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DOWNS TWENTY GERMAN MACHINES

"The British Napoleon of the Air" is the application that the French people ascribe to the Nottingham boy who has to his name the glory of bringing down twenty-nine enemy air machines.

A Britisher describes his as "our star flying fighter, and has the admiration of all his lot. He is a short, little chap, with longish black hair and eyes like a hawk—he often does not trouble to put on his tunic, but goes to battle in his shirt sleeves."

The lad, Capt. Ball, M.C., D.S.O., to give him his official designation, with a reputation second to none in practical aeronautics, is as modest as he is intrepid. One can read his inner spirit in the letter he sent to his parents in Nottingham when he had 20 machines belonging to the enemy on the ground.

"Up to date I have had eighty-four air fights and have brought down at least twenty opposing machines. The German fliers are worthy fighters, simply doing their best as they understand it for their country but they certainly lack the all-important element of luck."

It was only at the end of last July the outside world first heard something about Capt. Ball. His name was amongst the list of those to whom the Military Cross was awarded, and theofficial notice ran as follows:

"For conspicuous skill and gallantry on many occasions, notably when, after failing to destroy an enemy kite balloon with bombs, he returned for a fresh supply, went back, and brought it down in flames. He has done great execution amongst enemy aeroplanes. On one occasion he attacked six in one night, forced down two, and drove the others off. This occurred several miles over the enemy's lines."

On Sept. 2—the day before he left France on short leave—the debonair airman engaged a fleet of between twenty and thirty Hun machines, and brought down four before he himself descended. When his ammunition ran short he used his revolver, killing the pilot of one of the German craft. It was for this magnificent exploit that he received the thanks of General Sir Douglas Haig, who, on the margin of the official report, wrote with his own hand the words, "Well done."

On another occasion Captain Ball flew the great distance of fifteen miles over the enemy lines. He was quickly surrounded by a swarm of German flyers. Three of them were sent down to earth with their wrecked machines, never to rise again. And, though the British hero's petrol was running short he managed to reach our lines in safety. One could go on indefinitely telling of such brilliant exploits.

A month ago the captain was awarded the D.S.O., and also a bar to the Order, for further heroism.

This wonderful boy is only twenty. He has been in close on a hunderd air fights, in which, if he has not brought down an enemy machine, he has driven one away. And he began his military career as a private in the Sherwood Foresters.

Captain Ball is a native of Nottingham. Hhe was only seventeen when he enlisted, and while still in the ranks he was given a commission. He then transferred to the R. F. C., and learnt to fly at Hendon.

When last in Nottingham the gallant young airman received many congratulations from those who were aware of his great deeds, and the recent acknowledgement of his ability by the authorities is but another evidence of the high regard in which he is held by the various commands.

Captain Ball's young brother Cyril has recently joined the R. F. C. — Montreal Star.

FACTS FROM FERNIE

William Johnston has taken over the Orpheum theatre. Only the very best pictures will be shown.

Sergt. T. Armstrong arrived home in Fernie on Friday last from an English hospital. He is still suffering from wounds received in France some months ago.

Rev. T. Albert Moore, D.D., of Toronto, will be in Fernie tomorrow. He will address a meeting in the Methodist church on the subject of Social Service and Evangelism.

Joseph Bricker, one of the first proprietors of the Crow's Nest Trading Co. store, was in town last week. He is a pioneer of this city, coming here in 1897 from Bull Head. Since the first big Fernie fire he has lived in Vancouver and is engaged n the mercantile business.

There will be a bazaar given by the Lades Guild of Christ Church on Dec. 2nd, afternoon.

The Royal Gwent Welsh Male Choir will be at Knox church on Saturday, Nov. 25, under the auspices of the Sunday School.

PROVINCIAL PREFACES

The Hon. Charles Emerson has been appointed Registrar of the Supreme Court of Newfoundland.

The new Governor General of Candada, the Duke of Devonshire, is an ardent supporter of cricket. He was president of the M.C.C. in 1912.

Madame Edwina, prima donna soprano of Covent Garden, will sing in her home city, Vancouver, at the Opera house, Nov. 23.

