

Enemy Lost 30,000 in Two Days of Italian Advance

ITALIANS KEEP SWEEPING ONWARD AND BEND LINE AT SEVERAL POINTS; FRENCH TAKE 7638 PRISONERS

Monastir Set on Fire By Shell Fire. Zubrugge Again Bombarded By Airplanes. Report That Austrians Prepare to Evacuate Trieste. French Take Fortified German Position on Verdun Front. Since August 20 Much War Material Has Also Been Captured

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
UDINE, Italy, Aug. 23.—Enemy losses during the first two days in the new Italian advance are calculated at 30,000 in killed, wounded and prisoners.

MONASTIR ON FIRE.
(Canadian Press Despatch.)
LONDON, Aug. 23.—Berlin reports to the Exchange Telegraph Company say that Monastir has been set on fire by shells, two thousand of which have been poured into the city.

ZEEBRUGGE AGAIN BOMBARDED.
(Canadian Press Despatch.)
AMSTERDAM, August 23.—Zeebrugge and environs were bombarded by airplanes yesterday morning, great explosions occurring, according to an Ostburg despatch to the Nieuwe Van Den Tag. The bombardment lasted from 2.30 to 4 o'clock.

PREPARING TO EVACUATE TRIESTE.
(Canadian Press Despatch.)
NEW YORK, August 23.—The New York World has the following special cable despatch from London: Telegraphing from Milan a correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says

FRENCH ARTILLERY HAS UPPER HAND ON VERDUN FRONT AND IS VERY ACTIVE

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
PARIS, Aug. 23.—The number of prisoners taken by the French in their offensive operations on the Verdun front has been increased to 7,638, the War Office reports. The French last night captured a fortified German position north of Mortomart farm. The announcement follows:
"The German artillery was very active north of the Aisne, especially in the sector between Bray-en-Laonnois and Hurbise. Several enemy attacks in the region of Laffaux mill, Ailles and Cerny were repulsed."
"On the left bank of the Meuse (Verdun front) our artillery, which

information has been received there that the Austrians for weeks have been preparing to evacuate Trieste. All the State archives and the most valuable objects of art of museums, libraries and church have been removed and sent mostly to Vienna.

FURTHER GAINS FOR ITALIANS.
(Canadian Press Despatch.)
ROME, Aug. 23.—Furious fighting continues on the Isonzo front. The War Office announces further gains for the Italians on both the northern and southern wings.

ITALIAN OFFICIAL STATEMENT

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
ROME, Aug. 23.—The following is the official announcement:
"On the fourth day of the battle on the Julian front we again made considerable progress on the northern wing of the line and obtained new success on the southern wing. The enemy is reacting strongly against our pressure. Our troops are repulsing his counter-attacks from the positions captured, and are gallantly proceeding toward the realization of their objectives."

TITANIC STRUGGLE NOW IN PROGRESS ON CARSO PLATEAU

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
VIENNA, via London, Aug. 23.—The War Office communication issued last night says the Italians have captured the village of Vrh, east of Canale, but that the Italians were repulsed in their efforts to move further eastward in this region. East of Gorizia the Italian attacks also were halted. On the Carso Plateau a titanic struggle is in progress.

EFFICIENCY OF BRITISH AIR DEFENCES

Balked Enterprise of German Raiders and Minimized Casualties.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
LONDON, August 23.—Reports from the places raided yesterday by the German airplanes concur in the efficiency of the British air defenses, the enterprise of the German raiders being balked and the casualties minimized. Owing to the clear weather the air operations were visible for long distances, and were watched with excited interest by crowds of visitors at Deal and Folkestone, as well as by the people of the towns attacked.
In the fight over Dover, spectators say the airplanes were so intermixed that it was impossible to distinguish friend from foe.
Similarly the airplanes fought fiercely of Ramsgate, while shells burst all around the machines, some of them being hidden in the smoke clouds from shrapnel. The manoeuvres amazed the onlookers, the machines seeming to be all topsy turvy. There were cheers from the crowd when a raider was seen to wobble and burst into flames, diving helplessly to the earth.
The papers, commenting on the raid, declare that the defending for-

ces are not large enough and must be increased to overwhelming dimensions so that it may be impossible for any raiders to return home. So soon as this is done, they declare, the raids will cease.

FIVE ENEMY AIRCRAFT PUT OUT OF CONTROL

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
LONDON, August 23.—An Admiralty announcement late last night said: "The following report has been received from the Vice-Admiral at Dover relative to the action taken by the Royal Navy air squadron at Dunkirk. Several flights of machines were sent up to intercept enemy aircraft returning from England. One flight of three machines met twelve German 35 miles north of Nieuport and engaged them, chasing them toward Zeebrugge, but with no decisive result."
"Another of our patrols of ten machines engaged a flight of about twenty-five enemy scouting scouts which were off the coast awaiting the return of the enemy bombers, and in the ensuing fight five enemy aircraft were sent down completely out of control and probably some more. But in the close fighting accurate counting was impossible. All of our machines returned safely."
HEARD ON THE LINKS.
"What do you think, Dorothy? Mabel Jones has quit golf and gone back to tennis."
"The idea! That girl will be caught playing croquet y—"

SITUATION IN FINLAND IS SERIOUS

Socialists Persist in Plan to Renew Sessions of Landtag Despite Order of Government.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
PETROGRAD, August 23.—The situation in Finland is serious as a result of the continued difficulty of forming a cabinet, and of the persistence of the Socialists in their plan to renew sessions of the dissolved Landtag on August 29. According to the evening newspapers, Premier Kerensky instructed Governor Stakhovich to prevent at all costs a re-opening of the Landtag; if necessary, to surround the building and compel the members to disperse. Governor Stakhovich has conferred with the commander of the Baltic Fleet.
In Shalmo, near Helsinki, serious disorders have been caused by unemployed workmen supported by soldiers. Citizen guards from Helsinki sent to quell the revolt were fired on and driven into the railroad station where they were besieged, captured and threatened with summary execution.
Petrograd morning newspapers sharply attacked the Finnish Socialists declaring that if Finland, by convoking the Landtag, violates its own constitution, Russia can consider the constitution non-existent and act accordingly.

KNOWLTON MAN GETS FRENCH WAR CROSS

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
PARIS, August 23.—The French War Cross has been awarded to several members of the American Ambulance Field Service, including Leslie Davignon, of Knowlton, Que.

PERU SENDS NOTE TO GERMANY

Wants Compensation for Loss of Vessel Sunk By Submarine.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
AMSTERDAM, August 23.—The Berlin Vossische Zeitung announces that Peru has sent an ultimatum to Germany.
The Hamburg prize court recently refused damages to the owners of the Peruvian sailing vessel Lorton, which was sunk by a German submarine on February 5th off the coast of Spain. The reason assigned by the court was that the Lorton when stopped, and asked for her nationality, hoisted the British flag. It is also alleged that the Lorton was carrying contraband for England.
The Vossische Zeitung says that in view of the threatening tone of Peru's note the Imperial German Chancellor has ordered the Hamburg decision referred to the upper prize court at Berlin for final adjudication.

PIRATES MADE ATTEMPT TO SEIZE BRITISH SHIP

Gang of Chinese Desperadoes Attacked European Officers But Were Overpowered.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
AMOI, China, August 23.—The British steamer Laertes, bound from Singapore for Amoy, reports a piratical attempt to seize the ship. The Laertes carried 900 Chinese passengers, among them, unknown to the officers, 41 desperadoes who had been deported. These criminals attacked the European officers, but, after a hard fight, were overpowered by the Europeans with the help of the Chinese crew. The Laertes called at Cape St. James, Indo-China, and secured an armed guard.

E. T. MEN ON CASUALTY LIST

PTE. R. C. MAYHEW, SCOTSTOWN, WOUNDED.
SCOTSTOWN, August 23.—(Special)—Mr. John E. Mayhew received a telegram from Headquarters that his son, Rupert C. Mayhew had been wounded in the eyes, and later one from his daughter, nursing sister Glenie Mayhew, stating that she has seen Rupert and he was doing well, but did not state the extent of the injury.

BANNER CROWD AT LENNOXVILLE

1500 Persons From All Over Townships Visit Experimental Farm.

The attendance of 1500 people at the Experimental Farm, Lennoxville, yesterday, on the occasion of the third "Farmers' Day," again demonstrated the popularity of this institution among the agriculturists of the Eastern Townships and was abundant proof of the place that the farm occupies in their hearts and minds and of the benefit and advantage derived by the farmers and the community at large from the experiments and operations carried on.
The visitors came in from all parts of the Townships, from St. Malo on one side to Stukely and West Shetford on the other—by auto, train, and team. The appreciation of the government's effort to assist the farmers in providing them with educational facilities along the lines of better and increased production in crops and live stock could not be more fully demonstrated than by the fact that at this exceptionally busy time so many sacrificed valuable time to be present and manifested such great interest in the addresses delivered by the special speakers, provided for the occasion. One significant feature of the gathering was the large attendance of ladies and the presence of two or three hundred children—the men and women and agriculturists of the future.
One distinct advantage of these periodical gatherings lies in the opportunity provided for the revival of the old time sociability which formerly existed among the farming section of the country. Added interest was lent to yesterday's gathering by the attendance of many prominent business men and representative citizens, and this should go a long way towards encouraging the farmers in their work which everyone recognizes has now become a national and patriotic duty.
The weather fortunately held fine throughout the day. In the morning the visitors were conducted over the various departments of the farm by Mr. J. A. McClary, the respected and popular superintendent, Mr. F. T. Ritchie, the assistant superintendent, and their courteous assistants. The various operations and activities in connection with the crops, livestock, dairy and horticultural sections were carefully and intelligently explained and Mr. McClary and staff received showers of congratulations for the very efficient manner in which every department is being conducted. The new dairy barn and beautiful flower beds were objects of great admiration and every one appeared delighted with the magnificent Clydesdale horses, the splendid herd of Ayrshire cattle, and fine Oxford sheep.

DEMONSTRATION WITH DAIRY HERD

During the forenoon, Mr. E. S. Archibald, Dominion animal husbandman, gave a talk on the Ayrshire herd at the Experimental Farm. He explained that this breed had been selected to represent the dairy breeds on the farm for the reason that, taking the average of the province, they were probably more suitable for dairy purposes than other breeds. In the near future it was hoped to establish a representative of the beef breeds, and also one or two other representative dairy breeds.
Mr. Archibald gave demonstrations with several Ayrshire cows, showing the desirable qualities of the dairy animal and some of the distinctive characteristics of the Ayrshire breed. He spoke a few words upon the breeding of some of the best cows in the herd and their records, also the breeding of his dam and grand dam. He insisted that the greatest emphasis must be laid upon rearing cows, of good strength and capacity, both for good food consumption and milk production, maintaining that the good rearing of young stock and the proper feeding of milk cows is even more important than good breeding. The two are inseparable and must accompany each other if the greatest advancement in the dairy industry is to be secured. (Continued on page 10.)

MATTHEW MARIS, PAINTER, DIED IN POVERTY

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
LONDON, Aug. 23.—Matthew Maris, painter, died in London yesterday in poverty. He was born in 1839.
Mrs. Cecil Bowen said that a pleasant duty had been delegated to her by the 1st Vice-Regent of the King George V. Chapter of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire—that of presenting Mrs. Craig, on behalf of the chapter of which she was the beloved Regent, with a life membership in the I.O.D.E., with the accompanying pin and certificate. It was a fitting tribute to Mrs. Craig's work in connection with the order that the National Executive had been pleased to confer with the King George V. Chapter in doing honor to their Regent, its bestowal being always guarded with great care. To the bar pin was attached the little symbol worn by all members of the I.O.D.E., bearing upon its enamelled surface a tiny flag, the Flag of Empire. This flag meant all that was best and grandest in human nature. It stood for truth, honor, purity and loyalty. The recipient of the token was one whom the speaker and all present delighted to honor, and although she would live under another flag, she would be attached by the strongest of bonds to her old home and to all that

WEATHER REPORT

PARTLY FAIR WITH THUNDER-STORMS IN LOCALITIES.
The Western disturbance is now centered near Port Arthur, while another is developing near the Middle Atlantic coast. Fairly heavy rains have occurred since yesterday morning in Manitoba and rain is now falling in the more southern and northwestern portions of Ontario. The weather is fine in Saskatchewan and Alberta. Cautionary signals are displayed on Lake Superior.
Ottawa Valley.—Moderate winds, partly fair but unsettled with showers or thunderstorms in many localities. Maritime.—Moderate south and southeast winds increasing to gales, occasional rain.

RECEPTION TO MRS. T. M. CRAIG

Recipient of Gift and Address Prior to Leaving Sherbrooke.

The pictured walls of the Sherbrooke Art Hall have seldom been the setting for a more interesting and notable scene than yesterday, on the occasion of a reception to Mrs. T. Malcolm Craig, who is leaving the city for a new home on the shores of the Pacific Ocean in far-off California, about 175 being present. Towards four o'clock the hall was filled, and the guests were received by Mrs. H. R. Fraser, Municipal Regent, I.O.D.E., and Mrs. Craig. The platform was brilliant with masses of gay flowers and draped with the Union Jack, and later was occupied by Mrs. Fraser, who presided at the informal little ceremony, Mrs. Craig, Mrs. M. R. MacLeod, Mrs. C. H. Bowen, Mrs. De Lottinville, Mrs. G. L. McLellan, Mrs. Jack Morkill, Mrs. W. S. Allen, Mrs. J. H. Walsh, representing the Daughters of the Empire, the Victorian Order of Nurses, the Patriotic Association, the Graduate Nurses' Association, the Hospital Committee and the Housewives' League, of all of which societies Mrs. Craig has been an active member and officer.
Mrs. Fraser made a few opening remarks, saying that she felt it an honor as well as a pleasure to preside at such a meeting, composed almost entirely of Mrs. Craig's fellow-workers, and said that a short musical programme had been arranged, asking Mrs. L. B. Codere for the opening number. An exquisite piano solo was rendered by Mrs. Codere, with her accustomed grace and perfection, and Miss Marguerite Codere was heard with pleasure in a charming little song composed by Mrs. Codere, the words being especially appropriate to the occasion. Mr. Leonidas Bachand contributed a ringing French chanson which was well suited to his fine voice, and in response to an encore sang an English song of the sea.

PRESENTATION AND ADDRESS.

Mrs. Craig was then presented by Mrs. Fraser with a silver service on a magnificent tray, accompanied by a few cordial words, and the following address was read by Mrs. Jack Morkill, Vice-President of the Victorian Order of Nurses:
"Dear Mrs. Craig: We, the undersigned, on behalf of the activities which we represent, as well as the other citizens of Sherbrooke generally, have learned with deep regret of your approaching departure from our city. Since the time of your coming amongst us, whether you have been engaged in your profession of caring for the sick or furthering the interests of those in the same profession among the graduate nurses; whether you have been giving your wise counsel and help in that other noble organization, the Victorian Order of Nurses, or whether your energies have been directed, as for the past three years they have more especially been, to the aims of the Daughters of the Empire and all the patriotic and philanthropic work for which that order stands, you have given of your thought, time and strength in most unsparring measure. To your clear judgment and administrative ability as Regent of the King George Chapter is largely owing the success of providing for the cost and upkeep of a Y.M.C.A. hut for our soldier lads in France; and indeed in all the methods of raising money for relieving the condition of our brave boys overseas you have been eminently successful. To say that the Daughters of the Empire, as well as the other societies in which you have labored, will miss your cheerful counsel and ready help in the many branches of work which the war has created, is saying little of what we feel. Our consolation in parting with you is that there will be available in the cause of our latest ally—that nation which like our own loved Empire is giving of the best she breeds, that liberty may not perish from the earth. To your home in that great Republic our prayers will follow you, that you and those dear to you may be blessed with the happiness and prosperity of which you are so deserving." (Signed) Daughters of the Empire, Patriotic Society, Y. O. of Nurses, Graduate Nurses, Hospital Committee, Housewives' League.

Mrs. Craig, who was much touched and overcome, replied, expressing her thanks for the beautiful gift and the feelings that had prompted it. She felt deep regret at leaving Sherbrooke and the dear friends amongst whom she had lived and worked, and whom she would never forget.
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JAPAN SHOULD SEND TROOPS TO HELP RUSSIA

French Writer Suggests That Moment Has Arrived For Japanese to Take Further Steps.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
PARIS, August 23.—The Figaro takes up the subject of Japanese participation in the war, asking if the moment has not arrived for Japan to take further steps. The writer describes Japan as having hitherto argued that as an essentially Asiatic power it was her duty to reserve all her force for her future mission in Asia. He says, however, that this situation has now changed by China's entry into the war, and that Japan, therefore, should send soldiers and artillery to Russia's aid, all the more so now that new Russia has fore sworn all ideas of expansion of conquest.
The Petit Journal, in an editorial along the same lines, says the military reserves of all the entente powers should be used prudently. It adds that never will the Japanese troops be more needed on the Russian front than they are today.

U. S. PLACES EMBARGO ON SULPHUR.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—An embargo has been placed on exports of sulphur to Canada, in order that the supply for war needs of the United States may not be unduly depleted. Canadian wood pulp mills furnishing supplies for about three-fourths of the newspaper paper used in the United States will be seriously affected.

HUBERT HENRY DAVIES, DRAMATIST, BELIEVED DROWNED

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
PARIS, Aug. 23.—Hubert Henry Davies, dramatist, who had been recuperating on the Yorkshire coast after a long illness, following a hard period of hospital work in France, has disappeared. Mr. Davies' overcoat and cane have been found on top of a cliff, and the belief is that he fell over the cliff into the water and was drowned.

COLLECTIVE REPLY WILL BE SENT POPE FROM THE ENTENTE

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
PARIS, Aug. 23.—France probably will not answer the Pope's peace note individually, since it has no representative at the Vatican, but Great Britain doubtless will tender a collective reply in the name of the Entente. The French Government's views on the note, therefore, are unobtainable officially.

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ST. FRANCIS DISTRICT--LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Daily Reports From Correspondents of What is Going on in Various Communities

AYER'S CLIFF

Rev. J. J. Hutchinson, of Lyndonville, Vt., preached in the Congregational Church in this place on Sunday morning. His sermon was an excellent one, from Isa. 55:13, on "Substitution." Mr. Hutchinson also gave an address in the evening on "Life." The service next Sunday morning, August 26, will be of a missionary nature, as a fit closing to the summer services.

