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Correspondence

Editor, Leader.—The article "Retrograde" in the last issue of your paper struck such a discordant note in my make up, that I would be glad if you would give space to a few paragraphs to draw attention to what I consider a very narrow view of Christianity as expressed by "Layman."

"Perhaps I belong to the class of degenerates as described in the article, but where there is any harm in holding social events and clean entertainments in the basement of churches, I have yet to be shown and convinced. The ideal church, to my mind, is a place where the members of a community may associate in all ways that will develop their moral and spiritual natures, but at the same time never loses sight of the fact that if it is to get in close sympathy with, and reach the hearts of the people, it must make itself a part of their every day lives. Can this layman, or anybody else explain how the church is going to accomplish the salvation of men if it holds itself aloof from them and does not become identified with all those things which go to make up a well balanced life.

"Every normal human being enjoys a sociable hour with his fellow beings, enjoys a certain amount of healthy recreation away from the sterner duties of providing daily bread and is benefitted thereby. Is the church any the less sacred because it is used as a place to enjoy this recreation in the form of an entertainment or the spending of a social hour together? Should it not be the very place to encourage the people to come for this recreation.? There is then the opportunity of directing this side of their lives, and turning the forces that might be directed towards evil, toward a great and uplifting good.

Perhaps no single feature in the life of the city has had the effect of the Y.M.C.A. in reaching the boys and young men, and turning their superfluous energy to good account. How was this done? Certainly not by putting on a long face and saying, you must not do this, and you must not do that. No! They got the boys interested because the leaders made it a point to become interested in the every day life of the boys. They started out by supplying just those things dear to the heart of the average boy, such as swiming pools, gymnasiums, reading rooms, lounging rooms, etc. The boys joined by hundreds. What an opportunity of exerting a good influence and guiding their amusements along proper channels. These young men could not have been reached in any other way. The same principle applies to the Church; get down close to the lives of the people, join with them in all the various commendable activities of their lives, and there will be opportunities of reaching them that never could be secured otherwise. There are no Y.M.C.A.'s or Y.W.C.A's in Morrisburg, why not the churches? Why not old and young alike use them for the development of their social, as well as their spiritual lives. The practical christianity is the one that accomplishes most. This can be followed out in the churches, and should be followed out there the same as in the everyday life. Nor will the church suffer therefrom, or be held one whit less sacred by the broad-minded citizen.

"Layman may be, and no doubt is sincere in his convictions, but to my mind he is on the wrong track. His attitude and view point will never be the means of helping this imaginary retrograde condition, nor of accomplishing the salvation of men and women.

"One of Those Retrogrades."

The "Leader" at The Front

Prospect Barracks, Bermuda,
B.W.T., 28-10-15.

Dear Sir,—Having read in a recent publication of your paper a letter from Lieut. C. A. Cameron, formerly of Morrisburg, I would consider it a great favor if you would notify me of his address. I am a Morrisburg boy myself, and I am therefore interested in "Charley." I am with the machine gun section 38th Royal Ottawa Battalion C.E.F., and I am at present doing garrison duty here at Bermuda. We are undergoing a vigorous course of training, and are fast rounding into shape under the watchful eye of two competent Imperial Army instructors, namely, Sergt.-Major Conibear of the King's Own Scottish Borderers, and Sergt. Roades of the Queen's Royal West Turrey Regt. We are enjoying the best of health and are looking forward to the time when we shall be called upon to do our little bit for a noble cause. The daily routine of our training is as follows: Reveille sounds at 5.30 a.m., when every man is expected to turn out at once, arrange his bed, and kit, then we perform our morning ablutions. At. 6.30 a.m. we are given a good half hour's stiff physical drill, and are then ready for breakfast, which is served at 7.30 a.m., and which every man is expected to attend, as there is always a parade and roll call before meal hours, and any man absent is considered absent from parade. Our next parade is at 8.30 a.m. till 12.00 noon and consists chiefly of extended order work, bayonet fighting, musketry, bomb throwing, etc. Dinner is served at 12.30 p.m. Our next parade is at 2.00 p.m. and is given over to the more strenuous occupation of digging trenches, and we have some very hard material to contend with I assure you. This lasts until 4.00 p.m., when we are at liberty for the remainder of the day. Supper is served at 5.30 p.m. First post sounds at 9.30 p.m. Last post at 10.00 p.m., and lights out at 10.15 p.m. Thursday and Saturday afternoons are observed as half holidays. Friday evenings we leave barracks for a good brisk route march, so you see we are not losing very much time. We also have bathing parades every Wednesday afternoon when the troops disport themselves in the briny waters of the Atlantic. The weather continues fine and warm here.

Address No. 410939, Pte. Edward P. J. Smith, Machine Gun Section, 38th Battalion, C.E.F., Prospect Barracks, Bermuda, B.W.T.