The Hon. John Alexander Robinson, for 22 years editor of the Daily News, St. John's, Nfld., has been appointed postmaster general of Newfoundland.

Two freighters for Trans-Atlantic service between New York and Norway have been laid down at the Polson Iron and Shipbuilding Yards, at Toronto. They will cost $1,200,000 and must be delivered in July and August, 1917.

A direct steamship service between St. Nazaire, France, and Halifax, during the winter months, is announced by the Marine Navigation Co., of London. There will be monthly sailings.

CAMP NOTES

Queen's Battery have returned to Kingston, Ont., from summer camp at Petawawa.

The new British army order allowing the upper lip to be clean shaven has been welcomed by all ranks.

The colors of the 196th Western Universities battalion, which left Camp Hughes last week for England, have been placed in the University of Alberta for keeping.

Members of the 239th Railway Construction Corps are now known as sappers and not privates. This privilege is only enjoyed by the engineers in Canadian and Imperial service.

The 239th (Railroaders) Battalion have moved into their winter quarters at Windsor, N.S. Most of the men are from the west. Major J. B. Macdonald is in charge during the absence in France of Lt. Col. J. W. Stewart.

The 236th Battalion, New Brunswick Kilties, has been given permission to recruit throughout Canada. They will wear the tartan of McLean of Duart. They have headquarters at Fredericton, N.B.

The 223rd Batt. (Canadian Scandinavians), Winnipeg, expect their B.C. platoon to be raised by Christmas. Bandmaster Nielarus, who was a

KITCHENER'S PET

Unleashed !

....The 196th Battalion have arrived in England.

Sir Sam Hughes has resigned his portfolio as Minister of Militia.

member of the Orpheum circuit, is anxious to obtain more musicians.

Capt. Sam Waddell, of New Westminster, B.C., has received a commission in the R.N.R. and is to be given command of a section of mine sweepers. He was the master of the B.C. fishery cruiser "Foam."

The 228th Overseas Batt., Toronto, has a god chance to win the National has a good chance to win the National winter, with such well known stars members of the battalion as Percy Lesuer, McNamara Bros., Goldie Prodgers and three other N. H. A. players. The regimental hockey team are also trying to get Eddie Oatman to join.

Every man of "A" and "B" Companies, 231st Batt. C.E.F., Vancouver, who has obtained a recruit, has been given a day's leave.

Lieut. Irwin Davis, a son of E. P. Davis, K.C., Vancouver, with the Royal Canadian regiment, has lost his right leg and is in a very serious condition in an English hospital.

COM. T. H. HOWARD

Chief of Staff Salvation Army

Commissioner Howard, second in command of the Salvation Army throughout the world, is a man of intensely earnest character.

The Commissioner became a Salvationist in 1881, and in May of the same year he became Vice-Principal of the first Training Home. In 1882 he went to the then newly acquired Training Home at Clapton, with the rank of Major. His first territorial command was Australia, whence he returned to Great Britain in 1890. He had charge of the Training College until he was appointed to take charge of the Army's Field operations in Great Britain. Was appointed Secretary for Foreign Affairs in 1896. Later, after a three year term as Commissioner for Training, he was, in 1907, appointed Foreign Secretary. In 1905 he instituted at Clapton the weekly Central Holiness meetings, which have attained world wide fame and influence. He received his present appointment in 1912.

The Congress held this week end in Winnipeg, which Salvationists from every part of the American continent attended, was under his entire management and was in every feature a great success. Capt. Cox, of Fernie, attended the Congress.

A MUNICIPAL CHAPEL

Father Knickerbocker has opened a marriage office in the New York municipal building. It has proved a huge success. The opening day witnessed 38 marriages. New York is certainly a bold assistant to Master Cupid.

EUROPEAN EVENTS

The British government will turn over to Chile five American built submarines as compensation for the delay in delivery of dreadnoughts contracted for in England by the Chilean government.

The King has given twenty pounds for a Church Army Hut at Windsor for the Canadian Lumbermen's Battalion.

French soldiers at the front receive an average of 4,000,000 letters, 10,000 money orders and 350,000 parcels daily.