The Congregational Sunday School had an outing on Monday afternoon, which took the form of an automobile ride. The happy time for the young people was made possible through the kindness of a number of auto owners to whom many thanks are due. The Sunday School, to the number of 55 with a few parents included, assembled at the vestry, from which place the procession of automobiles, numbering nine, started at three o'clock, led by Mr. Andrew Hall, followed by Mr. Fred Wilkinson, Miss Cora Rowell, Mr. L. J. Clough, Geo. Rexford, F. A. Johnston, A. C. Clough, Lieut. L. W. Fish and Mrs. Lydia Paul. The ride was to Stanstead and return back to the vestry, where all partook of a lunch there prepared, after which the joyous company departed for their homes. So ready were the friends to

give pleasure to the young people, many others besides those who came with their autos signified their willingness to furnish cars for the occasion if needed.

MILAN

Recent arrivals and departures: Mr. and Mrs. John MacLeod of New York city, home visiting their brother, Mr. K. D. MacLeod; Mr. and Mrs. George Ridgway and daughters Dora and Hazel returned to their home in Mittenburg, Mass., Friday by auto; Miss Emma Macdonald to Megantic; Mr. Kenneth J. Murray of Granville, Vt., home a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Murray; Mrs. J. Buchanan of Sherbrooke to spend a few days, guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Armstrong; Mr. Allan MacLeod of Gould over Sunday with his sister, Mrs. D. C. Mackenzie; Pte. John A. Murray home for a short time with his parents. Pte. Murray enlisted in a Motor Cycle Corps in Montreal and has since been transferred to the 5th Royal Highlanders; Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Murray and children, Ethel, Russell and Madeline from Granville, Vt., Wednesday by auto.

GOULD

The Red Cross met on Friday with Mrs. M. H. McLeod with a large number present. The usual amount of work was done and all the work on hand given out. A dainty lunch was served by the Misses Edna, Catherine and Edith McLeod and Miss E. Mciver. The next meeting will be with Mrs. M. Matheson, on Wednesday, August 29th.

Arrivals and departures include: Mr. and Mrs. Marvin and son Hugh of Montpelier, Vt., also Miss Mamie McDonald, of Barre, Vt., visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McLeod; Mrs. A. K. McKay and three children visiting her brother, Mr. K. N. Mciver; Miss E. Fleming left on Sunday for her home in Denver, Colorado, after spending the past two months in and about town visiting relatives; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hunt, Bury, visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cowan on Monday; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cowan and three children, of Peacham, Vt., in town a few days visiting old friends; Rev. Mr. and Mrs. McKay of Winslow at the Manse visiting this week.

MARBLETON

A very successful Children's Day service was held at the Marbleton Methodist Church on Sunday morning. The morning was fine, and a goodly number gathered to enjoy the service. The church was beautifully and artistically decorated with a profusion of flowers, greenery, also flags and bunting. The programme was as follows: Doxology; Lord's Prayer; singing entitled "Looking unto Jesus," the scholars marching in carrying flags, after which Rev. E. de Gruchy led in prayer. Greeting to the pastor, teachers and friends by the children, the last verse ending in a prayer, sung with bowed heads, which was very effective. A welcome by Doretha Oughtred; recitation by Una Westman, "Children's Day," singing by four little girls, "T-R-U-E," recitation, F. Westman, "The Colors of Our Flag," solo, Miss Hardestad; recitation, Verly Oughtred, "Rosebuds," duet by F. and U. Westman; recitation, Estelle Bishop, "A Smiling Face," singing by the school, "Freedom's Herald," recitation, Ruby Bishop, "Sunbeam's Mission," singing by four little girls, which was very effective.

ing by four little girls, which was given in perfect harmony and time; singing by the school, "What a Beautiful World," recitation, "A Day in June," by four girls, while repeating the last verse in unison they all waved bouquets of roses. The collection was taken by Verly and Doretha Oughtred in white and pink baskets, then standing with bowed heads the Rev. E. de Gruchy offered a short prayer; singing by the school, "Bring Them In," benediction and singing, God Save our King and Men, after which the scholars marched out carrying flags, singing "Marching On." Miss Vivian Oughtred was organist in a very creditable manner.

An ice cream social will be held on Thursday evening on the Parsonage grounds under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid.

Mr. A. Drummond from the Marchmont Home, the Canadian Branch of the Liverpool Sheltering Home, in Belleville, Ont., was in town on Tuesday, calling on friends.

The Red Cross Society met on Tuesday evening with Mrs. George Bennett. The usual number of workers being present, pyramas and knitting was the work on hand. The next meeting will be with Mrs. G. M. Willard on Tuesday evening, August 28th.

Service on Sunday next August 26 in St. Paul's Church will be at 8 a.m. Holy Communion, 11 o'clock a.m. Sunday School at 2 o'clock and evening service at 7 o'clock.

SOUTH DURHAM

Recent visitors in town include: Misses Annie and Ada Charpentier from Montreal guests of their brother Dr. L. Charpentier for a week; Mrs. (Rev.) Pyke of Montreal and Mrs. Pyke of Richmond guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Elliott; Mrs. Irvin A. Smith of Lynders Falls with Mrs. John A. Elliott before going to Ontario to visit her sister; Miss J. Gee of Kirkdale with her aunt, Mrs. John G. Richmond; Mr. Napoleon Landry and family have returned here from Montreal to reside; Mr. On. Dionne from South India where he visited his sister, he was accompanied by his niece, Miss Roland Prefontaine to visit relatives here; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Farquhar and children home from spending a couple of days with relatives at Windsor Mills; Miss Hall of Montreal guest of Mrs. Thomas Cross; Mrs. Jas. N. Proulx of Bethel to see her sister, Miss Edith Phillips who is ill; Miss Maggie Mountain home from Whitefield, N. H., where she spent a couple of weeks; Miss Lida Hughes has returned from Saskatchewan where she spent several weeks with her uncle, Mr. Vasey; Mrs. Edward Lockwood of Three Rivers with her sister Mrs. Wm. Coote; Mrs. Theo. Richards of Lisgar a few days with her daughter, Mrs. L. Boyd; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harsley and children spent their holidays with Mr. Hubert Smith and sisters.

Departures include: Mr. John Carson to California to join his wife and son who went west a few months ago. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Lena Carson who has gone to Millerville, Sask., to remain some time with relatives; Mrs. Skyler Fowler who has been visiting relatives here for a couple of months left on Sunday for her home at Winnipeg; her father Mr. Thomas Barton accompanied her to Montreal; Miss Ethel Montgomery has returned to Montreal after two weeks holidays here with relatives; Mrs. Annie Evans to St. Albans, Vt., after spending over two months with her brother and sister; Mr. James and Miss Montgomery to Montreal on a business trip; Miss Martha Charpentier left for Peori, Ill., on Monday after spending six weeks with her brother Dr. L. Charpentier; Mrs. James Stevens and three children home to Montreal having spent a week with Mrs. Wm. Reed and other friends; Mrs. Alex Montgomery and Miss Goldies at Lisgar guests of Mrs. Robert Newell; Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Murphy home to Montreal after a week with Mr. Healey and daughter; Miss Edith Johnston home to Charney after a couple of weeks with relatives here and at Lisgar; Misses Evelyn Cross and May Hall to Sherbrooke a couple of days with friends.

EAST CLIFTON

The Red Cross Workers, of this place, met with Mrs. Elwin Waldron, on Tuesday afternoon. There were twelve ladies present. The afternoon was spent in knitting and packing six parcels, consisting of soldiers' comforts, and were sent to Arthur McConnell, Everett Ptes. Arthur Elliott, Olive Thompson, Elmer Bain, Harold Elliott. One pair socks was given from the Red Cross here to be sent to Gunner R. C. Walker. Mrs. Jas. Bailey, Mrs. Hollis Cairns, Mrs. Elwin Waldron, Mrs. Maggie Bailey, Mrs. Irwin Bain, and Mrs. Ezra Blair, voluntarily offered to mail these parcels packed, while Mrs. Fred Bellam and Mrs. R. G. Walker donated money which will be used to help pay for the postage on the next parcels. It was decided to hold an ice cream social in the near future. Mrs. Hollis Cairns and Mrs. Fred Bellam were appointed to be on the committee to see about getting the refreshments. While Mrs. Jas. Bailey and Mrs. E. Blair were appointed to look after the other arrangements. It was also decided to change the meeting to Saturday afternoon instead of Tuesday. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Hay Waldron, on Saturday afternoon, September 8th.

A very severe electrical storm passed over here on Thursday last. The lightning entered Mr. Hiram Waldron's house, and Master Carl Waldron, of Sawyerville, aged thirteen years, a nephew, was sitting with his hand on the handle of the pump, and he received a shock. He suffered considerably from the shock. Arrivals and departures: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith and daughter, Miss Evelyn, also Mrs. George Bywater, of Waterville, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Bellam on Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McKay and children, and Mr. Albert Heath, of Sherbrooke, Sunday at Mr. Albert McConnell's; Mrs. Jack Straw, of Woodville, N. H., a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gray; Mrs. K. Reed, and daughter, Kathleen, of Lennoxville, a few

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days with her brother-in-law, Mr. Geo. Reed and other relatives in town; Mrs. R. G. Walker, (nee Doris Turner, of Verdun, Montreal), a couple of weeks with her friend, Miss A. M. Bellam; Master Wesley Bellam, to his home after a few days with his grandmother, Mrs. Wilkes Pope, of Martinville; Miss Gladys Waldron, of Sawyerville, the guest of Miss Bertha Waldron and others in town; Mrs. Henry Barber, visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Cairns, of Sawyerville; Miss Elsie Galley, of North Gower, Ont., a few days with Misses Maud and Marjorie Waldron; Mr. and Mrs. William Patge, and Mr. and Mrs. Joel Bellam, and son, Darrell, of Lennoxville, the weekend in town, the guests of Messrs. Fred and Elijah Bellam; Mrs. C. Paulson, and daughter, of New Jersey, N. Y., visiting her brother, Mr. W. T. Elliott; Messrs. J. Parkinsan, Hollis Cairns, A. J. Betts, John Reed, and Ralph Cairns, to Sherbrooke on Wednesday.

Mr. J. Harold McQuat, Agricultural Demonstrator, of Cookshire, was in town on Thursday inspecting the result of the plots arranged by the pupils, which are to be exhibited at the Soil Fair on September 15th. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Betts, and daughter, Enie, and Mr. Chas. Eccles to Sherbrooke on Saturday; Miss Janet E. White, of Montreal, a couple of weeks with Mrs. Elwin Waldron; Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Blair, and son, Clayton, Mrs. Irvine Bain, and Mr. Norman Bain to Sherbrooke on Wednesday; Mrs. John Bain, visiting relatives in Sherbrooke; Messrs. Judson Waldron, Elijah Bellam, John Bain and Stanley Bellam, to the Experimental farm on Wednesday; Misses Mabel Cromwell, Agnes Farnsworth, Julia Hunt, and Evelyn Swail, of Sawyerville, and Messrs. George Halliday, and Lloyd Hunt, of Sawyerville, recent visitors at Mr. Edd. Waldron's.

SCOTSTOWN

The S. O. S. Society will have their closing tea of the season, in their tea room on Saturday, August 25th.

Miss Flossie Sherman of the Bank of Commerce has left here to enter a branch of the same Bank in Montreal.

Miss Ethel Sherman and Mr. W. Perisham who are down with typhoid fever are doing as well as can be expected.

Mr. Don Chisholm of Galsion has bought the Peter Taylor property and house and is moving in as soon as affairs on the farm are attended to. There is still a lot of hay to do around here with help scarce. No prospect of a potato famine here this winter as the crop is looking well so far.

RANDBORO

Arrivals and departures: The Misses Hughes, Cooper, Rutledge, Wilkie, McLeod, and McCormick, also Messrs. Muir, McCuller, Planche, Wilson, Bellevue, and Lindsay motored from Angus and spent a pleasant evening at Mr. and Mrs. J. Bellevue's; Mr. Charles Montgomery to Quebec visiting relatives; The Misses A. Thompson and M. McCormick of Angus a few days with Miss Tressa Bellevue; Mrs. Andrew Riddell and children, of Brooklyn, N. Y., has returned home after spending some time with her mother, Mrs. L. Boyd; Mr. Horace Cairns to Lennoxville on business.

Mr. Harold McQuat, D. S. A. of Macdonald College in town on business.

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MEGANTIC CO. HAPPENINGS

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KENNEBEC ROAD

The work of painting the St. George's Presbyterian Church was begun on the 13th inst. not ult. as stated in last week's report. The building was not ready for occupation last Sabbath, and so the service was held in the School House only a short distance from the church. Several of the families, however, drove to Marlow and attended the afternoon service there with their friends, and had the pleasure of meeting with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cathcart of Bury, their old neighbours and relatives, who are now visiting on the "Road."

The hay crop is very heavy this year; those who are through have their buildings packed full. Those who are not through have a hard time of it with the rainy weather, they are often caught and find it impossible to get it in when ready. Yesterday a farmer was hurrying to the field for a load and had to rush back with his empty wagon from the rain storm which came on suddenly. Here, however, we have escaped the latest electric storms and downpours of rain, and the Lou Dup has settled down to its normal condition.

In St. Come the water rose so quickly that some of the ladies had to leave their homes in the night and wade through two feet of water on the main street near the new bridge which is now having its damage repaired, and teams have to cross by fording the river some distance below the bridge.

Colebrook. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all, dainty refreshments being served by the hostess.

During the electric storm, which passed over here Monday morning, Mr. Albert Derousseau had a calf killed by lightning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ward, Mrs. H. Cable, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Middlemiss to Sherbrooke on Wednesday, making the trip by auto.

Mrs. H. D. Weston, of Brooklyn, N.Y., is spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Clarence R. Cable.

Mrs. Norman W. Penfield, of New York city, who has been the guest of Mrs. C. R. Cable, has gone to join her husband, Mr. N. W. Penfield, of the Electric News Company, on an extended auto trip through the New England States.

BURY

A meeting of the Trustees Board of the Methodist Church was held in the Sunday School room on Monday forenoon last. A large attendance of trustees were present. The pastor, Rev. L. E. Roy, presided. Quarterly report was submitted by the secretary, Mr. T. A. Atkins, and was considered very satisfactory. The other chief business was the appointment of a visiting committee, to visit sick members of the congregation.

Arrivals and departures include: Rev. Mr. L. E. and Mrs. Roy, and Mr. A. Whitehead, sr., to Gould, on Sunday, attending the Sunday School Convention; Miss Myra Ross, and Mrs. H. E. Morrow, to Sherbrooke on Tuesday; Messrs. John and Howard Simons returned from a week's camping at McGill Lake.

DUDSWELL

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson St. Lambert, Officers—recent guests at Mr. W. T. Andrews; Miss Mary Bush, Sherbrooke, spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Bell; Mrs. Percy Hall has returned home after a few days with relatives in East Angus; The Misses May and Florence Ackerman to Montreal after spending their holidays at Mr. W. T. Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Bailey of Bury and Mr. E. W. T. Ervridge, Brookbury, guests at Mr. E. A. Howes, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jenkinson recently, Mr. O. F. Jenkinson recently, Mr. J. L. Finlay to Sherbrooke to make arrangements for his exhibit at the fair; Miss L. Precourt, Louisiana, with her brother, Mr. E. Precourt; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver of West Westwardstown, N. H., at Mr. E. Precourt's on their way to Montreal; Mrs. E. Precourt and Miss A. Precourt, home after some days in Quebec and Lorette; Mr. E. Precourt attending the fair in Three Rivers.

THE COMING VOTE IN MISSISQUOI COUNTY

A resident from Bromo Co. went in Missisquoi Co., and got an overload of fire water and proceeded to maltreat his horse. High Constable Bousvert took him in charge for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, and W. Beals, Inspector of the S. C. A., upon investigation found the horse to be terribly lacerated about the head, neck and shoulders. The animal died the same night from the injuries received. Again the recent murder case at Farnham is still another of the aftermaths of rum, and yet the government is screaming for economy in food, and urging the farmer to grow more grain so that more rum may be made, and the apostles of license say in Bromo? Ask the hotel keepers and drinkers of Bromo and they will tell you that it has proved itself to be a mighty bug bear to the business. Never do we see on our streets as here-to-fore, a man the worse of liquor, unless said liquor was procured in the adjoining villages where license still abounds. A score of plain clothes officers were on duty during the exhibition days of 1915 and only succeeded in rounding up three drunks and three offenders of the law for procuring it. Again this year the same officers will be on the grounds, and offenders will be dealt with according to law, regardless of their rank on standing in Society. The law must be respected, R. E. Miller, pres., Bromo Co. No-License League.

Dying in poverty is easy enough; it's living in poverty that comes hard on a fellow.

LAKE MEGANTIC NOTES OF NEWS

One Taken, Three Left When Lightning Entered Marston Barn.

LAKE MEGANTIC, Aug. 23.—(Special)—John McDonald, the young man who was killed by lightning, on Monday afternoon at the Gore, Marston, was an adopted son of Mr. Ken D. McDonald. It appears there were four of them who took refuge in the building near where they were hay-making, and when the flash of lightning struck, they were all rendered unconscious, and when Mr. McDonald came to himself he found that John was dead and he was himself somewhat scorched.

WATER IN LAKE RAISED.

The heavy rainstorms we have had for the past week have brought the lake up to high water mark. The water is now only a few inches from the top of the Government wharf at Megantic.

NORTHERN LIGHTS.

There was a grand display of the Northern Lights seen here on Tuesday night. This is quite early in the season for them to be showing up.

NOTES.

On Friday evening, August 24, there will be presented by the Megantic Dramatic Club, under the patronage of St. Barnabas' Church, a drama in four acts, "The Corner Store," and a farce in one act, "Popping by Proxy." The characters are all local, connected with the church. Music by the orchestra.

Misses Effie and Glenora Tweedie, from Greenville, Me., are on a visit to their aunt, Mrs. N. Gagnon, for a week or two.

Mrs. Boyd has gone to Quebec to visit her brother at Valcartier camp. Mrs. M. D. McLeod, who has been quite ill recently, is reported to be improving.

NOT MUCH DAMAGE AT SMITH'S MILLS

Few Places in the Roads Only Were Washed Out By Heavy Rain.

SMITH'S MILLS, Aug. 23.—(Special)—The storm of the past week, with severe thunder and lightning, high winds and rain in torrents, did no serious damage to buildings or crops in this vicinity, excepting a few bad places in the roads, and retarded hay. Many farmers in this section are only about half through cutting their hay.

WILL HOLD MEMORIAL SERVICE.

The memorial service for Pte. Edward Aulis, son of Wm. Aulis, of this place, who went overseas with the 117th Battalion and was killed in battle in France, will be held in the Methodist Church next Sunday evening at half-past seven o'clock.

NOTES.

Mrs. Frank Brown will entertain the Ladies' Aid on Friday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Wm. Wheeler has gone to Lyndonville, Vt., to visit her son for a few weeks.

The judges on crops for the Township of Stanstead were in this place on Tuesday looking over the crops and farms.