NOTE—Lieut. Chas. A. Cameron's address—"2nd Lieut., 8th Reserve, Northamptonshire Regt., Meeance Barracks, Colchester, England.

The following is an extract from a letter dated October 23rd., received this week by Mr. Thos. E. Elliott, from his son, who is overseas with the Lord Strathcona's Horse.

"We have to move our quarters again the first of the month, this time to Aldershot Camp. They seem to think we should not stay in one place more than a month or two. I guess they are afraid the Zepps will locate us.

"They sprang a new stunt on us the last couple of weeks when they took a notion to put out mounted patrols on all the roads around Folkistone and Dover at night to see that motor cars, etc., did not show too strong a light. They have a hunch that these might prove to be guides to Zepps in case of a raid. It sounds quite reasonable. The boys are sent out at dusk and brought in at reveille.

"I was lucky enough to escape the stunt every night, as I was taking the bayonet fighting. I am now a full fledged sword and bayonet instructor, and can wear the crossed swords in addition to my stripes.

"The winter, such as it is on the south coast, is beginning to come our way in the shape of considerable rain and heavy mist. We have one thing to be thankful for, compared with cavalry conditions last winter with their open-air horselines, and that is that we have one of the best sets of barracks in the British Isles, and that is going some."

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THE RUSSIANS CAPTURED 10,000 IN GALICIA AND NEAR DVINSK

Surprise Attack Demoralizes Gen. von Linsingen's Austrian Forces on the Stripa

A despatch from London says: The weather, which has turned wintry, has not interfered with the Russian offensive along the eastern front. The Russians have extended their attacks to the district west of Riga and thence to the south of Dvinsk. They are keeping the Germans on the move, and the latter admit that in the region of Lake Swenton the Russians penetrated their lines.

The capture of 8,500 Germans in the south-western theatre, on the River Stripa, as the result of a surprise attack, is reported in an official statement issued by the Russian War Office. The statement tells of violent, but futile efforts on the part of the Germans to wrest the prisoners from the captors. Another Russian success is claimed by Petrograd in the fighting around Rafalovka, on the Kovno-Szarny. Here the Czar's forces took 22 officers and 712 men.

"In the region of Czartorysk bodies of Russian cavalry from 500 to 1,000 strong have been very active in attacking German infantry detachments in various localities east of Kovel. These operations have resulted recently in the capture of 2,000 prisoners."

The Austro-German forces on the Stripa River, in Galicia, have lost 28,000 men and 14 guns.

OFFICIAL GERMANY WAR SICK AND ANXIOUS FOR EARLY PEACE

Secret Negotiations Set on Foot in Holland Have Fallen Flat

A despatch from Amsterdam says: Germany's secret negotiations for peace have fallen flat in Holland, even the most pro-German Dutchmen considering the terms preposterous. It is believed that the man behind the plot is Dr. Solf, German Colonial Secretary. Dr. Solf recently visited Holland, preserving great secrecy about his identity, but his presence in the country became known to the Dutch newspapers. It was officially announced in Germany that he was merely travelling to Brussels and had stopped in Holland to visit the picture galleries. Dr. Solf stayed three days at The Hague and paid visits to the Dutch Foreign Secretary and Dutch politicians who are known to be friendly to Germany. Other Germans of note were in Holland at the same time, including it is said Count von Radowitz, of the German Foreign Office. Before Dr. Solf left Berlin he had interviews with the Kaiser and Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg. Those who saw him at The Hague gathered the impression that even in official circles the Germans are war sick and in a hurry to finish the conflict before Christmas.

NO LONGER JEER AT BLOCKADE

Food Crisis in Germany Growing to Alarming Proportions Admitted by German Press.

A despatch from London says: Although it is not true that Germany is starving, it is certain the food crisis is growing to alarming proportions. The high prices of provisions throughout the empire furnish a problem of the gravest nature. One necessity of life after another is engaging the angry attention of the nation. An entire page of the Frankfurter Zeitung is devoted to the new Imperial food laws. The decree consists of 12 paragraphs. One explains the special potato regulations. Another gives the laws concerning fish and game prices, another the restrictions on the consumption of meat and fat.

The entire German press is arming against the scarcity in the necessities of life. The printing of startlingly frank admissions is permitted. The Frankfurter Zeitung says:

"While our troops are fighting like the heroes of the classic ages, want is growing acute at home, where the people are beginning to interpret the miserable existing conditions as the defeat of the empire. We jeered at the blockade, but to-day we laugh no longer. The sinister aspect of things certainly provides no food for laughter. But as our worries increase, so day by day grows our hatred against the enemy who is responsible for this misery. This hatred is so potent that it will nourish and sustain us and inspire us to hold on until finally we hack our way through, even though we have drawn the belt so tight around our bodies that the mere act of breathing becomes a trouble and weariness. Our hatred will enable us to show the world of what tenacity and endurance Germany is capable when once they are sure of their cause."

