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### AUCTION.

At the British Hall on Wednesday next, a quantity of household furniture and effects, including 1 superior upright grand piano, drawing room, dining room and bedroom furniture and general household effects, removed for convenience of sale. Parties desirous of sending articles will please do so on Tuesday, but do not send truck, as it is termed by some, "that is knocking around the house and you want to dispose of it." I would much prefer their sending it to some dumping ground.

P. C. O'DRISCOLL,  
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sep22.31

### AUCTION.

On TUESDAY Next,  
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### AUCTION.

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A. S. RENDELL,  
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On Wednesday, the 26th inst  
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## W. P. A.

The Annual Meeting of  
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iation will be held in Gren-  
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CHAPTER VII.

Dulcie looks up with a smile.

"I am not too tired," she replies; "I never am tired. And I should be very glad, but—I can't play a note."

Silence again—broken by Maud's soft voice, in which horror is carefully concealed.

"Don't you care for music?"

"Care for it!" says Dulcie, "I love it! I would sit and listen for ages, but I can't play 'Willie, We Have Missed You,' or 'The Gypsy's Lament,' even. It is not aunt's fault," she adds, hastily, lest they should think that poor Aunt Fernor has neglected her ward's education. "She engaged a long-suffering music-mistress for me, and the poor woman used to sit for hours trying to teach me the scales. She cried one day, poor woman, and declared that it was of no use my going on, and, with a smile all round, 'I fully agreed with her.' But, turning to Edie, who stands as open-mouthed as a Falconer can dare to be, 'I like to hear you play: will you go on; or perhaps you sing? I love singing. They always sing at Rome—everything sings at Rome—the women on their way to market, the men at their work, the boys in the streets! They couldn't help it: I used to sit in the balcony at the hotel and get a little crowd of them, and then set them scrambling for those ridiculous little copper pieces they have—it was great fun."

Silence profound. She looks from one to the other to see what is the matter with them. What has she said? Sir Hugh stands leaning against the mantel-piece, with that grim smile upon his face as if he were witnessing a choice comedy. Lady Falconer breaks the silence with a little dry cough.

"Very amusing, indeed, my dear," she says. "Would you like to play a game of chess with Maud?"

Dulcie stares first at the old lady, then at Maud.

### And the Worst is Yet to Come—



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"What. Where are you going?" demands Dulcie, open-eyed.

"To bed," says Edie, demurely.

"To bed?" echoes Dulcie, staring at the girl of eighteen. "Do you go to bed before the rest?"

"Yes," says Edie, with a sigh. "I am not 'out' yet, you know."

"I—see," says Dulcie, with a smile.

"When I am 'out' I shall sit up as long as I like—"

"Then take my advice," says Dulcie, with a smile, "remain 'in!' Good-night."

Edie, rippling over with smiles, takes her hand, but suddenly bends down and kisses her.

"You don't mind?" she murmurs.

"Mind!" exclaims Dulcie, and she puts her white, perfectly molded arm round the girl, and drawing her to her kisses her heartily.

Edie gets out of her embrace reluctantly, and kisses the other two ladies demurely, reserving Sir Hugh for the last.

Him she hugs, and in the midst of her hugs she whispers:

"Hugh, she is very nice. I—love her already," and then, with a prim courtesy disappears.

Dulcie rises; the formality, the primness are telling upon her. It seems as if there were no air in the room; she is stifling. She looks round—exactly as a wild animal, when he is first brought to the Zoo, looks round his cage—at the stiff, upright figure of Lady Falconer in the chair, at the still figure of Maud, bending over her crowd work, at Sir Hugh leaning against the mantel-piece, and she draws a long breath.

He has been watching her, and he comes to the rescue.

"The room is hot," he says. "You feel it?"

"No—yes," she says, feeling in a state of coma.

He strides to the window and opens it.

"Will you come out here?" he says, in a low voice. "Come and get cool." She follows him, and steps out on to a terrace; there is a young moon, a crescent of pale lemon, too faint to light up more than the tops of the huge elms, and the statuary in the pleasure-grounds; but there is air, fresh, invigorating air, and Dulcie, leaning on the stone coping, draws a long breath.

Sir Hugh stands beside her, his tall, stalwart figure looking gigantic in the uncertain, deceptive light. He watches her for a minute, noting the exquisite profile, the beautiful sheen of the dark, shining hair as it shows in the light streaming from the window. Then he says:

"Well?"

She starts; her thoughts have been far away, in Rome and with the Carnival, in the Square with the ballad-singer shouting his song, and the crowd yelling the chorus. She starts and looks up at him with the smile which has worked such havoc on all that have come within its influence.

(To be Continued.)

ASK FOR MINARD'S LINIMENT AND TAKE NO OTHER.

### WAR NEWS.

#### Messages Received Previous to 9 a. m.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Sept. 23. The British steamer Lanegra, on her way from Buenos Aires to Havre with a cargo of Argentine beef, was sunk by a German submarine on Sept. 3rd, 45 miles off Plymouth, according to survivors of the crew, who arrived here to-day on an American ship.

GERMAN INTRIGUE.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23. The most startling revelation of German intrigue since the war began, implicating a Supreme Court Justice of New York City, was made last night by the Government Committee in Public Information. The expose is part of a systematic plan decided upon by the Government to present to the public evidence of plots and intrigue against the interests of the United States which have been traced to the German Embassy. Those named in the information given out last night as being connected with the plots include Supreme Court Justice Daniel F. C. Chalan, who is known as an ardent champion of the Irish cause; John Devey, editor of the Gaelic-American, a violent anti-British paper published in New York; Dr. Theo. Otto, of Allentown, Pa., who is still practising, and claims to be an American citizen; Geo. Silvester Viereck, editor of Viereck's Weekly; Marcus Brun, editor of Fair Play and a practical leader among the Hungarians of lower second Avenue, New York; Edwin Mason, a magazine writer, said to be in Africa. In this expose the Government officials make public letters, telegrams, bank cheques, receipts for cash paid, and a wealth of memorandum dating back to 1914, showing that the German Imperial Government was concerned through its representatives here in the violation of the laws of this land.