Mr. M. M. Derrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Derrick, who was married to Miss Scholes, of Sherbrooke, are spending their honeymoon in New Hampshire and Massachusetts.

Mrs. H. W. is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Luther Hitchcock.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY "HARVESTERS' EXCURSIONS."

The Canadian Pacific Railway will as usual run special trains to Winnipeg, Man., on August 16th and 28th in connection with "Harvesters' Excursion." Rate of \$12.00 for the going trip and a half a cent a mile from Winnipeg to point of employment has been arranged. Return fare from point of employment to be half a cent per mile to Winnipeg plus \$18.00 to original starting point.

Men are usually embarrassed when they propose—either financially or otherwise.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Magog Furniture Manufacturers, Ltd., will be held in their offices, on Wednesday evening of this week.

BUDGET OF NEWS FROM MAGOG

Temporary Dam Menace to Navigation. Protestant School Board.

MAGOG, Aug. 23.—(Special)—An attempt to tear away what remains of the emergency dam built a couple of years ago just below the Merry Street bridge, was made during the past few days, as it was becoming a menace to navigation. The recent heavy rains have not hindered this work, but have raised the water level to almost that of spring time, and for the time being at least made it less dangerous.

THE LATE L. H. SWEENEY.

The body of the late L. H. Sweeney, of San Rafael, arrived here on Friday last. The deceased gentleman died at his home in California on Friday, August 10th at the age of 75 years. Mr. D. Davis, his partner in business, left with the body on Sunday arriving here on Friday noon. Rev. R. J. Fothergill conducted the burial services, interment being made at the family lot in Pine Hill cemetery. Mr. Sweeney was born and left Magog when 19 years of age going direct to California, where he soon became engaged in the wholesale provision business, which took on the name of Dodge, Sweeney & Co., under which name the business is still conducted. Mr. Sweeney always took an active interest in Magog. Mrs. E. G. Merrick was a sister of his, as were also the late Miss E. Sweeney, and the late Mrs. J. B. Oliver.

FULL STAFF OF TEACHERS.

The Protestant Board of School Commissioners have succeeded in getting a full staff of teachers for the Magog High School for the ensuing year. In fact they thought that they had the staff fully decided upon on several months ago, but unfortunately Mr. Gillanders, who was on the staff last year, found it necessary, owing to the illness of his father, to resign his position. The Board was, however, fortunate in securing the services of Miss Eva M. Duncan, of Granby, to fill the vacant position. Miss Duncan has had considerable experience in teaching in Sutton Academy. She possesses a Model Diploma from Macdonald College and is recommended to the Commissioners by Mr. John Parker, Inspector of Superior Schools, Principal W. J. Edwards, B. A., who is taking a special course at Queen's University, Kingston, this summer, has been re-engaged for the ensuing year. The following make up the rest of the staff: Miss Marston, of Farnham; Miss Hazel Merrill, of Oliver; Miss Inez Norton, The Commissioners have spared no pains or money in their endeavors to secure a good staff and school buildings, etc., so that the parents can assure themselves that their children will have a good school advantage right at home, the Magog High School being among the top notchers for some time past.

CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT.

An entertainment was held in St. Luke's Church Hall on Wednesday evening of this week, under the auspices of the Women's Guild. The ladies gave a little sketch of a business meeting of the Women's Guild, at Mohawk's Cross Roads. They were assisted by the following: Song, by Prof. C. V. Chamberlain; Recitation, Mrs. Robert Campbell; Song, Miss Inez Norton; Recitation, Miss M. Cunningham; Song, Mr. L. H. Drew.

NOTES.

An ice cream social will be held on Mr. A. C. Mitson's lawn near Cherry River on Saturday afternoon next. The social will be held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church, who will provide conveyance for those who wish to attend from town. If the weather is fine there will no doubt be a large crowd present, as Mr. and Mrs. Mitson have an enviable reputation as entertainers.

Rev. L. M. England, of Inkerman, Ont., formerly pastor of the Methodist Church here, is spending a few days looking up old friends and acquaintances in town. Mr. England is on a three week's vacation recuperating his health.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Magog Furniture Manufacturers, Ltd., will be held in their offices, on Wednesday evening of this week.

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Catherings By Daily Record Correspondents in Various Communities.

COWANSVILLE

From East Angus, Que., came the news of the sudden death of Mrs. Henry Beaudoin, who died of acute indigestion. Tuesday morning early Mrs. Beaudoin will be better remembered as Miss Nellie Dumlavey, when for thirteen years she was a clerk at the "Hub," Cowansville, well known and popular among the population of Brome and Missisquoi. Three years ago she was married to Mr. Henry Beaudoin, who, himself, was working at the "Hub," and had been there five years.

After their marriage they went to East Angus, Que., where Mr. Beaudoin opened a store and worked up a prosperous trade.

About thirty-five years old, Mrs. Beaudoin leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, and a baby four weeks old. Her body was removed from East Angus to West Sheffield at her father's farm house, Mr. James Dunlavy. The funeral was held on Thursday in the Catholic Church of West Sheffield, at 9 a.m.

Miss Gertrude Bell, a member of the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Waterloo Branch, is at home for her holidays; Miss Jessie Rockwell, also from Waterloo, is with her.

Mr. Charles Robinson, who is in the General Hospital, has been through a very critical operation, which it is reported has been successful. His numerous friends will be glad to hear the news.

Miss Dolores Bonnette, daughter of Mr. Joseph Bonnette, of Cowansville, who studied at the Convent of the Presentation of Mary at Sweetsburg, obtained her Model school diploma, French and English, with great distinction.

WEST BROME

Mr. F. J. Durkee is now settled for business again at the J. C. Pettes' store.

Mr. and Mrs. James Small of Prescott, Ont., the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Wright, at the parsonage.

The Quarterly Official Board will meet in the Methodist Church, on Saturday, August 25th, at 2 p.m.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church will hold a business meeting at the parsonage, on Friday afternoon, August 24th, at 2.30.

The members of Iron Hill 'Y' met with Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Wright at the parsonage, Thursday evening. An enjoyable time was spent in contests and games.

Rev. A. T. Fokes, Riceville, Ont., occupied the pulpit in the Methodist Church Sunday morning. His many friends were delighted to hear him again. Rev. W. E. Wright took his work in Riceville.

PHILIPSBURG

Recent arrivals and departures: Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson, and family Mr. and Mrs. Hemsley, and family, who have been spending the summer at the Champlain House, have returned to their homes in Westmont; Miss Olive La Rue, of Montreal, is spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Flawn, at their summer cottage on Lake Street; Master Willie Nickle, of Montreal, after a few weeks with Mr. Carl Johnston, Miss Marion Campbell, the week-end with Miss Mabel Johnston.

Mr. C. S. Powers, Frelighsburg, the week-end in town with his sister, Mrs. John Denel; Mr. Charles Bi-hand, of Montreal, home for a few days; Miss Marjorie Baker, of Dunham, in town calling on friends; Mr. and Mrs. Forest, and little daughter, of Montreal, are among the new arrivals at the Champlain House.

Mrs. Wilson, and Miss Margaret Wilson, of Bellow's Falls, are the guests of Mrs. Ross Crawford.

EAST FARNHAM

Mrs. Merritt of Boston and Mrs. Robinson of Montreal, recent guests of their sister, Mrs. Alex. Burnett, also Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds of Frelighsburg, recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Burnett and family.

Mrs. Miller visiting relatives in

STANBRIDGE EAST NOTES

Grain Ripe and Awaiting Good Weather to be Gathered.

STANBRIDGE EAST, Aug. 23. - (Special) - The rainy weather has delayed haying so that quite a number of farmers have not finished yet. Grain is ripe, and the farmer is hoping for good weather to harvest his crop.

THE LATE HUGH MONAGHAN

The death of Mr. Hugh Monaghan occurred on Sunday morning. He had reached his 76th year and had been in poor health for some time past. The funeral was held at the Catholic Church, Frelighsburg, on Tuesday, and interment was in the cemetery there. He leaves three sisters, Misses Bridget, Mary and Amy Monaghan, and one son and two step-daughters, as well as other relatives and friends.

EXCHANGE OF PULPITS.

There being an exchange of pulpits on Sunday next in the County, it being Temperance Field Day, Rev. H. Young, of Philippsburg, will occupy the pulpit in the Methodist Church at 2.30 p.m.

NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Beatty, of Stanbury, in town on Tuesday; Miss F. Beede, of Adamsville, guest of Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Blinn; Miss I. Moore, of Ottawa, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C.S. Moore; Mr. J. Rosenberg, of Rosenberg, in town on Tuesday; Miss Brown, of Sutton, with Mr. A.J. Tree, who is quite ill.

Mrs. Kidd, Mrs. Wright, and Miss Cornell are improving after their recent illness.

Mrs. Bloch and family have returned to Montreal after spending the summer here; Mrs. Gilmour, and Master Arthur, in Lancaster.

Sherbrooke and Stanstead for a week; Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Thompson of Brigham with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Buck on Sunday; Also Mr. H. A. Buck in town on Sunday; Mrs. Ray Stowe and baby of Brigham with her father, Mr. C. Fuller.

Mr. Rodney Taber accidentally slipped on a stone and sustained a fracture of the ankle bone.

Miss Margaret Taber returned home from Montreal, on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Harlow Hutchins of Montreal week end with Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Taber.

Mr. Wm. Hamilton and Miss Eleanor at Mr. McClay's on Sunday.

Miss Elba Taber to Granby recently and returned home with her two cousins, Guy and Douglas Kittridge, for a week's visit.

ABBOTT'S CORNER

The regular morning service will be held at the Baptist Church this coming Sunday. Mr. Robert E. F. Aler, of Rochester, N.Y., who has been supplying the church during the summer months will conclude his season of work next Sunday.

WEST BOLTON

Mr. and Mrs. David Booth of Greenfield, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Spaulding, Miss Avis and Master Kenneth Spaulding of Newport, Vt., visiting at Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Whit-cher the first of the week; Mr. Guy Perkins and Claude Whitcher to Bedford on Wednesday to spend a few days with their aunt, Mrs. F. G. Guthrie; Mrs. W. Solomon and little daughter of Kingsbury visiting her cousin, Mrs. Amanda Perkins, also Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chapman and son of Frost Village; Mr. Alfred Harvey and Miss Edith Harvey to Cookshire where they are spending a week with their sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Johnson and Master Frelighsburg Sunday in South Bolton guests at Mr. S. B. Stowes; Mr. Lionel Allen of Granby at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Allen's for two weeks holidays; Mr. and Mrs. Luford (nee Ella Durrell) arrived Monday from Woburn, Mass., to visit relatives; Mr. and Mrs. W.

CROPS MUCH DAMAGED AROUND ST. ARMAND

Considerable Hay Still Uncut. Grain and Potatoes Affected By Rain.

ST. ARMAND STATION, Aug. 23. - (Special) - The farmers have not yet finished haying and a considerable portion of the crop remaining to be cut owing to continued wet weather, and in some cases large meadows on low ground are lying under water. Grain is now ripe and grave fears are entertained as to whether it will be possible to save the crop. Potatoes showed prospects of a bountiful yield, but reports coming in are that not only rot is prevalent, but very few potatoes are found in the hill. Unless the next few weeks of weather proves favorable for the harvesting of crops the farmers will suffer heavily in this vicinity.

NO-LICENSE CAMPAIGN.

The temperance party have organized their forces for the coming no-license vote to be held next month. A meeting was held here Monday evening with only a fair attendance.

NOTES.

Miss Lillian Meigs, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Meigs, is very ill, and no hopes are held out for her recovery. She spent some time at St. Agathe, but received no permanent benefit, and since returning home has gradually grown weaker.

M. Whitcher visited Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wells in South Sturley recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Chapman of Montreal spending a week at Mr. Harry Lacey, Mrs. (Dr.) George Johnson of Chelsea, Mass., visiting at Messrs. F. G. and C. A. Johnson's.

The picnic to be held by the people of the Creek had to be cancelled on account of weather and depth of water. The sun was shining all day Tuesday.

Word has been received that Pastor Frost's home at Pine Lodge Farm, Frelighsburg, was struck by lightning in the storm of Monday afternoon and no one was injured.

WARDEN

Mr. W. H. Martin left last week for the various fall fairs with a car load of fine cattle, pigs, etc.

Mrs. E. S. Brewer is spending a week with Mrs. J. R. Armstrong, Fulford; The Misses Marlon Robb and Irene Boright were recent guests of the Misses Daisy and Kathleen Reynolds at South Roxton.

The Woman's Auxiliary meets at the home of Mrs. P. D. Boright on Thursday afternoon the 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gray of Richmond were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Barnes.

Mrs. Barnes and children returned to Richmond with them in their car on Monday.

Miss Pearl Marston is visiting at her home here.

The Misses Wallace of Granby were week end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wallace.

Mr. G. A. Robb is recovering slowly from his recent terrible accident. His son Mr. Gordon G. Robb, who is with the R. C. H. A. at Petawawa, received a kick in the face by a horse and was three days in hospital but is now recovering all right.

FARNHAM

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and little son, Richard, of Northampton, Mass.; Mr. John Brown and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith of Cowansville by auto to Farnham, on Wednesday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hase; Miss Glenna Fitchett, of Cowansville has returned home after a week with her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Hase.

FARNAM'S CORNER

Mrs. E. E. Ingalls recently forwarded to the Sherbrooke Red Cross Branch 12 day shirts, 15 pairs socks, pyjamas, and 89 huckaback towels.

The Rev. Mr. Humphreys of Bedford will conduct the service here on Sunday afternoon as usual.

Arrivals and departures, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Reynolds and family of Sutton at Mr. N. H. Harvey's on Sunday; Miss Emily Harvey, West Sutton, a few days the past week, with her sister, Mrs. E. D. Perkins.

Miss Evelyn Harvey, Sutton, a few days with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Harvey; Miss L. E. West Sutton, week end guest of Miss C. E. Hand "Elm Crest Farm."

KNOWLTON

The guest over the week end at the Lake View were: Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Walsh Mr. G. Lodge, Mr. Leslie Lodge, Bedford; Mr. H. S. Lacavey Mr. P. A. Lacavey from Akron, Ohio Dr. and Mrs. Lelmoise Coaticook; Mr. and Mrs. John Poulter, Worcester, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Ladd, Richmond, Vt.; Mr. W. Morris and Mr. Granger, Montreal, Mr. E. J. Lynett and family from Senanton, Penn.; Mr. P. H. Reid, Montreal, is spending his holidays at the Lake View; Mr. Malcolm Libby from Edmonton, Alberta, in town on Monday; Miss Vera Reed, Miss Nora King, Miss May King, Miss C. Richardson, Mr. G. Richardson, Montreal are guests at Mr. G. McFarlane; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Woodroffe of Montreal guest of Mr. G. McFarlane; Mrs. J. K. Curtis and daughter spent the week in Knowlton.

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Arrivals and departures: Mrs. Ashcroft and family at Lake View Farm on Saturday; Mrs. Ernest Cook from Manchester; and Mrs. Stedson from East Berkshire guests at Lake View Farm on Wednesday; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Garlick to Frelighsburg on Saturday; Mr. Earl Johnson to Dunham on Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sherrer, and Miss Alice Barnes guests at Lake View Farm on Sunday; Mrs. O. D. Johnson to Frelighsburg on Friday; Mr. and Mrs. Sammeille Louise and Mercide Paquet.

STORM DAMAGE AT WATERLOO

Glass in Green Houses Broken By Hail. Crops Also Suffered.

WATERLOO, Aug. 23. - (Special) - One of the most severe storms for many years, struck Waterloo on Monday afternoon, accompanied by hail, which caused considerable damage and much destruction of glass. The extensive green houses belonging to the Slack Bros., suffered greatly in this respect, and it will take several hundred dollars to repair the damage. There was also much injury to crops. The Slack Bros. made a specialty of raising sweet peas for market and these were practically ruined. The green houses of Mr. James Davidson suffered extensive damage by the breaking of glass, as well as damage to plants, etc. Some buildings, and many trees and gardens suffered, and altogether it was the severest storm for many years.

CHILD RUN OVER

A young child of Mr. Damase Poirer, aged about four years was badly injured by being run over in the street on Tuesday.

LIEUT. H. DE VERRENNES KILLED

The Hon. E. F. De Verrennes, received word Tuesday, that his son, Lieut. Henri De Verrennes, an officer of the 22nd Battalion, now at the front, had been killed in action. Much sympathy is felt for the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Verrennes, in their affliction.

BARN DAMAGED

Mr. John Golden had his barn badly damaged by the storm on Monday.

NOTES

Miss McEwan, of Westmont, is spending a week with Mrs. M. H. Temple, Foster Square.

Mr. and Mrs. David Booth, Greenfield, with other relatives, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jones.

Dr. Blake is making extensive repairs to his fine residence on Foster Street.

The St. Luke's Church Sunday School held their annual picnic on Wednesday at Brome Lake.

Mr. Henry Bird is away for a few days' holidays.

Rev. P. Pergeau to Actonville on Monday.

Mrs. Pearl B. Vaudry, nurse-in-training at the Montreal General Hospital, who has been at home for some weeks attending her mother, left for her duties on Monday afternoon.

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People should write to their Provincial government for bulletins on canning and drying. There is a year that the shortage in bottles will prevent a greater part of the crop from being cared for. It is not commonly known that many of the things which are canned, such as beans, peas, carrots, Swiss chard, etc., can be dried without materially altering the flavour. There is no elaborate machinery necessary for this process. It is as easy to dry fruit and vegetables as it is to can them. It simply requires a rack on which to place the material and protection from flies, etc.

By means of the process of drying we can save apples, pears, plums, cherries, peaches, beans and all the herbs, parsley, thyme, mint, etc., efficiently and inexpensively. A few years ago in most homes the

only way of having green corn throughout the year was to dry it, while today we depend wholly upon canned corn, an article that costs three times the price of the dried and is no better.

We are told by some that they have more vegetables than they need or than they can use and, therefore, they are making no effort to save them. It is a world crisis and no food fit for human consumption should be allowed to go to waste. Save all you can. Can it if possible. Evaporate what you cannot can. Give to someone else what you cannot take care of. Let no food perish. The success of the world struggle will be decided by food.

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WHITING BUILDING

EAST SHERBROOKE

Several of the residents attended the "Farmers' Day" at the Experimental farm yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Carrier, of Rock Island, were in town to attend the funeral of their cousin, the late Geo. Carrier.

CASES BEFORE DIST. MAGISTRATE

Man Jailed for Assaulting Mother. Boy Accused of Stealing Watch and Money.

Alphonse Desharnais, of the village of Lennoxville, was fined \$10 and costs or 30 days in jail by Judge Mullen yesterday for assault and battery upon his mother, Mrs. Frances Desharnais. Defendant went to jail.