Maximilian Harden, editor of Die Zukunft, says on the same subject:

"Let us frankly admit that the German people are in distress."

SERB WOMEN BOMBERS CONSTERNATE THE FOE

A despatch from London says: "There are nearly 2,000 women in Serbia's army when I left and more women soldiers were being organized," said Dr. Gruitch, a Serbian army doctor now in London. "The women are not in special battalions. Some of them wear the complete uniform of a soldier for the sake of comfort, while others wear skirts with a blue tunic. The younger women go with their brothers or their husbands. The women are of every class of the population, and we cannot prevent them from serving. They inspire the men, with whom they march side by side, and with whom they eat and serve shoulder to shoulder in the trenches.

"These women are not afraid. Nobody in Serbia is afraid, and the women in the ranks do not lose their nerve under fire."

FOUR AVIATORS KILLED IN AERIAL COLLISION

A despatch from Paris says: Two military aeroplanes collided while making a landing at Le Bourget. They caught fire and the four aviators manning the machines were burned to death.

GERMANS LEAVE 1,000 DEAD AFTER ATTACK NEAR DVINSK

Teutons Also Fail in Counter-stroke on the Styr Leaving Two Guns in Russians' Hands

A despatch from London says: German efforts to recover lost ground near Lake Swenton, in the Dvinsk region, have continued with great energy, but with little success, according to the Russian official communication issued in Petrograd. Over a thousand bodies were counted on the field by the Russians after one futile German attack.

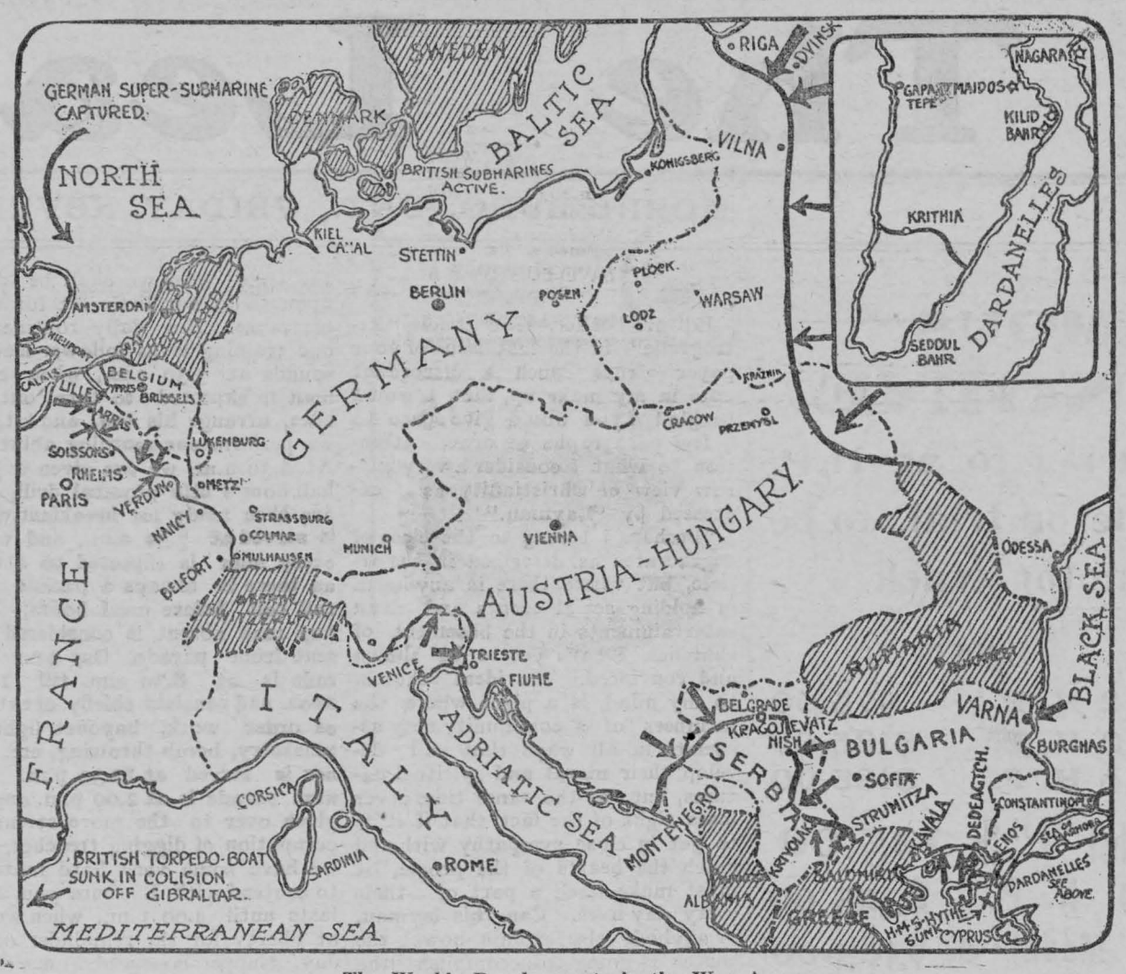
Near the Baltic coast also the Russians report progress in the land fighting, and it is stated that a naval squadron is bombarding the German positions west of Riga on the gulf.

