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The Fish Warden wishes to call the attention of anglers to the fact that Steelhead may not be taken outside of tidal waters from the 30th of March to the 30th of November both days inclusive.

The Courtenay Condensed Milk Company have brought in 25 Holstein cows which they will dispose of to the farmers in the Valley. They are a fine looking herd, and came from Kelly's ranch near Vancouver.

Otis Boden, who enlisted last fall with the 238th Forestry Battalion has recently been attending the automobile instruction classes at Shorncliffe. In a class of 250 he secured second place in theory and third in driving.

A theatrical performance and dance will be given by the Denman Island Dramatic Club in the Denman Athletic Club hall on Friday, April 27. Admission for Gents, 75 cents, Ladies 50, children 25. Refreshments provided. Proceeds for the Red Cross Society.

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Special General meeting of the Comox Creamery Association on April 21st. 1917, at 8 p. m. o'clock. in the basement of the Presbyterian church. Special business re shares and egg situation. Address by Mr. Terry of Department of Agriculture.

Seed Potatoes—For Sale. Early Rose and Burbanks, Apply to Pritchard & Sons, Comox.

Mammoth White Pekin Duck Eggs for sale, $1.00 per dozen. Book your orders now. Apply at Review Office.

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For highest prices in hides, scrap metal and old rubbers, see W. Douglas, Courtenay.

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Wood For Sale—$4 per load cash Teaming and carting done. L. Alexander, Courtenay.

Mrs B. Towler was "At Home" to a number of friends on Friday evening.

Tomorrow is the last day for entering appeals against the 1917 assesment.

Johnnie Duncan was home from Victoria on a few days leave. A draft of his regiment expects to leave shortly for overseas duty.

Wm. Dingwall left on Monday morning for Victoria where he intends to reside in future. Mrs, Dingwall and family will follow on Friday.

Sergt. Gurney is in town this week recruiting for the Forestry, Battalion, Already a number of young men have signified their intention of going with him, among them being Frank Willoughby and M, Small.

Ticket Number 75 was the winning number for the centrepiece drawn for at Shepherd's store some two months ago. If the holder does not present same on or before May 1st another drawing will be made.

Constables Hannay and McDonald made another raid on a Chinese gambling den at Bevan on Friday evening. They captured nine Chinese. They were haled before Magistrate Bickle next day when the keeper was fined $50 and costs seven were fined $15 and costs, and one was fined $10 and costs.

Mr. Terry of the Department of Agriculture, Victoria, will address the Comox Creamery Association at a general meeting to be held in the basement of the Presbyterian church on Saturday evening next. The Association is contemplating enlarging the scope of their business and intend marketing the eggs produced by their patrons.

Robert Hannay, brother of Jeff Hannay, who came out with the Yukon Volunteer Company last year, and who has been in the Victoria Hospital practically ever since, arrived in town last Friday. After staying here a few days he is going to Cumberland where he will make his home.

W, J, Coard, piano tuner is in the district for a few days. Orders may be left at the Review Office,

Miss Viola Campbell returned from a two week's visit to Victoria on Tuesday.

A bee was held at the home of Mrs .J Parkin on Monday, pressing sewing labels on the Red Cross garments to be packed on Thursday afternoon and sent to Victoria.

The W. A. Jumble Sale held in the Agricultural Hall on Tuesday afternoon was a very successful affair, An excellent short concert was given, afternoon was served, and several drawings took place. The proceeds amounted to $40.50.

While unpacking a crate of eggs on Monday, Mr. Alex. McNeil found a page from the "Christian Guardian" containing the photo of three brothers of City Clerk Hames sons of the Rev. Hames of Beeton, Ontario, who had enlisted for overseas service and are now at the front.

It has been arranged to have a troupe of dwarfs (who are giving their services in aid of this fund) come to Courtenay to assist in the entertainment to be given at the Agricultural Hall on May 9th after which a farce entitled "Poor Pillicody" will be presented, to be followed by a dance.

Every community is cursed by a class of people who make it their business to attend everybody's business but their own. Such people are the meanest specimens of depraved humanity which an allwise Providence permits to exist on this green earth, It is well known that almost every person is sometimes disposed to speak evil of others; and tattling is a sin from which very few can claim to be entirely exempt, But the object of this article is to call attention to that distinct class of "Buttinskis" who, by lying and cajolery endeavour to ruin their neighbors' business and reputation, and drag their friends into speculations which are sure to be disastrous, Fortunately we have but few in this community but we have them just the same,

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A shipment of fresh Sunkist Oranges has just reached us from California. Sunkist Seedless Naval Oranges are more than a once-a-week food. Serve them every day. Keep a dish of Sunkist Oranges always where the children can reach them when they want something to eat between meals.

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Good Old Times

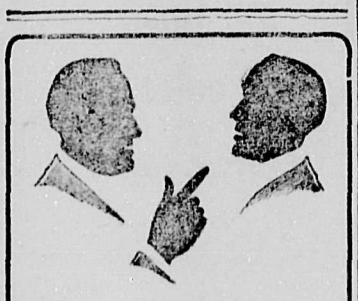
In the Days When Luxuries Were Not and Temptations Were Few

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

Miller's Worm Powders can do no injury to the most delicate child. Any child, infant or in the state of adolescence, who is infested with worms can take this preparation without a qualm of the stomach, and will find in it a sure relief and a full protection from these destructive pests, which are responsible for much sickness and great suffering to legions of little ones.

The Waste Places of the Earth

The organized movement for the profitable utilization of vacant suburban lands should have every encouragement. Waste lands really belong to the public. The earth is the Lord's and the fulness thereof. Ground hogs who will not use land themselves and will not allow other people to use it have no rights in the land that need be respected. We go to church and pray: "That it may please Thee to give and preserve to our use the kindly fruits of the earth, so as in due time we may enjoy them"; and then we allow the ground hog to prevent his suburban lot bringing forth anything but weeds!—Montreal Herald.



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A sure and easy way out of tea and coffee troubles is to shift to

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There's no caffeine nor anything harmful in this delightful, pure food-drink—just the nourishing goodness of wheat.

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Titles in Canada

Out of Harmony With the Spirit of the Country

The whole business of bestowing titles in this country is open to the objection that such things are out of harmony with the spirit of the country. And besides, these honors and decorations, when they are not entirely meaningless, are misleading. They are said to come from the Sovereign, the fountain of honor, and are paraded before the public as the Sovereign's recognition of public service of great value. The truth is, of course, that the Sovereign has probably never even heard of the names of many of the candidates until the list has been presented to him, and that often enough the titles are rewards of a kind of service which could not safely be mentioned in public. Occasionally men who have become eminent in science, art, literature, politics or other fields of endeavor are selected for distinction, and if titles were restricted to such use there would be little objection, but the value of titles so bestowed is utterly destroyed by the bestowal of other titles for no public service that can be recognized and no service at all that can be mentioned.—The Woodstock Sentinel-Review.

CHILBLAINS

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Taffy for the Kaiser

An address presented to the Kaiser on his birthday by representatives of Germanic municipalities begins: "Most Serene, most Mighty, most Potent Emperor and King, most Gracious Emperor, King, and Lord, your Imperial and Royal Majesty."

TEETHING TIME A TIME OF WORRY

When baby is teething is a time of worry to most mothers. Baby's little gums become swollen and tender; he becomes cross; does not sleep well; is greatly troubled with constipation; colic or diarrhoea and sometimes even convulsions seize him. During this period nothing can equal the use of Baby's Own Tablets. They regulate the bowels and stomach and make the teething so easy that the mother scarcely realizes baby is getting his teeth. Concerning the Tablets Mrs. Arthur Archibald, New Town, N. S., writes:—"I used Baby's Own Tablets when baby was getting his teeth and I found them an excellent medicine." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Doubts the Saying

"I don't believe that time is money, do you?"

"No; I usually have time to spare."

Worms feed upon the vitality of children and endanger their lives. A simple and effective cure is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Englishmen and Americans

Attitude of Friendliness Is Unwittingly Expressed

The attitude of the average Englishman towards Americans was unwittingly expressed by a country constable who, in the early days of the war, was going about putting up notices informing aliens that they must register with the police. On his round he met an American, and in the course of the ensuing conversation quite casually mentioned the purpose of his journey. The American became interested at once, and read one of the notices. "Why," he said, "that means I must go and register." The constable looked at him in astonishment. "That's for aliens," he said. "Yes," said the American, "but I am an alien." The constable looked very thoughtful for a moment, and then said slowly and with an intonation of doubt, "Well, I suppose an American is an alien, but I never thought of it that way before."—London Chronicle.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

Canada's "Noble Men"

In Japan they have a special clan of fighting men who are known as the Samurai, and whose whole life is devoted to the precept and practice of patriotism. Canada's noble men are more than that. When the war broke out they were engaged in every kind of profession, business and trade. Some were rich beyond the dream of avarice, to use a commonplace illustration. Others were working out their destiny on a quiet level of prosperity. Others again were down and out, adrift in the lowest depths of adversity.—Montreal News.