CHARGED WITH THEFT.
Emery Valieres, a juvenile aged 12, was charged with the theft of a watch and \$10 in money from Mrs. Jean Berton. At the request of the parties the hearing of the case was fixed for Tuesday next, and the defendant was allowed to go until then in the care of his mother.

MR. HETHERINGTON FOUND FIVE MILES FROM HIS HOME

Mr. Hetherington, of the Little Lake, who left his home Tuesday morning to go to a blueberry field and did not return, was found yesterday at 5.30 p.m. in the woods about five miles from the field, by Mr. Beckwith while looking for the cows. The old man who is eighty years of age, was exhausted and weak from his exposure and going without food for two days and one night, but at latest reports shows no bad effects from his experience.

FIRE ALARM FROM EXHIBITION GROUNDS FALSE

Quite a little excitement was caused yesterday at 5.30 p.m. when a fire alarm was rung in from the Fair grounds. Brigades from Nos. 3 and 4 Stations responded, also the chemical engine from No. 1. On reaching the grounds it was found to be a false alarm, the second in a week, and though not quite so "sorry a joke" as the one sent in during a recent heavy storm, just a little too often to meet with the approval of the officials at the fire stations. These things are generally attributed to our bad boys but in this case the accusation might be transferred to older and wiser heads, as the alarm was rung in from one of the buildings near which several men were employed.

PATRIOTIC WORK

WORK COMMITTEE.
The Work Committee gratefully acknowledge the following donations: Women's Patriotic Society, Cook-shire, 30 pairs socks; Bishop's Crossing, per Mrs. T. L. Tite, 17 pairs socks; Lemessurier, per Mrs. Samuel Allan, 10 pairs socks; Brookbury, per Mrs. Gilbert Grey, \$10.

WAR ABRACADABRA

Magic of Letters and Figures
Sees War End in February, 1918.

The following most remarkable article first appeared in the Tulsa Democrat and published in the End Times of Enid, Okla., a short time ago.

Whoever wrote it is a marvel at figures, and we most sincerely hope that the author is right and that his figures do not lie.

The Kaiser is the man who started the war; Serbia is the country where the war was started.

There are six letters in each of these words and if written together and divided in halves also will spell "Kaiser" and "Serbia."

K-A-I-S-E-R
S-E-R-B-I-A

The greatest man in France is Joffre, commander at the Marne. Apply the same rule as above and we have:

J-O-F-F-R-E
F-R-E-N-C-H

Germany claims to be the most cultivated nation in the world, and this superlative is termed "Kultur."

Turkey is the least "Kultur." Apply this rule.

K-U-L-T-U-R
T-U-R-K-E-Y

And now for the Kaiser's number. If the word, "Kaiser" is written with each letter followed by the number of its place in the alphabet, and after these is placed the significant number "6," we have:

K-116
A-16
I-9
S-196
E-6
R-186

—666—the Kaiser's number.

Six times six equals 36 plus 6 equals 42 months.

Also note that when the Kaiser started the war he was 55 years and 6 months old, 66 months, which again fixes the Kaiser's number. Having established this fact you will be interested in reading from the thirteenth chapter of Revelations, the 4th, 5th and 13th verses:

4—"And they worshipped the dragon which gave power into the beast saying: 'Who is like unto the beast?'"

5—"And there was given unto him a mouth speaking great things and blasphemies, and power was given unto him to continue forty and two months."

13—"Here is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count the number of the beast; for it is the number of a man; and his number is six hundred, three score and six." (666)

War started in August, 1914, plus 42 months, brings you to February, 1918.

RICH SANDS OF ALBERTA

Very Remote but Large Supplies of Asphalt Materials

The Mellon Institute of Industrial Research at Pittsburgh, Pa., investigated the possibilities of using the asphaltic sands of Alberta for commercial purposes. Since the first explorer descended the Athabasca River, upwards of one hundred and fifty years ago, the existence, in the northern part of the Province of Alberta, of deposits of asphaltic or bituminous sand has been recognized, said the Canadian Chemical Journal. This material consists of approximately 15 per cent. of high grade bitumen and 85 per cent. of siliceous sand. That the deposits were of large extent was evident, but until after 1900 little was definitely known regarding their true economic importance.

For many years, the remote geographical position of the deposits, as well as lack of transportation facilities, effectually prohibited any attempt at actual development. Apart from widely scattered fur trading posts, there was an entire absence of settlements throughout great tracts of at least the northern Canada. Methods of transportation were of the most primitive sort—dogs and toboggans in winter, snows and canoes in summer. Gradually, however, with the opening up of the country, conditions have changed. New railways and highways have been built and settlements have come into existence.

The old historic fur-trading post of Fort McMurray, three hundred miles to the north of the city of Edmonton, stands near the southern border of the bituminous sand area. Three outstanding features presented by a consideration of these deposits may be given: (1) They represent the largest known deposits of solid asphaltic materials; (2) The deposits are undeveloped; (3) All asphalt used in Canada is imported from foreign countries. The areal extent of the deposits is probably not less than one thousand square miles and the average thickness is upwards of 100 feet.

MUCH WAYSIDE FOOD

Nettle is Useful and Dandelion Much More So

Not every green thing good to eat grows in a market-garden. To the initiated the field and hedge-side are al-lotted a place of honor. Some of the most deliciously flavoured of these wild and un-cultivated plants are the dandelion and the nettle. The dandelion, which we grub out of our lawns with such savage delight, is a dandelion diet would be a little monotonous, but the young and tender shoots, either boiled as greens, or used with other things as a salad, are tip-top stuff.

Few farmers would object to any one armed with a sharp knife, with which to slice off the dandelion, surveying his fields for a salad, and the result would be a basketful of tender greens, superior to those you can buy at the shop. Next to the dandelion comes the nettle. Catch your nettle young, and it beats spinach all to nothing. The old and mature nettle, which flaunts itself in such quantities in hedgerows, is no use for a salad, or for a boiled green, either. But in Lancashire, England, teas of thousands of gallons of nettle beer are made.

FEED FOR DAIRY COW

Should Store Flesh on the Animal by Right Care

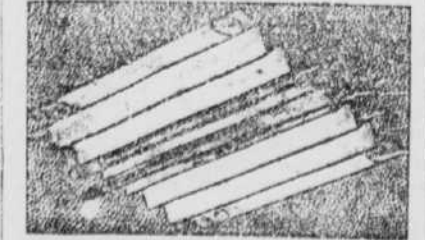
The milk produced by a dairy cow of proper type is in proportion to feeds consumed plus the reserve of feed stored in the body as fat and flesh. As an example of the latter it has been shown that fresh cows may be fed on a maintenance ration or even starved for several days yet produce milk in fairly large quantities with, however, a proportional decrease of weight and flesh. Again it has been proven that cows of proper type having a store of flesh before calving will not only milk more heavily but also more persistently during the succeeding milking period. It is clear, therefore, that this supply of fat and flesh stored on the dry cow of dairy type will be drawn upon when most needed and be either given off as milk or so take the place of feeds consumed in supplying bodily needs that a larger proportion of these feeds may be utilized for milk production.

Ships Made of Stone
Concrete holds its own in the construction of our homes, our public buildings, our bridges, our monuments and even in our ships. Harbored safely in Norwegian waters is an enormous thousand-ton barge, built entirely of concrete; a 70-year-old skill of stone floats merrily on the waters of the River Seine, while a concrete barge is daily towed up and down a certain portion of the River Thames.

English County Nicknames
There are many rather county nicknames just as disreputable as that of Yorkshire Tyke. What about Devonshire Dimples, Billy Barker, Berkshire Pig, Hampshire Eggs, Derby Rams, and Wiltshire Mesmerizers?

Ready Tray for Pencils and Pencil-sharpeners

A place of right equilibrium, or what might be called into a nest and useful holder for pens, pencils, etc., in the desk or drafting table. In its



latter case a piece of thin drawing paper, folded into V-shapes and tacked to the board, is convenient. For use on a finished surface the folded piece should be pinned on cardboard or otherwise fastened down.

BOTH ASKERS OF RIDDLES

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Ovens—I declare, old chap, you remind me of my little nephew.

Tailor—Do you? Why?
Ovens—Because you ask questions that for the life of me I cannot answer.

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EQUINE HERO RETURNED

"Steve Lane" of Patricia-Bore Farquhar and Gault

Of all the hundreds of thousands of horses that have been shipped to the European battlefields from this country few came back. If there was any such thing as a decoration for gallantry on the field of battle for horses such as brave unsung heroes, old Steve Lane, honest thoroughbred, would have brought such a decoration with him. Back in 1911 Steve Lane, a chestnut son of Giganteum and Dal became a hero when he won the Henric Memorial steeplechase over the three-mile route in Canada, but that was on the good green field of sport. Since then he has been back to back with a hero, for he won recognition on the field of battle, and seems to have become a charmed life, for he is one of the few survivors of the ill-fated Princess Patricia's Mounted Rifles of all regiments sent to the front.

When the Princess Patricia's, made up of 1,200 of the flower of young manhood of Canada, went away to war, Steve Lane was selected to go along as the charger of Col. Farquhar, in command. It is one of the sad phases of history that Steve Lane is the only surviving charger of the regiment. Steve Lane last raced for Colin Campbell, and came back to Campbell's place, Manor House, St. Hilare, Quebec, to end his days.

After Col. Farquhar was killed his faithful Steve Lane was presented to Major Hamilton Gault, the gentleman who donated \$40,000 from his own purse to finance the "Princess Patricia's" during the famous battle, while riding the old steeple-chaser, Major Gault was wounded in both legs. When he was ordered back home he decided to bring old Steve Lane back with him.

Preparedness

Promising cities, such as Sherbrooke, should prepare for the future, in their streets, parks, playgrounds, and all things that tend to make a city attractive and enjoyable. There are City Planners for this purpose, but this city never engaged one. It has been grossly neglectful in this matter. It is not too late, however, and this city should begin now to plan this place for a city of 75,000 to 100,000, and more as time goes on. There is one part of Sherbrooke, at least, that is planning for this. It is "Model City." It will be "Model" in more than name. The big plot of land just across the street from Highlands Building Sites is owned by the city, and this is an ideal spot for a ball ground and park, just as Fletcher's Field is to Montreal, at the foot of Mount Royal, where at times fully 50,000 people, who could almost worship the thoughtful citizens who provided this lovely spot, gather for relief from the heat in summer, and for winter amusement. Highlands Building Sites are no name yet park. An excellent view of this "no name park" is obtained from the opposite side of the river, on the Montreal road abreast of the ice house. The growth of the city is said to be ten to one in favor of lots adjoining the Connecticut Cotton Mills. Therefore, the chances of making good are ten to one for Highlands Lots. This is something to think over.

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Geo. Ovey in a roaring comedy, "Jerry's Star Route."

Friday and Saturday—The Triangle Star, Wilfred Lucas and Edda Milla in "Her Excellency the Governor," in five parts.

Episode 4 of the Serial Extraordinary, "The Gray Ghost." See the thrilling fight in the cave in which Polo defeats them one by one.

Sunday—Popular Bessie Barriscale in "Hater of Men," five parts.

Juanita Hansen in "Royal Rogue," Keystone Special in two parts.

Monday and Tuesday—Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle in "The Rough House," special in two parts.

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Pearl White, in her greatest Serial, "The Fatal Ring," in fifteen wonderful chapters.

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ONE COMEDY.
Second Episode of "PATRIA," with Vernon Castle.
"A SOLDIER OF THE LEGION," Gold Seal Feature.

THE DUTY OF THE INDIVIDUAL.

Strict economy is needed in the use of all foodstuffs by each and every individual householder. Our food supplies must be conserved, but they should not be hoarded. Of what use is a mine unopened, a forest untouched, or land untillied? By the conservation of our food supplies, we mean that they should be used in the wisest possible way and shared equally. We should eliminate superfluities and luxuries and eat the things that are substantial, plain and nourishing. There are many foods produced in Canada, such as corn, peas, beans, oats and barley, which are not used as much as they could and should be. Unless provision is made to care for and properly use the garden vegetables, much of this material will be wasted. Perishable things should be canned wherever possible. Rhubarb, tomatoes and other vegetables should be put away for winter use.—F.C.N.

N.B. PREMIER KEEN BUSINESS MAN

Merchant Prince Never Sat in Legislature—Small Practical Experience in Parliamentary Duties

New Brunswick's Premier in 1917 came originally from the little village of St. Martin's. It has been for many years a lumbering centre, and in the management of a large lumbering business Mr. Foster's father was engaged when his son was born. The date of his birth was April 9, 1874, making him next to Premier Martin of Saskatchewan, the youngest of the Provincial Premiers. At the age of fifteen, Mr. Foster entered the employ of the Bank of New Brunswick in St. John as a junior.

Married at Twenty-five

On his marriage to Miss Vassie, daughter of Mr. Vassie of the firm of Vassie & Co., Mr. Foster, then a young man of twenty-five, was taken into the Vassie firm, and on the death of Mr. Vassie soon after, he became vice-president and managing director. Under his care and direction the business enjoyed considerable expansion, and became one of the largest establishments of its kind in the Maritime Provinces, with customers in all three Provinces.

Energetic and Dependable

What then were his claims to office and his qualifications for the discharge of his onerous duties? Primarily, his outstanding success as a business man. A man of marked ability—energetic, enthusiastic, broad-minded, cultured, and, above all, dependable. In days when it seems so hard to induce business men of the first rank to enter politics, it was encouraging to find a man of Mr. Foster's type willing to step into the breach. It was well known among his friends that Mr. Foster had been pursuing political aspirations for some time. He was a candidate in St. John in the Provincial elections of 1912, and, though defeated, headed the Liberal ticket in the city.

CANADA WORLD POWER

Canadians Must Be World-Citizens—Uphold Justice and Truth

War and its relation to the history of mankind was the subject of an address by the Rev. Dr. Eaton of New York. Speaking in part as follows, he says: The war has revealed three great facts in relation to the history of mankind. The first was the tendency towards democracy—the spiritual unity and equality of men. The second was that freedom was worth all it cost in blood and treasure. The third great principle is that the soul is the man, and the soul is the nation. These are the great mountain peaks of human consciousness revealed by the war.

"We have become a world power," Dr. Eaton said, "and must order our future domestic institutions in the light of these international relations. Henceforth Canadians must be world citizens, and exert their utmost force to advance the principles of justice, truth and right."

The speaker believed that Canada was as fine a specimen of democracy as the world contains, and the most successful experiment in the federal idea; and her destiny as a world servant in world politics will be along the line of applying the federal principle which she has worked out successfully under the most difficult circumstances for fifty years.

Again he says: "Canada must conserve her resources. In the forests of British Columbia we have an Empire's wealth. In the natural power of Canada's waterfalls are the most unbelievable resources, and these should belong to and be administered by the people. Canada is respected and trusted by great nations, and hence occupies a position of great responsibility."



INTERVIEWED LIBERAL CHIEF.

Hon. Alexander G. MacKay, one of Alberta's Cabinet Ministers, who, with Hon. Edward Brown, of the Manitoba Government, has been in Ottawa interviewing Sir Wilfrid Laurier, following the Liberal convention in Winnipeg.

HOW REDMOND DIED

Irish soldiers from the north and south of Ireland who went over the top with Major Willie Redmond, arriving in London, spoke with deep feeling of the loss of their leader, who was loved by his men. One young officer says that Major Redmond exhibited the dash and exuberance of a schoolboy on the morning of his death. "He was as high spirited and irrepressible as ever," he said. "He had a joke and a smile for every man. As we flew over the parapets with a shout of 'Un, County Clare!' Major Willie showed a clean pair of heels toward the German trenches. There was a hurricane of shells, and one exploded almost beside him. He fell, but we went on and carried our objective."

"COMPREE" FROM FRANCE

Useful New Words brought Home by British Soldiers

After the war many French phrases will be brought across the Channel by home-coming soldiers, says an Englishman, and their constant use in everyday life will no doubt add words to the British dictionary. Unquestionably, the expression most likely to be adopted is "Compree," spelt in French Compris, and meaning "Do you understand?" The soldier in France, especially anyone engaged in the auxiliary services, and meeting French civilians, utters it every day. The infantryman, too, when back in rest-billets, finds its employment necessary. His limited knowledge of the French language does not permit him to make his meaning always clear to monsieur or madame when inquiring the way, or purchasing articles in a shop, and therefore he generally concludes his halting speech with "Compree." So readily does the word come to his lips that when he makes a statement in his native tongue to a comrade born and bred in his own native town, he often winds up with the eternal "Compree."

Hairdresser Exempted

At the Police Court when a hairdresser applied for exemption, the military representative said he could not ask for the man when a German was allowed to carry on business in the town.

PRESENTATION AT GRANBY CITY

Mr. J. B. McDonald Recipient of Gift. Old Property Changes Owners.

GRANBY, Aug. 23.—(Special.)—On Saturday the office staff and factory foremen of the Empire Tobacco Co. branch presented Mr. John B. McDonald with a case of cutlery, the occasion being his marriage, which took place at Shefford to Miss Amy Campbell. Mr. F. D. Quinn made the presentation, to which Mr. McDonald happily responded.

PURCHASE OF OLD PROPERTY.

Mrs. S. H. C. Miner has purchased the old Vittie property on Mountain street. This is one of the oldest places in the city, and was formerly owned and occupied by the late George Vittie.

RED CROSS ENTERTAINED.

Quite a number of citizens attended the Red Cross entertainment at Abbotford, given for the local branch. The electric car service was a convenient means of travelling for that occasion.

HORSE KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

Mr. Joseph Coburn lost a valuable mare during Friday's electrical storm. The animal was insured.

NOTES.

Mrs. Frank Baker, of Newport, is the guest of Mrs. W. F. Giddings. Mrs. Adelard Hebert and children have returned, after visiting friends for a few weeks at St. Henry and other places.

Miss Janet Wallace is in Montreal for a few days.

Pte. Glen Strike, of the Heavy Siege Artillery, Petawawa, is in town, guest of Rev. A. J. H. and Mrs. Strike.

Mr. S. Norris, Mrs. K. Wiggins and Mr. Raymond Wiggins and Miss Wiggins are spending a holiday at Silver Lake, Vt.

Miss Margaret Waltham, of Harcourt, N.B., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. R. Homer.

Miss Gertrude McLean is improving after a successful operation in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, for appendicitis.

Mrs. D. M. Mitchell has been spending a few days in Montreal with her daughter, Mrs. H. Martin.

Mr. Wm. Solomon and Master Willie have returned from a visit with friends in Roxton.

Mrs. F. W. Kramer, Mr. Raymond Kramer and the Misses Hilda and Helen, with friends, motored from St. Jerome on Tuesday, and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Mullin and other friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Smith, Mrs. Raney and party motored to Quebec and enjoyed a visit to the ancient and historic city.

