

British Advance Has Commenced

LONDON, June 16 -- The French embassy to-day gave out the statement that British forces yesterday had carried a line of German trenches to the west of La Bassee.

ITALIANS ARE OCCUPYING ALL DOMINATING POINTS ON TYROL

Austrians are Strongly Fortifying the Isonzo River With Concrete Entrenchments--Austrian Attacks Near Val Sesis Repulsed by Bayonet.

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DOMINATING POINTS The communication, which declares repeated Austrian attacks in Carnia were repulsed, was as follows:

On the Tyrol--Trentino-Cadone front we gradually are occupying dominating points. Except for distant artillery fire and new but unsuccessful attacks on June 13 against the summit of Vellone, in the upper valley of the Flave (Carnic Alps) our adversary has not shown in this region any particular sign of activity.

ATTACKS REPULSED More intense attacks have been made repeatedly by the enemy in Carnia, either near the defiles of Val Sesis, which still is strongly held by us, or especially against the rear line of Monte Avostiano, in the defile of Monte Croce. Here on the morning of June 14 the enemy made a vigorous attack, preceded by an intense artillery fire which began in the night and became very violent at daybreak.

ARTILLERY DUELLING Long distance artillery actions occurred also in the zone of Monte Nero, on the Selme-Mazil front and on the Kozlak.

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Nineteen Persons Killed --BY AIR ATTACK ON KARLSRUHE-- Fourteen Seriously Hurt

Karlsruhe, Baden, via wireless to London, June 16--Nineteen persons were killed and fourteen seriously wounded while many others were slightly wounded during the attack made upon this city early yesterday morning by a fleet of French aeroplanes.

A French statement yesterday said the attack upon Karlsruhe was made by twenty-three aeroplanes which dropped 130 projectiles causing a large number of fires. It was stated a serious panic was observed at the railroad station.

SPECIAL ENVOY TO THE KAISER FROM U. S. AN INTERNATIONAL SPY

Duped Bryan--Lived Disguised as Dr. Anton Meyer Gerhard, His Real Name is Dr. Alfred Meyer, Kaiser's Private Councillor.

New York, June 16--Dr. Anton Meyer Gerhard, "German Red Cross agent," Count von Bernstorff's special envoy to the Imperial Government, who landed yesterday in Christiania, Norway, has perpetrated a gigantic hoax on the State Department of the United States.

PREDICTIONS ON LENGTH OF WAR BY BELLIGENTS AND NEUTRALS

The war in Europe has now been in progress more than ten months. Here are some of the prophecies that were made as to how long the great conflict would last:

BRITISH. IN LONDON, at the middle of March, the odds at Lloyd's were 3 to 1 against the war ending before May, odds were even that it would end before September 1 next, and 15 to 1 on was offered that peace would come before March 1, 1916.

FRENCH. GEN. JOFFRE, French Commander-in-Chief, April 2, 1915--The war soon will end in favor of the allies.

RUSSIAN. GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS, Russian Commander-in-Chief, Nov. 6, 1914, in telegram to Gen. Joffre--I am most confident of the speedy and entire accomplishment of our common task.

GERMAN. HERR BALLIN, confidant of the Kaiser, in interview with Gustav C. Roeder at Hamburg, published April 14, 1915--How long will the war last? My dear sir, this is a question which nobody in Germany can correctly answer to-day.

AMERICAN. JAMES J. HILL, American railroad man, April 1, 1915--The war will end by October, 1915.

BRANTFORD BOY RECEIVES DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT MEDAL

Pte. Chas. Bloxham Writes Modestly to Say How He Has Been Recommended for the D. C. M. for Bravery at Ypres



Latest Officer to enlist for active service from 38th D.R.C.

CAPT. F. MILLER.



In a letter received to-day from the front "Lieut." Miller, who has returned to the firing line after being wounded, announces that he is well and has been made Captain of No. 1 Company, 4th Battalion.

Word was last night received in the city by Mr. and Mrs. A. Bloxham, residing at 27 Sheridan Street, that their son, Charles, had received the distinction of being awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal.

It is to be hoped that the gallant youth will be spared many years to wear the simple cross won so meritoriously on the Field of Honor.

Dear Father: You will be more than surprised to read the contents of typewritten sheet.

He went to Valenciennes with his regiment and received his first military training in that camp.

He was at Ypres that he distinguished himself. He has worked all over the Dominion through the West, and is one of the finest of fellows, best of chums and comrades, one could meet, as a pal said to the Courier to-day.

Norway Not Able to Protect Herself at Sea

Christiania, via London, June 16--The Norwegian press, in publishing the American note to Germany expresses satisfaction that the most powerful of neutral nations has called upon Germany in plain words to stop her warfare against peaceful merchant ships of neutral nations of which Norway has lost more than any other country, although on friendly terms with Germany, but not able to protect its commerce against "treacherous German submarines."

The Norwegian mail and passenger steamer Iris, which plies between Newcastle and Bergen, is reported to have been attacked by submarines on two trips. On one occasion she was struck by a torpedo which did not explode and the other was missed by a few feet.

SIR EDWARD CARSON DID NOT WANT TO ENTER COALITION GOVT.

Address by Premier Asquith, Britain's Expenses Will be \$15,000,000 a Day Hereafter--Heavy War Credit Voted by House of Commons.

London, June 16--The House of Commons yesterday afternoon voted another credit of £250,000,000, making with previous sums a total of £882,000,000 already allowed for war purposes.

After paying a tribute to his late colleagues, Mr. Asquith claimed both for himself and his new colleagues the staunchest adherence of their respective political parties.

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GERMAN HOPES ARE BASED ON U. S. FOR MEDIATION

Germany Herself Believed to be Forced to Conclusion That Continuation of the Struggle Will Only Add to Difficulties She Must Face at the End.

Washington, June 16th--"As far as Germany herself is concerned there is a general feeling that the nation is being rapidly brought to a realization that victory cannot now be secured, no matter what the efforts that may be made.

For the most important aerial engagements of the past two weeks, over the continent and England, are as follows: Aeroplanes of the allies attacked the headquarters of the German crown prince, June 3, and two days later a German aeroplane dropped explosive bombs on the French seaport of Calais.

Washington, June 16--In high official circles it is believed--and to-day this belief was guardedly expressed--that Germany will take advantage of the negotiations with the United States over the Lusitania affair to work around to peace overtures to end the big struggle in Europe.

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ECHO PLACE NEWS

Mrs. Deveraux, Sen., entertained her cousin from Hamilton over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eadie spent Sunday with friends in Boston.

We are glad to be able to report that Mrs. J. G. Tulloch is improving after her long illness.

Mr. Alex. Edmondson accompanied his sister, Mrs. Bissel, to her home.

Mrs. A. Westbrook and children were Sunday guests of Mrs. W. Moyers.

Mrs. Hall is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Roy at Ottawa.

The Echo Place Woman's Institute held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Bueh Monday, June 14th.

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Thirty-Sixth Annual Meeting of High Court Canadian Foresters

St. Catharines, June 16—The 36th Annual Meeting of the Canadian Order of Foresters convened on Tuesday afternoon, the 15th of June, in the City of St. Catharines, at 2 p.m. Delegates are in attendance from all parts of the Dominion, every province being represented.

The following officers of High Court were present at the opening session: J. A. A. Bordeur, High Vice-Chief Ranger, Mont-real, Que.; Alf P. Van Someren, High Secretary, Brantford, Ont.; Robert Elliott, High Treasurer, St. Catharines, Ont.; Dr. U. M. Stanley, Chairman of the Medical Board, Brantford, Ont.; W. G. Strong, Superintendent of Organization, Brantford, Ont.; W. L. Roberts, First High Auditor, Brantford, Ont.; and A. Shults, Second High Auditor, Brantford, Ont.

In addition to the above, A. L. Jones, Dist. H. C. R. Brandon, Man.; A. K. Berry, Past Dist. H. C. R. Holland, Man.; and D. E. McKinnon, Dist. High Secretary, Winnipeg, were representatives from the District High Court for Manitoba, were present.

The Annual Reports of the various officers of this Order are again of a very satisfactory nature, showing that the steady progress which has been its experience since its inception in 1879, was continued in the year 1914, which is the period covered by those reports.

This Order confines its business entirely to the Dominion of Canada, uniformly all its departments, in spite of the adverse general conditions which have been experienced in Canada, uniform progress is demonstrated.

The increase in the insurance funds during the year amounted to \$375,295.94, this increase being the second largest in the Order's experience, and only some \$5,000.00 less than the large increase in any one year, which occurred in 1912.

The year's revenue derived from the payment of 599 death claims, amounting to \$613,880.12, showed funds on hand of \$4,740,368.01; the amount at the present time being \$4,844,441.13.

The year's revenue derived from the investments of the Order now constitute a very substantial amount of the annual income. Interest earned on investments of insurance funds during 1914 amounted to \$223,761.64, and paid 36.44 per cent. of the total claims on the Order.

In respect to the matter of investments, it is interesting to know that its funds are being invested in municipal and school debentures of the Dominion of Canada.

During the last two years, with an exceptional market in such direction, from the investment point of view, the Executive Committee has been able to take very extensive advantage of the situation.

The Sick and Funeral Benefit Fund shows a larger net increase than that experienced in any previous year in the Order's history, the increase for the year being \$55,071.58.

Interest earned on investments of Sick and Funeral Benefit Funds (these investments being of a similar nature to those made of the Insurance Funds), amounted to \$18,723.10, and after the payment of 7,319 sick and funeral benefit claims, amounting to \$188,430.35, the amount standing at the credit of this fund was \$403,284.77; the same fund at the present time standing at \$409,583.63.

The General Fund is also in a satisfactory condition. Many special charges, incident to the war, including donations to National and Patriotic Funds, and the arrangement for carrying members on overseas service, hereafter referred to, have been arranged as anticipated without any inconvenience to this fund.

In respect to membership also substantial progress was made, the membership at the end of the year 1914 standing at 91,557.

Besides the ordinary benefits from its Life Insurance and Sick and Funeral Benefit Departments, special provision is made under the constitution of the Order, for assistance to those of its members suffering from tubercular trouble of any kind.

A special grant is made extending over a period of six months, with a view to assisting to defray the cost of treatment in any of a number of sanitariums in Canada, making a specialty of such cases, and the membership is urged to take advantage of such treatment in the incipient stages of the malady.

It is gratifying to note after a perusal of the reports of all the officers, the far-reaching benefits that are being derived by the membership in the various directions in which this Society endeavors to be of assistance to the individuals composing same.

Since 1879 about ten and a half millions of dollars have been paid out in benefits by this Society, and, in fact the whole record of the Order, as submitted in these reports, is well worth the perusal of those who perhaps have been skeptical regarding the permanency and stability of fraternal insurance concerns.

These reports furnish evidence of careful management in the conduct of the Society's affairs, and reflect credit on its administration.

A point of general interest, as indicating proper selection of risks, is the death rate in 1914 which was 5.54 in the thousand, and the average death rate since the inception of the Order over a period of nearly 36 years, is 5.31 per thousand.

In looking into the report of the Superintendent of Organization, we find he has been able to report the institution of forty-two (42) new Courts, demonstrating that the Order continues to establish agencies as new fields for the prosecution of its business open up.

Particular attention is evidently being paid to establishment of Subordinate Courts only in such places as offer a reasonable prospect of permanency.

This Order has pursued a very liberal policy in respect to those of its membership who have volunteered, or en-

listed, for overseas service. Not only is the insurance in such cases kept in force at the ordinary rates, of those who were in membership at the date of declaration of war by England, but the Insurance and Sick and Funeral Benefit assessments for all such members are being paid by High Court out of the General Expense Fund of the Order.

