meeting.

Some dissatisfaction exists among the younger employees of the London Street Railway over the rate of wages they are receiving, according to statements of the men to The Advertiser.

According to the employees, nineteen cents an hour is paid to sparemen, 21 cents to men on relief runs and from 22 cents to 25 cents for regular men, according to length of service. It is claimed by some that, with the necessities of life as high as they are at present, it is well nigh impossible to live on these wages. The number of hours work per day varies from eight and a half to ten and a half, while some work as many as twelve hours. With the average day of nine hours, the men claim difficulty in providing for a family on the amount earned in that time.

While the majority of the employees were apparently of the opinion that no drastic action would result from the agitation, yet they felt that there was cause for dissatisfaction and that a demand for more wages might be made to the company.

The hope was expressed that conditions may be bettered when Charles Currie, the new president, takes charge, and many advised waiting until then. Officials of the company informed The Advertiser that they were unaware of any dissatisfaction, except in a few individual or special cases.

The opinion was also expressed that matters will be arranged to the satisfaction of all.

"We realize the conditions," said one official, "and the matter will come up for discussion at the annual meeting to be held shortly."

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$80.00 Four-Stone Diamond Ring..$40.00
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One only Gents' Wrist Watch, luminous dial. Regular $9.50, for $4.75
One only Gents' Wrist Watch, luminous dial. Regular $10.00, for $5.00
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NILESTOWN CONCERT.

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