Alphonse—Where is ze maid?

Jean—Ze maid is arranging ze hair for madame.

Alphonse—Oui! And madame, is she with her?

Daylight Saving

To Be Successful It Must Prevail Over Whole of Canada

If the United States Congress adopts a daylight saving measure, as now seems likely, Canada will be practically compelled to follow the same course, for our connections with our cousins across the border are now so intimate as to make it very desirable that we should have the same working hours. The measure proposes to make it arbitrary to set the clock ahead one hour over the entire country during the months of long daylight. This has proved of inestimable benefit in Europe, and it would be equally beneficial on this continent. In some parts of Canada daylight saving has been tried and has proved more or less of a failure This, however, has been because the movement in each instance was a purely local one, adopted by municipalities. To be successful, such a measure must prevail over the whole of Canada, and if we can work with Uncle Sam, as it now seems there will be an opportunity of doing, so much the better.—Montreal Herald.

He Feels He Owes His Life To Them

TELEGRAPHED 200 MILES FOR DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Sandy Goulette, Now Strong and Hearty, Tells How He Found Health After the Doctors Had Given Him Up.

Old Fort Bay, Labrador, Que.—(Special)—"Do I believe in Dodd's Kidney Pills? Well, I telegraphed two hundred miles to get two boxes of them." The speaker was Sandy Goulette, and old settler here. Nor did Mr. Goulette require to be pressed to tell the rest of his story.

"I was swollen out of shape from head to foot. I was so short of breath I could hardly speak. The doctor could do nothing for me. The minister gave me the holy sacrament and a good priest came and told me I could not live much longer.

"Then I telegraphed for Dodd's Kidney Pills. I took three pills the night they came and I got relief before morning. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me. I am able to do my day's work now as well as I was ten years ago."

Mr. Goulette offers to answer any letters written to him regarding his case. He feels that he owes his health, if not his life, to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

The diamond mining industry in Arkansas, which dates back only to August, 1916, has reached interesting proportions.

A Simple and Cheap Medicine.—A simple, cheap and effective medicine is something to be desired. There is no medicine so effective a regulator of the digestive system as Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. They are simple, they are cheap, they can be got anywhere, and their beneficial action will prove their recommendation. They are the medicine of the poor man and those who wish to escape doctor's bills will do well in giving them a trial.

Information on Crop Production

In connection with the campaign for maximum crop production, the Department of Agriculture at Ottowa has established an information bureau. It is felt that for the greatest success it will be necessary to supplement and follow up the campaign by affording some means whereby the department may remain in the closest touch possible with the producer, so that when difficulties arise its resources may be placed promptly at his disposal.

CHAPPED HANDS AND COLD SORES

Are your hands chapped, cracked, or sore? Have you "cold cracks" which open and bleed when the skin is drawn tight? Have you a cold sore, frost bite, or chilblains, which at times makes it agony for you to go about your duties? If so, Zam-Buk will give you relief, and will heal the frost-damaged skin.

Miss B. Strojsa, of East Hansford, N.S., writes: "My hands were so badly chapped I was unable to put them in water. All remedies failed to heal until I tried Zam-Buk. Perseverance with this balm completely healed the sores."

Zam-Buk heals cuts, burns, bruises, cures eczema, piles, chapped hands, cold sores, frost bites, and all skin diseases and injuries. Refuse substitutes. At all druggists and stores, 50c box.

ZAM-BUK GIVES QUICK RELIEF

GREAT EUROPEAN REMEDY FOR CATARRH, COUGHS, COLDS, DEAFNESS, AND HEAD NOISES

Few people realize what a serious disease Catarrh really is. If neglected the damage it does is often irreparable. Deafness, Lung troubles and Head Noises that drive the sufferer nearly frantic are invariably due to this insidious disease. Don't neglect Catarrh! Don't let it make you into a worn-out, run-down Catarrh wreck. What is Catarrh today may soon be something far more serious. Remember it is more than a trifling ailment—more than a disgusting disease. It's a dangerous one. Unchecked it frequently destroys smell, taste, hearing and slowly but surely undermines the general health. But why suffer and take chances? Secure from your druggist 1 ounce Parmint (double strength), take this home and add to it a quarter pint of hot water and 4 ounces of granulated sugar, stir until dissolved. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

Parmint is the great English remedy for Catarrh that is now being so eagerly sought for here in Canada where it is giving satisfaction even under our own trying climatic conditions.

Catarrh is a disease of the blood and the only possible way to cure it is by treating the blood. Drive the Catarrh poisons from the system by treating the blood and the disease itself must vanish. Parmint has proved successful in so many cases because it acts directly upon the blood and mucous membrane.

To be able to breathe freely, to hear plainly, smell, taste and arise in the morning refreshed and strong and with head and throat free from phlegm are conditions that make life worth living.

For your own sake give Parmint a trial—and with your whole system crying for relief—start the treatment at once. For coughs and colds it is unsurpassed.

Any druggist can supply you, or a bottle will be sent on receipt of 75c, postal note or money order. Address International Laboratories, 74 St. Antonie St., Montreal, Canada

Preparing for Eventualities

From a Statement by Capt. Bathurst Parliamentary Secretary to the British Ministry of Food

Another question was whether it was advisable to use milk in producing butter. His answer was that if surplus milk were available it was of far more value to the nation converted into cheese than converted into butter. If meat ran short, cheese was the most valuable substitute the British farmer could possibly produce. He had also been asked whether it was desirable to limit the use of starch. It people chose to wear soft collars and soft shirtfronts they would be taking a patriotic course (laughter); but in all these matters they must have some sense of proportion. We had not reached a stage when we could reasonably ask people to forego the use of stiff white collars.

PIMPLES AND ERUPTIONS MEAN BAD BLOOD.

People who have impure or impoverished blood should be careful to take only a vegetable remedy such as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is and has been for over 40 years.

The first day you start to take this reliable medicine, impure germs and accumulations begin to separate in the blood and are then expelled through the Liver, Bowels and Kidneys.

In place of the impurities, the arteries and veins gradually get fresh vitalized blood and the action of this good blood on the skin means that pimples, boils, carbuncles, eczema, rash, acne and all skin blemishes will disappear. Then you must remember that when the blood is right, the liver, stomach, bowels and kidneys become healthy, active and vigorous and you will have no more trouble with indigestion, backache, headache and constipation.

Get Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery to-day at any medicine dealers; it is a powerful blood purifier, so penetrating that it even gets at the impure deposits in the joints and carries them out of the system.

Contains neither alcohol nor narcotics. Its ingredients are made public and printed on wrapper.

Depend upon this grand remedy to give you the kind of blood that makes the skin clear, the mind alert, the vision keener and puts ambition and energy into the entire body. You will not be disappointed. For free advice write Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

WHAT ONTARIO FOLKS SAY.

St. Thomas, Ont.—"My husband and myself have used 'Golden Medical Discovery' for liver and kidney troubles, also for bad blood, and we found it good. I am glad of the opportunity of giving testimony in behalf of Dr. Pierce's remedies."—MRS. GEORGE BURDETT, 28 Chester St., St. Thomas, Ont.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

Woman Gets Military Medal

Has Done Valiant and Valuable Work in the Face of Danger

For the first time in history a woman has won the Military Medal, and it has been awarded to her "for bravery in the field."

She is Staff Nurse Catherine Margaret Carruthers, of the Territorial Force Nursing Service, and the honor now awarded to her is announced officially in the London Gazette.

Sir Douglas Haig mentioned her in his dispatch of November 25 last. Nurse Carruthers was bravely carrying on her work of mercy, calmly caring for wounded in very dangerous circumstances in a "hot" region in France. She was eventually slightly wounded by a shell which burst near the spot where she was on duty. The courageous nurse has now recovered and has resumed her work among the wounded fighters.

Miss Carruthers, whose home is in Ireland, was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Glasgow.

She afterwards joined the Territorial Force, and was posted for duty at the 4th Territorial Hospital, Glasgow, a few days after the war began. Some months later she went to France, where she has been doing valuable work in the face of danger.

Edith—Is it true that you have quarreled with Jack?

Ethel—I should say not! My birthday is next week.

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The German Policy

The truest view of German action, as tested by events, has been that of those who have considered the German state as all head and no heart. Its apologies for its actions baffle the undertaking, but the actions themselves are only difficult to explain if we look for motives which in the German theory are excluded, such as pity, scruple or good faith. The actual decision is in terms of actual forces, so that the problem is objective, and the psychological question involved, instead of being deep is in reality almost eliminated; it is conceivable that a decision by the German state might be reached by a calculating machine—Springfield Republican.

Rheumatism attacks the "outside" man. Pains and aches stiffen his joints and muscles and reduces his efficiency.

At the first twinge get Sloan's Liniment, easy to apply, it *penetrates without rubbing* and soothes the soreness.