New business involving war risks has of necessity to be declined, and is the only safe course for the Order, but the arrangements as made relieve the members of older standing from the necessity of payment by them of their ordinary assessments, and yet provides for the proper premium being collected and credited to the Insurance and Sick and Funeral Benefit Funds of the Order in the usual way.

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Social and Personal

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 276. Address: "SALADA," Toronto.

Mr. W. L. Hughes is a business visitor in Toronto to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E Reynolds are visiting in Guelph to-day.

Mr. J. Burbank left the city this morning for a short trip to Toronto.

Miss Ballachey and Miss Lewis, are the guests of Mrs Ballachey, in Buffalo.

Mrs. Walter Haviland of Boston, is the guest of Mrs George Haviland, 61 Brant street, for the week.

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Rev. Mr. Woodside presided and gave a suitable address. There were many members building committees from other churches present.

In the afternoon Mr. E. Fleeting made an address and Mrs. Brown sang a solo most pleasingly.

The Monday evening session was taken up with social time and a musical programme. Mr. A. McFarlane occupied the chair and was heartily received. A duet by Mrs. Humble and Mrs. Brown also gave infinite pleasure to the audience.

An address was given by the Rev. Mr. Campbell and was much appreciated.

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After the solo had been enjoyed a cake and ice cream social was held. Miss Hargraves delighted the audience with an instrumental solo, and in conclusion Mr. T. L. Wood said a few words.

NEUTRALITY SQUAD UP

New York, June 16.—Ten witnesses were under subpoena to appear to-day before the federal grand jury investigating the charges of conspiracy resulting from affidavits that the Lusitania was armed when she left here on her last voyage.

Several of the witnesses were members of the neutrality squad attached to the office of the collector of the port. They were expected to testify that they had made a careful search of the Lusitania and found no guns on board.

Among the missing passengers of the Lusitania was Peter Reid, second son of Archibald Reid, fruit grower, Carluke.

SOLDIERS' LETTERS RECEIVED TO-DAY BY THE COURIER

A letter received from Pte. Alec Johnson of the 16th Ontario gives a Canadian Soldier's impressions of the war, and the sufferings of the men portrayed from time to time in a series of articles from war correspondents published exclusively in the Courier and need no retelling to war readers.

Dear Bro: Will now try and write you a few lines and let you know that I am still in the land of the living although still in the hospital. I am feeling fine and cannot see why in the world I may not take so long in healing when it was such a small hurt.

Well Bill, what do you think about the war, don't you think that it's about time that England woke up and started to use a little gas so as to serve them the same as they do us, it is a pity that a few of the big bugs didn't get a dose of it, so that they could get an idea of what it is like, it has been the way we have had to sacrifice ourselves for the sake of gaining back the positions that we have had to retire from when they use the gas, there will certainly be some cripples after this war, a person has no idea how many are wounded and killed every day as the press only gives some of the list.

Did I tell you before that Jim Newell had been killed. I was marked for to go to England a couple of days ago, but did not go for some reason, there is small chance of my going yet. Have never heard of Lorne, or how he is going on.

I think that I have said about enough for this time hoping that all is well with you.

With best wishes, Alec

Nuptial Notes

HAMILTON—CAMPBELL. Very quiet wedding was solemnized at Grace Church at 10 o'clock to-day, when Edith M. Campbell, youngest daughter of Mrs. J. Arthur Elliott, of this city, and William H. Hamilton, second son of Mr. D. R. Hamilton, of Princeton, were united in marriage by the Rev. C. E. Smythe. They were attended by Miss Maud Armstrong of Burford and Mr. R. Robertson of Toronto.

The young couple left on the 1.42 train for a short trip, after which they will take up their residence at 109 Park avenue.

GETTING ANGRY

London, June 16.—A Rotterdam dispatch in the Daily News says: Count Reventlow, the German naval writer, is apparently getting very angry with the Germans, who in increasing number are asking whether it is worth while endangering relations with America by a continuance of submarine warfare.

Admiral Von Tirpitz has throughout found in Reventlow his warmest supporter of the war on helpless seamen. He says: "The effects of the war are so clear and simple that those who cannot see them and appraise them of their right value show themselves not so weak in understanding as in character and will force. For the sake of peace we may remark that to be weak of intellect cannot be looked upon as a reproach. It is a thing that cannot be helped."

It must be recorded that more than ever the German authorities are carrying out the policy of hiding the losses from the people. The Germans have yet to learn the result of Lieut. Warnford's brilliant exploit, nor have they been informed of the attack on the Lusitania by the British submarine or of the destruction of the Zeppelin there. The only announcements now made are those of real or imaginary victories.

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TO-DAY'S MARKETS

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

By Special Wire to the Courier.
 Liverpool, June 15—Wheat, spot, weak. No. 1 Northern, 11s 4d; No. 1 Manitoba, 11s 5d; No. 2 Manitoba, 11s 3d; No. 3 Manitoba, 11s 1d; No. 2 hard, winter 11s 4d.

Corn—American mixed, new, 8s.
 Flour—Winter patents, 45s; hops, in London (Pacific coast) £3 10s; hops, £4 15s.

Beef—Extra India mess, 16s; pork prime mess western, 10s; hams, short cut, 14 to 16 pounds, 71s 6d; bacon, Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., 75s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 69s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 pounds, 73s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., 73s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., 63s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., 64s 6d; lard, prime western, in tins, 49s 3d; American refined, 49s 3d; cheese, Canadian, finest white, 90s; tallow, best city 34s 7-2d; Australian in London 34s 6d; turpentine, spirits, 35s; rosin, common, 11s 3d; petroleum, refined, 9d; linseed oil, 3s; cotton seed oil, hull refined, spot 30s 9d.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

By Special Wire to the Courier.
 Montreal, June 16—Trade at the East End Cattle Market to-day was fair without material change in the prices, quality considered.

Receipts were: Cattle 300; calves 1,000; cows and springers, 78; sheep and lambs 400; hogs, 900.
 Prime beefs, 8-1-4 to 8-1-2c; medium, 6-1-4 to 8c; common, 5 to 6-1-4c; calves, 5 to 8-1-2c; cows, choice, \$90 to \$110.
 Sheep, 5 to 7c; spring lambs, 10 to 12-1-2c.
 Hogs, 9-3-4 to 10c.

TORONTO CATTLE MARKET

By Special Wire to the Courier.
 Toronto, June 16—Receipts of cattle were light at the Union Stock Yards to-day, and the quality was only ordinary. Trade was slow but prices fairly steady. Calves and sheep steady and prices firm. The market for lambs was active, and prices advanced fifty cents. Hogs 10 cents higher.

Receipts—483 cattle; 230 calves; 1987 hogs; 474 sheep.
 Butcher, choice, \$8.00 to \$8.40; medium, \$7.00 to \$7.25; common, \$6.00 to \$6.25. Butcher cows, choice, \$7.00 to \$7.25; medium, \$5.50 to \$6.25; canners, \$4.00 to \$4.25; bulls, \$7.00 to \$7.50. Feeding steers, \$7.25 to \$7.50. Stockers, choice, \$6.75 to \$7.25; light, \$6.00 to \$6.50. Milkers, choice, each, \$65.00 to \$90.00. Springers, \$50.00 to \$85.00. Sheep, ewes, \$6.00 to \$6.50. Bucks and rams, \$4.00 to \$5.00. Lambs \$12.00 to \$14.00. Hogs, receipts watered, \$9.35; f.o.b., \$9.00. Calves, \$8.00 to \$10.50.

EAST BUFFALO MARKETS

By Special Wire to the Courier.
 East Buffalo, N. Y., June 16—Cattle, Receipts 200 head; steady. Veals—Receipts 150 head; active, 4.50 to 10.00. Hogs—Receipts, 3,000 head; active, heavy, 7.90 to 7.95; mixed, 7.95 to 8.00; yorkers, 7.90 to 8.00; pigs, 7.50 to 7.75; roughs, 6.50 to 6.60. Sheep, receipts \$8.00, mass lot, slow. Native, \$5.75 to \$6.75. Lambs, native, \$7.00 to \$9.75; springs, \$7.25 to \$10.50.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

By Special Wire to the Courier.
 Chicago, June 16—Cattle receipts, 4,000. Market steady. Beef, \$6.05 to \$9.35. Western steers, \$6.80 to \$7.15. Cows and heifers, \$3.20 to \$8.75. Calves, \$7.25 to \$10.25. Hogs, receipts 25,000. Market strong. Light, \$7.35 to \$7.70; mixed, \$7.10 to \$7.00; heavy, \$6.80 to \$7.45; rough, \$6.50 to \$6.95; pigs, \$6.00 to \$7.25. Bulk of sales, \$7.20 to \$7.50. Sheep, receipts 8,000, mass lot, slow. Native, \$5.75 to \$6.75. Lambs, native, \$7.00 to \$9.75; springs, \$7.25 to \$10.50.

Germans Don't Like Aerial Raids at Home

By Special Wire to the Courier.
 Berlin, via London, June 16—Commenting on the aeroplane attack upon Karlsruhe, Paul Becker, assistant chief editor of the Tages Zeitung terms it "A nefarious and senseless act" for which "unscrupulous retaliation is demanded." He declares Germany hitherto has retaliated for bombardment of defenseless unfortified cities only by the bombardment of military localities, but that an example now should be made, Herr Becker suggests that the best step would be a bombardment of the western portion of London. He thinks the retaliatory measures should be extended also to other departments of warfare.

Count Ernst Von Reventlow, the naval expert of the same paper, returns this morning to the attack upon the article of Eugen Zimmerman, general director of the Lokal Anzeiger in favor of efforts towards a German American understanding. In an article headed "German propaganda for deliveries of weapons to Germany's enemies," Count Von Reventlow says the denance by German newspapers of these weapon deliveries, is one of the most incredible things which has occurred during the war. He attacks Vorwarts for its approval of the Lokal Anzeiger's proposal, and again assails the latter paper for declaring there was no occasion for indignation at the attempt of England to starve out Germany, which was held to be legitimate warfare.

The count says the press of the countries opposed to Germany will rejoice to learn that its own views are held and furthered by a portion of the Lokal Anzeiger, approves England's starvation plan it therefore disapproves of the submarine campaign.

RUSSIANS WITHDRAW FROM GALICIA

Petrograd States a Retreat Was Carried Out at Two Points.

By Special Wire to the Courier.
 London, June 16—The latest air raid on the British coast was the most fatal of them all. Zeppelins flew over the northeast coast of England last night. This morning 15 persons are dead from missiles thrown down by the flyers, and as many more are wounded.

Never before has an air raid on England taken such toll in human life. This is the third air attack in a little over two weeks. May 31 was the date of the attack on London from the clouds when four persons were killed and 100 injured. On June 5 the east coast of England was the scene of attack with five fatalities.

In the eastern arena of the fighting the Russian forces still are slowly and stubbornly retreating. The latest official report from Petrograd admits the withdrawal of Russian troops across the Galician frontier into Russian territory from Czernowitz, at a point between the Dniester and the Pruth. The same report says that fresh German forces, brought up near Jaroslavl, under cover of heavy artillery fire, compelled the Russians to retire for some distance on the right bank of the River San, after three days of desperate fighting.

On the remainder of the eastern front the Russians apparently are contenting themselves with repelling the attacks of the enemy, excepting on the left banks of the Tiszenitza and Stry Rivers, tributaries of the Dniester, where they claim to have taken numerous prisoners and machine guns and to have recaptured villages wrested from them by the Austrians.

Little news comes to London from the Dardanelles, with the exception of the official intimation that the Turkish forces are showing a sensible weakening.