THINKS BELGIUM IN THE WAY.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 22. Maximilian Harden lecturing in Berlin yesterday said that he was convinced that peace was attainable this year if Germany promised to waive the right to rule Belgium. This statement aroused a hostile demonstration from the audience and many persons quitted the hall. After the interruption Herr Harden continued, "Whoever brings us peace, whether Socialist or Pope, is welcome. The fate of Belgium must be brought to a speedy decision, either we must annex Belgium or state openly that we never had any such intention. In any case the German people must decide for themselves their own lot."

COSTA RICA DECLARES WAR.

SAN JOSE, Sept. 22. The Costa Rican Government, by an official act yesterday afternoon, severed diplomatic relations with Germany. Passports were handed to the diplomatic and consular representatives of Germany here and the Costa Rican Legation and Consuls in Germany were recalled. The people and newspapers strongly approve of the Government's action.

SCHOOLS CLOSED IN PETROGRAD.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 22nd. All the universities here, except the Medical Schools, have been closed for a year commencing to-day, in pursuance of a plan to evacuate the unnecessary population of the city. Petrograd, Manager Saitkoff, of the Department of the Interior, announced that the food supply question is in no wise desperate, the most serious being a shortage of coal.

BRITAIN'S LONG ARM.

SANTOS, Brazil, Sept. 22nd. The Dutch steamer Zeelandia from Buenos Aires to Amsterdam, by way of New York, is being detained here by the Brazilian authorities at the request of the British Legation at Rio Janeiro. It is charged that the steamer is loaded with a huge cargo of coffee, said to be destined for Germany.

Everyday Etiquette.

"When I accompany a young lady and her mother to a place of entertainment, ought I to walk beside the young lady or between the two. Where the walk is narrow should I precede the ladies or follow them?" Should the younger lady or the older precede me when the walk is only wide enough for two?"

"It looks better for the man to walk on the outside but there is nothing improper in his walking between the two women. Whether he should precede or follow depends on circumstances. If it is a rough, muddy or stony way he may suggest that he better go ahead in order to warn the ladies of any obstacle. If it is a brightly lighted way he may fall behind. Common sense is really the guide in such smooth matters," advised his father.

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### Naval Heroes on Train

The following Royal Naval Reservists are returning on furlough and will reach the city by the incoming express due to-night:—

W. Head, Garner, J. Power, C. J. Pye, H. D. Brown, A. Bennett, C. Mate, J. F. Jerratt, J. Thorne, J. Earle, O'Grady, J. Huskins, A. Scivour, C. Earle, T. O'Neill, Lawson, Cooper, H. O'Reilly, H. Wiseman, W. Berver, J. Morris, E. J. Sampson, J. J. Crocker, W. Hiscock, E. Tibbo, C. Brockett, F. Head, S. Reddy.

### Rabbits Plentiful

Though Price Remains High.

There was a plentiful supply of rabbits in the local market on Saturday and again this morning. Torbay people were selling at 50 cents a brace and other country folk from different outlying settlements were asking only 40 and 50 cents a pair. Needless to say the latter disposed of their stocks quickly whilst the former found much difficulty in getting purchasers.

### Express Passengers.

The following first class passengers are on the incoming express due at 8 o'clock to-night:—

Lieut. H. Reid, Miss H. Reid, Hon. J. A. and Mrs. Cliff, Miss L. M. Beckett, H. C. Wheeler, H. C. Buckland, Miss A. Buckland, Mrs. J. Elsworth, Miss R. Pynn, Lieut. T. R. Dwyer, J. R. Everett, S. S. McKenzie, H. H. Mitchell, C. A. Lush, G. and Mrs. Braze, C. O'Brien, Miss C. Gaukrodger, W. A. McNeilly, W. B. and Mrs. Nicholson, C. A. C. Bruce.

### Workman Injured.

NOW IN HOSPITAL.

A workman named Barrett, while cleaning up the deck of the S. S. Neptune in the dry dock on Saturday afternoon, fell through one of the hatchways into the hold, a distance of over 20 feet, and was picked up in an unconscious condition and lifted to the deck. Doctor McDonald was summoned and quickly responded. On examining the injured man he discovered that no bones were broken but there were several deep gashes about the face and scalp, while blood flowed freely. The ambulance was called out and accompanied by Doctor McDonald the sufferer was removed to the General Hospital. While on the way to the institution he regained consciousness.

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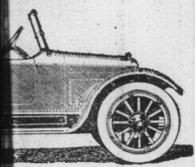
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### Discovery of a New Big War Secret

Transmission of power by a method hitherto unknown is the interesting subject of an article in the October number of Popular Mechanics Magazine. This discovery is now being utilized by the British War Office and Admiralty. After the war it will be available for general use by all power users and it is said will completely revolutionize prevailing systems.

**DR. SMITH (Dentist) re-sumes practice Wednesday, September 19th.—sept18.61**

**MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.**

**MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DISTEMPER.**

### Tor's Cove Garden Party

A successful garden party, promoted by Rev. Fr. McCarthy, P.P., was held yesterday at Tor's Cove. Over two hundred people from the city attended, going out by special train at 2 p.m. A most enjoyable day was spent and return to town was made at 2.30 this a.m. The proceeds, which were highly satisfactory, will be devoted to church purposes.

### Hr. Grace Notes.

Much regret was expressed this morning when it was learned that one of our most popular citizens—Capt. John Spence—had passed away after a short illness. Mr. Spence who for a number of years made weekly trips between this port and St. John's was well known and very highly esteemed. For several years past he has been on the Customs Staff here, and his obliging, kindly manner was continually making new friends. He was a member of Lodge "Harbor Grace," A.F. & A.S., and the flag of the order is floating at half-mast to-day as a token of respect to his memory. He leaves a widow and several sons and daughters to mourn their irreparable loss. We tender our sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Mr. Thomas Stanley of the East End, while working with the Ship-building Company on Monday, fell from a car of lumber and cut his head. The doctor was phoned for and attended to the injuries. Mr. Stanley was conveyed home but is now able to work again.

Mr. James Foley was taken suddenly ill a few days ago and his friends are very much concerned about his condition.

