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Local Lines

Mrs. P. Fletcher is visiting at Victoria.

Wm. Hayman is holidaying at Oyster River.

Miss Nellie Boden arrived home from Vancouver on Saturday last.

Mr. Jos. McPhee spent a few days at Vancouver, returning on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Peter Walker and Miss Beattie of Victoria are visiting at J Ledgerwood's, Lake Trail,

We are giving a big reduction on all Boys, Misses and Children's shoes for school opening week. At Sutliff's Furnishing Store.

Word was received here that Drew Berkley had been gassed while in action at the front. He left here with the 102nd Battalion last year.

Mrs. Christie gave a bridge party and dance for the Daughters of the Empire on Friday evening last. A neat little sum was realized for the wool purchasing department.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris returned from at week's holiday at Victoria. During Mr. Harris' absence his duties at the station were ably looked after by Mr. Jack Carwithen

Government Cow Inspectors are in the district testing cows for tuberculosis. They have visited about half of the ranchers in the valley and found upwards of seventy cows affected. The majority of these cows were shipped into the district from near Chilliwack in the Fraser Valley last spring. Mr. S. Calhoun who paid $1500 for his herd loses seventeen, Bridges Bros, lose 11 and various others one to six each. The animals are being shipped to Vancouver where they will be slaughtered and the unaffected parts will be used. The farmers will get some compensation, about $50 per cow.

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Mr. Frank Cross, who has been at St. Joseph's hospital for the past month suffering with blood poisoning in his hand, returned home last week,

Lieut, Robt. Kilpatrick, 70th Battery, C. F. A., A Brigade, has transferred to the Flying Corps at Toronto.

Mr. F. G. Nickerson, wife and children who have been visiting with Mr. Nickerson at the station left for their home at Moose Jaw on Monday, Mr. Nickerson Sr. returned with them.

Mrs. Blackburn Wileman, of Duncan, a member of the advisory board, addressed a meeting of the Women's Institute at the Sandwick hall on Tuesday evening on the work of the Institutes. She spoke on Citizenship, and also Prohibition,

Upwards of one hundred loggers attended the funeral of Isaac Franki last Thursday evening at 6 o'clock, the logging company having placed a train at their disposal. The deceased had been hit by flying tackle on Monday, death following on Tuesday. A Coroner's jury viewed the remains and after hearing the evidence, rendered a verdict of death by accident. The deceased was very popular with his companions,

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Dr. Millard performed a very critical operation in setting a broken leg for an employee of the International Lumber Company one day last week The bone had been broken with a grab hook in a slanting way, and would not hold together. A piece of steel was screwed onto each end of the bone when it was put into place. This will prevent slipping until the bone knits, and incidently stops the suffering of the patient.

At the meeting of the City Council on Monday evening only two questions were debated, viz. amending the Pound By-Law to allow milch cows to run at large at all times providing that their bells be removed at night. Horses and young stock to be debarred as heretofore. The other question was that of establishing some place or places where farmers and others can tie their horses when they come to town to do their business. At present there is no place except along the railing opposite the post office, where the streets are very narrow. The Chairman of the Board of Works was instructed to into the matter and report at the next meeting if he can find a suitable place for hitching posts on one of the side streets.

School re-opens on Monday next after the long holiday.

Born—On Monday, Aug. 26, to Mr and Mrs, Fred Swan, a son.

The Directors of the Agricultural Society will hold a meeting on Friday evening, Aug. 31.

Mr. James McKenzie has been re-engaged to teach the Qualicum school for the ensuing year.

The Central Conservative Association will hold a business meeting at Courtenay on Friday

Read Mr. A. B. Ball's advertisement in another page. He is selling goods cheaper than ever during the summer sale.

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Mrs. S. J. Piercy received a wire last week that her son Matt, who is with the 102nd Batt. was reported missing. Two days later another message came saying that he had turned up safely.

Mr. and Mrs. John Collishaw, of Five Acres. have announced the engagement of their daughter. Cecily Gertrude, to Dr. T. J. McPhee of Nanaimo. The marriage will take place in November.

Anglican Services

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(Continued.)

"Hullo, Strangways! When did you come?"

"Only today to find the Squire in town and not expected back till tomorrow."

"Anything the matter?"

The Vicar had become aware of a certain disorder in Hilary's aspect. The young gentleman had always been remarkable for a clean, shining, well-polished air, borne out by his irregular face, his clear complexion, and golden hair.

"I might ask what is the matter with you?" Hilary responded, "but I won't. I am worried, confoundedly worried. I have just been told that the gossip-mongers here are saying that——"

"I know. It is about Lady South, is it not?"

There was something of uncertainty in the manner of his speech which Hilary did not notice.

"Yes, it is about Lady South; of course it is a lie!"

"It is, unfortunately, quite true that Sir Gilbert is seeking to divorce her. I have just come from there. If he had not been an old man, and a miserable one at that, I should have struck him—not for his insolence to me, but for the things he said about his wife and daughter."

A red spot came into Mr. Pritchard's cheeks and his lips were very rigid.

"How long has this been known?" asked Hilary.

"The citation has only just been served. I don't know how those women got hold of it so soon. They scent out everything."

"They had better not say it to me," said Hilary violently. "My dearest hope is that Margaret South will become my wife. That poor woman! It will kill her as surely as though a knife were driven through her heart."

He went off, too agitated to say good-bye, and the Vicar walked on to his own house, where a bad cook did her worst for him in the serene certainty that the master would never know the difference. The Rev. Bertram Pritchard took things exceedingly hard. The misdoings of the black sheep among his flock had often left him comfortless before. Now he walked as though his feet were as heavy as lead.

"I wish there was no truth in it," he muttered to himself. "The two poor souls! Yet they have one stout champion—God bless him!"

Then he sighed for another trouble. Was no one to be spared, however innocent? Certainly the Vicar took things too hard. He had never become accustomed to the things that happened. He had blood fiery in his denunciation of slander and evil-speaking, bringing upon himself the dislike of Mrs. De Montmorency and her kind, without having any appreciable effect upon their tongues.

He had been almost comfortless. Yet comfort came to him, and his head was lifted with some thought.

"Poor little girl!" he said to himself; and he was not thinking of Margaret South. "No one will dare to think ill of her when she is the Squire's wife, still less to speak ill of her. Meyrick can defend his own—thank God!"

CHAPTER XVI.

Love Lies Bleeding

Hilary's first impulse was to turn about and go straight to Sir Gilbert South; but the Vicar discouraged him.

"My dear boy," he said, "there isn't the slightest use. He knows quite well the wontonness of the thing he is doing. No man could get a divorce from the wife whom his conduct had driven from his house so that she might have an operation to save her life. He wants to drag her in the mud, that is all. He has some sort of insane hatred for her, poor gentle lady; and for his daughter, and for the man who has only done what you or I or any other man with a sense of duty should do if it came our way."

Hilary went back to Silverthorne ruefully. He had a great mind to return to town that night. For the first time, he was up in arms against Silverdale, calling it opprobrious names in his own mind because of its gossips. In London no one had time for such venom. He wanted to see Mr. Langton, to know what was going to be done. He said to himself that somehow or other Lady South must be kept out of it, taken away from it. His poor girl, too, so proud and innocent. Oh, it was too—the boy ground out words between his teeth on which the Recording Angel surely dropped a tear.

He went through his dinner in silence, which, being reported on in the servant's hall, caused much uneasy speculation as to what was wrong with Master Hilary, or what "he'd been a-doin' of." The cook had sent him up an excellent little dinner, considering that it was an impromptu. The head gardener had cut his very first bunch of ripe grapes in honor of the occasion. Hilary merely toyed with one or two of them—would have let them pass if he had not been reminded by the butler that the gardener had done him special honor in cutting the grapes.