On the western front, the fighting during the past 24 hours has been decisive. According to Paris the most important activity has been confined to the artillery, but a wireless despatch from Berlin relates the complete failure of a violent French infantry attack to the north of Arras.

Germany is showing considerable bitterness, judging from despatches reaching London over the air raid yesterday at the city of Karlsruhe. The press is demanding retaliation. On the other hand Paris reports officially that this raid was a reprisal for the dropping of bombs by the Germans on the city of Karlsruhe.

"Fighting continues in the Shavli district without substantially modifying the situation."

"During Monday night the enemy delivered a futile attack in the direction of Nysanyz and Bakh as well as several isolated attacks in the district north of Przasnyz, all of which we successfully repulsed."

"In Galicia the Germans made good their losses by bringing up fresh troops not before seen on this front, and they resumed the offensive in the Jaroslavl district on the right bank of the San, supported by a strong artillery fire. After three days of hard fighting we yielded some ground to the enemy on the right banks of the Lubazka and the Wyszynia, a tributary of the San."

"On the Dniester on Sunday we delivered a successful counter-attack on the left banks of the Tiszenitza and the Stry Rivers. Here we made 1,200 prisoners, including 20 officers, and captured 7 machine guns. The same day the Germans attacked in the sector south of the bridgehead of Jidat-cheff, taking the village of Rogouzhno. At dawn of the following day we delivered a counter-attack and recaptured the villages of Rogouzhno and Jouravkoff. We secured also a gun with its equipment and several artillerymen. In this engagement the Germans hoisted a white flag and treacherously opened fire. Consequently they were all bayoneted by our soldiers."

"The enemy continues his attacks on the bridgehead near Ninioff, employing strong forces of artillery to play a sniping role. During last Sunday we repulsed these attacks and made over 1,500 prisoners."

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By Special Wire to the Courier.
 London, June 16—A Copenhagen despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says the Swedish Steamer Verdan of 847 tons was torpedoed yesterday off Christiania Sound by a German submarine. A German cruiser took the crew aboard and shelled, without sinking the Verdan, which was timber laden.

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By Special Wire to the Courier.
 London, June 16—John E. Redmond, the Irish Nationalist leader, is suffering from ptomaine poisoning, and will be unable for some time to attend sessions of parliament.

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THE SITUATION.

Premier Asquith made a very manly and determined speech in the British House of Commons yesterday, when he referred to the war, and declared that in the gigantic struggle of endurance, Great Britain would remain in the fight to "the very end."

There are no punishments, but steps are taken to place the child under proper surroundings and a careful watch is ensured with reference to future behaviour. Having ascertained what the trouble is, the Judge is in a position to deal with the case and to place the unfortunate under the charge of a protection officer, which title anyone named can assume.

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Another flamboyant Grit orator, speaking recently in Quebec made the statement that H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught last April vetoed a bill calling for a general election. Premier Borden when his attention was called to the statement promptly characterized it as "an unqualified falsehood."

There has been a lot of election talk without definite warrant and a number of Liberal sheets, led by the Toronto Globe, have averred that it has been up to Premier Borden to say whether there would or there wouldn't. As a matter of fact he has been under no such obligation.

Meanwhile the Liberal manipulators occupy a very peculiar position in this matter. They did everything possible by thwarting the administration to force them to the electorate for a fresh mandate and had candidates nominated, and campaign literature circulated in the hope that there would be an appeal. Then for some reason there was a sudden swerve and the yell that a contest during war time would be a "crime." What then do they now desire? That the present government by special provision should remain in office until hostilities are over, say two or three years hence?

The man who is really called upon to speak is Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and it is in the above regard. Moreover, he should at the same time pledge himself not to continue to use his sub-

servient Grit majority in the Senate for pole axing purposes.

COMMENDABLE MOVE. The fact that Brantford will soon be placed under the operations of the "Juvenile Delinquents Act" means that the authorities can get after cases in this regard much more effectively than has hitherto been the case.

When a child comes before the Criminal Court in a place where the Act is not in force, there are three alternatives—Jail, suspended sentence, or the industrial school. Jail, too often a school for crime and a hall mark for life. Suspended sentence with the youngster too often sent back to the environment under which it has gone astray.

Industrial School, where they are apt to become still further contaminated by other delinquents. Where the juvenile delinquent act is in force, the fundamental idea is paternalism.

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The whole method possesses highly commendable features and Brantford City Councilors are to be congratulated upon deciding to take the necessary steps to secure the same.

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Bernard Shaw Not Far Off Truth Here

By Special Wire to the Cosmos.

London, June 16.—Bernard Shaw has written to the wife of Sheehy Skeffington, who last week was sentenced in Dublin to six months' hard labor for making an anti-recruiting speech and released last night owing to impaired health from a hunger strike. Mr. Shaw contrasts the treatment of Skeffington with Lord Northcliffe.

"The latter," says Shaw, "not only endeavored to stop voluntary recruiting, by refusing to insert war office appeals, but actually with the same object—that of bringing about conscription—publishes a letter from the Bishop of Pretoria conveying the impression not only to the English, but to the German public that the British army in Flanders was outnumbered, and must presently fall a prey to its enemies, unless conscription was at once resorted to. Now it is clear that if Skeffington deserves six months for his act which would not have reached a thousand people, but for the prosecution, Lord Northcliffe must deserve somewhere about sixty years. I can only congratulate him under the circumstances on being still at large."

ACTING UNDER ORDERS. Paris, June 16.—Commenting on the German press reference to the second American note on the torpedoing of the Lusitania, The Temps says it is clear that the German papers are acting under orders from the German foreign office, whose policy evidently is to try to excuse the issue by shirking important points and concentrating on the minor ones.

Germany probably will spar for time but, concludes the editorial: President Wilson has shown he is not a man to be drawn aside from the vital issues. Germany has no alternative, but yielding or rupture. The line of reasoning adopted by America leaves her only these two ways out. Careful consideration of the American note seems to have convinced the French public and press that its mildness in form and tone in no way disguises the fact that Germany is asked to give a plain answer to a straightforward question. In anticipating further German tergiversation The Temps expresses the general view. A majority here considers that if Germany is finally forced to answer in a straightforward way her reply will be defiant.

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NEW SCHEME TO HIDE MURDEROUS ZEPPELIN IN CLOUD

Germany is talking of the coming invasion of London by a fleet of Zeppelins, possibly accompanied by other forms of aircraft. Some people there have even gone so far as to predict a date for the destruction of London, so confident are they in the power of the latest creations of Count Zeppelin, aided by a highly trained staff of scientists. Germany has shown herself by the employment of the death-dealing gases in the battle fields of Flanders and Northern France, fully alive to the part which chemical research can play in the next world warfare, and investigations are being pushed forward unceasingly to find new methods which can be employed against the enemy.

The latest production of these highly skilled scientists is directly aimed at England. It is the "Nebelbombe" (the fog bomb) to be used "when the big attack on London" takes place. Workers in the factories, who are usually so cooperative, are enthusiastic as schoolboys over the successful experiments made with the new contrivance, which explodes in the air and sheds over a large area a fog like cloud sufficiently dense to obscure the airship from the rays of the most powerful searchlights. But the new invention can also be used in daylight.

PREPARATION. This information I gained while travelling through Germany during the last ten days. I was sitting in a famous restaurant in Munich on Saturday night when the news was brought in giving the first account of the torpedoing of the Lusitania. Throughout the restaurant there were cries of satisfaction, and a generally expressed sentiment was that the sinking of the gigantic vessel with those on board was the way to convince England, and also America, that Germany was able to develop her power on the sea and answer the starvation policy which had been adopted by the British.

One elderly man, whom I learned later, was a prominent and learned citizen of Munich, was particularly loud in his expressions of delight. One of his companions, however, turned to him and said: "But the work of the submarines is small compared with what the Zeppelins are going to do. You have observed that the Zeppelins have been more active and are going south farther and wider—and nearer London. Thus you see, great things are in preparation. The British did not believe the power of our submarines. Now they have to. They have not believed in our Zeppelins. That time will come."

"Well," said another party, "there has long been talk of that. It is no good to talk."

"But I know," replied the first man, "things have become different now. We will follow in the new machines new bombs. I can tell you a secret. One of our foremost chemical works has been making something quite new for the Zeppelins. You know the 'Sink-bombs' (asphyxiating bombs). Our chemical reserves are almost exhausted. And I have seen the new Zeppelins."

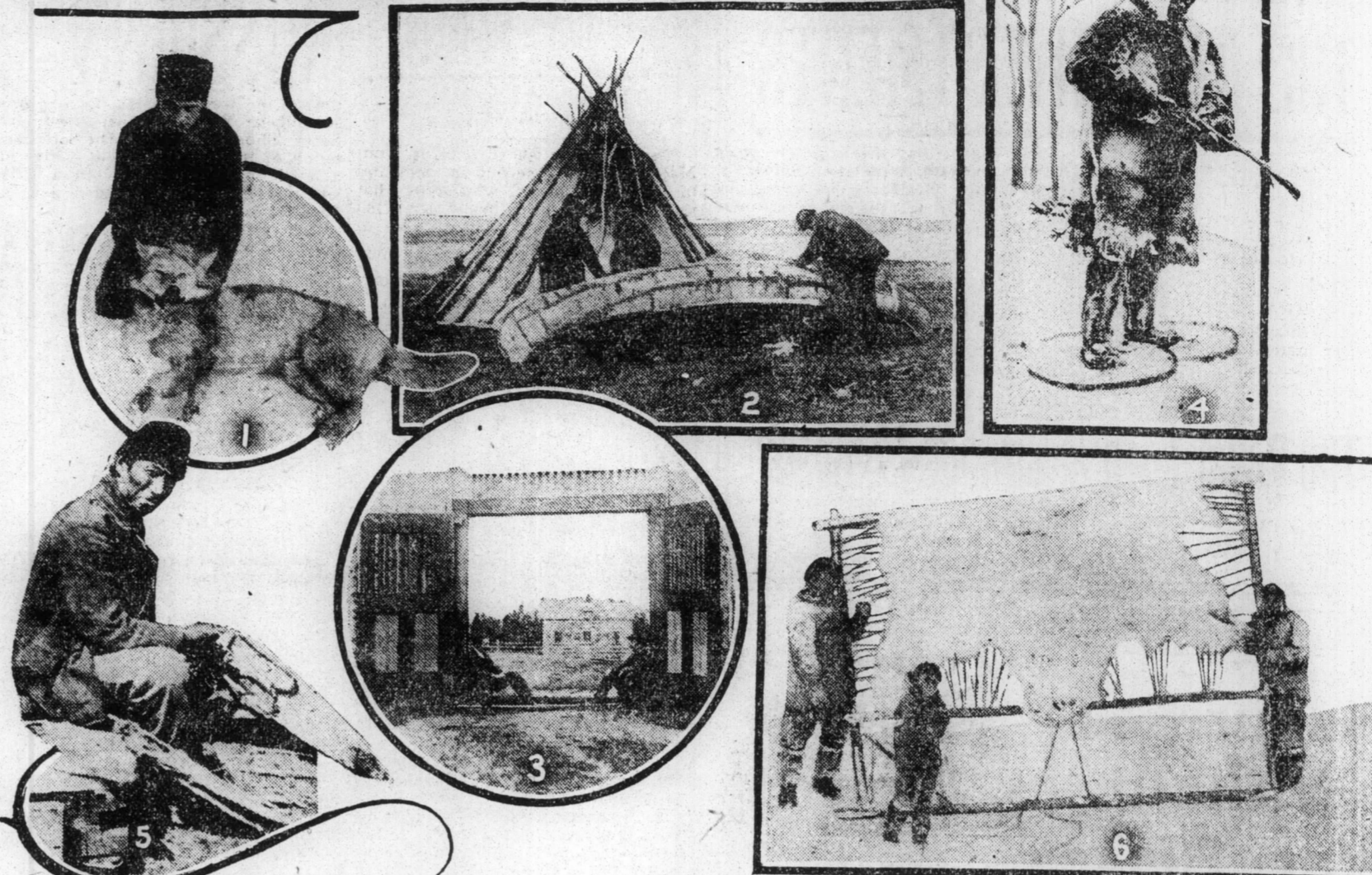
Here they went away after a doubtful remark from one and an expression of pious hopes from another. I did not at first attach any importance to the conversation about Zeppelins. The threats of a Zeppelin raid on London during the first months of the war had remained boastful threats, and the Zeppelins had not shown themselves capable of inflicting any damage of military value. They had only killed some innocent civilians and caused meaningless destruction of property. There was, of course, always a possibility that Zeppelins would reach London.