After that long drive or tedious wait in the cold rain apply Sloan's Liniment to those stiff fingers, aching wrists and arms.

For gout, neuralgia, toothache, bruises, sprains, cold feet, it is promptly effective.

At all druggists, 25c. 50c. and $1.00.

Sloan's Liniment
KILLS PAIN

THE MEN FROM THE DOMINION AND THEIR PART IN THE GREAT WAR

DOING THEIR SHARE ON FAR-FLUNG BATTLE LINE

Correspondent Describes Activities of the Canadians in Training And At the Front, and the Opportunities Offered For Special Work for Which They Are Peculiarly Fitted

Roland Hill, in a despatch from London, dealing with the splendid services lent by Canadians in the war, says in part:

Gen. Haig mentions in his despatch that what we want is a greater proportion of guns and railways. I wish I could tell you in Canada how many thousands of men from the Dominion are serving with the big guns and new tanks, all because of the native spirit of adventure which made them leave Canada.

Word just reaches me that a certain squadron on the extreme east of the western line under French command, where was a whole squadron of Canadians who joined the Royal Naval Air Service, carried out their own raid under a Canadian commander on a certain German munition works, doing great damage.

It is an ordinary incident at the front, but shows that in the far-flung battle line the Canadians are doing at least their share.

There have just arrived in London several captains, mates and many men who served for years on Kootenay Lakes and are now outfitting for inland water service at the outermost points of the Empire.

These are but a few examples of what Canada may still do, if they are allowed to tell their friends at home of their great adventures.

Take, best of all, the changes on the western front, where for the railways we still want thousands of those men who have been building railways against Nature for the last generation in Canada.

Men that have come from the Canadian Pacific, Grand Trunk and the Canadian Northern are spread all over France doing strategical construction, which even Gen. Haig will say is of great value for the big drive—perhaps big break—which will be something in history even greater than the completion of the Canadian trans-continentals.

Up and down the channels there are hundreds of eager young men who used to be yachting for pleasure in Montreal, or Lake Winnipeg or in Vancouver, men overhauling ships in rough winter weather from cockle-shells of patrol boats round these islands, whom every neutral knows and respects for their thoroughness, and whom even the enemy's U-boats have reason to fear.

Let their praises and devotion be sung. We have thousands more of them coming to join their comrades. Let Canada's part be known at least in Canada and there will not be very much need for National Service there. Everyone here will have a pal there who longs to join him, but let them by hook or crook know at home what these pals over in the war are doing and have done.

Guard Your Baby's Health

Cheerful, Chubby Children Make the Home Happy

Weak, puny babies are a constant care to tired mothers and are subject to many diseases that do not affect healthy children.

Keep your children in good health. See that their bowels move regularly—especially during the teething period. This is a distressing time in the life of every child and the utmost precaution should be taken to keep them well and strong.

By the consistent use of

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup

it is possible to avoid many childish ills now so prevalent.

It is a corrective for diarrhœa, colic and other infantile ailments. It soothes the fretting baby and permits the child to sleep well and grow healthy. It brings comfort and relief to both child and mother.

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Makes Cheerful, Chubby Children

Is absolutely non-narcotic. It contains no opium, morphine nor any of their derivatives. It is soothing, pleasant and harmless. For generations mothers in all parts of the world have used it and millions of babies have been benefited by it.

Buy a bottle today and have it handy

Relieve and Protect Your Children

Sold by all druggists in Canada and throughout the world

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Religion on the Battlefield

A Bigger Thing on the Fighting Line Than It Is at Home

Miss Nellie Burke was caring for a French soldier, mortally wounded. In his delirium he addressed her as the sweetheart he had left in some little village of France.

"This war cannot last always, little one," he said, "and when it is over we will buy a pig and a cow and we will go to the cure, won't we, beloved?" And then, in a conscious moment, realizing that the war was over for him, he began to repeat "Ave Maria."

The words halted on his lips, his dazed mind fumbled for the rest of the familiar prayer; he turned to Miss Burke to finish it for him. Deeply moved she could not trust her voice to speak.

A young Mohammedan surgeon, educated in England, was supporting the dying man with his arm. It was he who took up the prayer, saying it slowly as the soldier's lips followed him; and thus the gulf between life and death was bridged by a human charity transcending all creeds.

Another incident is reported from the same source. Rabbi Bloch, of Lyons, was shot at the battle of the Aisne while holding a crucifix to the lips of a dying soldier.

Religion on the battlefield seems a bigger thing than it often appears to be at home.

In the Yunnan province of China one pheasant farm produces almost 200,000 birds a year, and many other farms have lesser outputs. The birds are mostly of the Golden and Silver breeds.

The Mule That Never Fails

He Has no Nerves and He Never Worries

An officer writes from the western front in praise of the Canadian mule:

"Motor transport brought our supplies up from the depots, but it was the mule who caried them across the torn battlefields under constant shelling and without showing hesitation or fear. Where six horses succumbed to the strain (these are official figures) only one mule was lost. Where a horse would struggle frantically to extricate himself from a crater and unless rescued in time eventually die of a broken heart, a mule would sit tight, like the one mentioned above, and wait for supports. Where a horse collapsed from shock, his nerves torn by the incessant scream of shells, the mule merely laid back his long ears, put his head down and carried on. He has no nerves and he never worries.

I know of a mule which, in crossing a field, absentmindedly kicked at a German "dud." This mule certainly was demobilized then and there. But it is true that the blast that heralded his passing did not even interest several of his companions who were approaching behind. They saw a comrade vanish in a whiff of smoke, simply put their ears back, and carried on. "The transport horse is far more anxious to please," said a student of mule psychology. "I know horses that can accomplish as much as a mule and a half in the same time, but they cannot maintain the ratio of speed."

Superficial Criticisms

Patriotic Fund Teaching Thrift to Twenty Women for Every One That Wastes Her Money

"My charwoman has stopped working, so I have stopped giving to the Patriotic Fund."

"If the Patriotic Fund exists in order to make it possible for my maid to marry a soldier and live without working, it is about time to declare that the Fund can get along without my help."

These are typical illustrations of the line of argument not unfrequently met with by the workers for the Fund. There seems to be an impression abroad that the wives or mothers of our soldiers should be worse off, rather than better, when the husbands are away. Such a view is taken, of course, only after a superficial examination of the case. The wife has given her husband to the national cause, and she deserves well at our hands. The Fund does not support her—it merely creates a margin of reasonable comfort. If a soldier's wife here or there gives up her daily toil, that is a very inadequate reason for condemning a Fund which possesses a host of social service workers who are teaching thousands of women to be industrious, thrifty, good house-wives, wise mothers, and filling them with ambition to have happier homes than they ever knew before.

Canadian potatoes bring $6.75 per bag of 180 pounds in Havana, and it need not be wondered at that exports from the Dominion are on a large scale, amounting to about 90 per cent of the total consumption.

NEXT FEW MONTHS WILL BE THE MOST CRITICAL PERIOD OF WAR

SOME BIG THINGS ARE LOOKED FOR BY LEADERS

Lord Derby Warns the Country That Great Sacrifices Are Yet To Be Made. But At Whatever Cost Britain Must Stick It Out To The Bitter End

Arthur Henderson, member of the British War Council, speaking at Manchester, said:

"In government circles confidence regarding the final close of the war was never so high as now. I believe the leaders of the Allied nations will be surprised if during the coming summer they do not strike such a blow as—with other considerations which prevail—will lead the war to close on lines entirely satisfactory for us and our Allies."

The Earl of Derby, Secretary of State for War, speaking at Bolton expressed the firm opinion that the critical period of the war would occur in the next few months. "I would be a false friend," he said, "if I did not warn the country that this war is going to be long continued, and the struggle even more bitter than in the past. It can only be won by everyone doing his utmost.

"The three things most vital are money, men and munitions. Money and munitions are being supplied in large quantities. Men we want and must have! The nation will have to make greater sacrifices in the way of giving of its manhood to fight its battles.

"I am as confident as anyone of the eventual result, but do not be led away into the too great optimism of thinking that the end is near.

"I believe we are going to see the critical period of the war in the next few months. We must face it with courage. I confidently predict it will be a successful six months for us, but at the same time I do not think it will be a walk-over.

"You must receive bad news equally with good news, with the same courage, the same gameness, and the same determination. There is but one motto for every man and woman in the country, namely, to 'Stick it out.' That is what you have got to do. At whatever cost, at whatever sacrifice, stick it out to the bitter end, and the bitter end will mean for you, perhaps, privation, but for those who come after you freedom from the horrors which we have experienced during the last two and a half years."

Prussianized Poland

Civilian From Warsaw Says He Would Rather Die Than Return

Only with great difficulty, and on definite and approved business grounds, will the Germans allow travellers from Poland to come westward. The following interview, therefore, which was obtained at Rotterdam with a certain Pole who had arrived from Warsaw cannot fail to be of interest as giving a general idea, from which detail is necessarily omitted, of conditions in that city and other parts of Poland under the German heel:

"I would sooner die than return. By every possible means Germany is Prussianizing Poland, refraining from no methods to attain this end. Vast areas of our forests have been cut down and the wood deported to Germany, thus, in the opinion of many, permanently and irreparably injuring our sources of wealth.