The first fire of the year had been lit in the library. There was plenty of time for Hilary to consider the matter of returning to town, for there was no train before ten o'clock. He did not know how he was going to get through the time intervening. His thoughts worked upon each other as the corn is ground between the stones of a mill. His brain felt overstimulated. He was restless to be doing something.

He got up from his chair and began to walk up and down the library, as soon as the servant had departed, having left cigars and cigarettes at his elbow. His feet in the Turkey carpets made no sound. He wanted to be out doing something. Earlier in the afternoon he had thought that he would look in on the Egertons. He liked Lionel Egerton; and he had liked Mrs. Egerton before this afternoon, while looking upon her as something incomprehensible. Now he liked her no longer. He made a wry face as he thought upon her and was sorry for her husband.

He could not go to see anyone. He was so wretchedly ill at ease that he would be incapable of concealing his emotions. Ten o'clock. It would be nearly eleven by the time he reached town. What matter! Mr. Langton was not likely to keep early hours. Anyhow he would try to find him. He might be at that house among the fields which Hilary had not been able to locate. He supposed it was somewhere north or northwest of London. He had not followed the way the motor took that night, and he was not gifted with a sense of topography, so that beyond the Strand and the west end streets he knew little of London.

Now and again he glanced at the clock. Nine o'clock. When one dines alone and plays with one's food one gets finished quickly. There would be ample time, if he started to walk at twenty minutes before the train time. He was not going to take a horse out—not he. The walk would do him good. He would have started at once if he had not been afraid of going by the old station master, who had known him from the time he was a child, and would insist on his coming in to wait by the fire and talk to Mrs. Hall. Hilary valued all these friendships, but he simply could not talk to people tonight.

While he fretted the door opened and the Squire came in.

"Hello, Squire," said Hilary, with a mechanical cheerfulness. "We didn't expect you home tonight."

To himself he said: "I can't possibly get away now, the minute he has come. How am I going to stick it till tomorrow?"

The Squire came up to the fire and warmed his hands at the blaze; suddenly Hilary was struck dumb by the calamity which lay upon his face as it was revealed in the firelight. He looked a man who had received a blow from which he still reeled.

"What is the matter, Don?" Hilary asked, recovering himself. The Squire's face frightened him. With a lover's egoism his thoughts flew to Margaret. Had anything happened? "There is nothing wrong—with—with——"

"An extraordinary thing has happened, Hilary," said the Squire, still warming his hands and looking as cold as a stone. The lifelessness of his face had something terrifying about it. "It is—Dolly. She and Mrs. Bartlett left the studio this morning about eleven. They have not returned. I do not know what to do."

"But, my dear Don," Hilary said, with relief in his voice. "Is that all? Only this morning! Why, there are a hundred possible explanations of their absence. They might——"

"Dolly expected me this afternoon. She was always waiting for me, and we used to go out together. I have been sitting there in the studio for nearly five hours. Every time I heard a foot on the stone staircase or the corridor outside——"

He turned away his head without concluding the sentence; and Hilary understood, as he would not have understood a little while ago.

(To Be Continued.)

Alberta Dairy Statistics

The growth of the dairy industry of Alberta is to be seen in the fact that in 1910 there were 147,687 dairy cows in the province, with a value of dairy products of -7,953,847, while in 1916 there were 215,033 cows and an estimated value of products of $12,500,000. Two million and a half pounds of butter were produced in 1911, and 100,000 pounds of cheese; eight millions and a half pounds of butter in 1916 and 375,000 pounds of cheese.

Sailors Paid To Smuggle Letters

How German Plotters Get Mail Into United States

Federal authorities investigating suspected methods of communication between the United States and Germany announced the seizure of a bundle of letters, including communications which, arriving from the central powers, apparently were intended to reach Alexander von Nuber formerly Austrian consul-general in New York. Von Nuber left after the government investigated charges that he shipped reservists to Austria under fraudulent passports in 1915.

How the letters now confiscated were to reach von Nuber has not been disclosed nor was his present whereabouts announced. The letters were brought by sailors on a Scandinavian steamship and delivered to a saloon keeper in Hoboken. The plan, according to the investigators, was for the mail to be re-addressed so that it would appear to be correspondence from the United States.

The sailors admitted they were paid to smuggle mail past the British censors and promised to testify for the government if needed. Some of the letters were addressed to persons in New Zealand, Australia and India.

Red Tape in France

An incident at a French port which shows that red tape is not unknown on the other side of the channel even yet is related by the Club in the Pall Mall Gazette. The big hoists ceased to work because the supply of coal had run out. For 18 hours they remained at a standstill until at last a supply was delivered. Meantime the British transport officer fumed and threatened and pointed to his cargo waiting to be unloaded—4,000 tons of coal!

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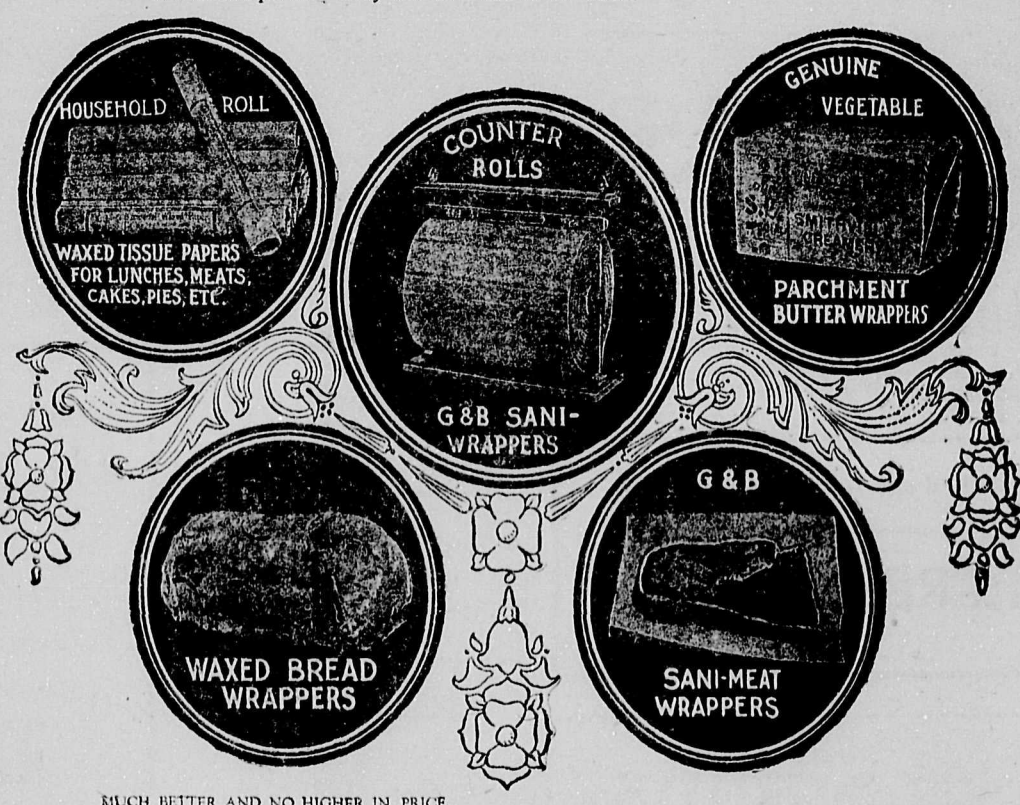

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Stranded In England

Pathetic Position of Canadian Women Who Went Overseas

According to the London newspapers, about 40,000 dependents of Canadian soldiers are stranded in this country—wives and children who either followed their menfolk across to be as near them as possible while they were on active service, or came over to see them in hospital after they had been wounded.

They are not stranded in the ordinary sense of the word, for no cases of want have been reported. But it seems impossible for them to return to Canada now or for some time to come, owing to lack of passenger accommodation, and it is stated that even were the war to end soon fully eighteen months must elapse before tonnage could be spared to transport a large body of people.