But two days later when I travelled south from Munich, I was joined in the train by a young man who, in the German manner, at once entered into conversation with me. A complete stranger. He had evidently some difficulty in restraining himself. We passed through the plain. He pointed out certain landmarks out, and told me that he had witnessed something quite remarkable there the other day. Then he related how there had been a new big Zeppelin from Friedrichshafen flying over the plain in perfectly clear air. It made the journey to experiment with a new apparatus, the purpose of which was to enable the Zeppelins to make raids over enemy countries in the day time. This apparatus was a kind of "nebelbombe," with a time fuse. When this bomb was dropped from the airship it exploded at a calculated distance from the ground and with incredible rapidity went up a fog which absolutely shut out the Zeppelins from view. It was thus protected against attacks from guns and aeroplanes, and would be able to get away in comparative safety. He exclaimed, "I saw it myself!"

"It was grand. The fog spread for many kilometres nearly instantaneously. With several bombs, twenty kilometres square could be covered."

My expressions of doubt and wonder were met by the assurance, "I have carried the bomb myself; I am working in the factory."

BLAZING THE TRAIL



(1) A trapped animal. (2) Repairing a canoe. (3) Old Fort Garry (now Winnipeg). (4) A fur hunter. (5) Indian at work. (6) Stretching a pelt.

MONTREAL and Quebec were easily recognized by the early French as ideal starting points for interior development and trading. Bold adventurous traders with their Indian guides sought the pelts in the land of the setting sun. They soon explored their routes through the St. Lawrence into the Great Lakes, by river and stream to Lakes Winnipeg and Winnipegosis, and thence by water routes and arduous portages they nosed their canoes to the foot hills of the Canadian Rockies. The Lilies of France seemed to have taken firm root in the soil of the new continent, when Charles II of England, with a stroke of his pen set into motion an organization which, probably, as much as any other one factor struck the Union Jack into American soil to stay forever.

To the Governor and Company of Adventurers of England Trading into Hudson's Bay" he gave by Royal Charter "the sole trade and commerce of all those seas, straits, bays, rivers, lakes, creeks and sounds, in whatsoever latitude they shall be, that lie within the entrance of the strait commonly called Hudson's Straits, together with all the seas, straits, bays, lakes, rivers, creeks and sounds aforesaid, which are not now actually possessed by any of our subjects or by the subjects of any other Christian Prince of State." One of the conditions of the charter was that the Hudson's Bay Company were drawn into the conflict, which waged with bitterness for years.

After the French were vanquished trading posts were established throughout the Dominion and gradually these became settlements. British customs, religion and life were rigorously enforced in these posts. It was, indeed, the seed of patriotism that has blossomed so gloriously in the times of today and yesterday. The Great Lakes were the centre of the routes which extended in all directions. Hudson's Bay was still more or less the monopoly of the Hudson's Bay Company's activity. Moose Factory and Fort Albany were big distributing points. Lord Strathcona, then plain Donald Smith, from Scotland, typical of a great many traders in the employ of the Hudson's Bay Company, had tramped all over Canada and the northern part of the United States. He, like the others, knew all of the trails and the water courses, which, of course, were the shortest that practice and experience had taught were practical.

The Montreal merchants had, in the latter part of the eighteenth century banded themselves together under the title of the Northwest Fur Company. They hired French-Canadians and Indians to do their trading and offered co-operative inducements to their head men at trading posts. They threatened the very existence of the old established Hudson's Bay Company. Their men pierced still further into the wilderness and scaled the mountains carrying the interests of the trade still farther into the unknown lands, the result being that much of the exploration of the country was done by the fur hunters. Colonists followed quickly, broadening the trails and fencing in the acres to cultivate them. The trading posts sprang into villages and grew to towns. The rivers were cleared and the portages were made into canals, so that in a few years complete water routes existed between points on the St. Lawrence River, the Great Lakes and St. Louis.

The advent of the railway as a means of connecting up the trading posts—now grown to cities—was a virile stimulant that induced renewed effort along colonizing lines. Vancouver was connected to Montreal by rail on November 7th, 1855, and Donald Smith, then Lord Strathcona, drove the last spike in the Canadian Pacific Railway at Craigellachie. He saw the actual trails and water routes he had many times threaded in moccasins transformed into a broad highway of commerce. He saw the paths and trails worn low by moccasins indelibly established in the steel of civilization's path. The United States, found their beginnings interlocked with the fur trade. Lord Strathcona and those associated with him gave Canada the Canadian Pacific Railway, which spans the continent from salt water to salt water and makes possible not only a bigger fur trade but a growing civilization as well.

SPECIAL ENVOY

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The scheme worked perfectly, and the State Department apparently has not had the slightest suspicion that Dr. Meyer-Gerhard was no Dr. Meyer-Gerhard at all. It is a fact, however, that the French and British Embassies at Washington did not issue a safe conduct guarantee, as in the case of Dr. Dernburg. But they had given evidence of the feasibility of such a plan, and the Hochst and Badensche chemical factories, the most proficient in the world, were hard at work on some purpose in connection with a plan of that kind.

SIR E. CARSON

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Mr. Asquith said he regretted extremely the absence of any Nationalist in the Cabinet, but he said he had done all he could to obtain the co-operation of all. John Dillon, in behalf of the Irish party, explained that their attitude meant no desire to oppose or to snipe the new government, which had their fullest co-operation; but actually to join it was wholly inconsistent with the obligations of the party. He felt that aid from the outside would be most valuable and he regretted that other parties of Ireland had not adopted this method of Nationalist self-effacement. Dealing with the situation since March, the Premier emphasized the importance of the accession of Italy to the cause of the allies. He said it was impossible to overestimate the

REGRETS NATIONALISTS' ABSENCE

slowly and reluctantly but in the end without doubt or hesitation that what was necessary was such a broadening of the basis of government as would remove even the semblance of a one-sided or party character. He continued: "This would demonstrate beyond all possibility of doubt, not only to our people at home and across the seas, but to the whole world—our allies, our enemies and neutrals—that after nearly a year of war, with its fluctuations and vicissitudes, the British people are more resolved than

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

QUITE A BUNCH

Some 350 people from here joined the farmers' excursion at this point to Guelph this morning.

PETITIONS FOR SIDEWALK

Petitions, sufficiently signed have been sent to the City Clerk for side-walks on William street between Palace and Waterloo streets.

MORE OIL

Another car of Vulcan Asphaltic Road Oil has arrived in the city, for which an account of \$300 has been rendered.

TO NIAGARA

Capt. Henderson, in command of the local battery last night received orders for the men of the local quota to leave to-morrow morning for Niagara.

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTS

There has been a total of sixty-one electrical contracts issued since the first of this month by Electrical Inspector Mowat.

INSPECTION TOUR

The road and bridge inspection committee of the county council went out on a tour of inspection this morning over Brant County. The Warden of Oxford was with the party.

AN OMISSION

In the list of collectors for the Hospital Aid, the name of Mrs. I. Hewitson should have appeared with that of Miss Watkins, as collectors in the Terrace Hill District.

TRYING EXAMS

The form examinations are now being held at the Collegiate Institute. They started this morning and will be concluded on Friday afternoon.

LEAVE FOR HOMES

The school term at the Ontario School for the Blind was brought to a close on Monday evening by the splendid concert held. The pupils left for their homes to-day in groups, some going by Grand Trunk, some via T. H. and B., and several others left for Hamilton and Paris on the electric lines.

WATER SAVED

Besides effectively laying the dust the oiling of streets is going to have another important effect in the lessening of the demand upon the Water-works supply. It is estimated that during the summer months street watering took one third of the amount pumped and this will now be very largely saved to the extent of some tens of thousands of gallons.

TO STOP CREDIT

At a largely attended meeting of the Grocers' and Butchers' Association, held last night, the following resolution was unanimously adopted: "That in consideration of the hard winter which has past, and the fact of a much harder winter coming on, that customers, who are in arrears, and are not trying to pay their accounts, now during the Summer, that their credit be stopped, as the grocers and butchers are unable to carry them through any longer."

TO PRESENT REVOLVERS

Two autos left for Niagara Camp to-day occupied by a bevy of Civic Majesty. In the first was Mayor Science, Ald. Dowling, Ald. Minshall, Ald. Ryerson and Ald. Freeman. In the second Ald. Pitcher, Ald. Green, Ald. Bragg and Ald. Mellon. They went to make formal presentation of revolvers given by the city for Col. Ashton, Major Ashton, Paymaster Miller, Lt. Brewster, Lt. Genet and Sergt. Major Oxtoby. Lieut. Walsh and Fraser received theirs before they left here.

RECITAL

The home of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Dixon, 282 Nelson street, was the scene of a happy little gathering on Monday evening. The occasion was a recital given by the various pupils who for some time past have been studying music under her leadership. The parents and friends of the pupils formed a highly appreciative audience, and the various numbers on the programme were very creditably performed and heartily applauded, reflecting great credit on both teachers and pupils. At the close of the programme cream and cake were served, bringing a most delightful and profitable evening to a close.

STORY HOUR

The subject for to-morrow's story hour at the library is "The man with-out a country," by Edward Hale. This is a very interesting story, and very appropriate for such a time.

PAY SHEETS

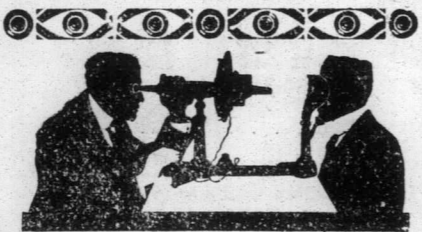
Among the pay sheets for the week end from 14th, were the following: Cemeteries, \$103.80; street oiling and watering, \$92.44; sewers department, \$685.81; and streets department \$819.73.

VISITED THE CITY

Mr. Wm. O'Connor, Inspector of Catholic Wards of the C. A. S. was a visitor in the city yesterday and incidentally addressed the monthly meeting of the Local Children's Aid on the progress of the work in the Province.

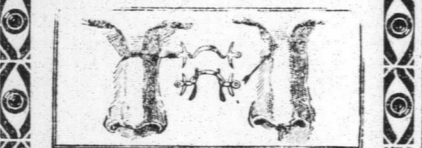
SENT BACK

Ernest Michael, a young Frenchman, came to the city three months ago from Montreal and obtained work, meanwhile boarding upon Dalhousie street. He has been found to be suffering from tuberculosis, and was this morning sent back to the city from which he came.



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MAJOR 'MAC' IN GOOD CONDITION

Writes Short Note from Billets After Long Stay in the Trenches.