Ras Michael, father of the late Emperor of Abyssinia, has been taken prisoner in a big battle 25 miles outside of the Capital, which resulted in a complete victory for the New Government.

Lieut. Gen. Bryan T. Mahon, lately in command of the western front in Egypt, has succeeded Major General Sir John Maxwell in command of the forces in Ireland.

Fance has taken all steps necessary and England is taking the matter into serious consideration, for a tunnel under the English Channel. The plans were outlined by M. Sartiaux, chief engineer of the Nord Railway Co., of Paris. The cost will be sixteen million pounds, each country to adopt half the expense. England and France are Allies and every day sees the peoples of these countries fighting and dying side by side. The tunnel will not only have a district military usefulness but after the war help to weld the two countries still closer together.

Capt. Drefus, who figured in French history 22 years ago, in connection with the secrets of the 120 gun, now honorably restored to all his former honors, is fighting for France against the enemy who was mainly responsible for his downfall.

THE LATEST BULLET

At Sandy Hook proving grounds a new armour-piercing bullet was tried out recently with surprising results. It is only .30 calibre but at 50 yards it pierced a sheet of steel three-quarters of an inch thick.

HONOR TO THE TZAR

The British Ambassador to Russia recently presented the Grand Cross of the Bath to the Tzar of Russia, as head of the Russian navy. He spoke eloquently of the services to the Allies of the Russian navy.

CAMP SKATING RINK

The new skating rink at Morrissey Camp will be 60x100 feet, adjoining the barracks. The ground is level and Chairman Corp. Oughton has already started work on the sides and is making the necessary pipe connections to turn the water on. Nature will do the rest.

DAILY ORDERS

Taken on the strength—
No. 256, Pte. Crew, Alex J.
No. 257, Pte. Maguire, Edward
No. 258, Pte. Dixon, Charles
No. 259, Pte. English, Edward

C. Æ. SHAW, Major,
O.C. "E" Co., 107th E.K.R.,

LATEST DISPATCHES

London—King George today received J. P. Morgan in audience at Buckingham Palace.

Paris—Motor women on the Paris street railways will soon be a reality. They will first undergo training and then be placed on lines where traffic is lightest.

NEW GOVERNOR GENERAL

The Duke of Devonshire, Canada's new Governor General, and the Duchess of Devonshire, arrived at Halifax last Saturday from England. They made the journey on a British warship.

WOODROW WILSON IS AGAIN PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

PROHIBITED IN CANADA

Under the terms of an order in council, No. 94, no person in Canada shall be permitted on or after Nov. 11th, 1916, to be in possession of any of the following newspapers or any issues thereof, already published or hereafter to be published, and further, any person in possession of any such newspaper shall be liable to a fine not exceeding $5000 or imprisonment for any term not exceeding five years, or to both fine and imprisonment: New York American, New York Sunday American, New York Journal, Boston American, Boston Sunday American, Chicago Examiner, Chicago Sunday Examiner, Chicago American, San Francisco Examiner, San Francisco Sunday Examiner, Los Angeles Examiner, Los Angeles Sunday Examiner, Los Angeles Herald, Atlanta Georgian and Atlanta American.

TRIBUTE TO CANADA

Earl Curzon paid a glowing tribute to Canada at a luncheon given to the Duke of Devonshire in London, Eng., recently. He said:

"If there is any among the Dominions of the Crown that has established for itself the right to rank among the great nations of the earth, it is Canada. If there is any part of the British Empire that is assured of a dazzling and almost illimitable expansion in the future it is Canada. If in this war there are any of our fellow-subjects who in superlative degree might be said to have shown loyalty of loyal and bravery of brave, those are our fellow subjects from the Dominion."

NEW RUSSO-BRITISH COMMERCE CHAMBER

London, England—The formation of a Russo-British chamber of commerce in London was decided upon recently at a large meeting of British and Russian firms interested, convened by the Russian consul general in London, Baron A. de Heyking. Sir Algernon Firth, Bart., president of the Associated Chambers of Commerce, presided. At the request of the Russian consul-general an executive council consisting of seven Russian and seven British gentlemen, was appointed to draw up the constitution, articles and bylaws of the chamber.