In Volhynia the conflict between the Russians and General von Linsingen's mixed Austro-German forces is proceeding with great fury. All-night fighting at one point on the Styr River ended in the driving off of Austrian troops and the capture of two cannon, 250 prisoners and a quantity of ammunition. In East Galicia, on the Stripa, the combat has resolved itself into an artillery duel.

German Super-Submarine Caught on First Trip

A despatch from Liverpool says: The Daily Post publishes a report of the capture of one of Germany's latest super-submarines, 250 feet long and carrying, in addition to torpedo tubes, four guns of fairly large calibre. The submarine was launched at Stettin a fortnight ago.

The Post states that within a few hours after leaving her base she was caught "in one of those traps we have so skilfully laid for these craft somewhere in the German ocean."



The Week's Developments in the War Areas.

Outside of the Balkans there have been no notable developments in the various war areas during the past week. On the Western front the Germans have resumed their attacks in the Champagne district, and have been prodigal of men in their attempts to break the French lines. They have been checked at almost every point, and the Western battle-line is absolutely unchanged. On other parts of the Western front there has been little activity, infantry attacks being almost completely suspended, and the fighting restricted solely to local artillery duels.

On the Isonzo front the Italians have won difficult positions from the Austrians, and their offensive continues successfully.

As a result of statements made in the British House of Commons and the French Chamber of Deputies, the situation in the Balkans has been made somewhat more plain. Both Great Britain and France are determined to do their utmost to save Serbia, and the landing of troops continues steadily at Saloniki. Allied troops are also reported to have been landed at Kavala.

On the Southern front in Serbia, the French and British troops have met and defeated the Bulgarians, and driven them across the frontier. Further north, however, the Bulgars have made considerable progress, and are now bombarding Nish, the capture of which is imminent. The Serbs are offering heroic resistance, even the women joining in the fight against the invader.

Austro-German forces on the northern front are making slow progress, and are waging a war of extermination. A Serbian force has been despatched to deal with the Albanians, who are also attacking. If the Serbian army can hold out for a short time yet, the Anglo-French forces are likely to join hands with them, and check the invading armies, before Serbia is entirely overrun.

The new political crisis in Greece complicates the situation in the Balkans, and the actions of both Greece and Rumania are still problematic.

A strong British force is now approaching Bagdad, while a Turkish army is reported on its way to defend that ancient city, and it will be a race between the two columns.

On the Russian front, the enemy has made no progress, while the Russians report several local successes of some importance. The Austro-German troops are being withdrawn from this front to assist in the campaign against Serbia. It is expected that the Russians will have their opportunity against the weakened line of the enemy, and that important results may be looked for on this front in the near future.

The Leading Markets

Breadstuffs.

Toronto, Nov. 9.—Manitoba wheat—New crop, No. 1 Northern, $1.11½; No. 2, $1.08½, track lake ports, immediate shipment.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., tough, 43c, track lake ports.

American corn—No. 2 yellow, 73c, track Toronto.

Canadian corn—No. 2 yellow, 72c, track Toronto.

Ontario oats—New crop, No. 3 white, 38 to 39c; commercial oats, 37 to 38c, according to freights outside.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 Winter, per car lot, 94 to 96c; wheat, slightly sprouted and tough, 90 to 94c, according to sample.

Peas—No. 2, nominal, per car lots, $1.90; sample peas, $1.25 to $1.75, according to sample.

Barley—Good malting barley, 56 to 60c; feed barley, 47 to 54c, according to freights outside.

Buckwheat—Nominal, car lots, 77 to 78c, according to freights outside.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, 85 to 86c; rye, tough, 72 to 77c, according to sample.

Manitoba flour—First patents, in jute bags, $5.75; second patents, in jute bags, $5.25; strong bakers', in jute bags, $5.05, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New Winter, $4.10 to $4.40, according to sample, seaboard or Toronto freights in bags, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal freights—Bran, per ton, $21; shorts, per ton, $23; middlings, per ton, $25; good feed flour, per bag, $1.40.

Country Produce.