The following short note is from Major 'Mac' now second in command of the 'Mad Fourth,' who states that the losses had been heavy, over 150 men being killed while they were in the front line trenches. "It was a hot spot" as he says, and after 10 days and eleven nights of it, he feels he could sleep fast a week. He has also sent through a copy of a new publication which is entitled, "Deeds that stirred the Empire" and the glorious stand at Ypres by the Canadian Division, has received a whole number to itself.

June 2nd. No doubt you will be uneasy not hearing from me for so long, but I could not send out any mail for the last six days. We have been in the trenches for 10 days and 11 nights. The first four days, we were in the support trenches and I could write you, but for the last six days we have been in the front line trenches. Believe me, it was a hot spot. We have lost about 150 men, killed and wounded in the last 12 days, all from shell fire or snipers. Fred Miller is back again and appointed 2nd in command of A Company. So you see all the Brantford officers have been promoted.

We are out of the trenches for a few days for a rest. I am so tired I think I could sleep for a week. I received a cable from Wyn (Ball) to-day saying "all well." You don't know what that meant to me, not having had any mail in for so long.

Third Box of 'Baccy' on its Way

The Courier to-day forwarded another large load of "Baccy" to the Brantford men under Captain Percy Jones. It was well loaded down as the following list will show. The ship- pers were warned to have it placed on one side of the vessel lest it cause a disturbance of equilibrium—it was some fine case of joy. Read below and rejoice if you played any part in the good work and if you did not, resolve to do so now.

"Courier Soldiers Comfort Box open to all comers, put something in—Now. From the Halloran Cigar Company, 11 plugs tobacco, 5 corn cobs, 8 Shamrock plugs, From Ham and Nott's Dept., 12 plugs tobacco, 4 MacDonald plugs, 1 Seal Skin, 7 Stag plugs, 2 T. and B. plugs, four pads, notepaper and envelopes, 1 box, 10 cigars, 3 doz. Old Chum, 4 Doctor's Blend, 5 Senator, 2 Royal Mint, 1 Claf, 1 Crimov, 2 Our Seal, 1 Forest and Stream, 1 Velvet, 1 T. and B. Box fifty players 1 pipe, 1 doz. paper cigarettes, 3 packages of gum, 2 bundle pencils, Bundle of P. O. S.

Extract of letter received from Pte. Alan Wraith of Stratford: PLEA FOR TOBACCO

For goodness sake send me some tobacco—it's our only comfort. "Say, Dad, can't you get together a committee of your smoker friends in the city and make a weekly present of the luxury to the boys at the front. There are not so many of us left now and it wouldn't cost much; besides nicotine helps to keep away gas fumes."

Now that speaks for itself.

With the City Police

Wellington Feely got the benefit of the doubt when he appeared before the bench this morning charged with the theft of a pair of slippers from the Market Shoe Store. A pair were found missing and Feely suspected. This morning it was his oath against another's, and the Magistrate gave him the verdict.

Mazin Teresin will patch up his affairs with Adam Lotoff and on this understanding he was allowed to go on payment of the costs. Erastus Clouse has fallen out with his brother William over a horse deal, and the result was that to-day Ras charged Will, along with Dick Crom- ton, with the conversion of a horse. The case will be aired next week.

LOCAL MEN APPOINTED

St. Catharines, Ont., June 16.—At the Canadian Foresters High Court to-day, the following officers were elected by acclamation: High Chief Ranger, J. A. Stewart, of Perth, who has occupied the chair for a dozen years; High Vice-Chief Ranger, J. A. A. Brodeur, Montreal; High Secretary, A. P. Van Someren, Brantford, Ont.; High Treasurer, Robt. Elliott, Brantford, Ont.; Chairman Medical Board, Dr. U. M. Stanley, Brantford, Ont.; High Registrar, Wm. Cooper, Mont-real.

BUNKUM

Edmonton, Alb., June 16.—That many methods in vogue in modern theological colleges are unadulterated bunkum, and that some of the minister of the present day "sleep in" song, they have no time for study, were some of the statements made at the Baptist convention by Dr. H. P. Whidden, president of Brandon College.

GEORGE SCRIMGER

The funeral of the late George Scrimger took place to-day in Gait, where he had for many years resided previous to coming to the city. Impressive services were last night conducted at the home on Terrace Hill by the Rev. Chapman, after which the remains were shipped to Gait for interment.

Officers Said Surrender, Jones Very Unwilling

By Special Wire to The Courier. London, June 4 (by mail).—The capture of some of the Canadian troops during the last week of April, presumably at Ypres, is described by Sergeant Thomas Jones, of the 6th Battalion of the 90th Winnipeg Rifles in a letter to a brother in London. He writes from a German prison camp in Westphalia as follows:

The trenches we occupied with two platoons, was practically isolated during the daytime owing to the ground at each end being open to rifle and machine gun fire. On the 23rd of April we lost two out of the three officers, one killed, and the other two badly wounded, besides numerous casualties in other ranks. I was practically in command from the 24th onwards. There was still Lieut. Ball left, and late on in the afternoon of the 25th we were joined by a captain, another lieutenant and other non-coms, and men from different parts of the line, but I was the only one who had the real experience necessary to maintain the situation intact. The last two days may be described as "hell." Shells seemed to come from all directions, front, flanks and rear. Our artillery was silent, possibly removed to some distant part of the line. Our supports also seemed to have gone. Telephone communication was broken. We repulsed two attempts to break through the line and completely surrounded us. Against my wishes the officers decided to surrender.

"I cannot tell you a great deal owing to censorship by German and British officers."

MAJOR SUTHERLAND WOUNDED, HOME ON 3 MONTHS LEAVE

Arrives Quietly to Surprise His Mother, But She Is on a Visit.

Woodstock, June 16.—Major Donald M. Sutherland, who was wounded in the battle of Langemarck (St. Julien) surprised his friends by dropping off here last night on his way to his home in Norwich, where he will spend about six weeks, having been granted three months sick leave. The major is looking fit, although he has a crooked arm, a piece of shrapnel having shattered some bones in his elbow. A flesh wound he received in the head is completely healed. Major Sutherland is loud in his praise of the Canadian troops but would hazard no guess as when the war might end. He landed from the Corena at New York, hoping to surprise his mother in Norwich, but arrived there last night to find his mother is visiting in Toronto.

German Hope

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to this end, but not until last night would any official say that there had been anything definite. Even as it now stands, it would be difficult to prove that Berlin has been putting forth feelers, but the state department knows it and they have spoken of it. Behind the scenes there are big events moving.

The attitude which Germany seems to be taking on the second note sent by President Wilson is regarded as a promising, more hopeful outlook. Germany is not giving an immediate answer to the note; she evidently feels that she must move carefully, and is taking ample time to frame such an answer as will not add to the United States her present formidable list of enemies.

WASHINGTON ACTIVITY

The developments of the past few days show extraordinary activity on the part of the state department and the White House in getting information from abroad with respect to the temper of the belligerents as to peace, and also as to the purposes of the neutral nations to bring about peace. One of the most important of the developments of to-day which officials believe was promoted from Washington, is that Ambassador Gerard is to have a talk with Kaiser Wilhelm himself before Germany sends her reply to Washington. Officials don't deny that such a meeting is to take place, and they all realize its overshadowing importance.

Great importance is attached, not only at the state department, but at the White House to a visit to the president to-day of Col. S. Listoe, the American consul at Rotterdam. Col. Listoe brought with him two sealed packages, one from Henry Van Dyke, American minister to Holland, and the other from Brand Whitlock, United States minister to Belgium.

INFORMATION FROM EUROPE

Officials believe that such messages could not possibly refer to anything but "inside conditions in Europe," especially and specifically the attitude of certain nations toward peace. There is no question that Ministers Van Dyke and Whitlock have reported in their sealed communications the attitude of the belligerents as obtained from members of the diplomatic corps in Holland and Belgium.

These two ministers would have especially opportunities, especially Van Dyke to know the trend of the diplomacy in the Scandinavian coun-

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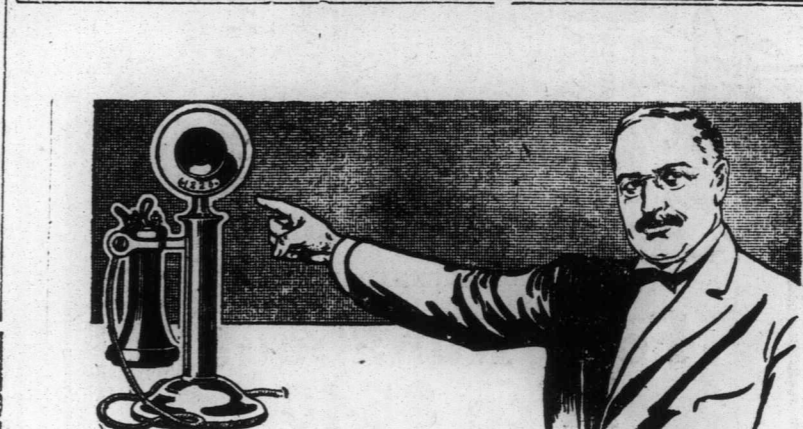
Children's Drawers of fine cotton, ruffles of muslin with a cluster of hemstitched tucks, all sizes from 2 to 16 years. Price...25c

Children's Knitted Underwaists, reinforced with stitched tape and buttons, sizes 1 to 12 years. Price...25c

Children's Knitted Drawers, all sizes. Price 15c

—Main Store—Second Floor—Take Elevator

TO BE INVESTIGATED Washington, June 16.—Published charges that Dr. Anton Meyer-Gerhard, for whom the United States arranged a safe conduct with the allies that he might return to Germany with a personal message from Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, was in reality, Dr. Alfred Meyer, chief of the supply department of the German army, who had been secretly in the United States buying munitions of war, are to be investigated by the state department. Simultaneously another version of the story—that Dr. Alfred Meyer while not passing as Meyer-Gerhard, has been in the country and sailed with the former for Christiania, incognito, also will be looked into. Damage running into the hundreds was done by an outbreak of fire in the shipbuilding yard of Messrs Carrol & Co., Greenock.



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BRANTS ARE AGAIN LUCKY IN THE EIGHT INNINGS

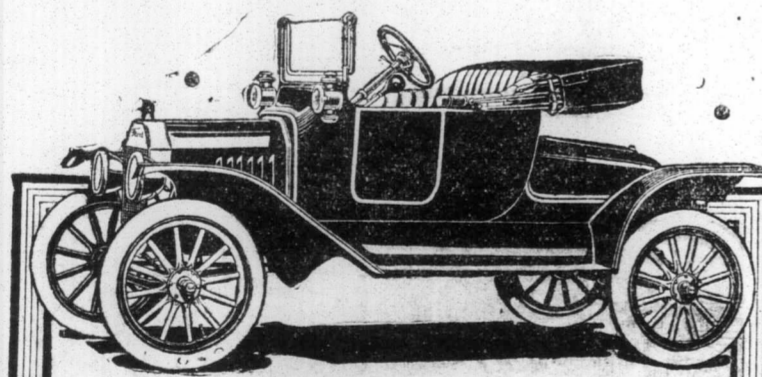
Close Started the Hitting With His Double—Ground Was in Heavy Condition—Both Fielding and Batting Was Good—Score 4-1.

In spite of the poor condition of the grounds, the game yesterday was a good one. The Brants scored a run in the first innings and were ahead until the seventh, when Ottawa tied with the run of Fuller's. But in the next frame, the Brants showed up well, scoring three runs. When the Senators went in to bat, they were held down to their one run too, by the fine support Close received, both from the infield and outfield.