The position of some of these Canadian visitors is pathetic. There are many whose menfolk are actually back in Canada themselves, wounded and discharged from the army. Others have lost those whom they followed to this country, and are anxious to return to their homes and relatives. Recently the admiralty has been able to find room for a few women and children on returning transports, and it is hoped to continue this assistance.

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Official Announcement Is Eagerly Awaited

Result of 'Comb Out' in Britain Is Kept Secret

The result of England's great spring "combing out" to raise an army of 500,000 for Sir Wm. Robertson is eagerly awaited. Absolute secrecy has surrounded the details of the nation's latest effort to procure men. Whether the full complement of 500,000 has been obtained will not be known until the official announcement, but it is certain that several hundred thousand of those hitherto exempted have been drafted.

The "comb out' 'plan started with a withdrawal of many men from formerly "protected" occupations, chiefly the munitions factories, where older men from less essential trades took the places. A rigid search for slackers was also instituted.

Popular sentiment throughout England has supported the "comb out." This is almost England's last sweep of humanhood. If it has failed, or if still more men are required, one of two things is inevitable—the raising of the age limits, or the withdrawal of men essential in industry.

Preparing for To-morrow

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Dogs Of War In Macedonia

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Everywhere are the dogs in Macedonia. In this country of shepherds every peasant's cottage has a moving fringe of dogs. In the east the dog is neither fed nor petted, so that he feels himself an outcast and despised. During this war one army and then the other has swept over northern Macedonia, driving the peasants before them. The dogs have been left behind. At night one hears them howling on the desolate hills.

The tainted breeze that came down the valley hints at the ghastly food on which they live. By day every man shoots at every dog save the few that cling close to an inhabited cottage. They slink, coyote fashion, behind rocks. At night one hears their feet padding behind him on the lonely roads. Their eyes shine in the flare of the electric torch. Everyone carries arms in Macedonia at night, not against man, but as a protection against the dogs.—Herbert Gray in the National Geographic Magazine.

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Censorship Of Outgoing Cables

U. S. Believes Valuable Information Is Reaching the Teutons

Censorship of outgoing cables undoubtedly will be made much more rigid to prevent spies from sending information to the enemy. Many officials believe information is reaching Germany now in the form of commercial messages cabled from the United States to European neutral countries. Already it is said the government in cases that excite suspicion is changing the wording of messages.

Reports that German insurance companies operating in this country have easy access to confidential information having to do with shipping and the despatch of troops has prompted the government to investigate their activities. Secretary Redfield said he thought the operation of these companies should be kept under a close and continuous scrutiny.

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Ruined Ability

Will This Man Yet Make Good?

A remarkable story was told of the career of Roger H. Moey-Levy, aged 25, who was charged at Westminster with wearing an officer's uniform and decorations without authority. Joining the army in Australia, the accused, who was said to possess great ability, obtained a commission and served in Egypt, but was dismissed for drunkenness and sent back to Australia.

Qualified as a master mariner, he returned to England, got to New York and "skipped" to Canada. There he joined the Mounted Rifles, became a scout sergeant, and was chosen with others for service in the R.F.C. in England.

Again his abilities were recognized and, anticipating his promotion, he obtained a captain's uniform and was found wearing the D.S.O., with Zulu, Egypt, and other decorations to which he was not entitled, and passing as Captain Maxwell Farnham.

He escaped from arrest, and, dismissed from the Flying Corps, enlisted in the machine gun section of the New Zealand forces, where his antecedents were found out.

Mr. Horace Smith, the judge, said he seemed a very clever man—too clever.

Captain Shand: Yes. And he is not a coward. I believe he wanted to get back to the fighting line, but unfortunately his record is not good enough. His ruin has been his desire to put on "swank" and fast living. He obtained 70 pounds from one officer in the Flying Corps, but he had a reasonable expectation that he could repay it when he got a commission.

When arrested the defendant said his one desire was to "make good yet." His last enlistment was with a view of getting to France. Mr. Horace Smith sentenced him to two months' hard labor.

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Back To The Fatherland

Exodus of Hebrews From All Parts of the World to Holy Land Anticipated by Strauss

A Jewish nation with modern cities, a free government and a population of two million, will be established in Palestine after the war, in the opinion of Nathan Strauss, philanthropist.

He looks for a marked exodus of Jews from the United States and other countries, back to their fatherland. Religious Jews, he believes, will not hesitate to give up their wealth and property in America and return to Palestine to fulfill the Biblical prophecy. Strauss also expects thousands of Christians to go there.

"We will establish a government along whatever lines the allies suggest," declared Strauss. "There is no selfishness about it. The Bible says we will have our own country back and the Allies are winning it back. They must decide what is best."

He indicated, however, that a republican form of government under a protectorate of the powers would be best. Asked whether the country would be modernized, as Manilla has been, he said:

"Given half a chance, we will make it the paradise of the earth. It will be up-to-date in every particular. The Palestine soil is better than that of California—I'm satisfied of that through my own experiments. The Jewish nation will be self-supporting. I don't think we will establish great industries and compete in the world trade because the country will be more of a religious community than a commercial one. Palestine will support two million people, and it only has 600,000 now. Educationally and religiously it will be the promised land of the whole world."

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German Writes Of Revolt Ahead

Letter on Prisoner Tells of Capitalists Fears; Poor Fight Put Up by Hun Airmen

Reports from the British front contain extracts from the letter of a German soldier found in a captured dugout. It says:

"My Dear Boy:—I can't tell you how sorry I am you are being led to the slaughter bench, but I have sworn if any misfortune overtake you I will have revenge on the dogs who let you in for this. The cowardly capitalist party is terribly afraid of the revolution which is coming as soon as the war is ended, or before."

The captured diary of a German stretcher-bearer, beginning May 27, alludes continually to the fact the British shells deprive the Germans of shelter, wipe out their dugouts, and force them into the open. There are many references in captured letters to British air supremacy, in which there are many sneers at the poor fight put up by the German airmen.

Some mention the fact it is much safer to bombard open towns than to fly over the British lines.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Russian Prisoners Starve in Germany

Many hundred thousands of Russian prisoners in Germany have already died and more are dying from famine and tuberculosis, according to a letter sent by Messrs. Borodine and Sakhnovsk of the Russian mission to the Red Cross War Council. The prisoners receive "less than one-half a pound of bread per day and besides this a very small quantity of unwholesome potatoes and the worst kind of coffee," the letter said.

The Red Cross is asked by the commission to do everything possible to obtain from Copenhagen at the present time a quantity of bread sufficient at least for the first month, while Russian organizations are preparing to meet the difficulty.

May Declare War

Funds of Teutons Will Be Seized if Mexico Plunges

According to prominent Mexicans, who assert that war will be declared against Germany within a month, all German money in Mexico City, Torreon, Chihauhau City and other banks will be seized as soon as war is declared; the German boats in Tampico and other ports will be seized, thereby giving Mexico a much-needed merchant fleet, and all Germans will either be interned or deported at once, their properties being confiscated. The Tampico oil fields will be made safe for the oil supply of the Allied fleets by declaring a zone in which traffic would be restricted, and the mines, smelters and mills reopened at once to produce munitions metals for the Allies.

SAVE THE CHILDREN

Mothers who keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house may feel that the lives of their little ones are reasonably safe during the hot weather. Stomach troubles, cholera infantum and diarrhoea carry off thousands of little ones every summer, in most cases because the mother does not have a safe medicine at hand to give promptly. Baby's Own Tablets cure these troubles, or if given occasionally to the well child will prevent their coming on. The Tablets are guaranteed by a government analyst to be absolutely harmless even to the newborn babe. They are especially good in summer because they regulate the bowels and keep the stomach sweet and pure. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Disgusted With War

Scarcity of Food Sowing Seeds of Discontent Among Teutons

The appearance of the Rumanian troops, their equipment and their artillery, are all excellent. The orders given to the Prussian divisions on the Rumanian front are that the soldiers shall keep on a strict defensive and never show themselves out of the trenches. As soon as the intense artillery fire increases, the Germans hurriedly leave the first line trenches.