Miss Lillie Norris has returned to Granby after a month's visit with friends in Lawrenceville, Sherbrooke and Morrisburg.

Tragedy of South Pole

The South Pole was discovered by Roald Amundsen, the Norwegian explorer, who reached it on December 16, 1911. Robert Falcon Scott, the English naval officer and explorer, reached the South Pole on January 18, 1912, only to find the Norwegian flag and records left by Amundsen. Scott perished on the return trip.

A dark background is of the greatest importance in a fisherman when approaching a fish, and a skyline behind should always be avoided.

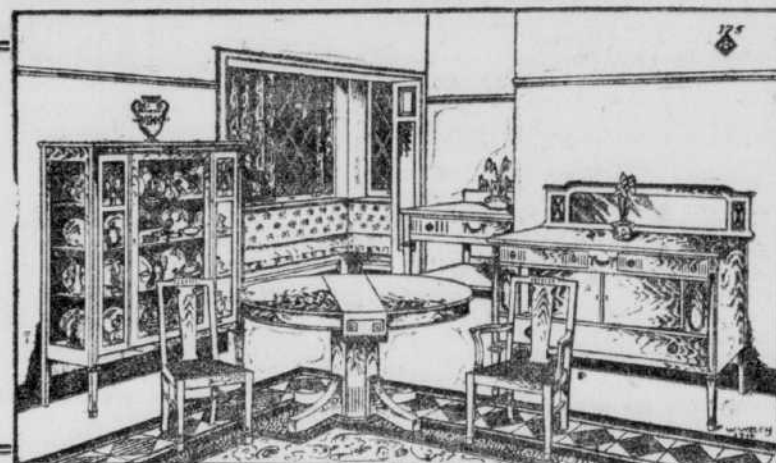
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A giant Bible has been bound by the Oxford University Press for the Bible Crusade, of Highbury Hall, Notting Hill Gate, London, W. When standing on end the volume is over 5 feet 2 inches high and nearly 2 feet 6 inches wide. The width of the back is 10 inches, so that when the book is opened flat it measures about 7 feet 10 inches across. It is bound in rich red levant morocco leather of the best quality, 12 large goat skins having been used for the binding. The front cover is surrounded by the arms of the counties of England and Scotland inlaid in blue morocco leather and decorated in gold, while on the back of the book are displayed the arms of the Welsh counties similarly treated. In the centre of the front cover is a panel

of royal blue morocco leather, containing the royal arms, inlaid with the heraldic colors.

The book contains 175 sheets of stout paper boards attached by means of linen hinges to strips of similar material, which form the back of the book. It is sewn with twine, in the old-fashioned way, round six stout hempen ropes (each rope containing seventy strands of hemp) much thicker than the ordinary clothing and four of these ropes are laced into millboards, one-half inch thick, which form the foundations for the leather covering.

In order to facilitate the handling of the book during the various processes of binding it was found necessary to erect a wooden staging from the cross beam of which depended an iron chain and pulley block, and by

this means the position of the book was altered from time to time. Without the aid of the block and pulley, the assistance of six men would have been necessary to manipulate the volume. No fewer than 4,476 copies of the smallest Oxford Bible could be contained within the compass of this huge book, but they might not have arrested so much attention—such is the opinion and the purpose of the Bible Crusade—as this unique "edition"—From the Periodical

THE SILVER LINING.

"Brown is certainly an optimist. He sees the bright side even of the high cost of things."

"Where is it for goodness sake?"

"He says it doesn't allow him to get enough money ahead to invest in worthless stocks."

Interesting News for Exhibition Visitors at Saint-Jean's

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Women's Light Weight Suits

Every woman needs just such a summer suit as may be found in this collection. The models and colors that are smart—and the prices no higher than you would expect to pay for a simple frock. See what beautiful wash suits at Saint Jean's \$7.98

Wool Sweaters vs. Silk Sweaters

Our place is teaming with the most beautiful range of wool sweaters, brushed wool of fine Scotch knit and it is whispered quite loud that the wool sweater is gaining ground on silk. We have all the colors of the rainbow. Prices ranging from \$6.50 to \$8.00



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FINANCIAL AND MARKET NEWS

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK MARKET

ACTIVE CATTLE TRADE; HOGS STILL HIGH.

Montreal, Aug. 23.

The present very high price of hogs has given rise to a great many conjectures, and it is being commonly stated that one of the chief reasons for the record-making advance is that the drovers are making more than they legitimately should. As a matter of fact they make very little. When it is known that farmers throughout the country are receiving as much as \$16 per 100 pounds for their hogs on the farms, and that a hog will shrink in weight as much as 10 or 20 pounds, which is clear loss, it is plain that, with railroad rates, incidental fees, etc., \$18 or \$18.50 must be secured in order to barely break even. The real cause for the strength in hogs is the supply and demand question. Supplies are very light and the demand is very good.

At the Canadian Pacific live stock yards yesterday there were few offerings, and the demand soon cleared up the market.

Choice steers sold from \$8 to \$10 per 100 pounds. Butcher's cows were \$6.50 to \$8.50 and bulls were \$6 to \$7.50. Canners' cows fetched \$5. Sheep kept up well under a steady demand, as they are bought in preference to lambs, which are too high. Yesterday morning they were \$8 to \$9. Lambs, \$13 to \$14. Choice select hogs were \$18 to \$18.50; sows were \$16 to \$17, and under grades as low as \$14.

HOG PRICES STILL SOAR.
Chicago, August 23.—The record rise in hog prices appeared unchecked yesterday with the market 15c. lower than yesterday's \$20 mark for 100 pounds. East St. Louis reported hogs opening steady at yesterday's close, \$19.50.

MONTREAL MARKET

Montreal, Aug. 23.

Eggs—Strictly new laid eggs, 52c. per dozen; extra, 48c.; No. 1, 44c.; No. 2, 39c.

Butter—Fresh made finest creamery, 44c. to 44½c.

Dressed hogs—Fresh killed abattoir, per 100 lbs., \$25.50.

Lard—In tubs, 25½c.; tins of 5 lbs., 26½c. per pound.

Shortening—21½c. per lb.

Dressed poultry—Turkeys, per lb., (Continued on page 3.)

LEATHER FROM MAMMALS

Skins of Sea Monsters a Valuable Asset

When carefully prepared, seal leather has a greater strength and durability in proportion to its weight than almost any other on the market, and on account of its choice and attractive grain is in demand for such articles as card cases, pocketbooks, shopping bags, etc.

Seal leather made from walrus skins was formerly used for the rigging of vessels, and was also employed to protect the rigging from chafing. Later it came into use by the silversmiths and manufacturers of bright metal objects for removing marks and scratches and to polish fine metal surfaces. For the manufacture of small articles there is nothing that can compare with the skin of the porpoise in the way of wear, tractility, strength and suppleness. A piece of porpoise leather a foot square can be easily drawn out to a foot and a third in length, a feature that few other leathers possess. This makes it especially good for skinmaking for in whatever direction the foot is thrust by the weight of the body the leather adapts itself to that shape. Being accordingly durable, it will outlast two or three calf leather soles. Another recommendation apparent when it becomes soft is the manner in which it absorbs water but allows no moisture to penetrate it.

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LIVE STOCK
PRICES IN E. T.

\$11,000 SHIPMENT FROM STANBRIDGE EAST.

STANBRIDGE EAST, Aug. 23.—(Special)—A very heavy shipment of stock was shipped from this section on Tuesday, with price ruling very high.

Mr. John Harvey shipped two cars valued at \$3,000.

Mr. Bonneau shipped four cars, valued at \$8,000, making a total amount of money received by the farmers of \$11,000. Pork brought \$17.50 live weight; Lambs brought \$12 per cwt.

HOGS AT \$17 A CWT.

FARNAM'S CORNER, August 23.—(Special)—Mr. E. C. Drew local stock buyer for Mr. John Harvey, Frelighsburg bought for Tuesday shipment, 50 hogs at \$17, a cwt. and 14 lambs at 12 cts. per lb.

BIG PRICE FOR
HOGS GIVEN AT
FRELIGHSBURG

FRELIGHSBURG, Aug. 23.—(Special)—Mr. John Harvey shipped from here to Montreal market Tuesday, four cars of live stock consisting mostly of hogs, for which, with one exception, the highest prices ever known were paid. The farmers for miles around brought in their hogs, which were mostly of the bacon type, weighing from 150 to 200 lbs. One large farmer, Mr. Miles Grans, received for nineteen pigs and one large hog, the sum of \$573.58. Prices paid were: Hogs select, 150 lbs. and over, \$17.00 per cwt; common and light, \$16.50; Sows, \$14.00; Lambs brought \$12.00 per 100 lbs.; Sheep brought \$7.00 per 100 lbs.; Beef—canners, 4 to 4½ cts. per lb.; Fat cows, 6 cts. per lb.; Bulls, 5 cts. per lb.

There is but little prospect of the cattle market improving until the poor quality of grassbeef has been disposed of.

CANADA'S FOOD QUESTION

Cause of Shortage is Underproduction of Food

T. L. Church of Toronto, in discussing the question of food consumption, says: "This is a matter in which each individual must judge for himself. I agree with Sir Thomas White that every endeavor should be made to get the people, as a nation, to economize, but that the manner in which they economize should be left to them. People know what they ought to do in this matter without its being pointed out to them."

"It is under-production which is one of the main causes of the food difficulty in this country. We in Canada are the slowest people in the world. You hear some Canadians talk of the English being slow, but look at what is being done in England to-day—conscription, cultivation to the limit, and industrial and agricultural co-operation all in force. While Canada talks, England acts. The producer and the consumer want bringing together. Co-operative methods as employed by the Lloyd-George Government are the best remedy for under-production."

"The power of the State ought to be utilized in all directions to reduce the economic dislocation resultant from the war. The trusts and combines in this country have no body to regulate them. There ought to be fixed prices in the large centres as part of a big scheme. With all the Parliaments we have not been able to cope with the situation."

Clever Office Boy

The death of Mr. Henry Leslie, who rose from office boy to manager of one of London's best known newspapers, recalled a remarkable story connected with the Franco-Prussian War. One evening Leslie, then office boy to the editor of the "Pall Mall Gazette," was alone in the building when Mr. Holt White, the correspondent of the paper with the German forces, arrived posthaste from the German "G.H.Q." with news of the fall of Sedan. With enterprise that, in an office boy, was remarkable, he kept the printing staff together, got them to work on the war correspondence's "copy," and rushed out editions that kept the presses at work all night. It was not until three days later that the Foreign Office received official information of the great defeat.

A portable generator has been specially designed to provide electric lights to permit farm work to be done at night.

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Sporting News

GIBBONS WON
FROM CHIP BY
WIDE MARGIN

(Canadian Press Despatch.)

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 23.—Tommy Gibbons, St. Paul boxer, won by a wide margin from George Chip, of Newcastle, Pa., here last night in a ten-round boxing match in the opinion of the majority of the newspaper men at the ringside.

DUNDEE OUTPOINTED MEALEY.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)

PHILADELPHIA, August 23.—Johnny Dundee, the New York lightweight, easily outpointed Johnny Mealey, of this city in a six-round bout here last night.

BASEBALL

The St. Patrick's Baseball Team will practice on the Parade Grounds to night at 6 o'clock in preparation for Saturday's game.

TENNIS

EXCITING GAME AT SWEETSBURG

SWEETSBURG, Aug. 23.—(Special)—A very exciting tennis tournament was held last Saturday between players from Cowansville and the local champions. The contenders met on the Sweetsburg courts. The result was an all-round success for the local players, as may be seen by the returns of the match, as follows:

Gamey vs. Leonard, 5-6, 6-3, 5-6.

Ramsay vs. W. Boisvert, 2-6, 4-6.

Ramsay and Gamey vs. Leonard and W. Boisvert, 3-6, 6-2, 2-6.

Marchessault vs. Coutu, 4-6, 3-6.

The players mentioned in the first place were from the visiting team.

PITRE VS. JOHNSON

Hockey Puck Travelled Faster than Pitched Base Ball

Fans who follow both hockey and baseball differ in regard to whether a puck can be shot faster than a baseball can be thrown. In other words, Walter Johnson, the great pitcher, can a shot from the stick of Didier Pitre? An authority on the subject has submitted an opinion. Harry Meek, who used to catch for the Vancouver Beavers, and who saw Pitre shoot during a Stanley Cup series, made some efforts to time his shots. He had also seen Walter Johnson pitch, and while he had no figures on Walter Johnson's speed, and was unable to get anything like accurate figures on Pitre's bullet shooting, he declared that as far as he could judge he would rather, any day, stand up and catch a ball from Walter Johnson than take Harry Holmes' place in the net and catch a shot from the stick of Pitre.

He argued that Pitre's shot is the faster traveller, because, while you could see a ball pitched by Johnson, you couldn't see a shot from Pitre until it is right upon you. The argument that a puck should travel faster because the player has a lever in a hockey stick to give it the extra speed, while the pitcher has to throw with his fingers and has no lever, still appears to stand.

LITTLE FARM PLOTS
BEHIND THE LINES

The marvels of this war are legion. A German officer's dugout we know. A General's luxurious palace on the Somme we are familiar with, but who ever heard of a British battalion cultivating that peaceful industry of a market garden? Such is the case, nevertheless.

"We are very well installed," said an amiable Colonel, who had been in the thick of fighting since the war began, to a visitor to the front. "Though the country is not fertile, we have two cows, some rabbits, chickens, pigeons, and up there you see my herd of donkeys." He pointed up a ravine less than 500 yards from the German lines, and there we saw a group of long-eared animals nibbling away at the faded grass. They were safe enough in the middle distance, but should they stray too far up the crevice they might be cut by the passing German shells, though of this they appear totally unconscious.

"Let us take a trip to my farm," said the Colonel, hospitably, "and take a peep into the backyard of our neighbor, Master Boche. On the way

back we can drive down my donkeys for the night."

REDEEMED LAND.

The Colonel, a short stocky man of about 55 or 60, took his spike-pointed trench cane, put his "kepi" on his head and led the way along a slippery path. For his age he was a very agile man, and, boy fashion, he jumped over shell holes or down into the trenches as though his proclivity pleased him. The chalky mud was glazed with a layer of ice, and it took some balancing for a neophyte to follow him. He led the way among the zig-zag of trenches in which any stranger would soon get lost, and gradually arrived on top of the ridge, along which some of the bloodiest fighting took place in September and October of 1915. This was "redeemed" land whence the Germans had been chased.

It was a relatively quiet afternoon,

one of those that get no mention in the communiques. The random German shells fell either short or landed on the opposite slopes of the ridge, or else they passed over the crest and struck somewhere back of us, but all told, there were not many of them. Somewhere down the hillside in front a machine gun went "tack-tack-tack," but only during brief moments.

The short winter day was nearing its end, and there were not many soldiers about. The ridge lay barren and forbidding, like a huge heave in a sea of mud, furrowed and wrinkled by trenches and "boyaux." Up here the shells had blasted away every vestige of vegetation. It was only down in the ravine the donkeys found some withered grass between the shell pits.

But even up here there were animals! Our objective was an observatory, where a sentinel gave way to

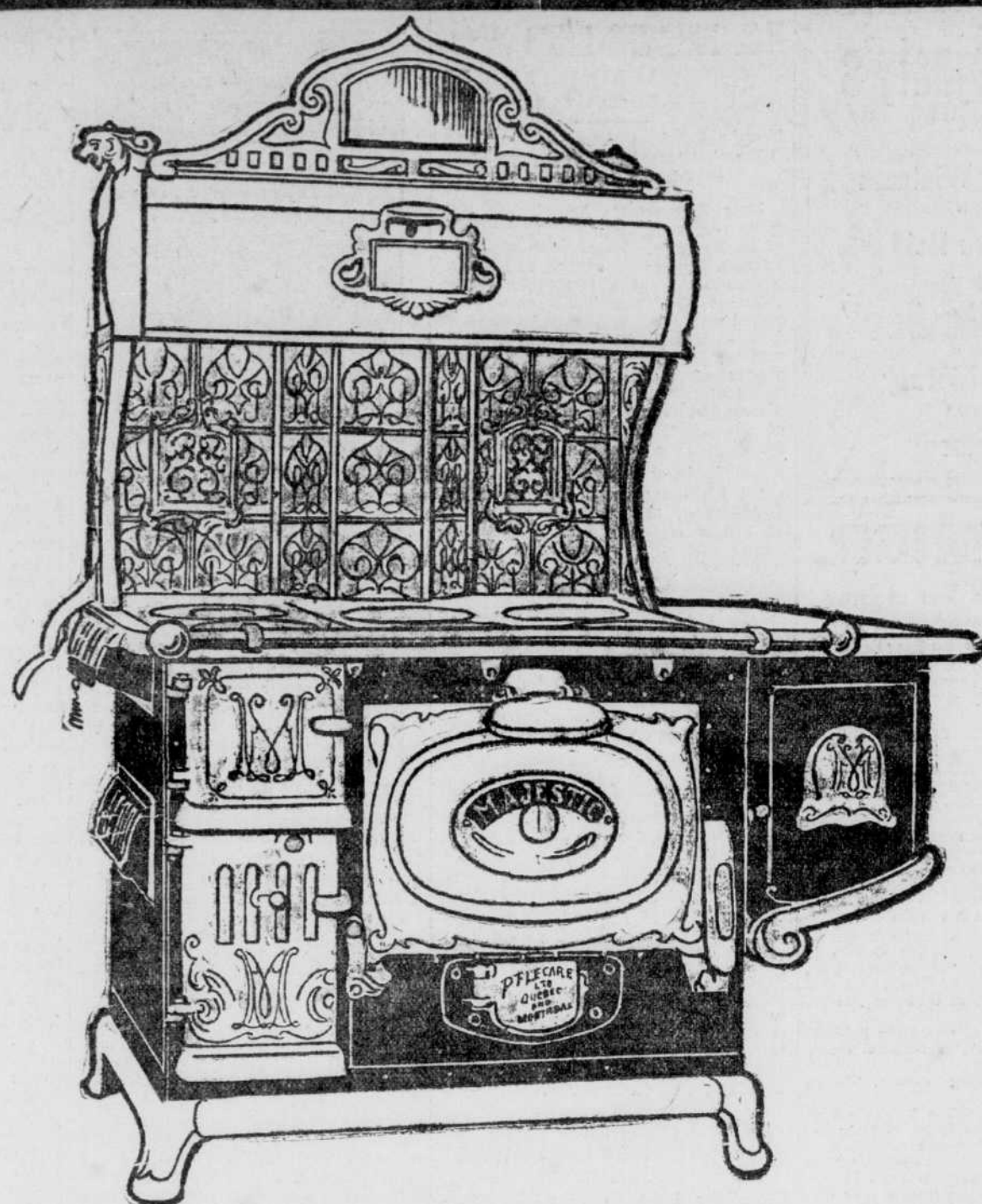
the Colonel, who showed me the sweep of "No Man's Land" in front, and beyond that the next ridge, on the crest of which the Germans were likewise hiding underground. Our arrival must have been an unusual event, upsetting all routine, because as the Colonel entered the concreted shelter, under the armored cupola, of which there was a peephole an inch wide, a huge rat came scampering out. It was the first trench rat I had seen, and it was a monster. In color and form it resembled a young woodchuck, though on its feet it was much more agile. It was provided with a magnificent fur. ("The trench rat" may be the fashion some time, and to please the women of fashion war may have to be waged to raise the species.) The beast did not seem to lack for nourishment.