Butter—Fresh dairy, 27 to 28c; inferior, 22 to 23c; creamery prints, 32 to 33c; do., solids, 30 to 31½c.

Eggs—Prices are firm; storage, 30 to 31c per dozen; selects, 32 to 33c; new-laid, 38 to 40c, case lots.

Honey—No. 1 light (wholesale), 10 to 11¼c; do., retail, 12½ to 15c; combs (wholesale), per dozen, No. 1, $2.40; No. 2, $1.50 to $2.

Poultry—Chickens, 14 to 16c; fowls, 12 to 13c; ducklings, 15 to 16c; geese, 14 to 16c; turkeys, 20 to 22c.

Cheese—The market is firm; large, 15½c; twins, 16¾c.

Potatoes—The market is firm, with car lots of Ontario quoted at $1.10, and New Brunswicks at $1.15 to $1.20 per bag, on track.

Business in Montreal.

Montreal, Nov. 9.—Corn—American No. 2 yellow, 77 to 78c. Oats—Canadian Western, No. 2, 50c; No. 3, 49c; No. 2 local white, 45½c; No. 3 local white, 44½c; No. 4 local white, 43½c. Barley—Malting, 66½ to 67c. Flour—Manitoba Spring wheat patents, firsts, $5.95; seconds, $5.45; strong bakers, $5.25; Winter patents, choice, $5.60; straight rollers, $4.90 to $5; do., bags, $2.30 to $3.40. Rolled oats—Bbls., $5.15 to $5.20; do., bags, 90 lbs., $2.45 to $2.50. Bran, $21. Shorts, $23. Middlings, $29 to $30. Mouillie, $30 to $32. Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, $17.50 to $18.50. Cheese—Finest westerns, 16 to 16¼c; finest easterns, 15½ to 15¾c. Butter—Choicest creamery, 32 to 32¼c; seconds, 31½ to 31¾c. Eggs—Fresh, 42c; selected, 33c; No. 1 stock, 30c; No. 2 stock, 26c. Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, 90c to $1.10. Dressed hogs—Abattoir killed, $13 to $13.50. Pork—Heavy Canada short mess, bbls., 35 to 45 pieces, $28 to $28.50; Canada short-cut back, bbls., 45 to 55 pieces, $27 to $27.50. Lard—Compound, tierces, 375 lbs., 10¼c; wood pails, 20 lbs. net, 10¾c; pure, tierces, 375 lbs., 12 to 12½c; pure, wood pails, 20 lbs. net, 13 to 13½c.

United States Markets.

Minneapolis, Nov. 9.—Wheat—December, 97⅜c; May, $1.01⅜; cash, No. 1 hard, $1.01⅜; No. 1 Northern, 98⅜c to $1.00⅜; No. 2 Northern, 94¾ to 97⅜c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 63½ to 64c. Oats—No. 3 white, 34 to 34½c. Flour reduced; fancy patents, $6; first clears, $4.75; second clears, $3.

New York, Nov. 9.—Flour firmer; Spring patents, $5.30 to $5.65; Winter straights, $5.15 to $5.35. Rye flour firm; fair to good, $5.60 to $5.75; choice to fancy, $5.80 to $5.95. Hay firm. Hops quiet. Hides steady. Leather firm.

Live Stock Markets.

Toronto, Nov. 9.—Best heavy steers, $8.25 to $8.60; good heavy steers, $8 to $8.15; butchers' cattle, choice, $7.60 to $7.75; do., good, $7.25 to $7.50; do., medium, $6.75 to $7; do., common, $5 to $5.40; butchers' bulls, choice, $6.25 to $6.75 do., good bulls, $5.75 to $6; do., rough bulls, $4.75 to $5.25; butchers' cows, choice, $6.45 to $6.75; do., good, $6 to $6.75; do., medium, $5 to $5.50; do., common, $4.25 to $4.75; feeders, good, $6.50 to $6.75; stockers, 700 to 900 lbs., $6.25 to $6.50; canners and cutters, $3 to $4.50; milkers, choice, each, $65 to $110; do., common and medium, each, $35 to $50; Springers, $50 to $100; light ewes, $5.50 to $6.50; sheep, heavy, $4.25 to $4.75; do., bucks, $3.50 to $4.50; yearling lambs, $7 to $7.50; Spring lambs, cwt., $8.65 to $9; calves, medium to choice, $7.25 to $10.50; hogs, fed and watered, $8.85 to $9.10; do., f.o.b., $8.50.

Montreal, Nov. 9.—Butchers' cattle, $7.25 to $7.50; do., medium, $6.25 to $6.75; do., common, $1.50 to $5.50; canners, $3.25 to $4.25; butchers' cattle, choice cows, $6 to $6.25; do., medium, $5 to $5.50; do., bulls, $4.50 to $6; milkers, choice, each, $85 to $90; do., common and medium, each, $75 to $80; springers, $65 to $70; sheep, ewes, $5.50 to $5.75; bucks and culls, $5 to $5.25; lambs, $8 to $8.75; hogs, off cars, $9.25 to $9.40.