"With all speed Germany is sending a number of police agents into Poland to dragoon, depress and misshandle the population. In all our schools now it is compulsory to learn German, all teachers even suspected of opposing or disliking this order being arrested and imprisoned. Practically all public life and the activities of our economic and intellectual societies are forbidden.

"There is also a very strong propaganda in full swing against the Jews, and measures of an outrageous unlawful kind have been put in force against them. When a Jew presents himself for a passport to travel outside his own town he is formally asked his religion. When he replies he is a Jew the military become abusive, remarking: 'Ah, a Jew! Also a smuggler and a traitor. We grant no passes to such people.' No Jew is allowed to build a house, and this in spite of the fact that there are 350,000 Jews in Warsaw's round million of inhabitants. Nor are Jews allowed any hand in the administration of the country."—London Chronicle.

The Channel Tunnel

May Yet be Built if Present Prospects Materialize

At a dinner of the Economic Circle of the National Liberal Club, Arthur Fell, M.P., chairman of the house of commons tunnel committee, said if the committee reported favorably on the Channel tunnel scheme the government would support them. The matter would then be carried through quickly in order that they might be able to commence the plans and get ready for beginning work after the war is ended.

Estimates placed the work at five years and the cost at 180,000,000 pounds, half of which amount would be found by the British government and half by France.

If, as estimated, five per cent. of the two million passengers between Britain and France annually patronized the tunnel, the fares, mails and goods conveyed would produce 1,585,000 pounds per annum and the outgoings would be 420,000 pounds.

The Mennonites of Hague, Saskatchewan, have forwarded to Ottawa, for patriotic purposes a contribution of $1,400 as a mark of their appreciation of the peace and quietness guaranteed to them by the government. A deputation of Mennonites recently waited on the government to ask that their conscientious objections against taking part in the war would be respected. The requisite assurance was granted.

Belgium's population at the outbreak of the war was 7,700,000.

Hit by Restrictions

Prohibitions Give Rise to a Number of Complaints

Canadian manufacturers, importers and exporters are being hit rather hard by the trade restrictions of the British government which the war has made necessary. Nine-tenths of the mail in the Trade and Commerce Department at Ottawa these days refers to the prohibitory or restrictive methods in force and while they are not new many firms apparently are only awakening to the fact that such regulations have been imposed. The restricted import of machinery and machinery parts, and the prohibition of the export of wood and paper give rise to the greater number of complaints.

All the department can do is to take up each case through the High Commissioner, but generally speaking the regulations are being adhered to.

The Heroic Unknown

The British Admiralty has met every renewed submarine menace with fresh means of defence and offence. When the war is over we shall hear more of the heroic work of the great fleet of frail boats that have quietly trapped the undersea craft by scores in the last year or two.—Providence Journal.

Father (gruffly)—Get away from the fire. The weather isn't cold.

Tommy—Well, I ain't warmin' the weather.

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THURSDAY APRIL 19, 1917

When the report of the American Government concerning the shortage consequent upon damage to winter wheat, estimated at fifty million bushels, was published there was an uproar in the "pit" at both Winnipeg and Chicago, and prices made a sensational rise. While it is safe to say that a part of the rise was due to the speculator still it is a signal of grave import. We know to some extent how the German people are suffering from lack of food, suffering which is felt even more by our gallant lads who are prisoners there, but it would be even more terrible were that food shortage to be experienced in Canada, in common with the rest of the world. Who dare forecast what the prairie wheat crop will be this year, but even were it a record and bumper crop, it would not lowor the price of flour to any extent, so great is the food shortage already. Therefore, we have got to get to work and offset the coming higher food prices. By raising potatoes, peas, beans, etc., we can check to some extent a rise in the cost of bread, by growing roots such as beet, turnips, carrots, etc., we can to s small degree even counteract the dear sugar for which our province is notorious, while honey is a valuable substitute, and by raising poultry and eggs, we can buck the meat ring. This applies more to the ordinary householder than to the farmer, Remember that the States has entered the war, and that thousands of food producers are leaving their fields to fight. The American people are getting busy already. and a well-supported movement is on foot to inspire the planting of a million food gardens in the States. Here is an extract from the manifesto:--

"Patriotic words are empty air. Patriotic acts alone will help, Plant a food garden and do your part towards the economic victory. We expect to induce more than one million young people, women and elderly men this year to plant a food garden who have not done so before. This alone should add much more than two hundred and fifty million dollars to the food value of this season's crop. Those who have made such gardens before should increase their efforts. You are anxious to do something patriotic because you feel that way You want to help your country. You can plant a vegetable food garden, Are you doing so? Start now!"

Shall Canada lag behind, and invite starvation, or at least privation?

Notes By The Way

During January, the Canadian Collieries local miners raised 28,-233 tons of coal, 21 per cent of the total output for B. C., and produced over 4000 tons of coke, being 37 per cent of the total provincial output for the month. The mineral wealth of the Comox district should be the means of attracting many industries were it made widely known,

A sure sign of provincial recovery is supplied by the net earnings of the B, C. Electric Railway for February, which show a gain of $5,158 over the corresponding month in 1916. For the eight months, July to February, the net earnings show a gain of $208 476. The Company's operations cover street and inter-urban railways, and electricity and gas.

In Winnipeg alone there are said to have been 7000 marriages since August, 1914, the result being a shortage of living quarters. Hotels are crowded out, apartment blocks are full, and houses in many instances shared by families,

Another large mill is to re-open, this time the Canadian Pacific sawmill plant at Port Moody,

Wouldn't this be a lovely world if a newspaper could be run to suit every one? One thing is certain, we do not intend to try any such quixotic plan. The reason is simple—it can't be done,—Trail News,

The Pacific Canadian, a weekly paper published at New Westminster, has suspended, making twenty British Columbia newspapers that have gone to the journalistic graveyard in less than two years,

There are certain people in this locality who disdain to subscribe to the "Review" but who are across to the nearest subscriber's all the same to get the loan of it as soon as it arrives, and in fact feel aggrieved if it is delayed.

Talking about newspapers. by what name will our future contemporary be known? We suggest the "Courtenay Intellectual" "Comox Valley Sand particle." "Courtenay Councillor," Puntlege "Pioneer," "Stockholder," "Weary Weekly," "Stewart Tartan," "Herald's Successor," or "Forlorn hope" even. Of course, it is none of our business, but we like to help these youngsters. and if none of the foregoing suit we will think out some more names.

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Do not buy your tires and accessories out and go to the garage for free air and expect the garage man to meet you with a big smile every time
Do not think the garage man is getting rich on the gas he is selling you.
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LAZO

Extract from Meteorlogical register, Lazo Station, Comox, B C. H. W. Bayley, Observer.

For week ending Monday, April 9th, 1917.

April 3	Max.	48.0	Min.	32.0
April 4	"	45.0	"	41.0
April 5	"	49.0	"	36.0
April 6	"	51.0	"	30.5
April 7	"	45.0	"	41.0
April 8	"	46.5	"	34.5
April 9				

Rainfall

April 3 0.19 in. duration 6 hr.
April 6 0.68 in. " 13 hr.
April 7 0,78 in. " 20 hr.
Total rainfall 1.58 in.
Total duration 39 hours,
Total bright sunshine 21 hours,

For March, 1917.

Highest Temperature 50.5
Lowest Temperature 19.5.
Mean Temperature 35 7.
Precipitation 3.49 in.
Duration 73 hours.

Note. Mean Temperature for March, 1916, was 44.4.

SANDWICK

A very pretty wedding took place on April 11th, at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Grieve, of Sandwick, when their eldest daughter, Lila Jeanette was united in marriage to Victor I. Shopland, of Rochester, Alta., the Rev. Thos. Menzies officiating, Miss Rhoda Devlin of Nanaimo, a cousin of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Bert Grieve supported the groom. The bride was gowned in white silk crepe de chene while her exquisite Brussels lace veil was caught with orange blossoms. She carried a bridal bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid was attired in yellow silk crepe de chene. After the ceremony luncheon was served to seventy-five guests, all immediate relatives and friends of the bride. The bride's going away gown was navy blue serge with French hat to match. The groom's gift to the bride and bridesmaid were gold wrist watches Mr. and Mrs. Shopland were the recipients of a large number of useful and beautiful presents. They left on the "Charmer" on Thursday morning en route to Rochester Alberta, where they will permanently reside.

COMOX

Mrs. Horace Smith Sr. has been visiting friends here.

St. Joseph's hospital is at present filled with patients mostly from the logging camps.

The village pastmaster is a disciple of city lot cultivation. He is busy planting potatoes this week.