Burrill saved at least a run in the fifth, by catching a difficult fly smashed by Bullock when the bases were full. This was the second put-out in the frame. Mullen and Ivers put the next man out, thus was a nasty situation saved. More would have been put out if they hadn't held their bases, for Burrill pegged right in to Close. He held the ball for a minute, not knowing to whom to throw, because Deneau had not been loud enough in proclaiming Bullock out. Close threw to Fried, who threw in turn to Ivers. Only the batter was called out however.

The fielding was good on both sides. The only error made was chalked up to Fried, who made a wild throw to Ivers. It was not a costly error though, as the runner only made second base on it. The field was in a heavy condition and made fast base running impossible. Several runners were thrown out on first, when ordinarily, they would easily have made the base.

Fuller, the fast short stop of the Senators, tried to make a pinch run



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BRANTFORD'S NEXT GAMES AT HOME

Wednesday, June 16th	Ottawa at Brantford
June 24th	St. Thomas at Brantford
June 25th	St. Thomas at Brantford
June 26th	St. Thomas at Brantford
July 2nd	London at Brantford
July 3rd	London at Brantford

Kubat slammed out a single past third. Fuller sent the ball out to short left for a single. Bullock rolled to Dunlop, and was touched out by Ivers. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Brantford—Foran rapped one out past second, but Smykai pulled off a nice catch and put him out. Dunn fanned and Ivers fled to Shaughnessy. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Fourth Innings
Ottawa—Shag singled to left field, but was forced out by Powers, who had hit an easy grounder to Dunlop. Dunlop threw to Fried, thus putting Shag out, but Fried made a wild throw to Ivers, and Powers was allowed to make second. Rooney sent a grounder to Close and was thrown out. Smykai slammed a hot drive out into Burrill's ever ready glove. No runs, one hit, one error.

Brantford—Burrill bunted to Kubat and couldn't beat it to first. Mullen knocked the pill right out to the fence in right field, but was stopped from making a double by Carlton's spectacular catch. Dunlop popped to Bullock. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Fifth Innings
Ottawa—Carlton was struck out. Lage singled to short right garden. Kubat slammed a grounder out to centre field and made first. Fuller was given first on balls. Bullock fled to centre and was caught out. Shag rolled to Mullen. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Brantford—Fried popped to Rooney. Lamond drove out a bouncer past third and made first base. Close singled to right field. Foran struck out and Dunn rolled to Smykai, out at first. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Sixth Inning
Ottawa—Powers slammed out to centre, but was held on the initial sack by Burrill's splendid peg. Rooney fanned, and Smykai sacrificed. Lamond to Ivers, sending Powers to second. Carlton popped to Fried. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Brantford—Ivers went out on his fly to Bullock on third base. Burrill was put out, Fuller to Rooney, and Fuller caught Mullen's fly. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Seventh Inning
Ottawa—Lage fanned. Kubat fled to Mullen. Fuller walked and stole second. Bullock smashed out a bouncer to Dunn who threw it home to Matty. Lamond threw to second in a vain endeavor to put Bullock out. Shag walked and when Powers went to bat, Fuller scored. Powers fanned. One run, one hit, no errors.

Brantford—Dunlop out to Smykai. Fried rolled to second and failed to beat the ball to first. Lamond hit a high fly to Powers. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Eighth Inning
Ottawa—Rooney struck out. Smykai went out, Fried to Ivers. Carlton fled to Mullen. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Brantford—Close started the hitting with a double to right field fence. Foran popped out an easy fly past Kubat and made first. Dunn forced out Close by his hit to pitcher. Ivers walked out a single to left field, and the bases were filled. On Burrill's timely double to left field, three runs were scored. Mullen was struck out and Dunlop put out by Kubat. Three runs, four hits, no errors.

Ninth Inning
Ottawa—Ross batted for Lage, but only hit out an easy grounder to Dunlop. Kubat fled to Dunn and Fuller rolled to Fried and was touched out on first by Ivers. No runs, no hits, no errors.

This finished the game. The score was as follows:

AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Brantford—					
Foran, rf.	4	1	0	0	0
Dunn, lf.	4	2	1	2	0
Ivers, 1b.	4	1	1	0	0
Burrill, cf.	4	0	2	3	0
Mullen, 3b.	4	0	1	3	1
Dunlop, ss.	4	0	0	5	0
Fried, 2b.	3	0	2	2	1
Lamond, c.	3	1	8	1	0
Close, p.	3	0	2	0	3
Totals	33	4	9	28	12
Ottawa—					
Fuller, ss.	3	1	2	0	0
Bullock, 3b.	3	0	1	2	0
Shaughnessy, cf.	3	0	1	0	0
Powers, lf.	4	0	1	3	0
Rooney, 1b.	4	0	9	0	0
Smykai, 2b.	4	0	1	0	0
Carlton, rf.	3	0	2	2	0
Lage, c.	3	0	1	4	0
Kubat, p.	4	0	2	0	5
*Koss, 1b.	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	1	8	24	9

HAMILTON WON FROM LONDON 6-3

Hamilton, June 16—Hamilton yesterday continued its winning streak by annexing the game from London by a score of 6 to 3, this making the third straight win for the locals. The score:

R.	H.	E.	
London	3	6	3
Hamilton	6	8	3

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Baltimore, Md. June 16—Kansas City had no trouble in winning the opening game of the series with Baltimore 8 to 4. Despite five double plays by Baltimore, the fielding of the home team was poor. Score:

R.	H.	E.	
Kansas City	9	12	2
Baltimore	4	9	3

Batteries—Main, Johnson and Easterly; Suggs, Smith and Jacklitch. At Brooklyn—Rain stopped yesterday's game before the ninth inning had been completed. Pittsburgh winning from Brooklyn 5 to 2. Konechy was the batting star of the day; his hits driving in four of the five Pittsburgh runs. Ten thousand school children, with three bands, were the guests of the club. President Gilmore was also present.

R.	H.	E.	
Pittsburgh	5	6	2
Brooklyn	2	6	2

Batteries—Barger and Barry; LaFitte and Pratt. At Newark, N.J.—Newark lost out in a pitchers' battle yesterday by a score of 1 to 0. Rain stopped the game in the eighth inning. Score:

R.	H.	E.	
St. Louis	1	4	0
Newark	0	2	0

Batteries—Davenport and Hartley; Reulbach and Kariden. The Edinburgh Red Cross Fund has now reached a total of over \$116,639.

BASEBALL RECORD

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Buffalo	25	15	.625
Providence	22	17	.568
Rochester	21	19	.523
Montreal	21	21	.500
Richmond	18	18	.500
Newark	18	20	.474
Toronto	19	23	.452
Jersey City	15	26	.365

To-day's Games
Rochester at Toronto
Buffalo at Montreal.
Richmond at Jersey City.
Newark at Providence.

CANADIAN LEAGUE

Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Hamilton	14	9	.609
Guelph	13	10	.565
Ottawa	15	13	.536
St. Thomas	11	12	.478
London	11	14	.440
BRANTFORD	9	15	.375

To-day's Games
St. Thomas at Guelph.
London at Hamilton.
Ottawa at Brantford.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Chicago	32	19	.628
Detroit	32	21	.604
Boston	25	18	.581
New York	25	23	.521
Washington	22	22	.500
Cleveland	20	27	.426
St. Louis	19	32	.372
Philadelphia	18	31	.367

To-day's Games
St. Louis at New York
Chicago at Washington
Detroit at Philadelphia
Cleveland at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Philadelphia	27	20	.574
Chicago	27	20	.574
Brooklyn	24	24	.500
St. Louis	26	26	.500
Boston	23	24	.489
Pittsburg	22	24	.478
New York	19	24	.442
Cincinnati	19	25	.432

To-day's Games
New York at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.
Boston at Chicago
Philadelphia at Pittsburg.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Kansas City	32	21	.604
St. Louis	26	21	.553
Pittsburg	26	22	.542
Brooklyn	27	24	.529
Newark	26	24	.520
Baltimore	26	25	.510
Baltimore	19	30	.388
Buffalo	19	24	.388

To-day's Games
St. Louis at Newark
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.
Kansas City at Baltimore.
Chicago at Buffalo.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York, June 15—Maise's hard-hitting enabled the New York Americans to make a clean sweep over St. Louis, Yankees taking the fourth game of the series by a score of 9 to 4. In the third inning Maise cleaned the bases with a double. He came up again with the bases full in the seventh, and drove in two more runs with a single, scoring himself later on High's single. In the eighth he drove in Peckinpah with his fourth hit. Score:

R.	H.	E.	
St. Louis	4	8	4
New York	9	11	0

Batteries—James and Severoid; Warhop and Sweeney.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Cincinnati, June 16—After not allowing a man to reach first base in six innings, Dale weakened in the seventh, New York scoring six runs off the hit, an error and a base on balls, before he was replaced by Toney, who allowed another run in this inning. New York won easily 8 to 0, as Tesreau pitched elegant ball. Score:

R.	H.	E.	
New York	8	10	0
Cincinnati	0	4	1

Batteries—Tesreau and Myers, Smith; Dale, Toney and Clarke. At Chicago—Chicago shut out Boston 4 to 0 yesterday. The locals bunched hits in the second and sixth innings. Vaughan pitched well in the pinches, and kept the visitors' hits well scattered. Score:

R.	H.	E.	
Boston	0	6	1
Chicago	4	10	3

Batteries—Hughes and Guld; Vaughan and Bresnahan. At St. Louis—By defeating Brooklyn four to two yesterday, the St. Louis Nationals went into third place after the second inning Sallee allowed two hits. Score:

R.	H.	E.	
Brooklyn	2	6	2
St. Louis	4	10	0

Batteries—Dell, Appliton and McCarty; Sallee and Snyder.

BAN JOHNSON AFTER COBB.

Washington, D.C., June 16—President Johnson of the American League gave out a red hot interview here in which he threatened to put Ty Cobb out of the American League for things which appeared in a local paper yesterday under the signature of the famous Detroit player. Ty's story at least the story with the name over it, said there was one team in the American League which was stealing signals illegitimately, and although he did not mention the name of the team it was apparent he meant the White Sox. In the story Cobb referred to the manager of the team in question, stating it was his first year in the big league, and that he couldn't hope to last long, and continue to practice such methods. He also said he had heard this same manager used the same method in the minor league and for that reason was successful.

BROOKLYN GETS DOUGLAS.

Cincinnati, Ohio, June 16—President August Herrmann of the Cincinnati Nationals announced last night that he had sold Pitcher Philip Douglas to the Brooklyn Nationals. The purchase price was not given.

Football

SONS PRACTICE

S. O. E. Football Club will hold a practice match on Thursday night on Tutela Park. All players are requested to turn out and the team will be selected to meet the Tutela team on Saturday night.

TUTELA MEET

Tutela practices to-morrow about 7 o'clock. A meeting will be held after practice and all members and signed players are requested to attend as important matters in connection with the future of the club will be discussed.

TWO SHIELDS GIVEN FOR

Mr. C. M. Sheppard has very kindly presented two shields for a "mixed foursome" competition, qualifying round to take place Wednesday afternoon, June 23rd. Sixteen lowest scores to qualify and plays off. The trophies to become the full property of the winners of this year's competition.