The artillery is provided at present with inferior material. Prisoners taken lately confess that they are very much disgusted with the war. Scarcity of food is becoming greater and the ration of bread, which is of bad quality, has been reduced in quantity. The only thing which prevents the men deserting is the threat that their families in Germany will be subjected to vexations by the government.

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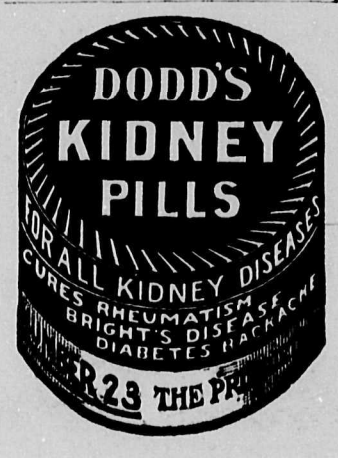
Knitting for American Navy

Women have not been able to monopolize the knitting craze in Milwaukee. There is an old man at 2121 Vliet street, who can rattle the knitting needles faster than most feminine knitters. Until recently he has been knitting for pastime. Hereafter he is going to knit for the navy. The man knitter is Freiderich Droese, 78 years old, who learned to knit when he was a shepherd boy in Pommern, Germany.



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Note and Comment

The Winnipeg convention has not resulted in the consolidation of of the western Libers by any means and we might remark, fortunately for the good name and patriotism of those Liberals who place Canada and the Empire before Laurier and office. The B. C. delegates left for that convention with a great fanfare of trumpets, and came back apparently unconscious of what they had surrendered. Listen to what "an old fashioned Liberal" writing in the Saskatoon Saturday Press and Prairie Farm, a Liberal journal says about them. 'The British Columbia delegates whose noise reminded you of empty vessels were moved by real estate considerations in the city of Victoria and Prince Rupert," No wonder that men like Dr. Michael Clark, of Red Deer, Alta. have had to declare that they cannot work under Laurier, and side by side with such men as these, Meanwhile, Sir Robert Borden, in spite of the mud slinging of the Little Canada press which dares to assume that all Liberals are Little Canadians—Sir Robert Borden is going ahead with his national government scheme Not an easy job by any means, especially since men like Bob Rogers on the Conservative side, one of the few who were blocking the path, have had to be got rid of, but a far finer piece of work than Laurier's low down truckling to the French-Canadian disloyalty and socialistic sedition.

Sir Robert Borden, by the appearance of things, will have the western farmers behind him, and their representatives in his cabinet It is well known that the prairie farmers had no use for Laurier in time of peace, because of his many manufacturing interest supporters who were determined to block any lowering of the tariff. That Laurier has now promised this, and a hundred and one other things will not deceive the farmers, Let B. C. see to it that the poor showing of her Liberal delegates at Winnipeg be wiped out by the return of every Union Government candidate

We do not know whether the trades and labor councils in this province are representative of la-labor, but their trend of opinion appears to be against prohibition and against conscription. That blessed word, "Liberty" may explain their attitude on each matter, but we feel sure that it is grossly libellous to assume that the working man would have B C. a wet province, and Canada a refuge for slackers and shirkers. Liberty is being fought for in Europe just now' not a liberty of license, but a disciplined libety, the liberty that is good and wholesome that tends to make life pleasant and endurable for all, rather than for the strong only.

"'Our French-Canadians are rooted to the soil'" proclaims the Senator Ghoquette. So were the Belgians.—Ottawa Journal Press.

Three years ago Sunday Aug. 26 the first artillery draft of seventy men left Victoria for the front, to be followed two days later by over five hundred infantry men. Some of these heroes are still fighting, and distinguished themselves near Lens only a few days ago. By rights, they should have been reinforced by another hundred thousand men in addition to those already sent. But Sir Wilfred Laurier would have a referendum first to decide the matter. So much for hungry politicians, who of course do not feel the war as the soldier or the working man does, A German air raid on Quebec would soon rob Laurier of his supporters. The pity of it all is that the Canadian soldiers are being led to distrust Canada and the poeple who decreed them off to the war, by selfish and disloyal conduct of the Little Canada party. Comox Atlin will know how to handle it for there is no German secret service money circulating in this electoral district.

The children's pennies have helped to retrave the cost of the war shrines in many of London's mean streets, and of the Daily Chroricle in the east end reports one of the results. A very small boy, noticing a non-susbscribing juvenile about to do some mischief to a shrine, assumed a threatening air and exclaimed, "You touch it, that's all, and see what I'll give you. There's tuppence of mine there."

It was not to be expected that the Prime Minister of Saskatchewan, recently returned to power by the French and foreign vote, would support a union government or a win the war movement,

The following guests were registered at the Riverside last week. W. Johnson, F. Thompson, A. C Lochead, N. McConnon, Mrs. C. Hoyt, C, Hunter, R. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. M Grant, A. Ezzy, T. Barrie, J. Reedy, T. Wood· M A. Levy, T, Yasunaka, from Vancouver; P Petrokon J. Fox, F. A. Porter, V. Harrison, J. Baird, T. Nevins, from Nanaimo; W. Haight L. Shepherd, A. Fraser, F. McGregor J. Goodfellow, from Victoria L. Green, C, Sisk, W. Jackson, A. Limberg, from Headquarters Mr. and Mrs. A, Reynolds, Pasadena, T. Waters, Pasadena, Cal,: Mrs. C. Slawson, Spokane, Wash. J. Kronewethe Blanchard, B, C.: J. Holt, BOWSER, B. C.

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A small blaze was discovered in the debris at the foot of the new stairway Mr. McPhee is having built to his block, evidently started from a cigar or cigarette end carelessly dropped by a passing pedestrian. A bucket of water from the Review office well, skilfully applied by Mr. Wm. Swan quickly squelched the blaze, but it is appaling to think of what might have happened had the flames broken out at night.

A week ago Sunday Ex-Ald. Johnston observed two of his neighbors heifers running at large. He made it his business to go down town and hunt up the constable and assist him in taking the animals to the city pound, The owners were notified and both refused to redeem their animals. Some time on Tuesday the animals escaped from the pound and the city was apparently out the amount of fees and the cost of keeping the animals two days. The constable, urged by Mr. Johnston thereupon laid an information against Ald. Leighton and L. Berkley for permitting their cattle to run at large, also against Mr. McCourt for allowing his horse to run at large These came before Magistrate Hames on Tuesday evening, when the offenders were fined $2 and costs each, A large number of citizens gathered expecting to see some fire works, but nothing happened.

Auguste Lemieux, a brother of the late Postmaster General, and prospective Liberal candidate for Ottawa, is more candid than some of his leaders. He said recently at a public meeting that the main thing was to win the election,

It is wonderful the confidence some of the critics of the the government put in the government. They find fault with it for not taking over this industry or that and running it for the people, That shows a confidence that is touching.

Hon. Mr. Lougheed, leading the Senate, warned the senators that if the Militia Service Bill was defeated the government might drop it and put the more dra.tic Militia Act into operation. They therefore gave it a good majority, being afraid, no doubt, that in its place the Government would enforce the Militia Act as left them by Sir Wilfred Laurier.

Letters to the Editor

Editor Courtenay Review

Dear Sir:—Can you tell us why one of the Police Commissioners for the City of Courtenay is allowed to drive his auto at from 30 to 40 miles per hour in the city limits while the rest of us have to conform to the city speed laws?