Nurse Parsons was entertained on Thursday last by the ladies of the W. P. A., and a very pleasant evening was spent. The ladies took this occasion to present Nurse Parsons with a purse of gold, as a token of their appreciation for her services to "Ours" who are fighting the Empire's battles. Miss Parsons left for St. John's by this morning's train.

Fresh herring of a very large size were on sale in the local market this morning.

Fresh rabbits were offered for sale to-day, and quickly disposed of at 60c. per brace.

Sportsmen who went countrywards on Thursday last met with fairly good success. W. Ward secured 16, John Dove 14, Bert Stevenson 14, R. T. Parsons 5, Ellet Martin 5, others also did well.

Born on Tuesday last a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Kennedy, of Lynn, Mass. Mrs. Kennedy is spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Connell.

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 Hr. Grace, Sept. 22nd, 1917.

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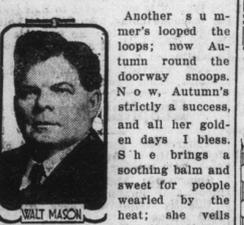
Below is a recipe for Mocha Frosting:

1-3 Cup Butter.  
 1½ Cups Icing Sugar.  
 1 Tablespoon Cleveland's Cocoa.

1 Tablespoon Cold Coffee (left over).  
 add Cocoa and cold coffee until of right consistency to spread, or force through a pastry bag and tube.

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TIME GOES ON.



Another summer's loops; new Autumn round the doorway snoops. Now, Autumn's strictly a success, and all her golden days I bless. She brings a soothing balm and sweat for people wearied by the heat; she veils herself in purple haze, and brings cool nights and pleasant days, and gives the woods a crimson tint, and hues too wonderful to print. She is a daisy white she lasts, but soon she lets in wintry blasts; too soon, too soon she withers, and droops; another summer's looped the loops. Another summer's looped away! And we have grown a bit more gray; we've traveled further on the road that leads to where we'll drop the load. I take my mirror and behold fresh symptoms that I'm waxing old. My eye that once shed steely stares that tamed the hearts of grizzly bears, no more sends forth a dazzling glance, no more it gleams like polished lance, or like a falcon from its sheath, and I am wearing wooden teeth. So fare the seasons besompe by! While we're complaining of July, we hear November at the door, and winds are chill and frost is hoar. Time hurries on and scatters years; perhaps our waiting voice he hears, but doesn't care for it three whoops—another summer's looped the loops.

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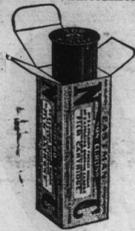
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PERSONAL.—Dr. Holliday, of Mon... who was on a fishing trip up... with Sir W. D. Reid, is now... in the city.

ING TOWED TO HR. GRACE.—The... Inghram, having in tow the... schooner, Emily Anderson, left for... at 8.30 a.m. to-day where... will undergo repairs at the... dock.



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HURRICANE STRIKES JAMAICA.

KINGSTON, Ja., To-Day.—The Island of Jamaica was struck by a hurricane for the third time today in as many years. The gale was not of excessive violence in Kingston and no damage was done to buildings. No details are available from the interior of the island, as all telephone and telegraph wires are down. It is feared that the Burnio (banana?) crop has been damaged seriously.

EMPTY WORDS.

COPENHAGEN, To-Day.—The correspondent at Vienna of the Berliner Tageblatt says: "The replies of Turkey and Bulgaria will be forwarded to the Pope to-day. Turkey demands that her territory should not be violated, Bulgaria demands that her frontiers shall be regulated in accordance with the principles of nationality."

BRITISH TAKE FURTHER POSITIONS.

LONDON, To-Day.—British troops after repulsing a German attack northeast of Langemarck in Flanders early to-day attacked in turn and captured additional defences from the Germans as well as a number of prisoners. An official report from British Headquarters in France to-night adds that on the rest of the Ypres fighting area the Germans (British?) are consolidating their new positions. So far in recent operations there the British have captured 3,248 prisoners. The text of the statement adds: At dawn to-day an attack delivered by Germany's storming troops northeast of Langemarck was repulsed completely, the enemy leaving 35 prisoners in our hands. English Rifle regiments then attacked in turn and after sharp fighting captured further positions of the German defence system in this neighborhood with a number of prisoners. On the rest of the battlefield the organization of our newly captured positions is proceeding. Infantry action elsewhere has been confined, etc., etc.

FLANDERS BATTLE SLACKENING.

LONDON, To-Day.—An official report from British Headquarters in France to-night indicates a great slackening of fighting in Flanders, although mention is made of one hostile attack which was repulsed. So far in the recent operations in the Ypres sector the British have captured 3,243 prisoners. The text reads: Infantry action has been confined to patrol encounters resulting in the capture of a few prisoners. Our artillery activities continue. Another hostile attack was launched early this morning against the positions we recently captured east of Villers but was repulsed with enemy losses. Our casualties were light. Since opening our attack on September 20 we have captured on the Ypres battlefield 3,243 prisoners, including 80 officers. Misty weather on Saturday resulted in a decided decrease in our recent great aerial activity. Our airplanes none the less carried out successful bombing raids and dropped

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during the day 134 bombs on hostile billets and airdromes. In the course of the night three tons of bombs were dropped on the Roulers-Nottin-Welvoig railways stations. The enemy dropped a few bombs at midday, doing little damage. Four enemy airplanes were brought down in the fight and five were driven down out of control. Two of ours are missing.

BRITISH DESTROYER TORPEDOED.

LONDON, To-day.—A British destroyer has been torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine in approaches to the Channel, according to an Admiralty statement. There were 50 survivors.

ABOMINABLE PLOT EXPOSED.

WASHINGTON, To-day.—The latest exposure of the pro-German and anti-American campaign, working in close touch, has caused a sensation. A cipher letter is published with an interlineal translation and inscribed "very secret." This letter is credited to Count von Bernstorff. It says: "A revolution in Ireland can only be successful if supported from Germany; otherwise England will be able to suppress it even though it be only after a hard struggle. Therefore help is necessary. This should consist primarily of aerial attacks on England and a diversion of the fleet simultaneously with the Irish revolution. Then, if possible, a landing of troops, arms and ammunition in Ireland and possibly some officers from Zeppelins. This would enable the Irish ports to be closed against England and the establishment of stations for submarines on the Irish coast and the cutting off of the supplies of food for England. The services of the revolution may, therefore, decide war." This letter was signed "5133 8167 0239."