And not far from here was a gar-

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LETTERS FROM EASTERN TOWNSHIPS SOLDIERS WITH OVERSEAS CONTINGENT

FIGHTING AT THE FRONT WHILE WIFE DOES WAR WORK.

BOLTON GLEN, Aug. 22.—(Special)—The following letter is from a Canadian boy who has been in the fighting line for three years:

In Camp, France, July 24, 1917. Dear Aunt Addie and Uncle Forster—Your sincere letter received tonight and I was very pleased to learn that you were all enjoying the best of health, and that your work was progressing favorably.

Your letter found me enjoying the best of health and I was very sorry to hear that you had not heard from me for so long a time, as I must have forgotten to answer your letter.

The weather must be quite provoking at times as that is what we have to put up with out here, but we cannot grumble as we have had some lovely weather this summer and it is not so bad at present. I will be glad to get home as it is almost now 3 years since I saw the dear old place last, and I hope that it will be over soon so that I can pay you a visit.

I will try and bring you a souvenir but you know to bring myself back will be the best souvenir.

My wife is on war work, so you see we are both doing our bit.

I hope you will have the pleasure to meet her when I get out of the war, which I am quite confident that I will, and she will come to Canada with me, and have our little home some where in dear old Canada.

I remain,

Yours with heaps of love,
P. P. INSLEY.

HOW PARCELS ARE HANDLED

SOUTH BOLTON, August 23.—Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Stowe received a letter from their son, Edgar who is in the trenches "Somewhere in France".

Dear Father: Well how are things jogging along on the old farm? By the time that you receive this letter you will be thinking of buying. I scarcely think that I will have much of a hand at it this year.

The parcel marked No. 5 reached me in a very good condition a couple of days ago and that maple sugar did taste exceptionally good.

One fellow received a parcel containing doughnuts and eggs, the eggs had broken and spoiled the whole parcel the young chap looked at it sadly and said "It would take a lot to tell all that I think of that parcel." Of course his folks did not realize how many bumper it would take before it was finally brought up too our Battalion.

When I was leaving England for France, while waiting at the wharf they set us unloading seven carloads of nothing but parcels and they were not handled as if they had eggs in them, and of course that was only a drop in the bucket.

We certainly have some fun even here, but I have seen a few things happen that nothing but the hand of God could bring to pass.

I received my pay today, we will

probably have a bath and get cleaned up to-morrow.

There was a little incident happened the other day that was really laughable, I was sitting in a trench with my shirt of studying it a little when along came the orderly. He looked down at me and then up at my rifle, which was a little dirty. I'll admit he laughed and said "Say, young man when you get done reading that shirt you might put your attention to your rifle." I answered "Yes, sir," and he went on. "Tell mother I'll have a clean outfit right through when I come home."

THE MORE MEN THE SOONER THE WAR WILL CLOSE

BIRCHTON, August 22.—(Special)—The following letter was received by Mrs. C. E. Miller, Birchton, from her son Private H. Bruce Miller, Transport Driver.

FRANCE, July 16th. I received a letter from you last week also parcel No. 45 and another last night No. 46, the fudge in No. 45 was fine but the peanut butter in No. 46 had melted and very nearly spoiled the box. Thanks for the chewing tobacco and I will try and write Grace to thank her for the socks and I also owe Helen a letter as well.

I suppose by this time Donald has had to enlist, but I hope he does not as he ought to be exempted, but I am glad that they have conscription because it will make a lot of enlistment would not do so otherwise, and the more men we get the sooner we will finish this war. I certainly want to finish for if it does not I guess I will go "nutty," as the strain of driving is sometimes awful especially at night in heavy traffic with no lights, and not being able to tell at what minute you are going to run somebody down or go in a ditch and block the line for a while, just now I am having an easy time of it, but it will not last forever you can bet on that, but it is three years now nearly since it started and no signs of finish yet for a while.

Well I have not had any leave yet, but expect to get some pretty soon, sometime this fall and I shall not be sorry when it comes, I think if I can I will go to Paris instead of London as I might as well see all I can of the world when ever I get the chance to do so.

Please excuse the dirty paper as it was all I had and I could not get any new until tomorrow morning as our Canteen was out of pads.

I suppose Aunt Edith is better and Uncle Levi. They all have autos now if they were as sick of one as I am, they would not take one as a gift, if they had to run it.

APPRECIATION OF WORK OF WAT- TERTVILLE PATRIOTIC SO- CIETY.

WATERTVILLE, August 22.—(Special)—Mrs. Davenport have received the following letters among many others of a similar nature.

Dear Madame: I have much pleasure in writing these few lines to thank you, and the



HE STOOD OUT FOR CONSCRIPTION—J. G. Turritt, M.P. for Assiniboia, made a straight demand for conscription in the big Liberal convention at Winnipeg. This is a new photo, snapped before he left Winnipeg.

ladies of the society for the kindness toward me, I have received the parcels and thank you ever so much also please thank Miss Reed for the scrap book. I am still in the best of health, although we are having lots of hard training, the weather is very nice just now.

We are expecting to go to France any time now, we are already waiting for the word. Thanking you all again for parcels received, hoping this will find you in the best of health and spirit.

I remain yours sincerely,
Sapper A. CONLAN

Dear Mrs. Davenport:

It gives me great pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of the parcel which I received a few days ago, for which accept many thanks, also extend the same to the ladies of the Waterville Patriotic Society. I don't think the people at home can imagine how much their efforts are appreciated, by these gifts to the boys, not only in their face value, but the pleasant memories that are brought to us of the place and friends, we left behind, and which some day we hope to see again.

I will tell you briefly how I am faring. You will see by the address that I am with my reserve Battalion. I have been here about a month after spending the winter in Hastings which was very pleasant. This place cannot be compared with it, we are only about five miles from Birchton, Waterville is also quite close, so you see I am not too badly placed after all. Since I have been here I have had to hold myself ready for the front again, but somehow or other the order was cancelled, so

A WIN-THE-WAR CONVENTION

Union of Canadian Municipalities to Meet in London, Ont.

The Convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities which will take place next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in London, Ont., promises to be a big success as indicated by the large number of delegates who have already expressed their wish to attend. One of the reasons why there is a keener interest in the convention this year is that all the subjects to be discussed deal with the war and the responsibility of the local councils in helping to bring it to a successful termination. One of the subjects to be discussed is on the advisability of the Federal government seeking the co-operation of the war measures. It is because of such municipalities to put into practice all co-operation that Great Britain has been so successful in its many war measures, and a large number of leading municipal men of this country believe that the time has come for Canada to do likewise.

Another subject that will be dealt with is on the High-Cost of Living with the object of suggesting some remedy to the government based on the experience of the different municipalities. The re-adjustment period is also to be taken up. This is a very important question to the municipalities for the particular reason that new economic conditions will arise as a consequence of the war, and they must be met. Problems of the returned soldiers and the munition workers will be discussed, and as remedies federal labour bureaus and educational bureaus will be taken up, as well as the importance of teaching citizenship in the schools.

Part of one of the sessions will be given to a discussion of a national highway across Canada to serve as a monument of the fiftieth year of confederation and as a memorial to our fallen soldiers, the work itself to be done by returned soldiers.

Aside from the main war subjects purely municipal questions will be taken up such as hydro-electric power as a factor in building up a community, telephone franchises, and hydro-electric railways.

here I am in the school of musketry for a short time, which is really better than pushing up the daisies in France, but still, if they want me, here I am for the taking. Of course personally I have no say in the matter. I had the pleasure of a meeting with Mr. W. H. Ward and Cliff on July 1st at the sports held here on that date. I was more than surprised to see them both. We had quite a long chat about old times, it made me think for the time I was back again.

Please give my best regards to the Ladies' of the Society again thanking them, and you for the parcel. I hope this will find you all in the best of health, as I am glad to say I am quite well, with kind regards. I remain yours sincerely,
W. J. BLIGHT.

EDUCATION--IN GREAT BRITAIN AND GERMANY

(By Sir Frederick G. Kenyon, K.C.B., Principal Librarian British Museum.)

No comparison of English and German educational methods can be satisfactory which fails to take into account the difference in their aims. The German method sets out to produce a good machine tool. If the student is to be a scholar, he is turned out as a well-equipped specialist in the particular small department of scholarship which he or his teacher has selected; and that particular plot of ground he will cultivate for the rest of his life, and will become, in most cases, a really competent authority upon it. If he is to be a soldier, he will know his profession as thoroughly as it can be known by intensive practice on the drill-yard, and the manoeuvre area. According to its limits, German education is good and is successful.

Where it fails is upon the human side. It makes the specialist, it does not make the man. English education is rather indifferent to the specialist, but it aims at the man. It is the higher aim, and consequently, more difficult of attainment; hence, one cannot perhaps, claim the same measure of tangible success for it as the German can with regard to his lower ideal. Yet a considerable measure of success can honestly be claimed. The English public school boy (and we are speaking at present of secondary education), whether he comes from Eton or Winchester on the one hand or from one of the smaller grammar schools on the other, is generally capable of holding his own in the world, of turning his hand to most jobs that fate puts in his way, not indeed always with immediate zeal or competence, but generally with a fair amount of success in the long run. Such boys have made excellent administrators in all parts of the world, competent civil servants, at home, capable and honest politicians, incomparable naval officers, and (as this war has proved up to the hilt) admirable subalterns, fit to lead men against any troops on the face of the earth.

That is not a bad record, and it is one which goes a considerable way to account for that phenomena which so puzzled, and even outraged, the German publicist before the war, namely the British Empire. It is not asserted that English education is wholly satisfactory; and you may trust English writers to point out its defects with that deceptive self-criticism which is compatible with a preference for our own failures over the successes of others. The conspicuous defect of that education is its failure to inculcate a respect for, and a belief in, knowledge. Learning, in Germany, is regarded as a useful possession, to be applied in its proper place. When a piece of knowledge is required for practical purposes by the State, the

specialist who has been studying that particular subject is consulted, with the expectation that his information will probably be correct. In England, reference would at most be made to the Government Department in hand sphere the particular matter in hand was supposed to fall, and the outside specialist would be regarded with suspicion, as likely to be unpractical, expensive, or at least unamenable to official regulations. Similarly we find manufacturers and other employers of labor slow to have recourse to men of science, or to encourage research into the scientific possibilities of their material, whatever it may be, unless there is some definite pecuniary return to be seen in the near future.

This is the defect which has often been recognized, and which, it may be hoped, the present war is doing something to remedy. Under the pressure of necessity, British science and British craftsmanship have shown themselves capable of matching, and not infrequently of excelling, product after product which hitherto had been left to foreign manufacturers. It is to be hoped that the lesson will not be forgotten, and that British manufacturers will realize that they can get from British science anything that they ask for, if education and learning are allowed their proper scope. On the other hand it is to be hoped that the masses of the working classes will realize the danger of instability to political institutions, which comes from a lack of acquaintance with what men and states have done and thought in the past there is leeway to be made up; but there are signs that the lesson is being learnt by some at least of those who need it.

But meanwhile we have the solid result that English education essentially aims at character. Character without knowledge may blunder; but knowledge without character may be devilish. "By their fruits you shall know them"; and the British may be content to let the world judge between their record in France and Flanders, and that of Germany. No competent judge will deny German efficiency, coupled though it be with much stupidity in comprehending the thoughts and feelings of others; but it is efficiency without character. Against this we have had to set character without preparation, determination without scientific training; and character has made good, and has run the time necessary to produce the required efficiency. The result is that England has a record which is honorable to her character, if not to her foresight; while Germany has a record which it will need generations of a changed heart to live down.

HERE IT IS AGAIN.

It appears that once a Westerner,

PUBLIC NOTICE

Is hereby given that at a regular session of the Council of this municipality, held on the 6th day of August, a resolution was passed, that on account of the death of the late Secretary, the new Secretary-Treasurer appointed be hereby instructed to collect all municipal taxes due to the Township of Bury by the 1st of October next, otherwise they will be collected according to law.
Bury, August 8th, 1917.
J. H. LEONARD,
Sec.-Treas.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Is hereby given that on the eighteenth day of September next, 1917, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, in the City of Sherbrooke, Gideon Guillaume Phenix, of the City of Sherbrooke, Electrician, will apply by petition to one of the Judges of the Superior Court, sitting for the District of St. Francis, in chambers, in order to obtain letters of verification establishing upon what persons has devolved the succession of the late Dame Josephine Dostigny, in her lifetime of the City of Sherbrooke, widow of Gideon Phenix.

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GEORGE HORNBLLOWER,
Sec.-Treas.

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L. E. DASTOUS,
Post Office Inspector.

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A. E. BRIDGETTE,
Sec.-Treas.

Birchton, Que. visiting New York, was held up by a footpad with the demand: "Give me your money, or I'll blow out your brains!" "Blow away," said the man from the West. "You can live in New York without brains, but not without money." (The Lamb)

IN THESE OUR TIMES
He (bitterly)—So I'm rejected, am I?
She—Yes; but you may come up for re-examination in six months' time (Cassell's Saturday Journal)

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RANCE AND THE RHINE LEFT BANK

Testimony of German Writers Shows Region is Naturally Bound to France.

PARIS, France. — M. Edmond Laskine contributes an article to the columns of Le Rappel on the subject of the left bank of the Rhine. It is one which is being now little discussed in France at the present time, and M. Laskine quotes the testimony of German writers, considering that his fellow-countrymen will perhaps give more credence to their assertions and remarks than they seem inclined to do in the case of their own writers. A precise knowledge of facts is what is particularly needed, and it is exactly that which seems to be lacking in those persons who object to the question being properly discussed.

They do not know, continues M. Laskine, or rather they do not want to know, when the Pan-German claim on the left bank of the Rhine started. They do not know, or rather they do not want to know, that when the war broke out in 1914, the Hohenzollerns had not occupied the left bank of the Rhine for as much as a 100 years. Neither do they appear aware that at no period of European history had Prussia acquired rights over, or even expressed any pretensions to the possession of, the left bank of the Rhine, before the treaties of 1815. They ignore, or they want to ignore, the fact that the protest of the French democracy and particularly of French Socialism against these treaties has never ceased, either after 1815, or after 1830, and 1848; on the eve of the war of 1870, Armand Barbès renewed this protest and defined it in terms which have been quoted before. But if the testimony of Proudhon, the Louis Blancs, the Barbes, the Quinets and the Blanquis, is to be regarded as chauvinistic, it does not follow that Pan-German testimony is to be swallowed blindfolded. If French testimony is to be ignored without being even heard, perhaps that of the Germans themselves will have a different reception.

When we aver that from the ethnographic point of view, the left bank of the Rhine is clearly distinguished from Germany, our opponents shrug their shoulders. They may, however, listen to Dr. Hans Delbrück, professor of Berlin University, director of the Preussische Jahrbücher, and the former Conservative deputy in the Reichstag. Hans writes in the Regierung und Volkswille, Berlin, 1914, p. 3: "There is absolutely no doubt only a small part of the actual German people, the inhabitants of Hanover, of Westphalia, of Brunswick, of Oldenburg, is composed of Germans. But all the Rhenish populations are very strongly mixed with Celts, Rhinians and other Romantic peoples."

When we aver that by its economic and social structure, the left bank of the Rhine is absolutely opposed to the rest of Germany, we are told that

we are upholding doctrines as artificial as those of German professors, and such a reproach is amusing when coming from men who have learnt their philosophy from Fichte, their sociology from Karl Marx, their European political geography from Arndt. They will, it is to be hoped, listen to Karl Marx when he states in his "Revolution and Counter Revolution in Germany," Laura Lafargue trans., pp. 6 and 15) that in 1848 "in no part of Germany except on the left bank of the Rhine was feudalism completely ruined. . . . The small free landholders predominated in the country of the Rhine (alone) where feudalism had given way beneath the formidable blows of the French Revolution."

When we declare that the left bank of the Rhine is naturally bound to France and not to Germany, our adversaries talk of imperialism and search for weapons in the Marxian arsenal. And yet, on this occasion, we are much more Marxian than they pretend to be, for we limit ourselves to the recognition of a fact which had not escaped Karl Marx's attention, and which is not seen by his French disciples because they have begun by blindfolding themselves in order that they may not see.

Karl Marx wrote in the New York Times of May 19th, 1854, an article which his daughter, Eleanor Marx Aveling, has included in the book "The Eastern Question," (London, Sonnenschein, pp. 350-356). Here may be read this clear and decisive statement: "Prussia, properly speaking, that is to say the Prussia which extends from the right bank of the Rhine to the Russian frontier, lives in the fear of losing its Rhenish provinces, the possession of which, as a national frontier, is the daily aspiration of all Frenchmen, from the peasant to the Emperor. . . . There is no doubt that the interests of the left bank of the Rhine gravitate toward union with France. The left bank is rich in coal and iron; the mines are already considerably exploited by French capital, and their value would certainly increase if they formed part of the French Empire. But Prussia has spent millions upon millions to make of Düsseldorf and of Coblenz fortresses of first rate importance, and will not easily give up these provinces."

It would be impossible, concludes M. Laskine, to state more clearly that (1) the left bank of the Rhine is essentially separate from Prussia; (2) that from the economic point of view it does not naturally form part of the German system; (3) that above all it is a position of strategic importance to Prussia, which confers on that country a permanent possibility of attack and of invasion of the low countries and of France. We invite MM. Jean Longuet, Marcel Cachin and Pierre Renaudel to read again—or to read—Karl Marx, and let France benefit by what they read.

A SLAM.

"Health is very good except among the men between twenty-one and thirty-one years old. They're kinda diseased," comments the Bigelow Press.

It is far better to have one hand on a postoffice than both eyes on a foreign mission.

THE SOLDIER'S GARDEN

(By Fleetwood May)

During the late South African War when so many of our soldiers' occupied the block houses along the 500 miles of railway which had to be guarded, the men were advised to spend their spare time in gardening. The result was that, around these posts many gardens flourished and much valuable food stuff was raised. The numerous papers of that time made much of this rather unusual military procedure, and many a cartoon depicted the perspiring Tommy at work upon his very own lonely cabbage patch out in the African Veldt.