It would also be interesting to know why the city authorities cut the thistles alongside the dam and left them standing on one of the Aldermen's property alongside the river.

Yours truly
Old Subscriber,

[The only explanation we can give is that kissing goes by favor. —Ed.]

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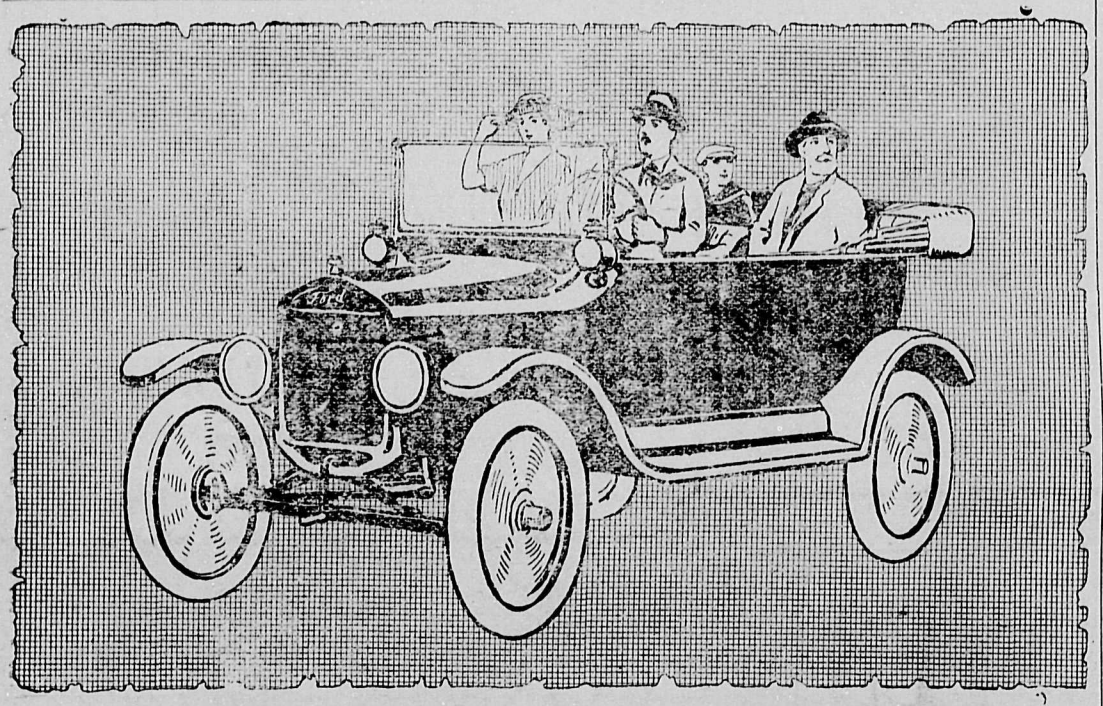

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Care of Horses

The horse always has been recognized as man's closest animal companion, and it is a question as to whether the man ever lived who did not delight in driving or riding a good horse. This subject is of particular interest to every man who raises or handles horses. An old saying is that eggs and colts are much alike, for they must be broken before they can be used.

The proper breaking of a colt, says John Buckler, who has charge of the live stock at the Iowa experiment station, determines in large part the future usefulness of the horse, and no man who has dealt in horses and experienced difficulties in their management will deny that there is much room for improvement in that line. Every day brings fresh illustrations of improper breaking. Less than a week ago a man drove down to the experiment station barn, driving a horse that had been handled for more than two years that had not been taught to back. This is only one of many similar cases.

Besides the losses resulting from improper breaking, thousands of dollars are lost to the farmers every year by selling horses that have not been properly fitted for sale.

In breaking, the first thing to be considered is the nature of the horse. The dispositions of no two horses are exactly alike. There is also a great difference in the draft temperament and those more highly bred, such as trotting and coach horses, the former requiring much less preparatory handling than the latter.

After studying closely the disposition of the colt, the next step is to halter, and in this, as well as all other periods of the breaking, the person in charge should exercise patience. The colt should be gotten into some shed or box stall, preferably one with a ground floor, so there will be no danger of slipping. Now, with halter, to which is attached 15 feet of rope, gently work around the colt, caressing him as much as possible, so as to win his confidence, and when he sees you are not going to hurt him you can usually put the halter on without any trouble. Now, presuming this colt to be one that will pull on the halter, take the loose end of the rope and pass it through a hole in the manger or around a post, back between the fore legs, around the girth and tie. The colt is now tied by both head and body. Step back and let him fight it out, which will take only a short time. And when tied in this way there is no danger of injury as is sometimes the case when tied by the head only. As soon as he gives up pulling go to him and caress him, and by so doing give him to understand that you are his friend. It is well to leave him tied for some little time, after which he may be led.

Leading is a very important part. A horse well broken to lead is more attractive, easier to handle, and will command a higher price in the market than one that is not. In training to lead, always teach the colt to walk beside you and never allow him to follow along behind, as is often done. This can be done by taking a whip in the left hand, touching him up a little from behind. After being well trained to walk beside you, encourage him to trot.

Fisherman are reported to be making as high as $50 per day fishing opposite Campbell River.

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The pilot thereupon put his nose down and landed right on a British airodrome!

When the machine landed, soldiers went out to fetch in the prisoners, and at first they thought the pilot had brought the machine away by himself, as there was no sign of a passenger. Then they looked into the after cockpit, however, and found the gunner curled up in a heap on the floor. They thought he was dead or badly hit, and were considering which was the best way to get him out when they were startled by a loud snore from the cockpit.

Thereupon they yanked the gentleman out by the collar and found there was not a scratch on him. He was merely gloriously drunk and asleep.

The pilot, who was described as "comfortably oiled," smiled benignly on his captors and remarked that but for his drunken gunner he would have put up a decent fight, but in the circumstances he thought he had done all he could.

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"The United States has the power of making any bargain and stipulation it thinks proper with these neutrals, and this is a very important weapon against Germany. The foodstuffs which Germany obtains from Holland and Denmark alone must be measured in hundreds of thousands of tons, while the mineral and fish exports of the Scandinavian nations are of vital importance to Germany."

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Real Mermaids In Hamilton

Spaniard Possesses Two Most Curious Creatures, Half Human, Half Fish

J. E. Smith, a Spaniard residing in Hamilton, Ont., possesses two creatures that are probably unique. He considers them to be mermaids. Though these are described as "fabled" or "fictitious" creatures in the dictionaries, the creatures in Mr. Smith's hands have heads shaped like those of human beings and bodies that are distinctly fish-like. One is much larger than the other, and is considered to be the mother, and reckoned to be 300 years old. Both have fine hair like a human being, and a small moustache and beard. The head is attached to a human-like neck which merges into the fish-like body, and the arms are something like those of a monkey, only that the fingers are webbed. He has been offered $700 for his curios. It is said that the creatures were found in the wreck of a ship in the Arabian Sea.

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Where to Look for Immigrants

J. S. Dennis of the C.P.R. says, "Canada's hope for new population lies in the U.S., and N.W. Europe." It is obvious that immigration can only be carried on in the British Isles incidentally. In the United States there is a great number of young men who leave the farms for big cities yearly as land is not procurable. By placing good inducements before them they might perhaps be persuaded to come to Canada.

A Healthful Promotion

He—I seed your son, Garge, the other day, Mrs. Weeks; 'e be much stouter than when I seed 'im last.

She—Yes; he be filled out proper—they've made a lance corpulent of 'im now, Mr. Gurney.—Tatler.

Increase in C.P.R. Earnings

For the month of April the C.P.R. shows an increase of net profits of $441,241.65 over the corresponding month last year.

The company is talking of increasing their freight rates 15 per cent. The net profits do not look as though this is necessary at the present time. Net profits for the first four months of this year: $12,520,822.74—which is an increase of $990,005.44 over the net profits during the corresponding four months of last year.