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PHILATELISTS' NATIONAL WAR FUND

Members of the Junior Philatelic Society, of London, England, are raising a large sum of money in aid of the Red Cross and St. John of Jerusalem Societies. those great organizations which are doing so much to alleviate the pain and distress of Britain's soldiers wounded in the war. There are many philatelists in British Columbia who can help the noble work of the J. P. S. by sending in parcels of good duplicates to be sold for the above funds to the President, M. P. Castle, Esq., M.V.O., 4 Southampton Row, London, W.C. Stamps, collections, everything worth selling will be welcomed. The aim of the committee is not to collect a large sum of money from a few individuals but to gain the largest possible sum from the whole philatelic community in the British Empire.

ANIMALS UNDER FIRE

The proverbial sphinx-like imperturbility of cats is once again demonstrated by the fact that pussy is the only quadruped known to face shells without a natural feeling of trepidation, says an English exchange.

Even after two years of devastaing bombardment, Ypres, the dead city of the Flanders plain, still boasts a number of cats, which prowl and flourish in this wilderness of calcined debris. Horses are more human, inasmuch as they are afraid of shells, but endeavor to show a bold front. Dogs are the greatest cowards, and the sound of a "Jack Johnson" sets them running as fast as their legs can carry them from the danger zone. Perhaps, however, the most unaffected of all natural life within sound of the guns are larks and sparrows. These birds treat a hurricane fire with aloofness and contempt, singing and chirping through all the din as if the uproar were but an uninvited accompaniment to their song.

PAPER SITUATION IS SERIOUS

The price of paper, which has advanced from 100 to 300 per cent or more over prices prevailing a year ago, seriously threatens the life of a large number of publications throughout the country and greatly lessens the profits of others.

The newspapers, from the largest dailies to the smallest weeklies, have been bearing the burden which to many publications will mean complete destruction and to many others the wiping out of all profit.

Had the newspapers of the country been as prompt to defend their own interests as they have the interests of others, they, too, would, before this, have undertaken to save themselves by an advance in subscription price and in advertis ing rates. Hundreds of the smaller weeklies, including the religious papers, which have but a very narrow margin between loss and profit, will, we fear, suffer most disastrously, unless the public promptly recognizes the situation and accepts an advance in subscription and in advertising rates, and thus save the situation.

The day laborer, the mechanic, the farmer and nearly all business interests, manufacturing and mercantile, under the acitvity of the times, are showing larger earnings than for years. But the newspapers as a whole are meeting a more perplexing problem in the doubling, and in some cases the trebling, of price of paper, and in the absolute inability to contract in advance for supplies, than they have ever had to face before. The statements which have recently appeared in the daily papers on the subject do not at all exaggerate the seriousness of the situation. — Manufacturers' Record.

HER HAT

Some men complain the expense of a wife
Is the one thing that wearies and crushes their life,
But a husband we know in this high Altitude,
Whose heart swells with pride and extreme gratitude
To the Gods for sending him one so kind
With a comely form and a cultured mind.

Taking a shape that is crudely designed,
She produces a hat so sweetly refined
By deftly blending a ribbon of pink
With the wing of a grouse, and before you can think
You have something whose value cannot be known
The secret is this, "It is all of her own." —E. H. L.

SECOND WHIST DRIVE

A most successful whist drive was held in the Recreation Room last Thursday night. There were 35 players present. The winners were: First prize, Mrs. Sergt. Carter; first prize, Corpl. Gordon Ross; booby prize, Miss James.

HAMAR GREENWOOD'S WIT

Sir Hamar Greenwood, Bart., the Whitby, Ont., boy who is now a distinguished member of the British house of commons, and is paying a visit to Canada, owes much of his success to the gift of rapid thought and repartee, which he cultivated in early youth by assiduous devotion to the debating societies at Toronto university. During one of his parliamentary campaigns in England he was orating on the folly of purchasing foreign made goods; but his audience happened to contain a very sharp-eyed British shoemaker. "Why do you wear American boots, then?" demanded the shoemaker. "Because my feet were made in America," was the instant retort, and the laugh was effectually turned upon the questioner.—Financial Times.