The first entertainment to be held in aid af the Catholic church in eight years was held od Friday evening last when a whist drive was given at the home of Mrs. C. C. Piercy. The honors for the ladies went to Miss Rosemary Downey and Mrs. Bambrick, while Mr. Perfect and Mr. Giddings won for the gentlemen. The proceeds amounted to nearly $16.00.

On Wednesday next an entertainment will be held in Martin's hall in aid of the Red Cross and Diocesan mission Fund For the convenience of those who cannot attend in the evening a matinee will be held at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The entertainment will consist of tableaux, music, pretty dances, and pretty dances, songs etc. and afternoon tea will be served. After the evening performance a dance will be held. Everybody is invited to attend.

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COURTENAY, B.C.

CITY COUNCIL

The council met on Monday evening. The only members present being Ald. Aston, Brown, Leighton and McNeil. Ald. Brown was elected chairman and business proceeded.

Letters were read from Bodwell & Lawson and Ducane & Deutcher re their accounts.

The Electric Light Co. wrote declining acceptance or the city's notice to buy, as the notice did not comply with the terms of the agreement, insofar as the amount of purchass price was not definitely stated.

Bodwell & Lawson also wrote asking for particulars how the council arrived at the sum mentioned in the notice sent to the Electric Light Company, and asking to be kept informed as to all dealings with the compay.

The following accounts were presented, which with the exception of Bodwell & Lawson's were referred to the Finance committee to pay if correct :

Bodwell & Lawson	$516 71
Electric Light Co.	81 76
Ducane & Deutcher	25 00
Telephone Co.	3 95
Postage	11 00
T. Pearse	41 50

Ald. Aston, for the board of works reported that the crossing to the Courtenay hotel had been relaid and that the sidewalk alongside McKenzie's blacksmith shop had been raised. He also reported that it would cost $601.84 to do the cribbing and gradin on Union street from Isabel to the bridge, exclusive of drainage and gravelling. The council decided that owing to the cost, the work would not be undertaken this year, and that much needed repairs would be done on other streets.

Those who make it their business to drive hurriedly across the bridge will have to watch sharp in future, The sign will be repainted so that all can see, and any one caught speeding on the bridge will be summarily dealt with.

On motion of Ald. Aston the Government will be asked to assist in the upkeep of the Island highway and the Comox trunk road, this latter road is the boundary between the city and the district from which the government collects the taxes, and as these roads are used almost exclusively by automobilists from whom the City gets no revenue, the Council thinks that it is only fair that the Government should assist in keeping the roads passable.

The Mayor, Alds. Brown and Hurford were appointed a committee to see the Electric Light Co. and make a compromise re difference in figures of purchase price, including Harrison's account.

When Bodwell & Lawson's account was presented Ald. Leighton remarked that he he had understood from the Aldermen last summer that one hundred dollars was all the lawyers' fees were to be in connection with the purchase of the Electric Light Company.

Ald, Aston said that he did not consider that Bodwell & Lawson's account was extortionate, and that many of the citizens would be agreeab e to pay their share of it toown the Electric Light franchise.

The Council adjourned.

Canada's Revenue Largeet in History

A press dispatch from Ottawa states that the revenue of the Dominion in 1916-17 was the largest in history, and continues; The ordinary revenue of the Dominion it is stated in the 12 months ended March 31, amounted to about $230-000,000 or $10,000,000 more than that of 1914-15. The revenue of the past year will be sufficient to meet all the ordinary and capital expenditures of the country, and, in addition, pay $50 000,000 or $60.00 0.000 for the expenditures for war purposes. The total trade of the Dominion will be found to have reached about $2,000,000,000 or $1,000,000,000 more than that of the fiscal yecr in which the war began.

NOTICE

The Blacksmithing Business carried on by McKenzie & Mooring has been dissolved. The business will be carried on in future by the undersigned, to whom all accounts are payable. First-Class work is still the watchword at this shop.

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It is expected that thousands throughout the province of British Columbia will take advantage of this big bargain offer. The Sun is eertainly good value.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. T. D. Hind desires to thank the many friends and members of the Knights of Pythias for numerous acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy in connection with the illness and death of her husband, Mr. T D. Hind.
Comox, April 9, 1917.

Notice of Examination for Assistant Forest Ranger

Examination of applicants to fill the position of Assistant Forest Ranger will be held by the Lands Department as follows : "Campbell River April 17th; Courtenay April 18th."

For information regarding the examination and application forms apply to the Chief Forester, Victoria.

Court of Revision

CITY OF COURTENAY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the first sitting of the Court of Revision on the Assessment Roll for 1917, as prepared by the Assessor, will be held at the City Hall, Courtenay, B.C. on Monday, the 30th day of April, 1917, at the hour of 7 o'clock p.m.

Appeals, stating grounds thereof, must be made in writing to the assessor at least ten days previous to the sitting of the Court.

Dated at Courtenay this 20th day of March, 1917.

W. A. W. HAMES,
Assessor

TAKE NOTICE that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Minister of Lands of British Columbia for a license to prospect for coal on the following described lands.

Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of Lot No. 42, Comox District, B. C., thence north eighty chains, thence east eighty chains, thence south eighty chains thence west eighty chains to point of commencement, and containing six hundred and forty acres more or less,

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"I sometimes think that Dolly cared too much for me. She had no ambition for herself—it was all for me. She ought to be doing better work than she is, but she doesn't care about it. Dolly's idea was that she should work at book-illustrating and I at painting. She loathes the ballet-girls. I am not surprised. But no one wants ideal painting nowadays. That picture you like—'The Haystack in the Floods'—no one would give a ten-pound note for it; while the ballet-girls go off like hot cakes."

"I will give you a hundred for the 'Haystack,'" said the Squire, quietly.

"My dear fellow! No you won't. It is only your decency. The 'Haystack' has been on my hands for the last three years—my wife says as a warning to paint no more haystacks. I believe she'd miss it if it was gone."

"I want it," said the Squire obstinately. "It's a speculation. I believe in catching an artist young—before his work goes up in value."

Egerton laughed joyously. The statement was palpably not to be taken as earnest.

"You old Jew!" he said. "You can have it for thirty pounds. Even so it will put my pictures up in my wife's estimation. She's delightfully unimaginative—with that face. You couldn't believe how she thinks in pounds, shillings, and pence."

"A hundred," said the Squire, "else the 'Haystack' may go elsewhere."

"If you're in earnest. I suppose you can afford to be an art patron? Think of finding one here. I used to have dreams of the rich patron who would discover me and put me beyond the need of ballet-girls for ever. How delighted Doll will be! And Granny—in another way. She wants a jaunt to London. I don't see why she shouldn't have it now, out of the despised 'Haystack.'"

He was so exhilarated that it lighted up the Squire's elderly heart, as he had taken to calling that organ to himself, perhaps by way of recalling his memory to the fact that his years had entered the fourth decade.

They were out on a country road by this time. Egerton was talking away in excited good humor. He was telling the tale of how he had met his wife, the daughter of a broken-down, rather raffish younger son of a peer, who lived in an Essex village on a wretched income, and turned his daughters out to work for him. The old gentleman had ways of supplementing his income—undesirable ways in a relative—to which Egerton alluded cheerfully with his—to the Squire—embarrassing frankness.

"Poor little girl!" said he. "They'd apprenticed her to a milliner not far from Oxford street. She did not get on there. The brute of a woman who ran the place said she was stupid and lazy. My poor girl! When she ran up against me it was a question of looking for a job as a chorus-girl or trying for a mannequin's at one of the big drapers'. I was better than either. Old Tracey won't look at us. When he found his new son-in-law wasn't good even for a fiver, he washed his hands of us. I'd have given it to the poor old devil. Not Granny. There'd never be anything in the purse only for my practical wife."

Someone vaulted a gate in front of them into the road and came their way, and the Squire knew who he was instinctively with a sudden hatred as of the natural man, which he could not have explained to himself.

"Hullo, Cooper!" said Lionel Egerton. "We haven't seen you for a long time. Thought you'd been away."

"So I have—for a few days. I'll come over this afternoon and put on the new wheels to the mailcart. I don't know what Mrs. Egerton can have been thinking of me for not having done it before."

The Squire stood by, not looking at the man for whom he had a sudden loathing. He knew exactly how Cooper looked for all his averted gaze. Egerton apparently had not thought of introducing them. The fellow was good-looking of a sort in his rough, ill-made clothes. He had something of a brilliant gipsy complexion, bold, dark eyes, with yellow whites to them; dark, curling hair. His voice had a richness which had a suggestion of the South—oily, the Squire called it in his own mind, loathing the man.

He forced himself to look at what he loathed. Hilary had been quite right. Cooper was not the sort of man one would care to introduce to ladies of one's family, he thought, and was enraged against Lionel Egerton.

"I believe I've seen you before," he said, in a cold, haughty voice.

An extraordinary change came over Cooper's face, and passed so rapidly that the Squire wondered if he had not imagined it. Something of fear, of defiance, of insolence. It was gone and the man was answering him in the easy, oily voice.