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Merchandise Washed Ashore Salvaged by Villagers

"It's an ill wind that blows nobody good"; and though times have been hard for the inhabitants of the East Coast towns of England this war time, there are many dwellers by the sea who have profited in an unexpected, though tragic manner, by the "frightfulness" of the Hun.

The ravages of the U-boats have added materially to the harvest of the sea, and during the past few months whole shiploads of merchandise have been washed ashore to be salved by the villagers.

The spoils have consisted principally of timber and margarine, though earlier in the season the Hun sent us a cargo of fruit—the fruit in many cases sound and eatable. A few weeks ago great tubs and cases of butter and margarine came rolling in on the waves.

A large quantity was quite uneatable, and the rest sandy and soaked with sea water, was collected in carts for distribution to munition factories, first going through some cleansing process.

This salvage work forms a profitable side line for the villagers. Each man marks his individual heap with his name, carts and wagons collect the spoils for the admiralty, and the salvors eventually obtain for their labor two-thirds of the value of the goods when they have been sold.

At the present moment, at one small place on the East Coast, there is timber awaiting disposal salved from a recent wreck to the tune of some hundreds of pounds, of which amount, roughly, two-thirds benefit the local gatherers.

Family Trait

At the annual prize day of a certain school, the head boy rose to give his recitation.

"Friends, Romans, countrymen," he vociferated, "lend me your ears."

"There," commented the mother of a defeated pupil, sneeringly, "that's Mrs. Biggs' boy! He wouldn't be his mother's son if he didn't want to borrow something."—Tit-Bits.

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Turkish Army's Serious Condition

According to reliable advices from Asia-Minor the Turkish army is in the most serious plight of any period of the war on account of the depletion of man-power from the ravages of epidemics and from actual starvation as a result of the failure of the commissariat. All classes of the gendarmeiere are mobolized to fill the gaps.

It is said the spread of mutiny among Arab and Kurd troops has become so alarming that Enver Pasha, the Turkish war minister, is rushing to Mesopotamia in an effort to cope with them.

It is usually safe to say that when a child is pale, sickly, peevish and restless, the cause is worms. These parasites range the stomach and intestines, causing serious disorders of the digestion and preventing the infant from deriving sustenance from food. Miller's Worm Powders, by destroying the worms, corrects these faults of the digestion and serves to restore the organs to healthy action.

Changing Interests

"Educational standards change in war time."

"Yes. In peace, education is devoted to reading and writing. In war, it's feeding and fighting."—Washington Star.

HOW IS YOUR APPETITE?

Loss of appetite during the summer months is a common trouble, and indicates that the digestive system is out of order. Lacking a healthy appetite many people—especially women—go too long without food, or eat sparingly because food seems to distress them, and it is no wonder that they complain that they are constantly tired and unable to stand the hot weather. This simply means that the digestive system is not doing its proper work, and that the nutriment that should come from the food is not being distributed to the various organs of the body. In other words the blood is growing thin and watery

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The professor was showing a friend round his chemical laboratory. "What has become of Jim Fillbottle?" the friend asked. "Wasn't he studying with the class last year?"

"Ah, yes," replied the professor. "Fillbottle, poor fellow! A fine student, but absentminded in the use of chemicals—very. That slight discoloration on the ceiling—notice it?"

"Yes."

"That's Fillbottle."—Wit and Humor.

Martyr to Duty

Mrs. Fashionplate—Poor dear Mrs. Upperton is to be buried today. Are you going to the funeral?

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Manitoba produced 800,000 pounds of honey in 1916, and the estimate for 1917 is 1,000,000 pounds.—Journal of Agriculture.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

In Bad Repute

The heathen are understood to be pretty thoroughly ashamed of Christian Prussia, and we guess about all the real admirers she has left are the hyenas.—Ohio State Journal.

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Two Train Loads of Cattle Imported

A large shipment of Hereford stockers, consitsing of 2,443 head, has just been made from Mureto, Texas, to Wiseton, Saskatchewan. It consisted of two train loads of thirty cars each. The cattle to be placed on the ranch of a large ranching company in Saskatchewan.

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WILL SECURE COAST REGION OF PALESTINE FIRST

British Forces Selected Finest Season Of The Year For Their Entrance Into Holy Land — Occasional Showers Mitigate The Heat And Malaria Can Be Avoided

Military men do not believe the British forces now in Palestine will attempt any immediate advance toward Jerusalem. The Holy City, they say, is for the present a secondary consderaton. It s consdered unlikely that the capture of Jerusalem will be attempted until all the coast region of Palestine is secured, which may take some time in the conditions of modern warfare.

The strength of Jerusalem for defence is very great. This not not due to her ancient walls and towers, nor to the trenches which the Turks have dug roundabout, but to the fact that the city lies about 2,400 feet above sea level ,encircled by rugged mountains, while the few passes are in deep valleys, capable of easy defence. It was only conditions of natural strength that enabled the kingdom of Judah to outlive that of Israel by considerably more than a century, that made possible the Jewish uprising against the Greco-Syrians, and two centuries later, prolonged the resistance of the Jews against the Romans.

Against an army advancing from Egypt, Jerusalem is secured by wilderness frontiers to the east and south, while no attack is possible from the north until the Plain of Esdraelon is secured. The western frontier presents a long wall of mountain. Southwest, the newly-made military road running to Beersheba would present a long line of very difficult advance. The pass up the valleys Es Sant and Es Sur, through which Antiochus V. made a successful attack with camels and elephants in 163 B.C., would only be suitable for mountain guns, and could hardy be used for the main attack. The direct routes are by way of the railway through the valley of Sorek, a long winding way through a deep gorge, very easily defended and the more open, but still difficult high road a little further north. Probably the entrances to both these valleys are well fortified.

The difficulties are so great that it is believed a modern military expedition would, as has occurred several times in history, leave Jerusalem itself as the last aim of the campaign. If the approaches on every side are captured, the city itself must fall; in all probability the Turkish army would hasten to extricate itself before the last avenue was closed. The fate of Jerusalem has several times before this been settled in the plains.

The British forces selected the finest season of the year for their entrance into the Holy Land. From April to June the country is at its best climatically. The fields of Philista are green with young corn, affording abundant fodder for horses and camels; the ground has hardened since the winter's rains, and fresh zreezes and occasional showers mitigate the heat. Malaria, which makes camping dangerous in the plains during the summer and autumn, is now of a mild type and can usually be avoided. North of Gaza there should be no lack of water or provender for the army.

The King and the Fuse Girl

Liked Because He Is Human and a Worker

His Majesty, King George, paid a surprise visit to a fuse factory in London. On reaching the second floor, 800 girls stopped work, raised their fuse caps, and then broke into a loud, ringing welcome cheer. "Why," he remarked to his equerry, "they are as jolly as school children going for a picnic."

Next day, one of the grils, who lives out Hammersmith way, was asked what she thought of the event. "I liked the King's eyes. He didn't wander all over the outfit. He just struck the right thing all the time, and as he passed my bench he smiled at me. Why? Because I looked straight at him. That's it. And Why? Well, a brother of mine was a choir boy at Windsor, and one day King George patted him on the back for his singing and good behavior at prayers. How did the King know that, now, unless he was just like the rest of us, thinking of something else at prayer time? That boy lies today somewhere in France, and you can understand how tears came into my eyes when the King passed by. He didn't know the meaning of my tears. God bless him. He is a worker, and he don't go tripping round the front and telling the fellows that God and he are a sort of twin directors running the world for their own special entertainment. Our King serves the people, and we like him. And that's all there is to it. It is the parliament that makes the laws, and if they are bad it's no use blaming it on to King George and Queen Mary."