There were two or three reasons why this advice was given. One was that it kept the men busy, and enabled them to provide themselves with fresh vegetables, and yet another that the knowledge acquired and experience gained, would be useful to them when they returned to civil life.

A very similar instruction was issued early this year to the troops serving at home namely that all available land in the neighbourhood of camps should be cultivated by the men when on duty. The results are just becoming manifest.

We have heard a great deal of late about the gardens and allotments of the civil population, about the virtues of the potato sprayer and the thousand and one things pertaining to the successful raising of garden produce, but little has been said or written about Tommy and his garden. Let me endeavour to rectify this omission by giving here a brief account of how cheerfully and well he has put his back into the work.

First of all, let me not run away with the idea that the soldier at home has an easy time; on the contrary he leads perhaps the busiest life of any class in Great Britain, munition workers not excepted; but it is a healthy life, and consequently a happy one.

The order, as has been said, went forth, and in the month of May, armed with spade and fork after his days work of drill and routine duty, he proceeded, after the fashion of the early Canadian settlers, to break up the soil wherever a suitable place could be found near his camp. This was no light work, for in very few cases had the ground taken over by the military authorities been regarded as of any agricultural use. Stones, weed, rank grass, and all the other obstacles to successful cultivation, were rapidly cleared away. One of the officers was elected at O. C. Gardens, (Officer Commanding Gardens), in Tommy's expressive language, and the manuring and planting began.

Every facility was given by the Cantenens, and the Army Service Corps to ensure the provision of seed potatoes, manure, etc., and after many a struggle against such unforeseen but inevitable circumstances as

stoppage of supplies shortage of the necessary implements, bad weather, and the lateness of the spring, the potato ground was planted, soon the broad beans were in, the cabbage plants out, and the radish and lettuce sowed safely reposing in the soil. Onions of unlikely places, and onion seed for the spring sowing purchased in abundance. Then rapidly followed the planting of runner beans, vegetable marrows, the sowing of turnip seed and the raising of plants for winter greens. There was no attempt at fancy crops or experimental measures, merely the planting of solid food producers. The work was done thoroughly and well, with the result that at the present time there are thousands of acres, of what would otherwise be waste land around our soldier's hutments, literally teeming with vegetation, pleasant to look upon and of great commercial value.

Already in many places quantities of excellent cabbage have been cut, while radish and lettuce in abundance have been at the disposal of our soldiers by reason of their own unaided efforts. Henceforward there will be sweet and tender carrots, juicy turnips, potatoes and young onions, or "chibbles" as they are called in the West, to reward the soldier for his hours of labour.

Last week the writer visited one of the large training grounds and was more than surprised at what he saw in the nature of camp gardens. The crops were the more amazing as the soil is hardly six inches deep in the best parts. It all told of great industry, perseverance and skill. Everything to be found in the oldest and best kept kitchen garden was somewhere, that is in one camp or another, and everywhere there was promise of holds above the average, the crops being sufficiently advanced to escape all reasonable danger from storm or enthusiastic over the "Regimental Garden," and one very optimistic Australian informed me that his comrades had planted twenty-five acres at the back of their camp with potatoes and that they expected a crop of twenty tons to the acre. Considering that the English farmer considers eight tons to the acre a good return, and one that he would always be glad to get, I was obliged to say, "I hope that you will, but am afraid that we can't reach that figure in England." He shook his head, and said, "We shall see, boss."

The above facts imply something more than good gardening and the acquirement of useful knowledge, for they tell in no uncertain manner of the spirit that pervades our troops. These men, many from the office, the workshop, the factory, and the mill, who have perhaps never before sown a seed or plant put into the ground, fight the enemy as stoutly at home with spade and fork as they will fight him presently with sterner weapons on the battle field. The boys are trying to stop our food supplies from overseas, endeavouring thereby to starve our mothers, our wives, our children, and all who are dear to us, and with grim determination our soldiers have set to work to beat him.

The success of a charity bazaar depends upon how much has been taken in—and how many.

GLORIOUS LIGHT IN DYING HERO'S EYES

Experience of Battlefield Recounted with Fervor by a Brother-Officer—Whose Son Was He?

The following is by an officer in the Black Watch: The barrage lifted. From the desolate, shell-ridden No Man's Land rose the long, thin line of khaki. Instantly the shrieking of shells and the cracking and whistling of machine-gun bullets spoke of a stubborn resistance. The khaki line moved steadily forward, and now at intervals followed other khaki lines, pushing on with steady assurance and grim determination. Men were being mown down like corn; the air was thick with the smell of sulphur; the khaki lines were thinning, but still they went on.

The first trench was taken with a dash, but the khaki line did not stop there. Out and away again towards the second line. The thrill of battle was pulsing through our veins; the excitement of the glorious charge had taken a hold on us.

At this moment I found myself keeping pace with a young subaltern of the Durhams—a young officer of medium height, light hair and handsome features. His joyous countenance, his dash, his encouraging voice, won my heart at once. Jumping over dead Hunns and skirting the huge shell-holes, he was urging the men on and giving the lead in fine style, when suddenly, without a word, he pitched forward and rolled over on his back. In the attack one must keep on the move, and leave the wounded to the stretcher-bearers who follow behind.

The Happy Warrior
Something, however, about this officer drew me to him, and in a moment I was on my knees by his side. Instantly I knew he had got his death wound. His eyes were open, and sought mine. The clean-shaven lips moved as if he would speak, but no sound came. He raised his right hand and I grasped it in mine. I felt his warm grip; and then, for the moment, all else vanished before the look in that dying officer's face. Never have I seen such a light in a man's face. The eyes glowed with very joy, the whole face was lit up with the radiant glory of sublime happiness. I gazed in wonder. The grip on my hand tightened. The next moment the dying man's lips were spouting blood.

Death, Where is Thy Sting?
I am a plain man, and know little about religion, but it seemed a sin to close these eyes. So I crossed his arms on his breast, rose, and left. A moment later I was mingling with the khaki throng, and if my blood had pulsed before, now I was thrilled through and through.

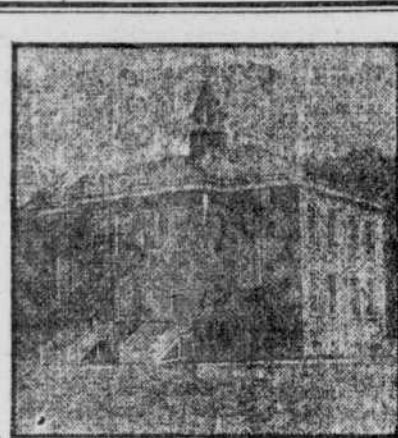
I have often thought of that young officer since. I had never seen him before. I did not know his name, so I could never communicate with his people, as I would like to have done, if, however, anyone should read this whom it may concern, the incident happened on the eighteenth of September, 1916, in the Battle of the Somme. One of the most sacred memories I have is the light on that dying hero's face. A light which has taught me more than all the sermons of all the parsons in all the world.

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Session of 1917-18 will begin on Sept. 4th, 1917, with the following staff of teachers: Miss B. E. Cowan, B.A., Principal, Grades IX-XI; Miss Ruth Aldrich, Grades VI-VIII; Miss Ruth McCashill, Grades I-IV.

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HUNS PUNISHED SENATOR

Frenchman Had to Learn Tailoring—Upheld Hague Rights

Auguste Potté, an important brick manufacturer, Senator from the Department of the Nord and Mayor of Haubourdin, making in 1917 his first appearance in the Senate since the spring of 1914, announced to his colleagues that he had in the mean time learned the trade of tailor in a German prison. Senator Potté was sent to prison in July, 1915, for having reminded the commanding officer of the occupying forces, who happened to be a Greek officer in the service of Germany, that Article 52 of the Hague Convention was contrary to the forced employment of the inhabitants in invaded districts on work of a military nature for the benefit of the invaders. Haubourdin is only three miles from the battle front, and the inhabitants were called upon for all sorts of service, burdened with excessive regulations and loaded with fines and vexations of all sorts.

SHE PAVED THE WAY

"How did you act when you asked him for my hand?"
"Very gentle and courteous. It took me completely by surprise."
"I told him you used to be a pugilist."

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PAINS OF PHOTOGRAPHY.

Recruit up from Country (having himself "tok" in his new uniform)—Lor! Guvnor, do 'urry up. This 'ere smiling fairly makes my ears ache!—London Opinion.

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At B. HALL & CO.

Starting Friday, August 24th, 1917 for 15 Days Only, to the 8th of September Inclusive

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Ladies' Suits, Coats and Dresses of last year's styles to be cleared at extremely low prices, a real saving of 50%. Suits, Coats and Dresses worth \$9.25 to \$25.00 will be sacrificed at the very low price of \$1.00 to \$5.00. Insist on seeing these goods.

10 dozen Ladies' Lawn Blouses, embroidered. Reg. \$1.00 and 25c. for this sale \$1.19

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Ladies' figured linen suits, in cream color only, the very latest styles, worth \$6.00, for \$3.49

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Great sweeping sale of Ladies' Summer Hats to clear at 40% Discount on all our great assortment.

LADIES' HOSE

Lisle thread hose for girls, all colors. Regular 20c, for this sale .12

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Girls' Chambray Dresses, for ages 6 to 14 years. Regular \$1.10, for this sale .69

FOR MEN

100 dozen Men's Celluloid Collars, Regular 25c for, each, for this sale .05

1 lot of men's hard felt hats, all colors and styles. Your choice .19

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\$3.00 for \$2.25

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ONE lot of Men's English tweed suits, worth \$10.50, for this sale \$6.95

Another lot of men's serge suits, in blue, brown and grey. Worth \$12.50, for this sale \$8.49

ONE lot of men's Scotch tweed suits in the latest checks, pinch back and other styles. Worth \$15.00, for this sale \$9.49

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25 doz. men's Dressy Shirts, worth 75c, for this sale .39

One lot of Men's Shirts. Reg. \$1.00, for this sale .69

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Running shoes for boys and girls, sizes 11 to 5. Regular \$1.25, for this great sale .79

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Men's box calf boots, black only. Reg. \$4.50, for this sale \$3.49

Men's box kip boots, colors black, brown and nigger brown, rubber heel and sole. Reg. \$7.50, for this sale \$5.49

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BIRTHS.

BALDWIN—At Coaticook, on Thursday, August 16, 1917, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Baldwin.

MILLAR—July 21, at Calgary, Alta., a son (Mervin Edwin) to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Millar.

DEATHS.

WILKINS—On August 15, 1917, aged 20 years, Lieut. John Fox Wilkins, 24th Battalion, Victoria Rifles, Canada, killed in action, "Somewhere in France," youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Wilkins, of Farnham, Que.

MARRIAGES.

McDERMOTT—HART—At the Sacred Heart Church, Miles City, Montana, on Wednesday, July 18, 1917, by the Rev. Fr. J. J. O'Carroll, Parish Priest, Clara Viola, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Hart, of Great Falls, Montana, to Charles Gray McDermott, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. McDermott, Cookshire, Que.

IN MEMORIAM.

In loving memory of Sarah E. Sawyer, beloved wife of Henry J. Cowan, who departed this life the 23rd of August, 1916.

Dear Mother, gone, but not forgotten. One year has gone, we miss her more. Her memory fresh, our hearts still sure. Her welcome smile and loving face. No one can fill the vacant place.

Inserted by Husband and Family. Abercorn, Que.

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FOR SALE AT WINDSOR MILLS—THE fine house with five acres of land, heretofore owned and occupied by J. A. Begin, N.P., and now of the estate of the late David Galbraith, is for sale. This splendid house, containing 32 well finished rooms, with all up to date instalments, offers the best modern comfort for a sanatorium or private hospital. Its location is splendid. This property is offered for less than one-quarter of its value. Write for information, or come and see me. Edouard Boudreau, N.P., 87 Wellington St., Sherbrooke.

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MANY KILLED, 50 INJURED IN TRAIN WRECK

(Canadian Press Despatch.) TOLEDO, Ohio, August 22.—A passenger train was wrecked this forenoon on the Toledo and Ohio Central railroad at Lima City. It is reported that several were killed and fifty or more injured. Messages say the train was a special carrying Columbus grocers to a Detroit convention.

ROB ROY OF CAUCASUS

Bandit's Wife and Revolution Ended Great, Romantic Feuds

Bandits of Kakhaetia, in the Caucasus, who under a local Rob Roy, Achmet Jui, for ten years terrorized the dwellers in the valleys, murdering, plundering and kidnapping women, effected a reconciliation with their victims under romantic circumstances. After the Russian revolution the Kakhaetians organized self-defence societies, and a short time later called a mass meeting at Gudjan railway station, from which a raid against the robbers was proposed. During the meeting Achmet Jui appeared and announced that, although they had no conscientious objections to continuing the feud, they were willing to conclude peace.

The obdurate Kakhaetians replied that bandits captured by them must be handed over to the authorities for punishment. The meeting promised to end in a general disagreement when more bandits appeared, escorting Achmet's wife, a beautiful young woman of Christian origin, whom Achmet after kidnapping in 1913, converted to a devoted partner. Following the example of the Sabine women the bandit's wife fell on her knees, shed tears and so touched the hearts of the incensed citizens that peace was concluded on the spot. A resolution was adopted declaring that the infamies committed by the bandits were due to the demoralizing influence of the autocracy.

New Zealand has subscribed \$2.50 per head of the population to the Belgian Relief Fund.

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HON. R. ROGERS' RESIGNATION

Correspondence Between Premier and Minister Placed Before House.

OTTAWA, Aug. 22.—The correspondence which passed between Sir Robert Borden and Hon. Robert Rogers relative to the retirement of the Minister of Public Works from the ministry was presented to Parliament by the Prime Minister yesterday.

Mr. Rogers in his letter of August 15th says: "If our present inaction and indecision are to continue may I with feelings of the greatest possible respect and with feelings of the very deepest regret, ask that at your convenience that I be relieved from sharing the responsibility for the result that will be sure to follow continued inaction and indecision."

To this Sir Robert replied on Aug. 17th, by pointing to the voluminous and complex legislative programme of the session.

From the letters, however, it is apparent that Mr. Rogers' chief ground for dissatisfaction was the continuance of negotiations for the formation of a government representing a union of the war parties in Canada, and that he had this in mind when he wrote of indecision. He asserts that the Prime Minister had his support when he made his proposals to the Wilfrid Laurier cabinet for the formation of a coalition government. Further, Mr. Rogers says, "You had my support in your efforts to effect union, with other leading Liberals in the House of Commons, for I quite appreciate that such a strong union under present circumstances would have been most desirable." At the same time he is now opposed to negotiations for a union "which leaves the official Opposition intact."

To this the Prime Minister replies firmly that he arrived in May at the decision that "a union of both political parties was necessary in order that Canada might obtain the united effort of all those earnest in their desire to throw our full national force into this war." From that decision, he says, he has never swayed and he adds, "If Liberals in active public life are not prepared to play a part in forming a Union War Government, he will invite prominent Liberals not in active public life to join with him in consummating the national purpose which he has in mind."

After reading the correspondence, Sir Robert added: "I have nothing to add to this correspondence except that I desire to disclaim any desire to cast any reflection upon Hon. Mr. Rogers in that portion of my letter which referred to him. It was merely stating my position, and not making any reflections upon him."

CALLS IT DOMESTIC QUARREL. Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied: "The resignation of the Minister of Public Works has been expected, as everyone has known for some time past, and it has taken no one by surprise. But it comes under circumstances which had not been expected. The expectation had been that it would have been the Prime Minister who would have demanded the resignation of the Minister of Public Works. On the contrary it seems that the Minister was not satisfied with the Prime Minister."

MILITARY VOTERS' BILL BEFORE HOUSE

Opposition Objected to Method Proposed For Returning Officers.

OTTAWA, August 22.—One clause of the Military Voters Bill, that providing for the appointment of officers to receive and count the ballots cast by Canadians in the military and naval forces at home and abroad and report the result, occupied the House of Commons in yesterday's sitting. Under the measure there are to be special returning officers whose duty will be to count the ballots and make a return, and half of whom will be nominated by the Prime Minister and half by the leader of the Opposition. In view of the conditions under which the elections abroad will be held, it has been found necessary to provide for the selection of a number of "military electors," to act as "presiding officers" and deputy presiding officers, who will perform part of the function of a deputy returning officer at a civilian polling place in Canada, namely, receive the votes of the electors. The view of the Opposition was that half of these officers should also be named by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. It was put forward on behalf of the Opposition leader, who was unable to be in the House, in an amendment moved by Hon. Wm. Pugsley and subsequently seconded by Hon. J. D. Taylor, that Mr. Pugsley and E. M. Macdonald contended that unless the proposed change were adopted "partisans" would be elected as presiding

HUN RAIDERS COULD NOT GET INLAND

Driven Off British Coast By Airmen and Anti-Aircraft Guns.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) LONDON, Aug. 22.—The text of the communication issued by Lord French, commander-in-chief of the home forces in regard to three air raid this morning, says:

"The enemy airplanes approached the English coast, near Ramsgate, about 10.15 a.m., being met and heavily engaged by machines of the Royal Air Force and also by gunfire from anti-aircraft guns, the raiders were unable to penetrate inland."

"A small party travelled west to Margate, but then turned homeward. The remainder skirted the coast to the south as far as Dover. "Bombs were dropped at Dover and at Margate. Casualties reported up to the present were three persons killed and two injured. The material damage was slight. Two enemy machines were brought down by anti-aircraft gunfire and by our own airplanes."

LENS BATTLE WAGES WITH INTENSITY

(Canadian Press Despatch.) LONDON, Aug. 22.—(Via Reuters' Ottawa Agency.)—Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters telegraphs today:

"The battle around Lens is waxing and waning with ferocious intensity. The latest news is that the Canadians are holding gains which carry them into the western fringe of the city. North of the railway the struggle is of so much of a give-and-take order that it is impossible to exactly define the situation."

It is increasingly clear that the enemy had organized a big attack, possibly with the idea of retaking the Hill 70. This attack synchronizing with the opening of the renewed Canadian offensive, upset the whole enemy plans. "Large numbers of fresh German troops had been brought up and his artillery fire was the heaviest yet experienced in the Lens sector. The troops the Canadians encountered yesterday in No. 1 Man's Land were the Fifth Grenadier regiment, newly arrived, and the Prussian Guard reserve division which was thrown in to relieve the situation."

HUN OFFENSIVE AGAINST SLAVS

(Canadian Press Despatch.) PETROGRAD, Aug. 22.—The Germans have begun an offensive on the northern part of the Russian lines between the Tirl marshes and the River Aa, the War Office announces. The Russians have retired two to three versts northward between the marshes and the river.