TRAIL BOYS IN KHAKI

J. P. Schofield, James McKay and T. D. Guernsey, of the 196th Batt., have left Camp Hughes for overseas.

A. B. McNaughton, brother of Dr. McNaughton, of Trail, is now in No. 3 hospital, London.

Herb. Smith, formerly president of the Trail Mill and Smertermen's Union, who enlisted a short time ago with the engineers, is now in Montreal expecting to go to the front soon.

Copr. Sinclair Marlatt, reported as wounded last week, is now in an hospital at Stoke-on-Trent, Eeng., serlously injured, according to cable received this week by G. H. Marlatt, his father.

Lance Corp. Truswell, wounded in the foot two weeks ago, writes his mother that he will be back in the trenches by the time she received the letter.

Thos. Corbett has three sons at the front, and they have had an unusual experience. They went to England at different times and in different units, but saw each other there. Then they were sent to Belgium in different units and at different times, and again saw each other. Finally they were transferred to France at different times and in different units, and are able to see each other occasionally. Thus far none of them have been wounded.

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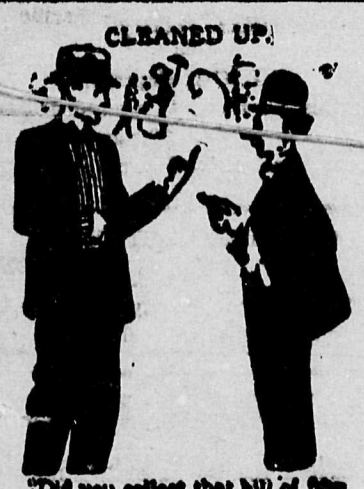

"Did you collect that bill of fifty dollars from the man in Jersey City?"

"Yep."

"Good; what do I owe you for getting it?"

"Fifty dollars; I had to treat him before he'd pay."

Direct wireless communication between San Francisco, Cal., and Funibashi, 15 miles from Tokio, Japan, a distance of 5800 miles, has been established.

HITS SCREEN WITH NEW GOWN EVERY TWO HUNDRED FEET

What mere man can attempt to describe a woman's gown? He can only look upon creations of the costumier with a sort of rapt wonder, and as much intelligent description on the end of his tongue as that maintained in vacuo by the late dod-bird. That is how mere man feels in looking at the strange and wonderful gowns of Dorothy Gish in her latest photoplay vehicle, "Susan Rocks the Boat." With every new scene in this stirring picture, there is Dorothy with a new specimen of Dame Fashion's art.

Mere man wishes he could tell something about one gown that sticks in his memory more than any of the others; but he can't. Dorothy certainly did look queer in it. The studio representative declares she wore it to emphasize her being out of place, in her character as a girl withoodles of money and a society education, among the gangsters in a slum district where the film was taken. She surely made her point. Mere man is going back to see the picture a fourth time to hand himself another chortle of glee.

It has a hat like the one Nellie wore, without the bird to make saucy remarks. It has tight waist and skirt (or are they both in one garment ?) like those worn in the good old post-bellum days in the reaction against hoops, with a little sort of epaulette on each shoulder like the last puff of a glass-blower. But when Dorothy turns around—!

Have you ever seen the one-man top folded up like a package of soda crackers on the back of a Japanese kimona? Well, that's it, only more so for Dorothy. It's a bear!

At the Orpheum Friday and Saturuday, Nov. 17 and 18.

PROMOTIONS IN 225th BATT.

Promotions in the 225th Battalion are as follows: To be major and second in command, Capt. H. E. Barnes, of Fernie; to be adjutant, Capt. C. J. Archer, of Nelson; to be captains, Lt. J. Cartmel, of Nelson, Lt. W. M. Harris and Lt. J. Brechin.

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U. S. A. NOTES

The hon. degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred on Thomas A. Edison recently by the University of the State of New York. It was the 20th honorary degree given by the university since 1792, and the second one of doctor of laws since 1850, the other recipient being Elihu Root a year ago.

As he thinks, so he is; as he continuues to think so he remains.—Jas. Allen.