MORE SLAVERY.

HAVRE, To-day.—The German military authorities at Bruges, Belgium, are conscripting forcibly all boys and men of that city between the ages of fourteen and sixty to work in munition factories and shipyards.

A GERMAN'S ADMISSIONS.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, To-day.—A German officer captured by the British said that the Germans had been forced to reduce greatly the number of their light motor cars used in recent operations because it was virtually impossible to obtain tires. According to this officer the Germans have no rubber for tires for their lorries. He could not comprehend why it was that the Allies would not make peace when Germany was ready to give up all the territory she had conquered. Every body in Germany, said the officer, dreads the thought of another campaign. He recognized that the submarine had failed to accomplish what had been promised to the German people by the higher command.

1.30 P. M.

ANSWERING THE POPE.

LONDON, To-day.—The Press Association says it has reason to believe that the German reply to the Pope will certainly not call for or produce an earlier reply to His Holiness than would otherwise have been made; it may, on the other hand, says the Association, have an exactly opposite effect.

REACH AN AGREEMENT.

AMSTERDAM, To-day.—Holland has reached an agreement with Great Britain regarding the supply of coal, according to the Handelsblad.

LONDON EXPECTS MORE MOON-LIGHT RAIDS.

LONDON, To-day.—London is getting ready for another crop of night raids by air, which it is expected will develop with the coming of the next week of the harvest moon. Some persons are making arrangements to take a holiday and others are picking places of safety. It is announced that two of the leading theatres will have no evening performances from Tuesday till Thursday inclusive, but the other theatres are to run as usual. Generally the London masses are not worried over the prospect, realizing that the danger is not great if refuge is taken under solid buildings.

WOULDN'T BE A BAD IDEA.

PETROGRAD, To-day.—The Korniloff mystery arising out of the recent revolt has developed dimensions which threaten the existence of the Cabinet, particularly the position of Kerensky. The newspapers representing the left and right parties demand an explanation from the Government, while the Bolshevik organs openly accuse the Premier of being in a conspiracy with Korniloff to crush the Petrograd proletariat and the Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates, with the help of a cavalry corps sent against Petrograd.

VENIZELOS ON THE GREEK SITUATION.

ATHENS, To-day.—Premier Venizelos, who has returned to Athens much benefited from the rest cure at Hypati, in an interview to-day said the general trend of affairs is satisfactory. The situation is well in hand. The problem of food supplies, however, is offering great obstacles, especially in the matter of inland communication, but the mea-



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The increase in the cost of nearly everything that is used in the manufacture of soap makes it impossible to give the same size, same weight and same quality as heretofore, without increasing the price.

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Pte. Don Bremner.

The many friends of Pte. "Don" Bremner will regret to hear that he was killed in action while fighting with the Canadians in France, on September 15th. An official message to that effect was received from Ottawa yesterday by his sister, Miss Mary M. Bremner, 91 Military Road. Pte. Bremner left here several years ago for Western Canada, where he had enlisted in the early days of the war, leaving for overseas with a draft of engineers. He passed through some stiff engagements, luck being with the gallant young soldier until the fatal day. Left to mourn are two sisters, Misses Mary Mackenzie and Margaret Bremner, of this city, to whom general sympathy will be expressed.

Nfld. Nurse and Canadian Doctor are Wedded.

Dr. G. E. Armstrong Married Miss Jessie Reid.

The marriage took place in London of Lieut-Col. George E. Armstrong, of the Canadian Army Medical Staff, London, to Miss Jessie Reid, of Newfoundland. The bride, who is a former graduate of the Royal Victoria Hospital, of Montreal, has been overseas for some time engaged in nursing at one of the military hospitals.

Lieut-Col. Armstrong, who formerly resided at 320 Mountain Street, gave up his practice and joined the Canadian Army Medical Service in London, Eng., in 1916.—Montreal Star.

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Stranded Steamer Suffers in Storm.

The Belgian relief ship Eburoom, which lies a total wreck at Portugal Cove, felt severely a high wind and heavy sea that raged there on Saturday night last. The condition of the stranded steamer, in consequence of the gale, is such as to impede the further work of salvaging the cargo. A recurrence of such adverse weather, we learn, will see the finish of the Belgian ship.

First of the Series.

Last evening at Cochrane Street Centennial Church, the Rev. Dr. Bond, delivered the first of a series of sermons on the subjects outlined in the stained glass windows recently erected in the Church, which are eloquently suggestive of great and important themes. "The shepherds and the wise men at the Cradle of Christ," was ably dealt with and was much appreciated by the large congregation present.

Rotting Grain and Idle Ships.

More than one hundred neutral ships have been waiting two months at our Atlantic ports for export licenses which will not be given to them. Four-fifths of these ships are from Holland in New York Harbor alone. At least seventy Dutch vessels can be seen. A large majority have cargoes of wheat and fodder that were placed on board before July 15, when the embargo became effective. The grain is rotting. Thus far the Dutch Government and owners of the ships have refused to unload it. They have rejected our Government's reasonable proposition that they should send the carriers to Australia, where 150,000,000 bushels of wheat await transportation. Surely they will not be permitted to carry their cargoes of American grain to Holland or any other European neutral country. This was the decision of our Exports Council before Sweden's foul work for Germany in the case of Argentina's ships was brought to light, and the disclosures do not suggest any relaxation of the strict embargo on exports to Sweden, Norway, Holland, and Denmark. But the cargoes have not been disturbed, and all these ships are idle.

We and those associated with us in the war need ships for ocean work. Our Government is taking vessels for this work from the coastwise service, filling the places of some of them with carriers drawn from the Great Lakes. There is pending in Congress a bill, which has much support, to permit use of foreign ships in our coast traffic. While the need and demand are so great, all these large carriers are lying idle in our harbors, and no plans for moving them have been made known.