"Very likely, Mr. Meyrick. I've seen you, of course. I've been here for some months, and we have knocked up against each other once or twice."

"You were at Breakback Hill the night of the accident?"

"Ah, yes, I was. And you! You were doing great work, Mr. Meyrick. I wasn't sure it was you but I thought when I saw you riding afterwards that I recognized you.

There was another change in his face, as though he had lowered his guard, had become easy from being tense, watchful.

"And you," said the Squire unwillingly, "You did more than fifty men."

Something that was not altogether unbecoming came into the face of easy assurance, giving it a momentary dignity; something of dislike for being praised for achievements which their doer was not likely to overvalue. At least, the Squire said to himself conscientiously, this was a man of courage. He conceded so much with a grudgingness unlike him. For the rest the man was a bounder. He detested his voice. He could not have explained to himself his dislike of the man, so strong was it, like a primitive emotion.

Some vague memory stirred in him. He had seen the man before—in a soldier's tunic, his head close-cropped, younger, less florid—or someone very like him. He puzzled over the remembrance. Where was it. When?

"I should always trust Cooper in any emergency," Lionel Egerton was saying, with a friendly hand on the man's shoulder. "You don't know the debt we are under to him, Squire. Perhaps Dolly told you? I sometimes dream of it—Doll and little Susan at the level crossing; the express coming round the corner; the little pony jibbing, right in the path of the express. If this fellow had not happened to be there, with his steady head and quick wit in an emergency— Good Lord!"

So that was it! That explained the acceptance by the Egertons, even by Mrs. Egerton, who was not naturally a Bohemian, and disliked him—of a man obviously not a gentleman. The Squire put away a harsh word because the fellow had saved Dolly. With that florid color, that voice; not of the stuff of which gentlemen are made. He wished himself—if not himself, another man—had saved Dolly. All at once in his own mind he conceded that the fellow had laid him, as well as the others, under a debt that could never be paid. What folly was this, with his forty years! If he had been Hilary, now!

Cooper remarked with a certain uneasy jocularity that it was manners not to talk about people before their faces ,and turned off to something about the Point-to-Point Steeplechase to be run at Mildmay in the following week.

"Wish I could go," he said; "but I've business in London next week, so I've no chance of dropping a bit."

Suddenly the Squire found his clue.

"Were you ever in Dublin?" he asked. "At the Island Bridge Barracks? I was there in ——"

"Never," said Cooper; but his eyes had blanched as though lightening had flashed before them. "I have never been in Dublin in my life."

As they went homeward, while Egerton talked of the various things, the Squire giving him only half an ear, elucidation flashed upon him.

"Cooper disappeared when the soldiers came that night," he said to himself. "And it was a detachment of Hussars—my own regiment. I believe he was in the regiment. But his name was not Cooper."

(To Be Continued.)

Dumb Victims of the War

Appalling Loss of Horses on Battle Fronts of Europe

"It is almost impossible for the mind to grasp the enormous wastage in horseflesh on the battle fronts of Europe," remarked Thomas Stevens, of Montreal, a capitalist who has supplied the French government with many horses in the last two years. "If you have never seen 2,500 horses in a bunch you cannot perhaps understand what a great number of animals that total makes. It has been estimated by the military experts of France that the wastage—and by wastage is meant the animals either killed or injured, and not death from natural causes—in the last two years on the west front was between forty-five and forty-seven thousand a month for every mile. In the first night of the drive at Verdun in eight hours there was a wastage of 5,011 on the three-mile front.

"Every eight miles along the west front there is a horse hospital. The percentage of horses in these hospitals is approximately 27 placed there for sickness, and from 68 to 72 per cent. because of injuries. The United States has supplied a large number of the horses used by the armies of the Allies. At the beginning of the war the French had about 525,000 horses, and the Germans approximately 720,000. The Allies, of course, have purchased many thousands of horses from the United States and Canada. The supply used by Germany came mostly from Austria-Hungary and Norway and Sweden.

"Since October, 1914, there have been shipped from this country to France and England about 2,815,000 horses. The French government has paid to exporters through New York for these animals something like 380 million dollars. Yet the United States still has a large supply of good horses left—not the cavalry kind, but for field and heavy artillery purposes."

He Wants the Cold Truth

When a man lands out of bed on a cold floor and goes down into a cold kitchen to start a fire in a cold stove, and walks down into a cold cellar to shake the furnace, and then looks at the family thermometer to find that its only 15 degrees below zero, can you blame him for wanting to blow in a quarter for a new thermometer that will tell the truth?—Guelph Mercury.

The Light That Failed

"I can't understand why Jenkins and his wife fell out. She used to call him the light of her life."

"Yes, so she did, but he went out too often."

Military Hospital Lantern Slides

Fear That Wounded Men Do Not Receive Proper Treatment Is Dispelled

An Ontario minister the other day borrowed from the Military Hospitals Commission a set of lantern slides. These slides show what goes on at the hospitals and sanatoria. That is, they show something of how our injured soldiers are being restored to health and to power for self-support, however serious their injuries may be. The minister exhibited the slides at three country churches under his charge. In returning the set he writes:

"My recording steward, who is also the postmaster and chairman of the local recruiting league, says they should be shown in every community. They meet the unrest in many families who have feared that the maimed who return will be forced to sell lead pencils or such like.

"What I should have done was to ask for them a longer period and put them on in every available church in this district. A man with a well prepared lecture and a few local slides could render a valuable service to the country, both in allaying the unrest above referred to and in removing the prejudice in some families from which recruits might be secured."

The Troublesome Bore

Matt. W. Ransome, once Senator from North Carolina, made politeness a point of conscience. One day he saw the very worst bore of his acquaintance, and, with a short "Howdy-do?" brushed swiftly past. The bore, evidently hurt, proceeded sadly. Ransom's conscience smote him. After ten steps he turned, and with a pleasant smile called back:

"Good-bye, Simpkins! I've been thinking a mighty heap about you lately, Simpkins."

The bore's face relaxed. "Ah!" said he, returning.

Ransom waved him back wildly, crying: "I've been thinking a mighty heap about you lately, Simpkins, but don't come back, Simpkins, don't come back!"

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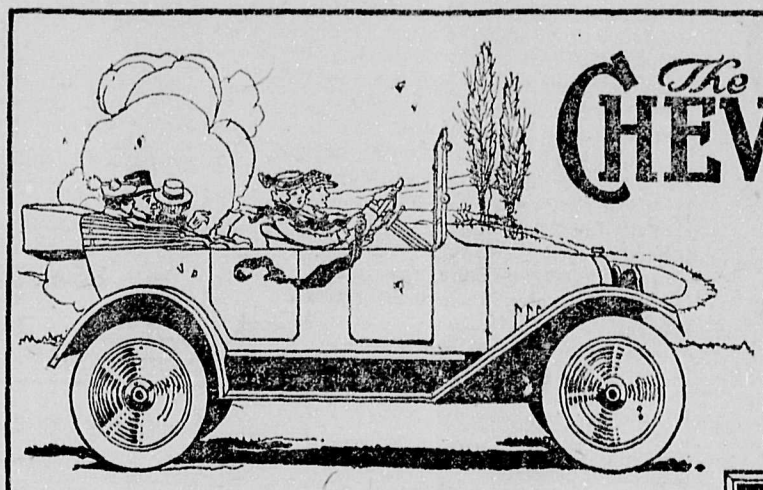

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Sin and Sinners

Analysis of Motives That Precipitated the World War

Taking human nature as it is, it is manifestly difficult to discuss peace without keeping steadily in view how and why peace was broken in August, 1914. One side wanted peace and the other did not want it. The record is plain. The conclusions that must be drawn from it no longer seem seriously contradicted even by those who argue in favor of an inconclusive peace. It is said that Germany was so environed that she was justified in drawing her sword, but that she drew it while her present enemies were begging her to agree to arbitration and adjustment is admitted. If there is sincere belief that this fact has no pertinence one may justify the demand for an immediate laying down of arms. But if one believes, as Mr. Balfour does, that this means such a condonation of evil doings as will stimulate other evil doing, it is not easy to make peace demands accord with genuine pacifism. Religion admonishes us to forgive the sinner, but nowhere in any moral code is there injunction to avoid condemnation of sin.—New York Globe.

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Beauty Before Ability

Too Much Attention to Teachers' Looks, Says Chicago Woman

Jacob M. Loeb, president of the Chicago Board of Education, declared that he was aware of the fact, as had been charged, that male high school principals paid considerable attention to the faces and forms of prospective women teachers. And in justification he pleaded that the principals "were only human."

Mrs. George P. Vosbrink, a board member, had charged that principals paid less attention to mental qualifications of teachers they recommended for employment than they did to charm of face of figure.

"You would think they were filling up a musical comedy chorus instead of seeking fit guides for children," protested Mrs. Vosbrink.