IT'S MENTIONED IN CAMP

That Corp. Gordon Ross is well again.

That the Officers Mess once more is waited on by Tonsey.

That the new guardroom is getting cosier every day.

That Pte. Teddy English looks like a general in his uniform.

That Regimental Q. M. S. Lambkin is again on duty.

That Pte. Wainwright is out of the hospital.

That the new card tables in the recreation room are most convenient.

That Lt. and Mrs. Dunbar Abbott paid a visit to Gateway, B.C., this week.

That at last glass for many broken panes has arrived. Many panes are cured.

That Mrs. J. Wilson has gone to Calgary to join her husband, whose regiment leaves shortly for the front.

That Pte. Corrigan went to Fernie to meet several relations back from the front.

That Lance Corp. Sanders spent several days in Fernie on canteen business.

That Pte. Lockyear Wray has returned from a visit home, on sick leave.

That the singing, warbling, whistling and even humming of Pte. Ccanlon is a thing of the past.

That Miss Connors of Fernie has been visiting her brother, Pte. Connors and family.

That the new shower bath at the barracks is ready and so are the icicles.

That no one will miss Pte. J. D. Perry, the issuer of rations, more than the issuer of this issue.

That the new stove upstairs in the barracks cannot smoke, having no pipe.

That the cook at the Officers Mess scalded himself badly and had to go to the hospital.

That the new score cards printed by the Fernie Free Press for the Camp Whist Club are an excellent example of what the Free Press job department can do.

That the lecture Monday night by Lieut. H. Wallace on "How To Care For Arms," was well attended and most instructive.

That it makes a fellow feel pretty small to have to be told when to get a hair cut. It would make some privates wonder which hair to cut.

That everyone should attend Morrissey Children's Fete in aid of the Belgian children, on Friday afternoon.

That Corpl. Oughton is just the man to be chairman of the Skating Rink committee. The Camp expects great things of that skating rink and Corpl. Oughton.

That the water pipes at Lt. Mott's apartments and the water pipes at Sergt. Lane's diggings are closely related to the water pipes in the C.A. S.C., and all are frozen up and a nuisance.

That Sergt. Major Minton rode "Dolly" to Elko in the middle of the night (Sunday last) and was delighted to see the warm glow of a light after being nearly frozen in the saddle.

That the hobo farm help who shuffled his way to the border was very like Sergt. Cecil Minton and in only one particular—his smile.

That a walking bacon family, mamma and six little 'uns, arrived as guests of the barracks on Saturday in charge of Pte. Boardman. They are as hungry as hogs and look appetizing.

That Mr. Tom Prentice kindly donated a goodly bunch of magazines and papers to the reading room.

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E. K. Stewart, Manager of the Trites-Wood Co., has purchased the house of W. M. Walker, late manager of P. Burns Co. The sale was made by M. A. Kastner, insurance agent of Fernie.

The Rev. Mr. Hobson is the new residential Presbyterian minister at Waldo. His wife is a sister of Pte. Hanson, 54th Batt. C. E. F., now in France.

BACK TO SLATE PENCILS

The Board of Superintendents of the New York City Schools at a recent meeting considered the problem of the paper supply and agreed that if the situation became much worse it would be necessary to return to old-fashioned writing material. Contracts made last fall, however, protect the supply for the present year.

Premier Bowser will resign on Saturday.

Lord Richard P. Nevill, Comptroller of the new Governor General's household, and Arthur F. Sladen, private secretary, were gazetted Nov. 14 as Commanders of the Victorian Order.

Mayor Stewart of Victoria announces that he will not stand for re-election.

What most "movie fans" like best is a sensational film filled with baffling mystery and a story that holds the attention at a high pitch of keen interest to the end. "The Wrong Door" is exactly this kind of a film and will be shown at the Orpheum theatre on Monday and Tuesday. Carter DeHaven and his wife, Parker Flora De Haven, play the leading roles and to miss this film would be a misfortune to anyone who is really anxious to see the greatest feature of the season.

It is mentioned

That Pte. Jim Brown, C.A.S.C., is off to join an overseas corps and leaves for Vancouver today. He has made a host of friends in Morrissey Camp who are sorry to see him go.