When we think of the suffering Belgians and the food requirements of our allies, to allow these grain cargoes to rot seems almost a crime. This food should be saved. And the ships would not be idle. They should be doing work to relieve the lack of sufficient ocean tonnage. If those who control them will not accept the fair propositions of the export authorities, our Government should take possession of the vessels, unload them and then use them in war service. Under international law it has a right to take them, making proper payment. We should save the grain and set the ships at work.—N. Y. Times.

TO ENTER MCGILL.—Master Charles Fox, son of Mr. John Fox, left by yesterday's express en route to Montreal where he will enter McGill University to study medicine. Charles was a bright pupil of St. Bon's College and a well known athlete.

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Funeral Obsequies.

All that was mortal of the late Hon. James Ryan was laid to rest at Belvidere Cemetery. The funeral, which took place from his late residence on Henne's Mill Road, was largely attended, prominent amongst the mourners being representatives of the Legislative Council and Benevolent Irish Society. Rev. Dr. Carter recited the prayers for the dead at the Cathedral.

If You Want Evidence

That Hemorrhoids, or Piles, Can be Completely Cured Read These Letters—Both Are Sworn Statements.

Toronto, Ont., September 24th.—Next to personal experience the sworn statement of reliable people is the strongest evidence obtainable. If you have any doubt that Dr. Chase's Ointment will positively and completely cure piles, these letters should convince you. Mr. Samuel Parker, fruit grower, Grimsby, Ont., has made the following declaration before Mr. W. W. Kidd, Notary Public of the same place: "I do solemnly declare that I was troubled with bleeding piles and was advised to go to the hospital to have an operation performed. My wife from piles. My wife has used it for itching skin and, obtained complete cure."

Dr. Donald M. Campbell, Campbell's Mountain, N.S., writes: "I have used Dr. Chase's Ointment with great success for hemorrhoids or piles of fifteen years standing. After trying all kinds of so-called pile cures, three boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment gave me a complete cure. I have also used Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and there are no others so good. You may use this letter, if you wish, for the benefit of others who may suffer as I did."

Sworn before me, Murdoch Gordon Campbell, J.P., in the County and for Inverness County. If you would like to try Dr. Chase's Ointment at our expense, send a two-cent stamp to pay postage and we shall mail to you a sample box free. Full size box 50 cents, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

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Their Position is Abominable and Life in the Tunnels and Cellars Defending the City is Very Dread—There They Live in Terror and Some Prefer to Face Almost Certain Death in the Open to Remaining in their Dungeons.

(By PHILIP GIBBS.)

War Correspondents' Headquarters, Sept. 17.—The Germans still hold Lens, Saturday I saw more closely than I had before how abominable is their position there and how dreadful must be the fate of the men garrisoned in its cellars. Lens is no longer a city; it is a ruin, surrounded with ruins stretching for several miles on each side of it, where there were separate little cities self-contained, with their own power stations and pit-heads, high slag-heaps and long rows of miners' houses, shops, schools and gardens.

The Canadian and English troops during the five months' of fighting have captured all the outer belt of these mining cities, and their artillery and the enemy's has left nothing of the neat little houses and mine buildings but a wild orgy of ruin through which I walked yesterday on my way to Hill 70, which the Canadians took by a great assault a few weeks ago. Lens itself is now no better than its outer suburbs. It is a town of battered houses without roofs and with broken walls leaning against rubbish heaps of brickwork and timber.

The enemy sent out a wireless message that the English gunners were destroying French property by bombarding the city, and then made a deep belt of destruction by blowing up brick blocks of streets. After that the British guns completed the ruin, for there was a German garrison in every house, and in this kind of warfare there must be no tenderness of sentiment about bricks and mortar if the enemy is between the walls. So now in Lens the only cover for the Germans and their only chance of safety is below the ground in tunnels and cellars. These are reinforced by concrete and were built by the forced labor of civilians two years and more ago, when the city was menaced by a French attack. Into these tunnels the German garrison of Lens made their way by night, and in them they live and die. Many die in them, it is certain, for a tunnel is no more than a death trap when it is blocked at the entrance by the fall of houses or when it collapses by the bombardment of heavy shells, which pierce deep and explode with fearful effect. That has happened, as we know, in many parts of the German line, and recently on the French front whole companies of German soldiers were buried alive in deep caves. It is happening in Lens now, if the same effect is produced by the same power of artillery.

But death comes to the German soldiers there in another way, without any noise and quite invisible and very horrible in its quietude. Many times lately the Canadians have filled the City of Lens with gas that kills and soaks down heavily into the dugouts and tunnels and stifles the men in their sleep, before they have time to stretch out their hands for gas masks, or make them die with their lungs. The enemy, who was first to use poison gas should wish to God he had never betrayed his soul by such a thing, for it has come back upon him as a frightful retribution, and in Lens, in those deep, dark cellars below the ruins, the German soldiers must live in terror and be afraid to sleep. Yesterday, when I went to that neighborhood I saw four German soldiers who had come out into the open, preferring to risk death there rather than stay in their dungeons. They appeared for a minute under the corner of some brick stacks in Cite St. Auguste. I was watching the German lines there and staring at the ruined houses, slag-heaps and broken water towers of Harnes and Anny, beyond the other fields of the mining city. The church towers in both these villages still stand, though a little damaged, and some of the red roofs are still intact.

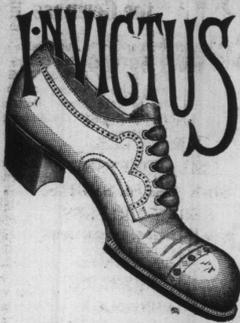
The German lines were away beyond the strip of No Man's Land, and here not a soul was to be seen—no trace of life in all this land of death—until suddenly I saw those four figures come stealthily up behind the brick stacks. They stood up quite straight and looked toward the British ground, and then after a second crouched low, so that only their heads showed above a little dip in the ground. A few minutes later I saw two more Germans. They ran at a jog trot along a hedge outside Cite St. Auguste and made a bolt through a gap.

It was strange to see them, as if they were visitors from another planet, for in this district of Lens no man shows his body above ground unless he is careless of quick death. And he may stare for days at empty houses and broken mine shafts and great slag-heaps without seeing any living being.