Protected by the Allies

Fortunately for her, when war broke out England rose to meet the crisis. Behind the backs of her Allies and in the shelter of her fleet she organized for war with a skill and capacity never before equalled by a nation trying to prepare for war after war came. Let us hope that in the shelter of the French and Russian bayonets and the British battleships our nation will rise to the crisis cast aside the pettiness of self-seekers and the more dangerous energy of the sentimental defectives, and equal the accomplishment of England.—Chicago Tribune.

An Enduring Blockade

Germany's submarine war may or may not break the war blockade that has been erected against her, but whether it does or not, it will erect against her a permanent blockade far wider in extent, a blockade which will leave its mark on Germany's commerce till long after the men who are misleading her into her insane course are dead and gone. For it will not be a blockade that can be stopped by a governmental order from the cabinets of the allies; it will be a blockade erected in the minds of men the world over whom she has tried to make fear her and who will have learned to hate her.—New York Times.

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"That's not fair Bill! The bet's off. I can beat thee at fair fishing, but I'm not going to stand thee diving in after 'em!"—Tit-Bits.

GILLETT'S LYE

The Outlaw's Reasoning

German ruthlessness at the opening of the war was due to the wantonness of power and arrogance. German ruthlessness today is born of despair. The good opinion of the civilized world has been forfeited and Germany, to use a homely saying, feels that it may as well be hung for a sheep as a lamb.—Toronto Star.

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"I sometimes think that Dolly cared too much for me. She had no ambition for herself—it was all for me. She ought to be doing better work than she is, but she doesn't care about it. Dolly's idea was that she should work at book-illustrating and I at painting. She loathes the ballet-girls. I am not surprised. But no one wants ideal painting nowadays. That picture you like—'The Haystack in the Floods'—no one would give a ten-pound note for it; while the ballet-girls go off like hot cakes."

"I will give you a hundred for the 'Haystack,'" said the Squire, quietly.

"My dear fellow! No you won't It is only your decency. The 'Haystack' has been on my hands for the last three years—my wife says as a warning to paint no more haystacks. I believe she'd miss it if it was gone."

"I want it," said the Squire obstinately. "It's a speculation. I believe in catching an artist young—before his work goes up in value."

Egerton laughed joyously. The statement was palpably not to be taken as earnest.

"You old Jew!" he said. "You can have it for thirty pounds. Even so it will put my pictures up in my wife's estimation. She's delightfully unimaginative—with that face. You couldn't believe how she thinks in pounds, shillings, and pence."

"A hundred," said the Squire, "else the 'Haystack' may go elsewhere."

"If you're in earnest. I suppose you can afford to be an art patron? Think of finding one here. I used to have dreams of the rich patron who would discover me and put me beyond the need of ballet-girls for ever. How delighted Doll will be! And Granny—in another way. She wants a jaunt to London. I don't see why she shouldn't have it now, out of the despised 'Haystack.'"

He was so exhilarated that it lighted up the Squire's elderly heart, as he had taken to calling that organ to himself, perhaps by way of recalling his memory to the fact that his years had entered the fourth decade.

They were out on a country road by this time. Egerton was talking away in excited good humor. He was telling the tale of how he had met his wife, the daughter of a broken-down, rather raffish younger son of a peer, who lived in an Essex village on a wretched income, and turned his daughters out to work for him. The old gentleman had ways of supplementing his income—undesirable ways in a relative—to which Egerton alluded cheerfully with his—to the Squire—embarrassing frankness.

"Poor little girl!" said he. "They'd apprenticed her to a milliner not far from Oxford street. She did not get on there. The brute of a woman who ran the place said she was stupid and lazy. My poor girl! When she ran up against me it was a question of looking for a job as a chorus-girl or trying for a mannequin's at one of the big drapers'. I was better than either. Old Tracey won't look at us. When he found his new son-in-law wasn't good even for a fiver, he washed his hands of us. I'd have given it to the poor old devil. Not Granny. There'd never be anything in the purse only for my practical wife."

Someone vaulted a gate in front of them into the road and came their way, and the Squire knew who he was instinctively with a sudden hatred as of the natural man, which he could not have explained to himself.

"Hullo, Cooper!" said Lionel Egerton. "We haven't seen you for a long time. Thought you'd been away."

"So I have—for a few days. I'll come over this afternoon and put on the new wheels to the mailcart. I don't know what Mrs. Egerton can have been thinking of me for not having done it before."

The Squire stood by, not looking at the man for whom he had a sudden loathing. He knew exactly how Cooper looked for all his averted gaze. Egerton apparently had not thought of introducing them. The fellow was good-looking of a sort in his rough, ill-made clothes. He had something of a brilliant gipsy complexion, bold, dark eyes, with yellow whites to them; dark, curling hair. His voice had a richness which had a suggestion of the South—oily, the Squire called it in his own mind, loathing the man.

He forced himself to look at what he loathed. Hilary had been quite right. Cooper was not the sort of man one would care to introduce to ladies of one's family, he thought, and was enraged against Lionel Egerton.

"I believe I've seen you before," he said, in a cold, haughty voice.

An extraordinary change came over Cooper's face, and passed so rapidly that the Squire wondered if he had not imagined it. Something of fear, of defiance, of insolence. It was gone and the man was answering him in the easy, oily voice.

"Very likely, Mr. Meyrick. I've seen you, of course. I've been here for some months, and we have knocked up against each other once or twice."

"You were at Breakback Hill the night of the accident?"

"Ah, yes, I was And you! You were doing great work, Mr. Meyrick. I wasn't sure it was you but I thought when I saw you riding afterwards that I recognized you.

There was another change in his face, as though he had lowered his guard, had become easy from being tense, watchful.

"And you," said the Squire unwillingly, "You did more than fifty men."

Something that was not altogether unbecoming came into the face of easy assurance, giving it a momentary dignity; something of dislike for being praised for achievements which their doer was not likely to overvalue. At least, the Squire said to himself conscientiously, this was a man of courage. He conceded so much with a grudgingness unlike him. For the rest the man was a bounder. He detested his voice. He could not have explained to himself his dislike of the man, so strong was it, like a primitive emotion.

Some vague memory stirred in him. He had seen the man before—in a soldier's tunic, his head close-cropped, younger, less florid—or someone very like him. He puzzled over the remembrance. Where was it. When?

"I should always trust Cooper in any emergency," Lionel Egerton was saying, with a friendly hand on the man's shoulder, "You don't know the debt we are under to him, Squire. Perhaps Dolly told you? I sometimes dream of it—Doll and little Susan at the level crossing; the express coming round the corner; the little pony jibbing, right in the path of the express. If this fellow had not happened to be there, with his steady head and quick wit in an emergency— Good Lord!"

So that was it! That explained the acceptance by the Egertons, even by Mrs. Egerton, who was not naturally a Bohemian, and disliked him—of a man obviously not a gentleman. The Squire put away a harsh word because the fellow had saved Dolly. With that florid color, that voice; not of the stuff of which gentlemen are made. He wished himself—if not himself, another man—had saved Dolly. All at once in his own mind he conceded that the fellow had laid him, as well as the others, under a debt that could never be paid. What folly was this, with his forty years! If he had been Hilary, now!

Cooper remarked with a certain uneasy jocularity that it was manners not to talk about people before their faces ,and turned off to something about the Point-to-Point Steeplechase to be run at Mildmay in the following week.

"Wish I could go," he said; "but I've business in London next week, so I've no chance of dropping a bit"

Suddenly the Squire found his clue.

"Were you ever in Dublin?" he asked. "At the Island Bridge Barracks? I was there in ——"

"Never," said Cooper; but his eyes had blanched as though lightening had flashed before them. "I have never been in Dublin in my life."

As they went homeward, while Egerton talked of the various things, the Squire giving him only half an ear, elucidation flashed upon him.

"Cooper disappeared when the soldiers came that night," he said to himself. "And it was a detachment of Hussars—my own regiment. I believe he was in the regiment. But his name was not Cooper."

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"Every eight miles along the west front there is a horse hospital. The percentage of horses in these hospitals is approximately 27 placed there for sickness, and from 68 to 72 per cent. because of injuries. The United States has supplied a large number of the horses used by the armies of the Allies. At the beginning of the war the French had about 525,000 horses, and the Germans approximately 720,000. The Allies, of course, have purchased many thousands of horses from the United States and Canada. The supply used by Germany came mostly from Austria-Hungary and Norway and Sweden.

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He Wants the Cold Truth

When a man lands out of bed on a cold floor and goes down into a cold kitchen to start a fire in a cold stove, and walks down into a cold cellar to shake the furnace, and then looks at the family thermometer to find that its only 15 degrees below zero, can you blame him for wanting to blow in a quarter for a new thermometer that will tell the truth?—Guelph Mercury.

The Light That Failed

"I can't understand why Jenkins and his wife fell out. She used to call him the light of her life."

"Yes, so she did, but he went out too often."