That the Guards are as keen to capture escapers as the latter are keen to escape capture.

That to get an early success it is imperative to get up early.

Opportuunity is really the application of knowledge to certain conditions.

COMING EVENTS

December 12, 13 14 and 15, 1916. Alberta Winter Fair, Horse Show Building, Victoria Park, Calgary.

Dec. 2.—Ladies Guild of Christ Church, Fernie, Bazaar. Come and Buy.

Dec. 20-22—Poultry Show, Penticton, B.C.

SERGT. LANE IN THE CHAIR

The general meeting of the Recreation Room Committee took place at 7 p.m. Saturday with 25 present. After the adoption of the minuutes of the previous meeting, the proposal for a Camp Skating Rink met with general approval. The site chosen is the garden next to the barracks (with the O.C. Major C. AE. Shaw's kind permission). Corpl. T. B. Oughton was elected chairman of the Skating Rink Committee, with Sergt. E. H. Lane, Corpl. McPherson, Privates Clarke, Smith and Addison to assist him. Linton Bros., Calgary, replied to the inquiry of the Secretary as to the price of dominoes, and it was left with the Secretary to secure them. It was also unanimously decided to subscribe for an additional copy of the Nelson Daily News for the Recreation Room. Three more members were added to the Whist Drive Committee. The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to Sergt. Lane.

HAVE YOU FRIENDS AT THE FRONT

For the information of those who would like to communicate with The Salvation Army Chaplains, the names and addresses are as follows:

Captain R. Penfold, care of the Senior Chaplain, Boulogne-sur-Mer, France.

Captain C. B. Robinson, 30th Reserve Battalion, Napier Barracks, Shorncliffe, England.

Captain Steele, 30th Reserve Battalion, C. E. F., West Sandling Camp, Kent, England.

Ensign Oake, Gresley Park, Port Arthur, Ontario.

Captain C. Kimmins, Field Post Office, Camp Borden, Ontario.

Hon. Captain Carroll (S.A. Chaplain), 51st Battalion, Bramshott, Hants, England.

Captain Ainslie, Camp Hughes, Manitoba.

Adjutant Gosling, Sarcee Military Camp, Calgary, Alberta.

These Chaplains will be glad to be of any service possible to soldiers at the front or at Concentration Camps, or to the friends who are interested in the men who are with His Majesty's Forces. If anyone having relations or friends in the hospitals will communicate with the Chaplains, they will be glad to visit them. Please give full name, regimental number, battalion, and as many other particulars as possible.

The soldier in the train was dilating on his changed life. "They took me from my home," he said, "and put me in barracks; they took away my clothes and put me in khaki; they took away my name and made me No. 575; they took me to church where I'd never been before, and they made me listen to a sermon for forty minutes."

"Then the parson said, 'No. 575, Art thou weary, art thou languid?' and I got seven days' C.B. for giving him a civil answer. "

Private Jones was summoned to appear before his captain.

"Jones," said the officer, frowning darkly, "this gentleman complains that you have killed his dog."

"A dastardly trick," interrupted the owner of the dog, "to kill a defenceless animal that would harm no noe!"

"Not much defenceless about him," chimed in the private heatedly. "He bit freely into my leg, so I ran my bayonet into him."

"Nonsense!" answered the owner angrily. "He was a docile creature. Why did you not defend your self with the butt of your rifle?"

"Why didn't he bite me with his tail," asked Private Jones, with spirit.

Give us a keen sense of appreciation of things that have, do and will happen without our volition and we will the better appreciate how easy it is to do without fancied betterments that never have, do not and never will happen.

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THE ROSEBUD

Among the rosebuds chose I one
So fair, that of the remnant none
Might I appraise so well as it,
When I assessed it in my wit.
So well was it illumined
So richly hued with color red
That Nature none could make more fair;
And leaves it had about four pair. . .
The stalk was like a ruush, full light,
And thereon stood the bud upright
That down it bowed on neither side.
The pleasant scent had spread so wide
The place was all with balm replete.
—Chaucer.

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