INVITED KITCHENER TO FIGHT FOR EMPIRE

A despatch from London says: Field-Marshal Earl Kitchener, the Secretary of War, has received one of Lord Derby's invitations which have been largely circulated to men of military age to join the army. This amazing blunder was disclosed by Lord Derby himself, who, while addressing a meeting of middle-aged recruiters, said nobody should be surprised if they received an invitation, as one had been actually sent to the Minister of War.

CANADIAN NURSE ATTENDED THE KING

A despatch from Montreal says: Miss Vivienne Tremaine, the Canadian nurse reported in despatches from London to have attended King George after his accident in France, was born in Montmorency, and received her training at Quebec Military Hospital. Her parents now reside in Westmount. She went to the front with the first Canadian contingent.

"How did you begin life?" "I didn't begin it. It was here when I arrived."

USED PRISONERS AS SHIELDS IN ADVANCE ON RUSSIANS

"They at Least in Some Measure Diminish Our Losses" Reads Note Found on German Body

A despatch from Petrograd says: What purport to be extracts from two letters found on the bodies of German soldiers on the field of battle have been published by the Imperial commission of inquiry into the conduct of the war. The first reads:

"In this case, when the advance becomes too hard, we take Russian prisoners and drive them before us against their fellow-countrymen. Thus they at least in some measure diminish our losses."

The second reputed quotation follows:

"We don't know what to do with prisoners. Henceforth we shall drive every Russian who surrenders before the line of our fortifications to be shot."

The commission announces that the letters will be photographed and translated into the leading languages of the world to be sent broadcast.

BULGARS ROUTED IN SOUTH SERBIA

Serbs, French and British Troops Took Part in the Engagement.

A despatch from London says: South of Strumitsa on the Bulgarian border there has been sharp fighting between the French and the Bulgars. The latter attacked the French positions, but were repulsed with heavy losses. According to reports the British are co-operating there with the French, but, as heretofore, these reports are unofficial and fragmentary, and it cannot be said authoritatively whether the British were in touch with their new enemy.

"Official telegrams confirmed at the Serbian and Russian Legations here announce a great Serbian victory at the Babuna Pass. The Bulgarians were completely routed at Isevore, suffering enormous losses.

"Detachments of British and French troops hastened to defeat the enemy, who was shattered, and fled in disorder towards Kupili (Veles).

"The right bank of the Vardar is now cleared of the enemy. The French also completely defeated the Bulgarians at Strumitsa, inflicting heavy losses on them and driving them beyond Kotsarion."

A Bulgarian army has reached the line of Nish forts, according to Sofia official despatches. It is not believed here that any great effort will be put forth to prevent the occupation of the war capital by the invaders.

The Teuton army under Gen. von Gallwitz, invading Serbia on the eastern bank of the Morava, captured Paracin, on the Oriental railway. This town, taken along with two others in the immediate vicinity, lies approximately 35 miles from Nish, the Serbian war capital—the direct line is a little more than 29 miles. It is this stretch of the Orient railway between Nish and Paracin that still remains in Serbian hands.

With the fall of Nish this railroad sector, essential to definitely clear the road to the Turkish capital, will become untenable for the Serbs, military observers here agree.

Meanwhile the battle line in Southern Serbia and in the strip of Bulgarian territory invaded by the French, has taken definite shape. On this battle line there are four principal salients, and at each fighting is now in progress. They are the Babuna pass, with the City of Prilep to the south, on the Monastir-Krupili (Veles), railway; Krivolak, due west of the pass on the Salonica-Nish line; Valanovi, about 18 miles south of Krivolak, in immediate reach of the same line, and Robova, eight miles south of the Bulgarian stronghold Strumitsa.

FRENCH TAKE ENEMY POSTS

Important Success Reported South-East of Amiens for the French Troops.

A despatch from Paris says: The sector between the Somme and the Oise south-east of Amiens figures in recent official reports as the scene of a French success. German posts before Andechy, north-west of Roye, were taken by the French troops, while to the south-east, at Beauvraignes, the Germans attempted a sortie from their trenches, but were driven back by the fire of the French artillery. Heavy artillery duels followed in this region.

The Germans attempted a hand grenade attack against the French positions east of the Butte-le-Mesnil, but were easily driven off, and in a continuation of the fighting at La Chapelotte, in the Vosges, the French field guns silenced the German mine-throwers.