Spy Net Tightened

Teutons Ordered to Make Themselves Scarce

All Germans formerly connected with the German embassy or any other of the many consulates in America have been requested to leave the United States. Notification that their presence in America is undesirable has been sent to them by the state department.

The Germans, who principally are clerks or servants, were not told that they were suspected of being spies. The inference that their loyalty to the kaiser might make it difficult for them to remain in this country without attempting to send information of a military character to their government was made clear.

Among the first to go will be Heinrich Schaafhausen, formerly attached to the German embassy, but left behind by Count von Bernstorff, and since attached to the department of German interests of the Swiss legation. In addition to Schaafhausen there is a long train of clerks and servants—at least they have served in such capacities in this country—althought this government has no means of knowing definitely what the exact status of most of them is with the German government. There is ground for belief that some of them are persons of more importance to the German intelligence system.

Dr. George Barthelme, the author of the much-discussed despatch to the Cologne Gazette at the time diplomatic relations were severed, still is in Washington, but is required to report to certain government officials in person twice a week.

Although the bulk of the German and Austrian embassy staffs departed with their ambassadors, two of Germany's allies still have their representatives here.

Abdul Hak Hussein Bey, in charge of the Turkish embassy, pleaded with the state department not to insist on his departure. His wife is an English woman and on the ground that her health might be effected by going to Constantinople the Bey has been permitted to remain here. The Bulgarian minister also is still at his legation.

There are many indications that the government is taking steps to tighten the spy net and make even more difficult the getting of military information to Germany.

New Type Machines

Flew in Same Formation as Geese, Which Made Hits Difficult

In official circles it has been definitely concluded that twenty-two German airplanes participated in the raid on London. The raiders were of the Gotha type of machine. These are three times the size of the single seaters and would therefore appear to be flying at a third of the height that smaller machines would seem to be. The immense size of the new type also would give the impression that the airplanes were flying slow whereas they travelled between 76 and 80 miles an hour.

When over London the raiders were always within range of the anti-aircraft guns, which the authorities say, registered many hits, though none of the Germans were brought down by the artillery. British airmen often returned from the German lines with machines punctured by bullets and pilots wounded, so it is not surprising that the difficult targets were not brought down over London. The raiders flew like geese a formation most difficult to break up and destroy.

Though the program of London's defences is completed it is not claimed that no improvement is possible as no general ever is satisfied with the size of his army.

A Million Dollars' Worth of Autos

What is said to be the largest single order for automobiles ever placed in Canada was signed a few days ago by a firm in Lethbridge, Alberta. It calls for the delivery of one million dollars' worth of automobiles to be delivered during the next fourteen months. The cars are of a moderate-priced make, and as the market for them is mainly among farmers, the placing of this order is an excellent indication of the prosperity prevailing among farmers in Southern Alberta. It also indicates that in the opinion of the dealers the prospects for the 1917 crop are as good as for any previous year.

A gentleman was put out of patience by some blunder of Paddy, his new groom.

"Look here!" he cried in his anger. "I won't have things done in this way. Do you think I'm a fool?"

"I can't say, sir," answered Paddy, "I only came yesterday."

Interesting Letter From Front Trenches

The following interesting letter from a well known and popular Regina boy, who has been at the front alo ost from the beginning of the war, will prove interesting and speaks for itself:

"Hon. W. M. Martin,
Premier of Saskatchewan.

Dear Mr. Martin:—

The subject of this letter is the 5th Canadian Infantry Battalion, and my reasons for addressing you on this subject are that the 5th Canadian Infantry Battalion is the first Saskatchewan battalion and you are the Premier of the province.

When war broke out in July, 1914, the mobilization orders were very unusual, instead of battalions being formed at home they went forward to Valcartier in small detachments, from the centres where they joined the colors. Consequently the Western Canadians had no means of distinguishing in the numerals of the first sixteen battalions the particular battalions which were made up of men from their province.

The men who went from Saskatchewan were recruited half by the militia infantry and half by the cavalry militia, the latter volunteering at the outset for service as infantry and in order to preserve their identity, the Western cavalry were formed into a composite battalion known as the 5th Canadian Infantry Battalion, (Western Cavalry) which was made up originally of: 12th Manitoba Dragoons; 16th Saskatchewan Light Horse; 27th Saskatchewan Light Horse; 29th Saskatchewan Light Horse; 30th British Columbia Light Horse; 31st British Columbia Light Horse; 35th Central Alberta Horse the Corps of Guides (Saskatchewan) and on leaving Valcartier the Western provinces in the approximate proportions—of Saskatchewan 75 per cent.; Manitoba, ten per cent.; British Columbia, ten per cent. and Alberta five per cent.

Before proceeding to France from England it was decided to use four battalions as a reserve to the three brigades proceeding to the front, and about two hundred men, constituting the Saskatchewan Company of the 11th Canadian Infantry Battalion were at once transferred to the 5th Canadian Infantry Battalion, so that amongst the units which proceeded to the front with the first Canadian division, the province of Saskatchewan was solely represented by one infantry battalion, namely the 5th.

Owing to the methods of organization which I have mentioned and the various changes which took place, the people of Canada lost trace to a certain extent of the regiments which really represented their especial localities and although the other regiments of the first division were very early claimed by the provinces from which their men came, Saskatchewan never claimed the 5th, but Moose Jaw and Yorkton as local centres occasionally showed some interest.

After the second battle of Ypres and the stirring engagements of Festubert and Givenchy, the orders of the day were filled with congratulatory messages from various provinces and principal towns of Canada. There was no message, however, from Saskatchewan or any city in the province. This want of enthusiasm was, of course, of minor importance, but the failure of Saskatchewan to show interest or in any way support their battalion has been felt rather severely.. The question of regimental funds on proceeding overseas to France was a very serious one but for the generosity of a few personal friends of the senior officers there would have been much suffering during the fall and winter of 1915. At no time have we had a large fund nor has much opportunity ever presented itself to enable us by our own efforts to create a fund. The canteen arrangements at Valcartier were most irregular, none of the profits found their way to regimental funds for the benefit of the men. During our stay in England the profits of the British canteens operating in Canadian area, were paid into regimental coffers and were spent on comforts for the men in England, with the exception of 30 pounds, which sum supplanted by a donation of 60 pounds made by Moose Jaw friends of our former colonel, were the only moneys which were at the disposal of our commanding officer for regimental purposes.

Shortly after coming to France we organized a dry canteen for the purpose of supplying the men with such incidentals as they might wish to purchase. The profits, of course, going to our regimental fund. From other canteens in the field a percentage of profits was also received and by this means a small fund has been at our constant disposal out of which to provide, although very inadequately, extras for the men in supplement to issue rations, etc.

The question might be asked—What does a regiment in the field need in addition to government supplies and comforts sent forward for the benefit of the men by the various institutions such as the Canadian War Contingent Association?—and in answer to this I might enumerate some of the things which we have found it necessary to purchase during the two years which this battalion has been at the front in France and Belgium.

In the early days it was necessary to purchase even the lumber to make the crosses which marked the graves of our dead. Wherever possible fresh fruit and vegetables have been purchased to vary the diet, it is our invariable practice to give the men hot cocoa during the cold weather. This is served to them from 3 a.m. to 5 a.m., and is the very best thing to warm them after their all night vigil in the trenches. This alone costs us $250 a month. Footballs, baseball and cricketing outfits have been purchased so that they might have a bit of sport when opportunity offered. Our prisoners of war in Germany have never been forgotten and in many cases the dependents of soldiers in the field have been assisted. We have spent three Christmases away from home and every effort has been made on each occasion to give the men as good a time as possible. The battalion enjoys of course, a distinctive regimental badge and these have been purchased and issued free of charge to the men. During the winter months coal is purchased to keep the men warm. To-day, as a battalion, we are however, unable to look after our men as well as we would like to because we are almost out of funds.