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An Ontario minister the other day borrowed from the Military Hospitals Commission a set of lantern slides. These slides show what goes on at the hospitals and sanatoria. That is, they show something of how our injured soldiers are being restored to health and to power for self-support, however serious their injuries may be. The minister exhibited the slides at three country churches under his charge. In returning the set he writes:

"My recording steward, who is also the postmaster and chairman of the local recruiting league, says they should be shown in every community. They meet the unrest in many families who have feared that the maimed who return will be forced to sell lead pencils or such like.

"What I should have done was to ask for them a longer period and put them on in every available church in this district. A man with a well prepared lecture and a few local slides could render a valuable service to the country, both in allaying the unrest above referred to and in removing the prejudice in some families from which recruits might be secured."

The Troublesome Bore

Matt. W. Ransome, once Senator from North Carolina, made politeness a point of conscience. One day he saw the very worst bore of his acquaintance, and, with a short "Howdy-do?" brushed swiftly past. The bore, evidently hurt, proceeded sadly. Ransom's conscience smote him. After ten steps he turned, and with a pleasant smile called back:

"Good-bye, Simpkins! I've been thinking a mighty heap about you lately, Simpkins."

The bore's face relaxed. "Ah!" said he, returning.

Ransom waved him back wildly, crying: "I've been thinking a mighty heap about you lately, Simpkins, but don't come back, Simpkins, don't come back!"

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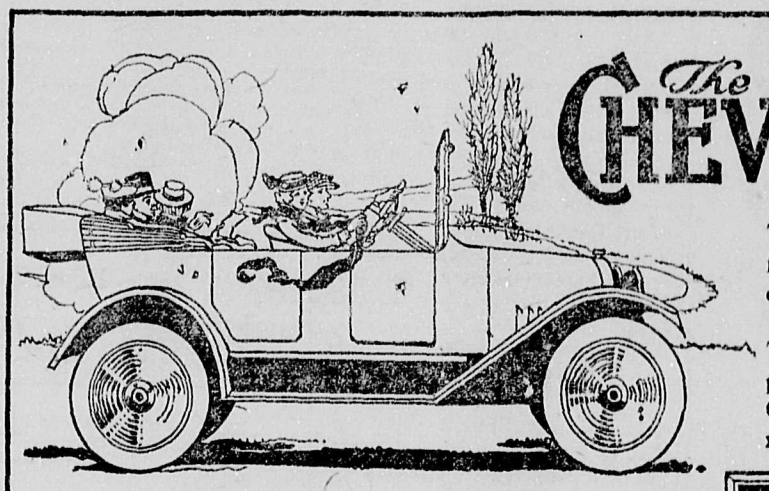

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Mrs. George P. Vosbrink, a board member, had charged that principals paid less attention to mental qualifications of teachers they recommended for employment than they did to charm of face of figure.

"You would think they were filling up a musical comedy chorus instead of seeking fit guides for children," protested Mrs. Vosbrink.

Protected by the Allies

Fortunately for her, when war broke out England rose to meet the crisis. Behind the backs of her Allies and in the shelter of her fleet she organized for war with a skill and capacity never before equalled by a nation trying to prepare for war after war came. Let us hope that in the shelter of the French and Russian bayonets and the British battleships our nation will rise to the crisis cast aside the pettiness of self-seekers and the more dangerous energy of the sentimental defectives, and equal the accomplishment of England.—Chicago Tribune.

An Enduring Blockade

Germany's submarine war may or may not break the war blockade that has been erected against her, but whether it does or not, it will erect against her a permanent blockade far wider in extent, a blockade which will leave its mark on Germany's commerce till long after the men who are misleading her into her insane course are dead and gone. For it will not be a blockade that can be stopped by a governmental order from the cabinets of the allies; it will be a blockade erected in the minds of men the world over whom she has tried to make fear her and who will have learned to hate her.—New York Times.

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"That's not fair Bill! The bet's off. I can beat thee at fair fishing, but I'm not going to stand thee diving in after 'em!"—Tit-Bits.

GILLETT'S LYE

The Outlaw's Reasoning

German ruthlessness at the opening of the war was due to the wantonness of power and arrogance. German ruthlessness today is born of despair. The good opinion of the civilized world has been forfeited and Germany, to use a homely saying, feels that it may as well be hung for a sheep as a lamb.—Toronto Star.

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Local Lines

Mr. and Mrs, W Hodgson have returned from a visit to victoria.

Douglas Carr-Hilton left on Monday morning for his home in Duncan.

The girls basket ball team are having a game with the Cumberland girls tonight.

Miss Christine Millard gave a birthday party to a number of young friends on Saturday afternoon last.

Miss Myrtle Dunham left on Sunday for the East, Her brother Lloyd accompanied her as far as Vancouver.

Miss Ida Carroll and Ethel Sutton are at Royston this week. The former is attending Miss Watts, who is sick, and the latter taking charge of her school.

Mr. G, H. Nickerson of Vancouver is spending a few days with his father and brother prior to leaving for whitehouse, Y. T.

will the holder of ticket No. 76 winner in drawing for pair of sox at Mrs. Janes please call at the corner Store and secure the sox before May 1st, otherwise another drawing will be held.

Mrs. Chalmers of Victoria, will lecture on May 1st and 2nd, under the auspices of the women's Institute on Home canning. Successful Butter making and curing hams and bacon.

At the sixth International Egg Laying contest now running at Victoria, just past its sixth month, the White Wyandottes are ahead by a good margin, the three highest being 580, 563, and 501. The three highest Leghorns are 468, 431 and 367. There are six birds to the pen,

Will, lease and deed forms, score cards and pencils for whist, at the Review Office.

W. A. Hames will be at the City Hall on Friday and Saturday to register all ladies who desire to get their names on the provincial voters list, irrespective of politics. A commissioner will also be at the Sandwick hall on Saturday afternoon. If not registered before the end of the month the ladies will not have a chance to vote at the Federal Election which may be held this summer or fall.

Saturday was pay day at the coal mines at Cumberland, and the Chinese boss collected the pay for his helpers which amounted to about $1400. On the way to China town he excused himself to his companions, went into the Jap store and purchased a new bicycle and headed for Nanaimo. When he did not turn up in a reasonable time the Chinks got excited and informed the police. who immediately got all wires busy and a posse started from Nanaimo and another from Cumberland. He wos met at Qualicum Beach and arrested and brought back. He got his preliminary hearing on Monday and was sent up for trial. Some of the money was found stuffed in the toes of his boots.

Anglican Church Notes

2nd Sunday after Easter. April 22

11 a. m, Holy Communion at Holy Trinity, Cumberland.

3 p. m, Evensong and Sermon at Lazo Mission,

7,15 p. m. Evensong and Sermon at St, Peter's, Comox,

7.30 p, m, Eveasong and Sermon St. John's, Courtenay.

7.30 p. m, Evensong and Sermon at St, Mary's. Grantham,

The Rev A, E. Nunns of Victoria, will be preacher at st. John's church, Courtenay, on sunday next at 7.30 p m.

As a result of the entertainment given in the Agricultural hall on Thursday evening by the Cumberland Follies the local Red Cross Society is richer by $152.95, the gross takings being $175.45, and the expenses $22.50. The entertainment was a good one, the choruses were bright and snappy, the songs and sketches well rendered, and much credit is due the instructress, Miss Loudon, for her pains in training the performers. The songs by Miss E. Lockard, Miss May Walker and Miss L Bickle were exceptionally well rendered, and brought forth rounds of applause. All the other soloists were in good voice and did full justice to their pieces. A large number stayed to enjoy the dance which followed. The committee in charge wishes to thank those who helped in any way, special mention bning made of Messrs. Booth, Cokeley, Hicks-Beach, Urquhart, Carwithen and Tarbell for use of cars, Mr. Fechner for use of piano and D, Creech for return of same, Rev, Menzies, Mr, Idiens, Mr. Urquhart and Mr. Grieve, who helped in other ways. and all those who helped to contribute sugar, tea, coffee, cakes, milk, etc.

Sergt. W D. Stoker. who left in the fall of 1914 to enlist with his former regiment, was killed in France on the 9th of March. About 6 o'clock while he and five others were attending to their duties, a shell fell among them, instantly killing three of them and wounding two others.

The late Mr. Stoker was born in the city of Cork, being the elder son of Mr, Dan Satiford Stoker, Ardmore Cottage, Passage West, When about 16 years old he came out to California to learn fruit growing, Returning in a couple of years, he enlisted for service in South Africa and served all through the Boer war, afterwards going to India where he was with the army for about three years, when his health failed and he bought himself out of the army, He the came to Canada, settling at Virden, Man. where he purchased a farm in 1908 After a few years he came west to Kelowna where he stayed for a couple of years, coming to Courtenay four years ago, In 1909 he married Miss Inez Winters, who with two small children survive him. The late Mr, Stoker was a generous, whole-souled fellow, and an enthusiastic sportsman. He was also a member of the Orange order, His commanding officer has written very highly of him stating that he had recommended him for a commission, which he would have received in about three weeks.

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