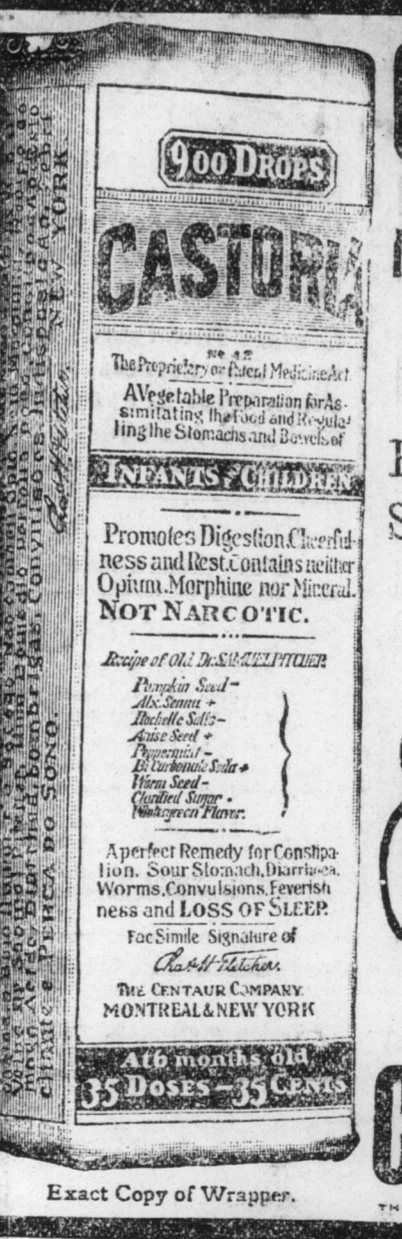
PLAYERS REMINDED

Players are reminded that the qualifying round for the Cocksfoot Cup takes place Saturday afternoon. Sixteen lowest scores to qualify for the play off. Mr. Iden Champion is the present holder and has won it twice. A victory for Mr. Champion this year would mean—this handsome trophy, his property for all time.

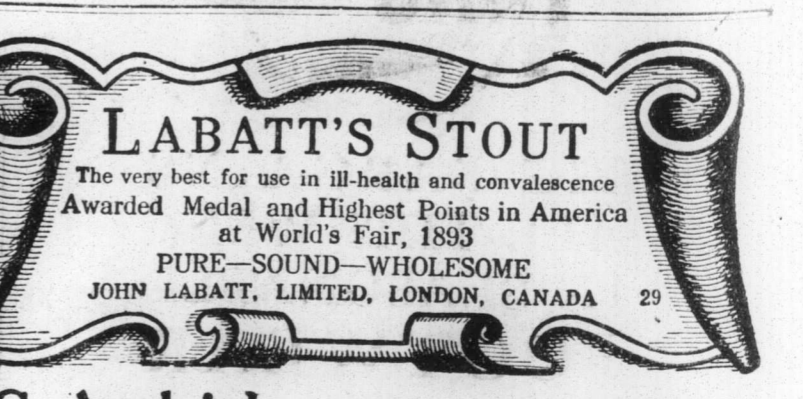
BREVITIES.

Marty Killilea of Guelph team is out of the game with a sprained ankle. O'Brien is holding down the bag in his absence.

Tommy Grieve, Knotty Lee's team baseman, refuses to go to Hamilton in a deal that Cristall and Lee are trying to put through.



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CHAPTER XXV.

HAVING taken a definite step in any direction, it was not in Loder's nature to wish it retraced. His face was set, but with determination, when he closed the outer door of his own rooms and passed quietly down the stairs and out into the silent court. The thought of Chilcote, his pitiable condition, his sordid environments, were things that required a firm will to drive into the background of the imagination, but a whole inferno of such visions would not have daunted Loder on that morning as, unobserved by any eyes, he left the little courtyard with its grass, its trees, its pavement—all so distastefully familiar—and passed down the Strand toward life and action.

As he walked his steps increased in speed and vigor. Now, for the first time, he fully appreciated the great mental strain that he had undergone in the past ten days—the unnatural tension; the suppressed but perpetual sense of impending recall; the consequent high pressure at which work and even existence had been carried on. And as he hurried forward the natural reaction to this state of things came upon him in a flood of security and confidence—a strong realization of the temporary respite and freedom for which his price would have seemed too high. The moment for which he had unconsciously lived ever since Chilcote's first memorable proposition was within reach at last, safeguarded by his own action.

The walk from Clifford's inn to Grosvenor square was long enough to dispel any excitement that might have been aroused, and long before the well known house came into view he felt sufficiently braced mentally and physically to seek Eve in the morning room, where he instinctively felt she would still be waiting for him.

Thus he encountered and overpassed the obstacle that had so near the end of the road, and with the singleness of purpose that always distinguished him, he was able, once having passed it, to dismiss it altogether from his mind. From the moment of his return to Chilcote's house no misgiving as to his own action, no shadow of doubt, rose to trouble his mind. His feelings on the matter were quite simple. He had indignantly desired a certain opportunity. One factor had arisen to debar that opportunity, and he, claiming the right of strength, had set the barrier aside. In the simplicity of the reasoning lay his power to convince, and what was needed to brace him for his task he was provided with one in the masterful sense of a difficulty set at naught. For the man who has fought and conquered one obstacle feels strong to vanquish a score.

It was on this day, at the reassembling of parliament, that Fraide's great blow was to be struck. In the ten days since the affair of the caravans had been reported from Persia public feeling had run high, and it was upon the pivot of this incident that Loder's attack was to turn, for, as Laskley was fond of remarking, "in the scales of public opinion one dead Englishman has more weight than the whole eastern question." It had been arranged that, following the customary procedure, Loder was to rise after questions at the morning sitting and ask leave to move the adjournment of the house on a definite matter of urgent public importance, upon which—leave having been granted by the rising of forty members in his support—the way was to lie open for his definite attack at the evening sitting. And it was with a mind attuned to this plan of action that he retired to the study immediately he had breakfasted and settled to a final revision of his speech before an early party conference should compel him to leave the house. But here again circumstances were destined to change his programme. Scarcely had he sorted his notes and drawn his chair to Chilcote's desk than Benwick entered the room with the same air of important haste that he had shown on a previous occasion.

"A letter from Mr. Fraide, sir. But there's no answer," he said, with unusual brevity. Loder waited till he had left the room; then he tore the letter open. He read:

My Dear Chilcote—Laskley is the recipient of special and very vital news from Moscow—unofficial, but none the less alarming. Acts of Russian aggression toward British traders are reported to be rapidly increasing, and it is stated that the authority of the consulate is treated with contempt. Pending a possible confirmation of this, I would suggest that you keep an open mind on the subject of tonight's speech. By adopting an anticipatory—even an unprepared—attitude you may find your own position strengthened. I shall put my opinion before you more explicitly when we meet. Yours faithfully,

HERBERT FRAIDE.

The letter, forwarded by Fraide's usual messenger, had been pressed upon its recipient. The thought that his speech might not only express opinions already tacitly held, but voice a situation of intense and national importance, struck him with full force. For many minutes after he had grasped the meaning of Fraide's message he sat neglectful of his notes, his elbows resting on the desk, his face between his hands, stirred by the suggestion that here might lie a greater opportunity than any he had anticipated. Still moved by this new suggestion, he attended the party conference that

Fraide had convened and afterward lunched with and accompanied his leader to the house. They spoke very little as they drove to Westminster, for each was engrossed by his own thoughts. Only once did Fraide allude to the incident that was paramount in both their minds. Then, turning to Loder with a look of encouragement, he laid his fingers for an instant on his arm.

"Chilcote," he had said, "when the time comes, remember you have all my confidence."

Looking back upon that day, Loder often wondered at the calmness with which he bore the uncertainty. To sit apparently unmoved and wait without emotion for news that might change the whole tenor of one's action would have tried the stoicism of the most experienced; to the novice it was well nigh unendurable. And it was under these conditions and fighting against these odds that he sat through the long afternoon in Chilcote's place, obeying the dictates of his chief. But it was a day fraught with difficulties for him it was fraught with dullness and disappointment for others, for the unrecurrent of interest that had stirred at the Easter adjournment and risen with added force on this first day of the new season was gradually but surely threatened with extinction as hour after hour passed bringing no suggestion of the battle that had on every side been tacitly expected. Slowly and unmistakably speculation and dissatisfaction crept into the atmosphere of the house as moment succeeded moment and the opposition made no sign. Was Fraide striking the attack or was he playing a waiting game? Again and again the question arose, filling the air with a passing flicker of interest, but each time it sprang up only to die down again as the ordinary business of the day dragged itself out.

Gradually, as the afternoon wore on, daylight began to fade. Loder, sitting rigidly in Chilcote's place, watched with suppressed inquiry the faces of the men who entered through the constantly swinging doors, but not one face, so eagerly scanned, carried the message for which he waited. Monotonously and mechanically the time passed. The government, adopting a neutral attitude, carefully skirted all dangerous subjects, while the opposition, acting under Fraide's suggestion, assisted rather than hindered the programme of postponement. For the moment the eagerly anticipated reassembling of parliament failed to materialize, and it was with a universal movement of weariness and relief that at last the house rose to dine.

But there are no possibilities so elastic as those of politics. At half past 7 the house rose in a spirit of boredom and disappointment, and at 8 o'clock the lobbies, the dining room, the entire space of the west building, was stirred into activity by the arrival of a single telegraphic message. The new development for which Fraide had waited came indeed, but it came with a force he had little anticipated. With a thrill of awe and consternation he read and repeated the astounding news that, while personally exercising his authority on behalf of British traders, Sir William Breece-Field, consul general at Meshed, had been fired at by a Russian officer and instantly killed.

The interval immediately following the receipt of this news was too confused for detailed remembrance. Two ideas made themselves slowly felt—a deep horror that such an event could obtrude itself upon our high civilization and a strong personal dismay that so honored, distinguished and esteemed a representative as Sir William Breece-Field could have been allowed to meet death in so terrible a manner. It was in the consciousness of this feeling, the consciousness that in his own person he might voice not only the feelings of his party, but those of the whole country, that Loder rose an hour later to make his long delayed attack.

He stood silent for a moment, as he had done on an earlier occasion, but this time his motive was different. Roused beyond any feeling of self-consciousness, he waited as by right for the full attention of the house; then quietly, but with self possessed firmness, he moved the motion for adjournment.

(To be continued.)

GRAND TRUNK APPRENTICE

In Royal Flying Corps. Among the twelve hundred Grand Trunk men who have enlisted for overseas service are several apprentices from the mechanical department of the railway. These young men are variously employed, many of them in the firing line with the Canadian Expeditionary Force, while others have turned their technical skill to advantage in the other branches of the services. Among those who enlisted from the Grand Trunk shops at Battle Creek, Mich., on the outbreak of the war was an English apprentice, A. J. Locke, and the Master Mechanic Battle Creek, has just received the following letter from the young man's mother, who resides at Godalming, Surrey.

"I am writing to thank you very much for the gift of money sent through you to my son, A. J. Locke, and to thank you also for your kindness to and interest in him while he was employed in the G.T.R. shops. I can assure you that both my husband and myself will ever feel grateful to you for the welcome you extended to him amongst you, and for the very thorough tuition which he must have had while with you, though for a short time (these unusual circumstances interrupting his apprenticeship) which has enabled him to go out and do his duty for King and country. He is working as a fitter (1st class air mechanic) in the airship factories of the Royal Flying Corps, somewhere in France, and I am glad to tell you that he is keeping well, working very hard, long hours too, cheerfully, loyally doing his share amidst many dangers, to keep these vile bar-



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barians away from our homes, and it is just what I should have him do. He is my one boy and I wish I had others—who could help in this awful struggle—for such it is and will be until we finally crush these monsters forever, which, by God's help, we shall do, at a terrific cost, we know, and great sacrifices."