This letter, therefore, is written for the purpose of securing assistance and in the hope that an interest may be created among the people of our province in this battalion.

In this brigade, which is purely Western, the other battalions are well looked after by their respective provinces and generous donations have been made by Manitoba, Alberta and British Columbia, and as regards the Eastern provinces, they have taken care that their battalions in this division have never wanted for funds. One battalion received the sum of $2,500 at Christmas time and another battalion in this brigade received amongst other donations 50 pounds per month.

At Christmas time this year we were able to provide a very respectable spread for the men, but this fact was accomplished by every officer going down into his pocket and by the men also assisting out of their pay.

(To Be Continued.)

Cheaper Poultry Feed

Millers Requested to Put Cleanings On Market

On account of the scarcity and high price of feed the poultry industry of this country is threatened by the prospect of the wholesale slaughter of laying stock and a serious falling off in the number of pullets to be matured.

The necessity for retaining for milling every possible bushel of wheat suitable for that purpose need not be emphasized. To provide poultrymen with feed for rearing their young stock without unnecessarily lowering the supplies of milling wheat, the federal Department of Agriculture has requested millers throughout Canada to put on the market the cracked and shrunken wheat removed from grain before it is milled.

In addition to small and broken wheat these cleanings consist chiefly of the seeds of wild buckwheat, a near relative of the cultivated buckwheat. The poultry division of the central experimental farm has used wild buckwheat in feeding experiments and reports it to be a highly satisfactory poultry feed and has ordered two cars of buckwheat screenings for the central and branch experimental farms from the Canadian government elevators at Fort William. Fowls used to good grain do not take to it at first but when they become accustomed to it they eat it readily and do well on it.

The mill cleanings from local flour mills also contain traces of many other weed seeds, including several kinds of mustards. These, however, would not as a rule amount to more than two or three per cent. of the cleanings in the case of the standard grades of Western wheat. This material is specially recommended for backyard, suburban and professional poultrymen. On farms the cleanings from yards and poultry houses where it had been fed would have to be disposed of so as not to disseminate noxious weeds in grain fields.

Those interested in obtaining this class of feed should immediately arrange with local mills or feed dealers for a supply. The mills cannot be expected to keep this material for poultry unless it is demanded for that purpose and that rests with the poultrymen themselves.

Critic—Well, old man, if you want my candid opinion of your picture, all I have to say is, that if that's art, then I'm an ass.

Artist—Oh, that's art right enough!

DROPPED BOMBS IN HEART OF KRUPP'S GREAT MUNITION PLANT

FRENCH AVIATOR RAIDED AND BOMBARDED ESSEN

Daring Flight Was Carried Out Exactly As Planned, The Voyage Being Made In The Darkest Hours Of The Night — Reached Home Scathless After Exciting Journey

The most daring raid yet carried out against the great Krupp munition works at Essen was recounted to a staff correspondent of the Associated Press by Sergeant Maime Gallois, who defied all the German anti-aircraft defenses and bombarded the heart of the German armament—producing factories with high explosives crossed the German front line twice, flew over many Rhenish cities, and reached home scathless.

The whole flight lasted seven hours, during which the daring French aviator was guided only by the moon and stars and the compass as the voyage was made in the darkest hours of the night, the destination being reached exactly according to plan. With Sergeant Gallois were Lieut. Ardisson de Perdeguir, Eergeant Durand and another comrade, Sergt. Gallois said:

"We left our base at nightfall with the intention of reahcing Essen. Soon afterward we ran into foggy weather, and lost sight of each other. I flew at an altitude of 1,200 metres, and passed over Metz and Thionville, following the course of the river Moselle. The batteries fired at me crossin gthe Rhine and as I passed over Metz searchlights played about the sky. At Thionville I heard another airplane nearby, but made it out to be Ardisson's. After that I was compelled to travel by the aid of the compass, the stars and the moon.

At Treves I saw a heavy bombardment which I calculated was directed at my comrade. Therefore I knew I was travelling in the right direction. I did not see Coblenz. I saw the reflection of the moon on the Rhine and found Bonn. From there to Dusseldorff there was a regular sea of electricity, which increased as I got further north.

"Cologne was ablaze with luminosity, and at Dusseldorff there were all kinds of lights, blue, red and white. All the time the anti-aircraft guns fired as I passed, and around Cologne the gunners were very acurate in the range.

"Leaving there I saw, like cliffs on the horizon, a brilliant illumination, which seemed kilometres in length, stretching to the left of Essen, while southward was another long line of lights coming from the factories.

"Arriving over Essen I rose to about two thousand metres. I circled around searching for a place where the lights from the workshops appeared densest.

"Then I threw the first bomb. After counting ten I dropped the second and then the remainder of the ten I carried at similar intervals. I could not tell whether the bombs exploded, but probably they did. It was impossible to distinguish their effect owing to the flaming furnace chimneys.

"My duty done I turned homeward not having seen my comrades again. I came back exactly the same way as I went and was fired at many times."

Lt. Ardisson and Sergt. Durand both returned to the French base, having gone as far as Treves when they found that their supply of gasoline would not permit them to reahc Essen, so they dropped all their bombs on Treves before flying home.

It is believed that the fourth man reached and bombed Essen, but he had not returned to the base.

Supplies to England Small

Report Shows Germany is Receiving Bulk of Exports

Regarding the Dutch minister's statement to the press at Washington, regarding exports of the Netherlands in dairy products that most of these go to England and some to Germany, The Times obtained the following official Dutch figures published in Holland:

For the first quarter of 1917, the exports of Dutch dairy products were: To Germany: Butter, 1,847 metric tons; cheese, 9,216 tons; eggs 3,443 tons; total 14,506 tons. To England: Butter 521 tons; cheese 3,493 tons; eggs 592 tons; total 4,617 tons. Of Dutch butter, cheese and eggs, Germany received last year 138,063 tons; England 9,758 tons. Last year Germany received 122,009 tons of potatoes and 49,314 tons of meat from Holland; England 3,137 tons of potatoes and 9,957 tons of meat. Comment seems unnecessary.

Dutch are Suffering

The Handelsblad says the situation of Dutch shipping is now the most critical of any period of the war owing to the fact that all of Holland's outlets now fall within the danger zone of one or the other of the belligerents. It urges the Dutch government to map out a channel of its own in which Dutch vessels will remove mines and protect Dutch shipping by force of arms.

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Nor from sudden fright.
My joints are not so nimble, John,
My gait a little slow,
I'm not the man I was, John,
Some twenty years ago.

I want to join the army, John—
I'm past the age 'tis true,
When I get over in Flanders, John,
There's something I can do.
If I cannot carry a rifle,
I can pack a smaller gun,
If I cannot get a crack at Bill,
I'll get some other Hun.

I could get in the home guard—
But that's not quite the thing.
I want to go to Flanders. John,
And fight for Britain's king.
When I return to Canada
With half a dozen scars,
I'll show the cowardly slackers
That I've been through the wars.

I want to go to Flanders, John.
Where there's fighting to be done.
Not walk the streets in uniform
And never fire a gun,
The Doctor says, a trifle old—
But thinks me fairly fit—
I've got the warhorse fever, John,
I'm champing on the bit.

I ask not for commission—
Private quite good enough,
'Tis the fighting men we want, boys,
Men of the proper stuff.
We want good men of courage,
Of muscle and of bone,
Men that's not afraid to die—
Let cowards stay at home.

And should I die in Flanders, John,
Will you be so kind
As to speak a word of comfort
To the girl I left behind.
And place this plain inscription
On a slab beside my grave,
That the poet fought for liberty—
He scorned to be a slave.

One favor more I ask, John,
Just a light request—
Wrap me up in the British flag,
The flag that I love best.
The flag that has protected me
From every foreign foe.
It hung above my cradle, John,
More than eighty years ago.

—GEORGE LONEY.

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