The Germans drove back advanced posts of Russian cavalry to the town of Kemmen, in the direction of Tukum.

A heavy artillery bombardment has been begun by the Germans in the region of Divinsk, on the Dvina River near the northern end of the front, and at Brody, in Northern Galicia near the border.

124 CASUALTIES ON CANADIAN LIST TODAY

(Canadian Press Despatch.) OTTAWA, August 22.—One hundred and twenty four casualties were listed at noon today including 24 killed, 3 died and 5 prisoners.

officers, and the door would be opened to irregularities.

It was pointed out to them by Hon. C. J. Doherty and a number of Conservative members that by accepting the amendment the minister would be abandoning one of the functions of Government, and taking a course with regard to presiding officers and deputy presiding officers abroad which had never been taken in the case of returning officers and deputy returning officers at home.

The debate at times became acrimonious. Suggestions that closure should be applied were made from the Ministerial benches, and Lieut.-Col. J. D. Taylor asserted that he would not "like to be a presiding officer 'stigmatized in the trenches as the nominee of the leader of the party which refuses to send support.'"

Finally the session was adopted, and then discussion turned on the form of the ballot to be marked by the soldiers. Some members of the Opposition argued that it should display the names of all the candidates in a constituency instead of permitting voting for the Government, the Opposition, an independent or a candidate by name.

The difficulty of providing ballots showing the names of the candidates was indicated by Sir Herbert Ames, who pointed out that, to meet all contingencies, it would be necessary to provide for a battalion of 1,000 men from various parts of Canada, probably 230,000 ballots.

If one should examine a photograph of a street scene in Yokohama taken a few years ago and compare it with a photograph of a similar scene recently, it would be seen that Japanese costumes are undergoing a change. The loose robes are disappearing and in their place are the coat, vest and trousers of the Western world. It is estimated that one out of four men in Japan now wear Western clothing.

CANADIANS CONGRATULATED

Gen. Haig Refutes German Lie of Failure of Troops From Canada.

BY STEWART LYON (Canadian Press Representative in France.)

CANADIAN HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE via London, August 22.—Sir Douglas Haig, in a message of congratulation to Sir Arthur Currie and the officers and men of the Canadian Corps, makes short work of the lying German wireless report that the Canadians attacked with four divisions when Hill 70 and St. Laurent were captured, and that they failed to reach their objectives, despite extraordinary losses. The message follows:

"Lieutenant-General Sir Arthur Currie, commanding Canadian Corps: "General Sir Henry Horne, commanding the First Army, has much pleasure in forwarding the following message received from the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief: "Please convey the following message from me to Lieutenant-General Sir A. W. Currie, Commanding Canadian forces: 'I desire to congratulate you personally on the complete and important success with which your command of the Canadian Corps has been inaugurated. The two divisions you employed on the 15th inst. totally defeated four German divisions, whose losses are reliably estimated at more than double those suffered by the Canadian troops. The skill, bravery and determination shown in the attack and in maintaining the positions won against repeated heavy counter-attack were in all respects admirable.'"

Congratulatory messages have also been received from the commanders of the armies on the western front. General Byng, in his message, after expressing his delight at the fine achievement of the corps, says his old comrades have been much in his mind during the progress of the operations."

BERLIN ADMITS BRITISH AND FRENCH GAINS

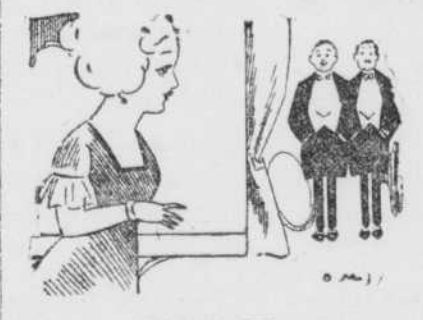
(Canadian Press Despatch.) BERLIN, August 22.—After the battle around Lens yesterday, the German official statement today reports, the coal depots southwest of the French mining centre remained in the hands of the British.

French troops have gained a footing in the Southeastern part of Avocourt woods and on the knolls to the east of that position, on the Verdun front, says the statement.

It also says that the French forced their way into the German positions in the southern part of the village of Samogneux, on the east bank of the Meuse. The losses of the French infantry, the German report says, were very heavy, and the French command had to replace several of the ten attacking divisions.

THEY ALL DO IT. "Tried to charge little 'Erb' thrice for a pint of winkle. I sez yer 'tain't more than one of these poor fitters!" (Casell's Saturday Journal.)

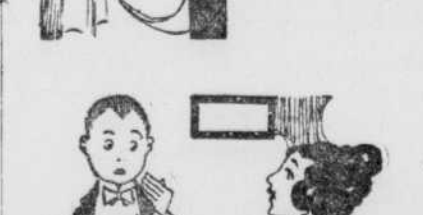
OUR DAILY LAUGH



HISTORY REPEATING ITSELF. "What beautiful hands your daughters have." "Yes. They're just like mine used to be when I had a mother to wash the dishes for me."



MODERATE. "Does your wife belong to all the afternoon clubs?" "Not all of them. She thinks six afternoon clubs per week is about enough."



ANOTHER GAME. At playing cards I feel compelled To say I've earned no glory, But, oh, the lovely hand I've held In a conservatory.

FIERCE. "Isn't the high cost of living dreadful?" "Awful. After my husband has paid his bills at the golf club there's hardly anything left for us."

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HIGH PRICE DURING WAR

Pasture and Stock Kept Very High in Britain

An English correspondent in 1917 reported really good three-year-old steers selling in England at \$200 and best working horses at around \$500. Some grass land in England was bringing a rental of \$75 per acre at that time, while at a sale of Yorkshire breeding hogs in England, an average of \$105 was made on 100 head. At a sale of pedigreed Shorthorn cattle under the auspices of the Penrith Association of Shorthorn Breeders, 33 females averaged \$300, and 107 bulls \$130.

OUR MODERN HELP.

New Mistress—How about the afternoon out?
New Cook—I am willing that you should have one.



V.C. REWARDS CANADIAN AVIATOR'S INTREPIDITY.—The exploits of Captain William Avery Bishop, of Owen Sound, Ont., as a member of the Royal Flying Corps at the Front have made the world gasp with wonder and admiration, and have won him the coveted Victoria Cross. He flew from one aerodrome to another behind the German line, destroying enemy aviators as fast as they left their sheds on the ground to attack him.

CURRENT EVENTS

The Western Harvest

The excursions to the West to help with the western wheat crop seem to be popular for young easterners this year. Not only men but women are taking advantage of the opportunity to help in the fields, and there promises to be sufficient help to gather in the most precious of all our products, the wheat.

Upon the wheat fields of this and other countries does much depend, in the fortunes of war. Already we are being urged to do with as little wheat as possible, so that we may send plenty overseas to the soldiers and peoples who must depend on us for a supply of bread. Corn meal is being used in greater quantity, and the coarser grained graham meal. Conserve the wheat, is the cry of the food controller.

Women in England are being fined for wasting bread, even the crusts of the loaf. To help the people of England and France, Canadians and Americans must economize. Since the harvests from the wheat fields in America will be largely drawn upon for countries overseas, and the shortage on this side must be met by a judicious use of other than white breads.

These Also

In discussions on conscription, and its relation to Quebec Province, one phase of this question is, too often, overlooked. In the casualty lists of our brave Canadian boys, have been the names of hundreds of French-Canadians. Many have died fighting for Canada; many more have been wounded. And in describing one of the recent conflicts between the Ger-

mans and Canadians a soldier stated that the French-Canadians had fought more courageously.

Hundreds of French-Canadians have enlisted, fought and died, in this war. This fact, which makes Canada indebted to them, should halt hasty conclusions in racial argument. The English Canadian has gone, in numbers, but "these also" as brave, if not so numerous, have shed their blood in the cause of freedom, in France.

The Gypsy

The queen of the gypsies is dead in Scotland. Strange as all nomadic races are, the gypsy is the most romantic and elusive. That a wandering people should retain laws, a throne, and rights of succession, seems difficult, if not improbable. Yet there is no doubt that the gypsy race, in customs, laws, and ceremonies, is as distinctive as a people with a country. They have a history, and a language, and number, through the world, several millions.

Their name, gypsy, is derived from Egyptian, from which people they were at one time said to be descended. But their language is Indian, not Egyptian, in origin. They are jealous of their race, almost never marry out of their tribe, and have no religion. Millions of these vagabonds are scattered throughout the world, held by a racial tie that keeps them always, outside civilization and its influences.

Peace Talk

The misunderstanding regarding the Russian attitude toward the Stockholm Conference, has been cleared away, and France will send representatives of French labor to that meeting. English labor has already voted in favor of sending delegates, so it appears settled that the allied countries will participate in the labor peace conference.

All the allied governments have openly declared that any conclusions from the conference will in no degree affect the determined prosecution of the war. While labor discusses, the governments will continue to fight. However, if the Stockholm meeting is based on an honest desire to give the labor feeling in all the warring countries concrete expression, good may result from the conference.

The weather, with the shortage of help, has caused delay in bringing in the hay crop throughout the townships. There has, also, been great scarcity of help.

The man who spends his spare time discussing conscription, instead of conscripting himself for some useful service, such as helping with farm crops, is a sure enough slacker. But probably his kind wouldn't be of any use to a farmer, anyway. You can't make a worker out of a street corner nuisance.

COMING TO HECUBA.

The Commander (to Paddy Finn, applying for special leave) — Just sign the form.
Finn—Above the line or below it, Sorrr?
The Commander—No, on the line.
Finn—Me whole name?
The Commander—Yes, your whole name.
Finn—Me Christian names?
The Commander—Yes, your Christian names.
Finn—And me nicknames?
The Commander — Never mind about your nicknames. Write down your Christian names and surname in full.
Finn—But, Sorrr, I can't write.—Sketch.

BANNER CROWD AT LENNOXVILLE

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ed and the most economical production obtained from any dairy cow of any breed.

Mr. J. A. St. Marie, now assistant to Mr. Archibald, at the Central Farm, Ottawa, spoke along the same lines in French. Mr. St. Marie is an E. T. boy, whose home is at Moe's River. He was for a short time an assistant at the Lennoxville station.

AFTERNOON'S PROGRAMME.
Lunch was served to the visitors on the lawn at noon and the gathering was afterwards called to order by Mr. McClary, who extended a cordial welcome to all and introduced the speakers.

Practical addresses on livestock and agriculture were given by Mr. Archibald and Mr. J. W. Blac, Commissioner of Agriculture for Canada. These will be dealt with in the Agricultural section of the Record tomorrow. Other speakers were Messrs. T. F. Ritchie (horticulture), J. A. St. Marie and J. H. Crepeau of St. Camille (Livestock).

Mrs. McFarlane spoke a few words in advocacy of the recognition of the rights of girls living on the farm; and the work of the Homeowner's Club and later gave a canning demonstration.

Hearty votes of thanks to Mr. McClary and the speakers terminated the proceedings.

DEMONSTRATION IN CANNING, ETC., BY MRS. MCFARLANE

An interesting item of the afternoon's programme was the address and canning demonstration given by Mrs. McFarlane, of Macdonald College, who spoke to the women and girls as farmers' wives and daughters of the great part they were taking in the present great struggle, and of the necessity of economy in cooking, conserving of garden and farm produce and scientific study of farming from the woman's standpoint.

Mrs. McFarlane said: "We have men at Ottawa working for the farmer, but as yet we have no women working for the farmers' wives, and we must remind our representatives there of the important part the farmer's wife is taking in the present crisis."

Referring to women's clubs she said: "Out of 3,000,000 women of Canada only one in eight is a member of a woman's club, and it is these women who are looking after the business interests of the Canadian housewife." Mrs. McFarlane included the men who were present in her remark that she had heard that some men would not let their wives join a woman's club, but she could hardly believe that many of the farmers of our fair Dominion want their wives to narrow down to the level of pots and pans. "Let us get out and see if we can work together, in peace, before we try to run the business of the country."

Mrs. McFarlane then gave a fine demonstration of canning, using raspberries, plums, tomatoes and carrots. Every part of the process was carefully explained and carried out, the necessity of perfect cleanliness and sterilization being emphatically dwelt upon. "Corn and peas, two important vegetables, should be carefully treated and put up as soon as gathered to obtain the best results."

Mrs. McFarlane advised those who were planning to exhibit that the general appearance counted, and that it was a good plan to wrap the jars in paper before putting away. She also advised the drying of fruits and vegetables, and gave many helpful hints by devoting some time to answering questions.

The members of the Lennoxville Homemakers' Club felt that their efforts in having this demonstration were well repaid, as was also that of the refreshment booth, which was well patronized throughout the day.

RECEPTION TO MRS. T. M. CRAIG

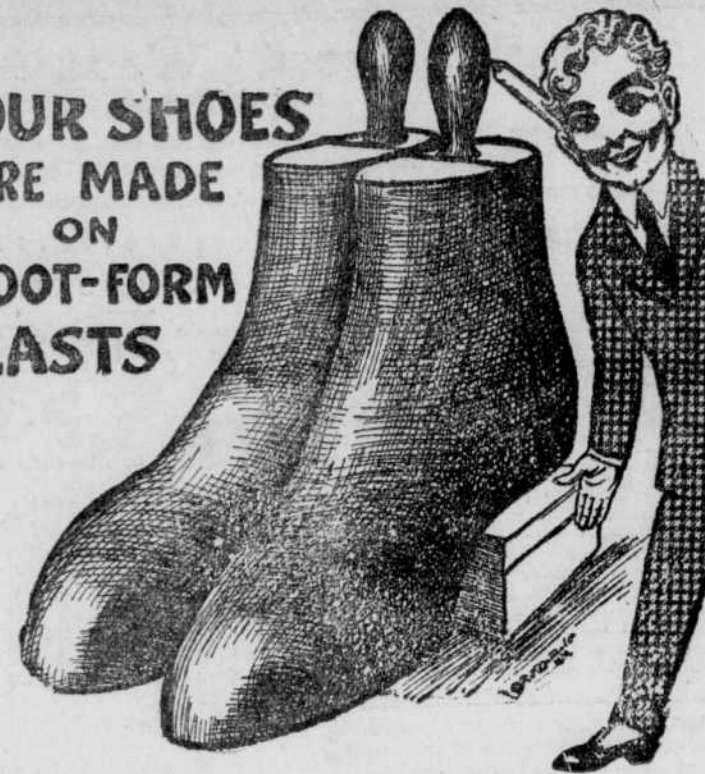
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the symbol represented. The pin was given to Mrs. Craig the latter said: "I am quite overwhelmed and at a loss for words at this moment. I can only say again, I thank you all."

The National Anthem was sung, and later tea was served, Mrs. B. C. Howard and Mrs. MacLeod presiding at the table, which was tastefully done with a huge bowl of pink and white sweet peas. Mrs. McSwiggan was in charge of the tea arrangement, assisted by Miss Moe, Miss Jennie Moe, Miss Waterhouse, Mrs. George Hall, Mrs. Parsons, Misses Ethel Harkness, Gladys Howard, Doris Stevens, Miss Perry and Miss Jean MacLeod.

The entire function was most informal and enjoyable, though with a certain tinge of sadness, like all farewells. The service presented to Mrs. Craig is extremely handsome, of

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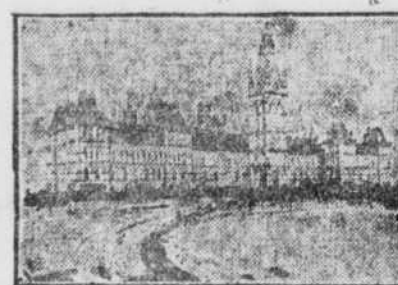
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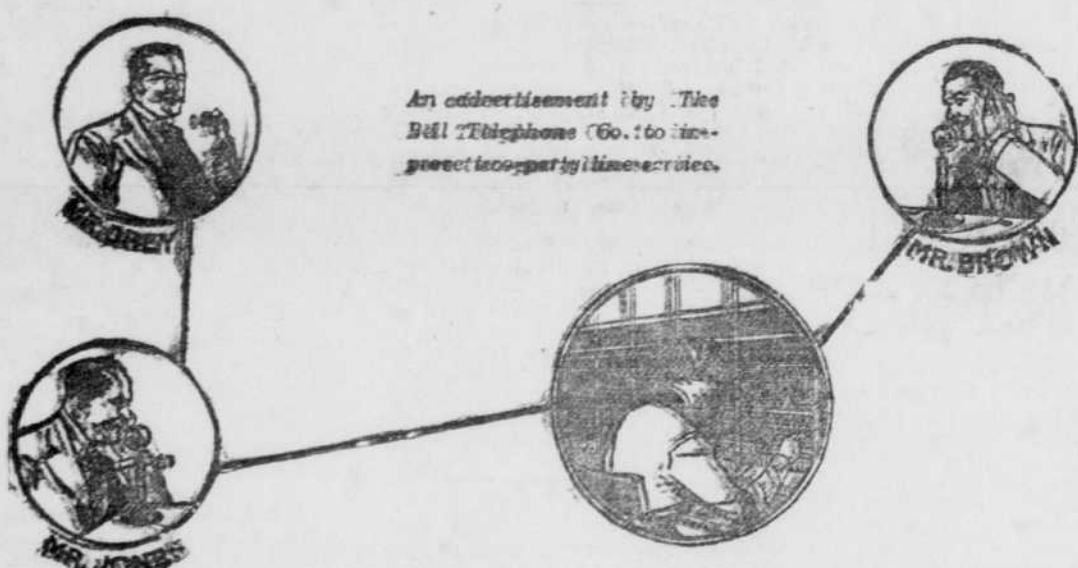
DAILY NEWS FROM TOWNSHIPS

THROWN FROM LOAD OF HAY.
UPPER MELBOURNE, Aug. 23.—(Special).—After Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Taber had loaded a load of hay and were driving to the barn the line got

Queen Anne pattern and graceful in shape, while the tray is a real antique and a work of art, of solid Sheffield plate with a flagstone border beautifully chased, and suitably engraved with the words in the centre: "Presented to Mrs. T. M. Craig by the women of Sherbrooke."

under the pole. Mr. Taber got down to relieve it and while doing so the pole dropped to the ground frightening the horses so that they became unmanageable and ran away throwing Mrs. Taber and hay to the ground and dragging Mr. Taber quite a distance before he could get loose from the lines which were entangled around his foot. The horses ran about two miles with whippetrees, and escaped with only a few scratches. Mrs. Taber was less fortunate as she sprained her ankle. Mr. Taber was also badly shaken up.

\$10,000 FOR TIMBER LOT.
BROMPTONVILLE, August 23.—(Special).—Mrs. E. M. Farrell, formerly of this place, has sold a tract of timber land in Nova Scotia for \$10,000 to a party in Halifax, N. S.



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