Heavy fighting in the Champagne and Bois Le Pretre districts was reported in Saturday's official communiques. The Germans made a new attempt to retake their old positions at La Courtine, but the attempt "resulted in a complete failure." In the Bois Le Pretre, north-west of Pont-a-Mousson, the trench-to-trench fighting was unusually severe, hand grenades and bombs being used. French mines in the region between the Argonne and the Meuse caused serious damage to certain German detachments in the sector of Malancourt.

RUSSIANS TO USE THE DANUBE ROUTE NOW

A despatch from Rome says: The German Minister at Bucharest has formally demanded that two Russian torpedo boats moored in the Danubian port of Turnu shall be disarmed and the crews interned. The Government has refused, and notified the Minister that since the navigation of the Danube was free Roumania's neutrality was not violated. The reply is considered significant as implicitly recognizing Russia's right to send an expeditionary force to Bulgaria along the Danube. Probably troops will be embarked at Reni and landed near Silistra.

PAIN IN THE BACK

Usually Comes from Muscular Rheumatism.

Do not worry about a pain in the back. The worry will do you more harm than the pains. The cause of most backaches is muscular rheumatism, which is painful enough, but not fatal. Lumbago is a form of muscular rheumatism, so is a stiff neck. Sufferers from any form of rheumatism should keep their general health up to the highest standard by the use of a blood-building tonic like Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, while taking good, nourishing food, without too much meat. Proper nutrition and pure blood are the best means of fighting rheumatism. Rheumatism comes from an acid in the blood, build it up, strengthen the system, and drive out the poisonous acid that causes rheumatism. In this way sufferers have found complete recovery as is shown by the following case: Mrs. Samuel Childerhouse, Orillia, Ont., says:—"About three years ago I was greatly afflicted with a severe pain in the back, which I thought at first was due to kidney trouble. I tried a number of remedies, but they did not help me any, in fact, the pain was growing worse, and got so bad that I was quite unable to do my housework. I could not even sweep a floor. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I am glad I acted upon the advice, for before I had been taking the Pills long the pain began to subside, and under the continued use disappeared entirely, and I have not since been bothered with it in any way. My husband was also cured of a severe attack of indigestion by this same medicine, so that we both have much reason to be grateful for it."

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

GIVEN AWAY.

The Irishman's Answer Astonished the Colonel.

There used to be a certain stern old colonel stationed at Aldershot who was a great stickler for all the officers being acquainted with the names and genealogies of the various men of their troops. A well-known jovial captain, who was never yet at a loss for a reply to any question asked him, was once put sublimely through his facings.

"Captain Dash," said his superior officer, surveying a posse of young recruits, "what is this man's name, and where does he come from?"

"His name's Brown, sir, and he is a native of Derbyshire," remarked the calm captain, prepared for any amount of fabrication, but in reality not knowing one single point upon which he was likely to be questioned.

"And this man—what is his name, and where was he born?" was the next inquiry.

"Oh, his name's Smith, and he's a native of Devon," answered the plunging captain, as coolly as though he were telling the truth.

"Of Devon," repeated the colonel." "Dear me!—my own native place. So, my man"—addressing the grinning recruit—"you are actually from Devon?"

"Faix, yis, yer honor; and troth it's a grand place intoirely, so it is!" was the reply.

The colonel fell back, very much astonished, and Captain Dash had to see him later on in private.

TURN OVER TIME

When Nature Hints About the Food.

When there's no relish to food and all that one eats doesn't seem to do any good is the time to make a turnover in the diet, for that's Nature's way of dropping a hint that the food isn't the kind required.

For a number of years I followed railroad work, much of it being office work of a trying nature. Meal times were our busiest; and eating too much and too quickly of food such as is commonly served in hotels and restaurants, together with the sedentary habits, were not long in giving me dyspepsia and stomach trouble, which reduced my weight from 205 to 160 pounds.

"There was little relish in any food and none of it seemed to do me any good. It seemed the more I ate the poorer I got and was always hungry before another meal, no matter how much I had eaten.

"Then I commenced a trial of Grape-Nuts food, and was surprised how a small saucer of it would carry me along, strong and with satisfied appetite, until the next meal, with no sensations of hunger, weakness or distress as before.

"I have been following this diet now for several months and my improvement has been so great all the others in my family have taken up the use of Grape-Nuts with complete satisfaction and much improvement in health.

"Most people eat hurriedly, have lots of worry, thus hindering digestion, and therefore need a food that is predigested and concentrated in nourishment."

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14444
9089

on it. It makes up charmingly in the new plaids in prunelle shades combined with voile or broadcloth. The pattern consists of a foundation waist opening in front, with full-length or shorter sleeves with circular cuffs. The scalloped sleeveless bolero falls over a deep girdle, while the three-piece skirt is completed by a tunic gathered at the waistline, and may be finished with or without the scalloped hem. Pattern cuts in sizes 32 to 42 inches, bust measure, requiring in size 36 5⅛ yards 36-inch plaid with 4⅝ yards 36-inch voile.