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There are a great many kinds of generosity and people who are generous in one way will often be very selfish in others. People who are generous in the giving of material things are often very selfish in the matter of having their own way.

People who are generous in other ways are often stingy about words of praise or compliment.

The Don't-Have-To-Be Gifts.

And people who are generous on the formal occasions set aside by custom for gift making are often very stingy about the giving of little gifts, casual gifts, "the don't-have-to-be gifts," as Molly calls them.

We all know people who are generous in this respect. For instance there is one woman among my acquaintances who never comes to dine with me without bringing some little gift. Sometimes it's a tumbler of jelly, again it's a magazine or a jar of pickled herring, or a little sachet. This same woman seldom writes a letter without putting in some little enclosure, a packet of some of her flower seeds, some snap shots, or just some clippings she knows I will be interested in. As she also writes one of those delightful bonanzas, a newswriter, you can imagine what a pleasure it is to see her writing on an envelope.

Never A Record For The Music Machine.

On the other hand we all know people who never think of little gifts. I once had as a housemate a woman

who was punctilious about all gift giving occasions, Christmas and birthdays; gave Christmas gifts to old friends whom she hadn't seen for years and remembered the birthdays of a large number of nephews and nieces, but never brought home any little gifts to the household. Never a new magazine, never a box of candy, never a bit of some homelike fruit or a record for the music machine (which, by the way, she much enjoyed playing).

Would It Be A Bad Idea? I suppose it's just temperamental. With some people the will-to-give expresses itself in one way, with others in some other way. But I must say I do love those jolly little don't-have-to-be-gifts. I almost wish they could be substituted for formal gift giving.

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The ear is used principally to hear with, and sometimes it abuses the privilege by listening to conversation which was intended for some other ear. The ear of the cavedropper is the longest specimen in captivity with the exception of that owned by the inquisitive mule, the only difference being that the mule can lay his ear back out of harm's way. People are said to have a sensitive ear when they can distinguish between real music and an amateur song recital. The possession of this kind of an ear causes needless pain to many worthy people who live in the same apartment house with a slide trombone enthusiast. This is probably the main reason why so many deaf people wear a look of perfect contentment.

The ear can be trained so as to be very useful to man. For instance, when a bit of grimy gossip tries to worm itself into the ear of an honest friend he can pass it out through the other ear without allowing any of it to stick to his mind. This is one of the best things the ear can do, and if it were indulged in often there would be more peace in the home and church.

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**REGIMENT.**  
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**NAVY.**  
Harbour Main, 1; Trinity, 1; St. George, 2; Burin, 4. Total, 8.

### Nfld. Patriotic Fund.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—Kindly acknowledge through the columns of your paper the following contributions towards the Patriotic Fund:

Amount already acknowledged	\$123,436.48
Interest Royal Bank of Canada for three months ending May 31st	735 25
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D. A. McLaine, Esq., Bay Roberts, 20th instalment M. C. Messervey, instalment for September	7 00
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	\$124,977.33

Yours very truly,  
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## War News

### Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

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#### OSTEND BOMBARDING.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—British warships this morning shelled the German naval base Ostend with satisfactory results. It was announced to-day by the Admiralty. Three German destroyers were shot down by British airplanes.

#### GERMANS REPLY TO OUR OFFERS.

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to man, against such troops? The almost ghastly pallor of the German prisoners appears to indicate that short rations are doing their work in the German army. The demeanor of practically all officer prisoners strikingly illustrates the changed spirit of the enemy. Their attitude is that of men who have lost all confidence in the future. As usual prisoners belonging to different arms are indulging in mutual recriminations, while all unite in deriding German aims. Telegraphing last night, the correspondent said: The Germans are doing just what was expected of them and for which we were fully prepared, naturally counter attacking in full force. The first began at six-fifty last night against a wide front held by the British and Australian troops. The night being good for aerial co-operation, our artillery did good work. The attackers were fresh troops brought up from reserves. The attackers, despite the intense artillery fire, and suffering heavy losses, pressed on with great determination, actually penetrating a front of 300 yards, where desperate hand-to-hand fighting ensued. Our supports, however, took up the struggle and the enemy wavered. They were enveloped from a number of pill boxes and concentrated shell holes, which we had recently taken. Two heavy counter attacks followed further south, which were also beaten off, and though others followed each one on a formidable scale, all were repulsed with great losses. Our casualties have been relatively small, many of them being walking cases. The weather is inclined to be misty, but we have been lucky on the whole in this respect.

#### REPULSE ENEMY ATTACKS.

Troops of Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, continued last night to launch heavy counter attacks against the new British lines east of Ypres on the Belgian front. Field Marshal Haig in his report to-day to the war office says: Hostile counter attacks continued yesterday evening on the Ypres front. Considerable German forces were engaged without any result being gained except a heavy increase in the enemy's losses. During the afternoon the enemy attacked with strong forces on both sides of the Ypres-Menin road. Here, also, heavy fighting ended in the complete repulse of the enemy. During the evening a third hostile counter attack east of Langemarck was crushed by our artillery. At dusk the enemy launched a powerful counter attack in massed formation on a wide front. His troops succeeded in penetrating a short distance into our new positions, but they were driven out by our local attacks. At all points the West Lancashire and London troops repulsed the enemy infantry with great losses. At the end of two hours of fierce fighting our whole line was intact. The attack

was delivered with great determination, and the enemy's losses were exceedingly severe.

#### ITALIAN PROGRESS.

ROME, Sept. 23. General Cadorna's forces made progress last night at several points on the Italian battle front. On the Bainsizza plateau the Austrians, after violent artillery preparations, repeatedly attacked the Italian position in the region of Kal west of Vellik, but were repulsed.

#### RUSSIAN FORCES ADVANCE.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 23. After a battle on the Riga front yesterday, the Russian forces advanced in the region of the village of Budna and pressed back the German advanced guards, it was officially announced to-day by the Russian war office. In Jacobstadt region the Russians have fortified themselves on the right bank of the Dvina River. Two Austro-German attacks against the Roumanian positions near Hunchell were repulsed.