AMERICAN RAILWAY SYSTEM. When the steel passenger car was introduced into American railway systems, the immediate object was to diminish loss of life in collisions. The replacement of equipment will have cost the railways approximately \$60,000,000, and incidentally has considerably increased the cost of operation, as heavier locomotives are required to haul the trains. The President of the Chicago and Great Western Railway says:

These heavier locomotives, with heavy steel equipment behind them, running at high speed, in case of accident become more destructive than any of the trains in the days of the wooden car; in fact, we have records of the complete destruction of steel sleeping cars in rear-end collisions, and it will be impossible to build a steel car that would resist the shock of a rear-end collision from a train running fifty or sixty miles an hour. The substitution of steel for wooden cars has also dealt a serious blow to the lumber industries of the Pacific Northwest and has increased the danger of forest fires. Car material provides a market for the common grades of lumber and the elimination of this market has meant a large proportion of waste left in the woods. Waste left in the woods means increased forest fires hazard, and greater difficulty in clearing land for agricultural development, so that in the opinion of the Pacific Coast lumberman the cost to Uncle Sam has been much more than \$60,000,000—indeed, it would be more like a billion dollars—all of which has ultimately to be paid by the public.

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The abutments contain 152 cubic yards and 170 cubic yards of concrete respectively. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the County Engineer, Jackson & Co., Temple Building, Brantford, from whom tender forms may be obtained.

Tenders must be addressed to the County Clerk, County Building, Brantford.

ALAN MAIR JACKSON, County Engineer.

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COMING EVENTS

TALENT TEA at the home of Mrs. Frank Leeming, 84 Dufferin Ave., Thursday evening, June 17th, under the auspices of the H. H. class of the Colborne St. Church.
ALL MEMBERS of Brantford Council No. 147 are requested to attend an important meeting on Friday, June 18th, when the new rates will be explained. A. Cotton, Chief Councillor.

THE PROBS

Toronto, June 16.—The low pressure which was over Ontario yesterday morning has disappeared north of the St. Lawrence and the great lakes from the west. The weather continues cool and showery in the western provinces and frost occurred almost generally this morning in Saskatchewan and more locally in Manitoba, while over most of Alberta the minimum temperature was well above the freezing point.

FORECASTS

Moderate to fresh south, veering to west winds, fair and warmer to-day. Showers during the night and on Thursday.

INSPECTED BOARDING City Engineer Jones this morning paid a visit to the scene of the Crompton fire where he inspected the new eight foot boarding which has been erected at the site of the new building. He found it satisfactory.

PECULIAR CASE

A Peculiar case (C-78908) A peculiar case came before the local authorities for which there was no legal remedy, inasmuch as the criminal law of the Dominion does not cover the offence against the morals of the community.

Mrs. Laura Welch, early in April left her home and husband in Peterboro to take up her residence here with another man named Albert Powell.

With him she lived with her three children at 6 Nelson street until the Children's Aid Society got on to their track. They were found to be known as Mr. and Mrs. Pierce and he was working for the city. The facts of the case became known and the man's employment was taken from him. The atmosphere for the children aged between eleven and three, was decidedly immoral, so the C.A.S. took charge of them and subsequently turned them over to the Peterboro Shelter, in which they had been previously cared for.

Powell was given transportation to Peterboro and cleared out, and later Mrs. Welch did likewise, going to Toronto.

Thus did the city get rid of a rather unwelcome set of visitors, for Mrs. Welch gave signs of being very much aggrieved at the intervention of the Children's Aid Society and threatened dire calamity upon those who had interrupted her plans for a stay in the city.

Laid at Rest

ROBERT MOORE The obituary writes were said over the remains of the late Robert Moore yesterday morning in Greenwood Cemetery by the Rev. Mr. Hodgins of Stratford.

On the arrival of the train from Stratford the funeral procession formed up and proceeded to the graveside. A large number of friends and relatives were present. The Doric Lodge was well represented and took part in the service.

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TURKISH OFFENSIVE WEAKENING

Bomb Has No Terrors—British Tenaciously Hold the Positions.

LONDON, June 15.—The following announcement concerning operations at the Dardanelles was given out officially to-day.

"The situation on the Gallipoli Peninsula has developed into trench warfare. After our success on the 4th inst. the Turks have evinced a great respect for our offensive, and by day and night they have to submit to captures of trenches.

"On the night of the 11th-12th of June two regiments of a British regular brigade made a simultaneous attack on the advanced Turkish trenches, and after severe fighting, which included the killing of many snipers, succeeded in maintaining themselves, in spite of bombs, in the captured position.

"On the morning of the 13th a counter-attack was made by the Turks, who rushed forward with bombs, but coming under the fire of the naval machine gun squadron, were annihilated. Of the fifty who attacked, 30 dead bodies were counted in front of that part of our trenches.

"The situation is favorable to our forces, but progress is necessarily slow on account of the difficulties of the ground. The Turkish offensive has slightly weakened."

NOT YET, BUT SOON. There have been so many rumors recently that the Allies had forced the Dardanelles that Sir James H. Dalziel asked Premier Asquith this afternoon in the House of Commons if there was any truth in such reports.

"None whatever," was the reply. The Premier said that it was not in the public interest to say anything now about the Dardanelles.

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SERBIANS INTEND TO SEIZE IT

New Army is on the March to Durazzo and Hope to Retain the City.

Rome, June 16.—Serbian forces are reported to be advancing south along the Albanian coast from Durazzo and Alessio, while a Montenegrin army is preparing to attack Scutari. The forces are armed with rifles and guns captured from the Austrian forces which are in disastrous retreat.

It is reported here that Serbia has delayed the occupation of Durazzo because of an understanding that Greece was to move on Berat, farther south in Albania, at the same time. If such a programme has been prepared between Greece and Serbia it is thought likely that complications may arise, although the allies have agreed to consider Albania as a side issue for the present, expecting to reach a solution of the Albanian question at the end of the war.

According to reports received by the Italian general staff, Austria is indirectly encouraging Serbia in her Albanian plan, the nature of which is indicated by the recent incursion of Serbian troops into that country. It is reported here that Serbia and Greece have reached an agreement respecting the partition of Albania, trusting once it is accomplished that it will be ratified by the peace conference.

What appears unusual in the situation is that Austria, whose ultimatum to Serbia resulted in the war, instead of seizing the present opportunity to resume the offensive against Belgrade, now that part of the Serbian troops are engaged in Albania, has removed some of her forces from the Serbian front to face the Italians.

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Parlor—1 mahogany couch, 1 mahogany chair, 2 large chairs, 2 iron bed spring, 1 Brussels rug, 3x4 1/2, choice pictures, 1 pair plush curtains, lace curtains, blinds, ornaments, etc.

Dining room—1 sideboard 1 extension table, 6 high back chairs, 25 yds Brussels carpet, 1 drop back sewing machine, Godefrich, B. 1 green couch, a quantity of silverware, china glassware, dishes, spoons, etc.

Kitchen—1 Jewell gas range, double oven, 1 fall leaf table, 15 yards linoleum, 6 chairs, 1 refrigerator, a quantity of choice fruit pots, pans and all kitchen utensils.

Hall—18 yards linoleum, 1 gas heater, 1 coal heater.

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Bed No. 2—2 brass and iron bed spring, ostermoor mattress, 1 rug 4x5, also a large quantity of choice bedding and spreads and many other articles. Don't miss this sale as this is a high class sale, a choice lot of goods and must be sold. No reserve. Thursday next, June 17th, at 37 Colborne street, at 1.30 sharp.

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BARON MERSEY CONDUCTS AN ENQUIRY

Alligation is Made That Spy May Have Travelled on the Lusitania.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

London, June 16.—The inquiry into the sinking of the Steamship Lusitania was resumed to-day with the examination of Alfred A. Booth, chairman of the board of the Cunard Steamship Company. The attorney-general, Sir Edward Carson, asked Mr. Booth why it was that the Lusitania was economizing by using only 19 of her 25 boilers at the time she was torpedoed.

"So far as submarines are concerned, there is no difference between 18 and 24 1/2 knots," Mr. Booth replied.

Mr. Carson then asked whether there was any difference between 18 knots, the speed at which the Lusitania was proceeding when attacked, and 21 knots. Mr. Booth replied that no steamer making more than 14 knots was known to have been struck by a torpedo from a submarine until the Lusitania was hit.

The witness said the Cunard Company was unable to communicate with the vessel by wireless except through the Admiralty, and therefore had given no wireless instructions to Captain Turner. General instructions were given previously covered the closing of the watertight compartments, the swinging out of boats on entering the danger zone, and an order not to slow down to take on a pilot or to lie off Liverpool for the admiral's orders.

Mr. Booth said he had received no word from Captain Turner during the voyage. On the morning of the day the Lusitania was torpedoed, the Cunard company asked the admiralty to communicate with the ship concerning threats against it.

The attorney for the survivors asked Mr. Booth why he had stated the Lusitania was being run for reasons of economy, merely to pay expenses. The witness said the bookings of first and second class passengers were nearly normal, but that the number of steerage passengers was only one-third the normal, which occasioned a loss.

Donald MacMaster, representing the Canadian Government, asked Mr. Booth whether there had been installed on the Lusitania an apparatus for the detection of submarines. The witness responded he had no knowledge of any workable devices of this sort being installed. Mr. MacMaster then asked whether by calling out both watches all the boilers could have been worked as it was admitted the Lusitania had sufficient supply of coal. Baron Mersey, president of court of inquiry, interrupted: "What difference would the speed make?" He pointed out that the Lusitania thus far taken indicated that a speed of 18 knots might have been regarded as ample to escape a submarine. Mr. Booth said no instructions had been sent to the Lusitania to run at full speed through the danger zone. He also said that on account of the war there were many poorly trained men in the crew.

The attorney for the stewards' union, asked whether there were Germans working on the Cunard Goods New York. Mr. Booth replied that perhaps German-Americans or Americans of German descent were employed there. The attorney then asked whether it would have been possible for a spy to board the Lusitania for the purpose of signalling submarines. Mr. Booth answered that he was not prepared to say this would have been impossible, but the company took all necessary steps to prevent such action.

Baron Mersey elicited from Mr. Booth that the Lusitania had neither coal nor firemen enough on board to make the trip across under full boiler power. Addressing Sir Edward Carson, Baron Mersey said he desired to know where the danger zone began and whether arrangements could not have been made for the ship to traverse this zone in the danger zone. The attorney-general promised to endeavor to supply this information.

Able Seaman Quinn, who was in the crew's nest of the Lusitania, when she was struck then took the stand. He said he saw the torpedo coming and he expressed the opinion that the Lusitania could not have escaped, even if she had been "going a hundred knots an hour."

Naval Commander Anderson, who followed Quinn, dwelling upon the importance of speed to avoid submarines, declared that if the Lusitania had made 21 knots and taken a zig-zag course she could still have reached Liverpool at the earliest possible moment for crossing the bar, and that she would have had a much greater chance to escape the submarine.

GREATEST IN HISTORY. Washington, June 16.—Former Secretary of State Bryan, in the first section of his statement on the causelessness of war to-day prophesied that the greatest peace-making opportunity in all history was certain to come to the United States and declared there would be a demand for an international conference with the return to peace to change the rules of international law "which seem to war rather than for the nations at peace."

Since the recruiting office was opened at the Technical College, Galeshiels, nearly 200 recruits have been enlisted.

ELEVEN CITIZENS KILLED Berlin, June 16.—The following official statement was issued regarding the raid on Karlsruhe: Yesterday the open town of Karlsruhe, which is far from the theatre of operations, and not in any way fortified, was attacked with bombs dropped by hostile airmen. So far as is now known some eleven citizens were killed and six injured. Military damage could not have been caused. One aircraft of the enemy was brought down by one of our military airmen and the occupants were killed. Another enemy aircraft was obliged to land near Schirmeck.

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