#### FIGHTING GOING ON.

British Headquarters in France, Sept. 22.—Fighting was still going on in the neighborhood of Tower Hamlets, which has been the scene of almost continuous strife since the British offensive east of Ypres on the Belgian front, began. On the left the British line was reported to be intact, but no news of the situation on the right could be had this morning.

#### FRENCH OFFICIAL.

PARIS, Sept. 22. The official statement issued by the war office follows: An enemy surprise attack against one of our stall posts on the north bank of the Meuse prevailed, but failed everywhere else. During Wednesday and Thursday two German machines were brought down in the daylight and two others seriously damaged were forced to land. During the night, the Belgian communication said yesterday, our artillery shelled the enemy communication in retaliation for yesterday's bombardment in the direction of Ramscaelle and Furnes. Our guns also took to task the German batteries in the region of Woumen. Our aviators were very active and carried out various expeditions.

Army of the East.—On Thursday increasing activity of the enemy artillery was reported on the whole front. British aviators bombed enemy establishments to the north of Doiran.

#### GERMANY REPLIES TO PEACE NOTE.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 22. The German Government in its reply to the peace note of Pope Benedict a copy of which has been received here, cherishes a lively desire that the appeal may meet with success.

Emperor William, the German note says, has been following the efforts of the Pope towards peace for a considerable time with high officials. Peace would come from the recent proposals of Pope Benedict if the belligerent nations would enter into negotiations in the sense of the Pontiff's suggestions. Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary, says in his reply to the Vatican, the Emperor sees in the Pope's plan a suitable basis for initiating negotiations toward a just and lasting peace, and expresses the hope that the nations opposing his own may be animated by the same ideas. Austria-Hungary's ruler believed the Pontiff's efforts may lead to a realization of the Emperor's desire for a lasting and honorable peace for all parties. The freedom of the seas is one of the peace hopes of Emperor Charles, in order that heavy material burdens could be taken from the nations of the earth and new sources of prosperity opened to them. The Austrian Emperor admits that the future arrangement of the world must be based on the elimination of armed force and on the rule of international justice and legality. The reply received here in a despatch from Vienna was handed the Papal Nuncio at Vienna on Thursday.

The German Emperor's reply to the Pope's peace proposals reads: Herr Cardinal—Your Eminence has been good enough together with your letter of August 2nd to transmit to the Kaiser and King, my gracious master, the note of His Holiness the Pope in which His Holiness, filled with grief at the devastations of the world war, makes an emphatic peace appeal to the heads of the belligerent peoples. The Kaiser King has designed to acquaint me with Your Eminence's letter and to entrust the reply to me. His Majesty has been following for a considerable time, with high respect and sincere gratitude, His Holiness' efforts in the spirit of true impartiality to alleviate, as far as possible, the sufferings of war and to hasten the end of hostilities. The Kaiser sees in the latest step of His Holiness fresh proof of his noble and humane feelings and cherishes a lively desire that for the benefit of the entire world the Papal appeal may meet with success.

#### SINKING OF THE MINNEHAHA.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Sept. 23. The big Atlantic transport liner Minnehaha, which was sunk by a German submarine on Sept. 7th, went down in four minutes, after being torpedoed, according to Harry Clark, a veterinary surgeon, who arrived here to-day on an American ship from a British port. Clark said the sinking occurred in Bantry Bay, a few minutes after noon, according to information given him by a number of survivors immediately after landing. Numerous tales of heroism on the part of Capt. Claret, the commander of the

Minnehaha, and other officers were related by survivors. Clark says Chief Officer Albany lost his life aiding members of the crew struggling in the water after he had given his lifebelt to a disabled fireman. C. A. Willis, purser, was crushed to death between one of the lifeboats and the side of the ship as the boat was being launched. Capt. Claret, Clark said, personally rescued several of his men by plunging overboard from a lifeboat and swimming with them to safety. He only desisted in his effort when overcome by exhaustion, and he himself was pulled from the water. As a mark of appreciation for his bravery the survivors of the ship bought and presented him with a handsome clock. Clark confirmed the cable reports as to the loss of life, stating the number of deaths were 43.

#### AUSTRIAN OFFICIAL.

LONDON, Sept. 23. An official statement issued from the Austro-Hungarian headquarters, Thursday, as received here, reads: An Italian attack against Monte Gabrielle was brought to a standstill by our fire. On the northeast of Trone, the enemy endeavored to attack after a mine explosion, but was caught under our fire in positions which he was preparing to attack. The number of prisoners brought in near Carmanes increased to 11 officers and 515 men.

#### THE VATICAN'S HOPES.

ROME, Sept. 22. Hope is expressed at the Vatican that the replies of the Powers to the Pope's peace proposals will oblige the allies to differentiate their replies to a great extent from that of President Wilson. From reliable sources it is learned that the Vatican tried to induce the Central Empires to make what the Holy See considered a master stroke and have their answer merely consisting of accepting fully the Papal proposals. Such a policy, the Vatican believed, would have placed on the Entente the onus of continuing the war.

#### ARGENTINE'S ULTIMATUM.

BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 23. The Argentine Government has sent an ultimatum to Germany. In its note the Government demands a formal statement from the German Government as to its attitude towards the behaviour of Count Von Luxburg, and a repetition of the promises made respecting Argentine shipping in connection with the Toro settlement.

#### GERMANY REPLIES TO ARGENTINA.

BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 23. Just as the Argentine Chamber of Deputies were preparing to vote on the question of breaking diplomatic relations with Germany, an official statement was received from the Berlin Foreign Office. The note disapproved of the ideas expressed by

Count Luxburg, the German Minister here, regarding Germany's cruiser warfare. The word cruiser leaves some doubt as to whether Germany intends to modify her submarine campaign. However, a declaration of war by Argentina on Germany has been prepared.

#### GERMAN ACTIVITY.

LONDON, Sept. 23. Considerable activity was shown last night by the German artillery in the Ypres sector of the Belgian front, where the British have been conducting an offensive, it was announced to-day. On the Somme sector, Glasgow troops raided the Teuton trenches near Gonjancourt, destroying dug-outs and killing many of the occupants, the British communication says.

#### ADMIRAL KEPPEL DEAD.

LONDON, Sept. 23. The death is announced of Rear-Admiral Leicester Chantrey Keppel, retired. Admiral Keppel commanded many British warships, being engaged in many campaigns, and accompanied Dr. Livingstone on an expedition up the Zambesi.

#### BERLIN OFFICIAL.

BERLIN, Sept. 23 (via London.) The following official statement was issued to-day: The front of the German Crown Prince Rupprecht—Yesterday morning a British monitor, assisted by aerial observers, bombarded Ostend. A few shells struck the Cathedral, in which early mass was being held. Seven Belgians were killed and 24 wounded seriously. The monitor was driven off by fire from the coast batteries.

#### RUSSIAN APPOINTMENT.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 23. General Douckonine, Chief of Staff to the Commander of the Western front, has been appointed Chief of Staff to the Commander-in-Chief of the Russian armies.

#### CENTRAL POWERS AND THE POPE.

ROME, Sept. 23. Commenting on the Austrian and German replies to Pope Benedict, the Observer Romano, the Vatican's official organ, says: "The Vatican has not yet received the replies of the Central Powers, published here under Zurich date. This makes the treatment received by the Vatican from the Central Powers, worse than that which the Holy See complained of when President Wilson answered the Papal note through his Secretary of State, Lansing. In fact the Austro-Hungarian and German replies were published before the Vatican had received them at all."

#### RUSSIA'S NEW CHIEF OF STAFF.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 22. The resignation of General Alexieff

as Chief of the General Staff has been followed by the appointment in his place of M. Teheremissoff, whose predilections are highly democratic. The appointment of Teheremissoff is a signal for drastic reforms, but the immediate motive for a change in the incumbency of the post is not publicly known. Premier Kerensky's policy would be executed by the new war minister Verkevsky, and the new Chief of Staff, Teheremissoff.

#### CANADIAN LAWYER DEAD.

MONTREAL, Sept. 22. R. C. Smith, K.C., one of the leaders of the Montreal bar, is dead.

#### DIFFICULTIES PRECLUDE VISIT.

LONDON, Sept. 22. The following statement has been made regarding the proposed visit of Allied and British statesmen, either Premier Lloyd George, or General Smuts, to the United States. A proposal for a visit at this time has been under consideration here for some time, but the difficulties which lie in the way of any of these statements undertaking the visit almost preclude it. The view held in the ministerial circles here is that the anti-British propaganda in the United States is not so strong as persons of enemy sentiment pretend, moreover effective steps are being taken by the United States to counteract it. The United States needs no gingering up for the purpose of prosecuting the war. She is heart and soul with Great Britain in the determination to crush Prussian militarism and realizes the gigantic nature of the task she has set herself to accomplish. The great obstacle in the way of the Premier, the Secretary or General Smuts visiting the United States, is that none of them can be spared from their duties here for so long a period as the visit would necessitate. For any of them to be out of touch with the events, even for a few days at this juncture, might have far-reaching consequences.

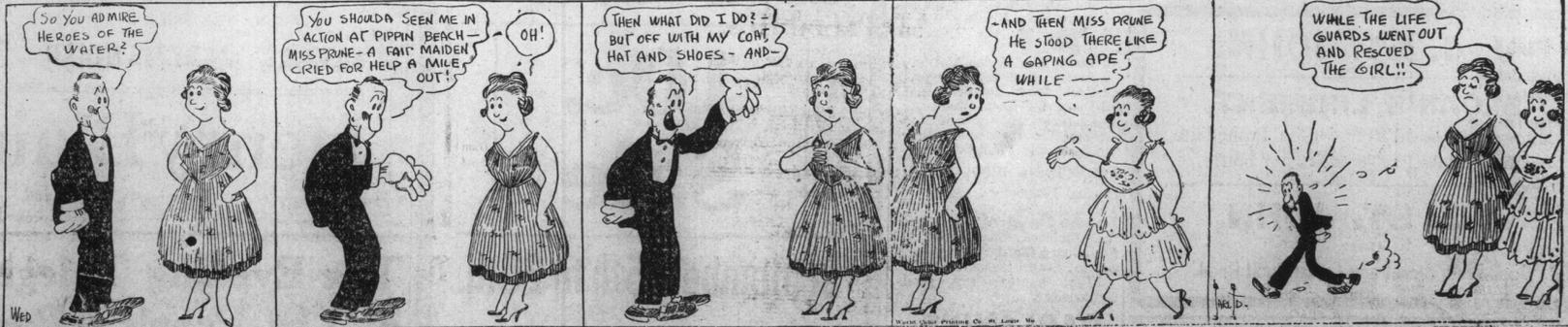
#### PAPERS GIVE PROMINENCE TO PEACE PROPOSALS.

LONDON, Sept. 22. Incomplete parts of the reply of Germany and Austria to Pope Benedict's peace proposals are given prominence by morning newspapers. Owing to the lateness of their receipt only two or three papers commented on them in editorial columns. The tenor of the headlines, however, reflects the British attitude, one paper captioning the documents as "hypocritical claptrap from Berlin and Vienna."

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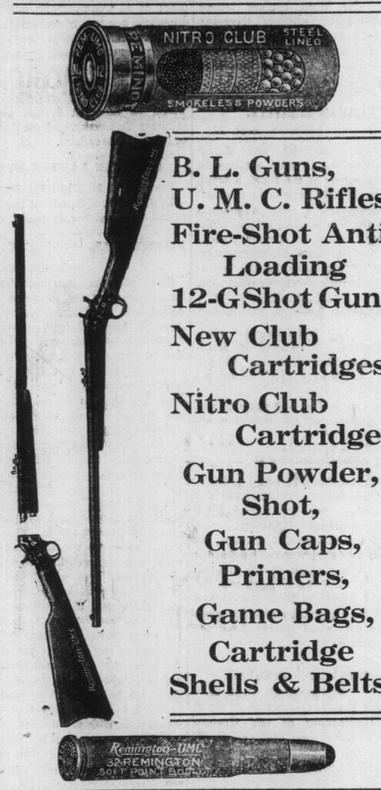
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