Patterns, 15 cents each, can be purchased at your local Ladies' Home Journal dealer or from The Home Pattern Company, 183 George Street, Toronto, Ontario.

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VERY SUCCESSFUL FARMER.

Duke of Marlborough Helping to Solve the Food Problem.

The Duke of Marlborough, who married Consuelo Vanderbilt, of New York, is rapidly gaining the fame of Britain's "master farmer."

On March 17, 1913, the Duke sent an open letter to Winston Churchill, then Home Secretary, condemning radical land measures, and announcing that he was about to put 1,000 acres of his estate, Blenheim Park, at Woodstock, under the plow. He outlined an alluring scheme of increasing the national food supply and cutting down the size of the army of the unemployed. Also he promised he would grant land for workmen's cottages.

The Duke kept his promise. The scheme worked out, and is working out far more successfully than the Government, and probably the Duke himself, had dreamed it would.

A little more than half a year after he had written his letter to Winston Churchill, the Duke ordered 1,000 acres of Blenheim Park to be plowed for the planting of cereals.

This ground produced its second harvest this year. The barley and oats are not quite equal in bulk to the crop of last year, but they bear about the same proportion to those that preceded them that the present harvest in general does to that of 1914, so the deficiency has a seasonal explanation.

The Duke of Marlborough's enterprise in restoring to cultivation a land that had been under grass for many years has aroused interest and approval throughout the British Isles, chiefly because he is pointing the way to modifications in farming that have good chances of helping to solve the problem of the home productions of breadstuffs and of increasing the nation's security from its own resources, a matter of vital importance to Britain.

The Duke showed considerable foresight in the working out of his plan. The land he converted into cereal producing farms is light. The turf it carried was of little value, its owner being strongly against disturbing rich pastures or meadows.

The Duke is keeping detailed records, and the books show that there is every justification for expecting better returns from the reclaimed area under the plow than it yielded in its former state.

The Duke has subjected the administration of the Blenheim farms to a thorough evolution along industrial lines, and the results are equally as interesting and instructive as the progress of the farming itself. Together with W. Gavin the Duke had introduced important reforms, resulting in the raising of heavier crops and pronounced improvement in the quality of the permanent pasture, leading to a great increase in the total head of stock carried.

On the lawns all around the palace sheep have been substituted for the mower, and when in June the grass was bare the scanty feed of the sheep was supplemented with cabbages grown in the flower beds.

BRITAIN'S GREAT RESOURCES.

Can Continue Fighting For a Long Time.

The British were not bankrupted by the Napoleonic wars, although the average income per head was only $75 and the taxes took $15 of it. The average income last year was $255 and the average per capita tax was only $17.50. The population has increased not quite two and a half times in the past hundred years and the national income has increased nine times, says the Philadelphia Ledger.

It is evident that the nation has resources enough to continue fighting a long time. It is evident, also, that the British citizen is willing to pay whatever taxes the Government may levy. He is reading the budget estimates with calmness and preparing to pay the new taxes as the price of success. While the Germans are talking of victory the British are preparing to spend their last shilling before they will surrender. Their ability to pay their share of the new loan floated in America is undoubted.

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Pack-mules become very much attached to the bell-horse of their train, and refuse to move either forwards or backwards if he is not leading. For this reason the death of the bell-horse is a great calamity.

On one occasion, in one of our Indian frontier wars, says London Answers, the whole mule-train came to a standstill owing to the death of the bell-horse. Nor would anything induce the animals to move till one of the officers substituted another white horse in the dead one's place. On seeing, as they thought, the old favorite in his place once more, all the mules moved forward to greet him, and only by driving the fraudulent bell-horse forward quicker than the mules could follow, was the deception kept up.

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QUAKER WIT.

What He Advised a Lady to Do Get Warm.

"Somewhere in France" there is at work a group of English Qaukers, whose cool courage and tireless devotion in rescuing and tending the wounded on many a battlefield have won them, despite their peace principles, the hearty respect and liking of both "Tommies" and "piou-pious." Among them is one young man whose ancestors have been notable more for wit and spirit than for the virtues oftenest associated with drab coats and broad hat brims.

It was a member of that family, a century or more ago, that found himself by chance in a carriage with a very fine lady attired in the low-necked, short-sleeved muslin dress then in the height of fashion, adorned by a profusion of jewels and trinkets, and protected only by a lace shawl as light as a cobweb. A chilly wind blew up suddenly, and she exclaimed, shivering, "What shall I do to get warm?"

"I really don't know," said the Quaker sympathetically, "unless thee put on another breastpin."

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ELECTRIC FANS DID IT.

How Oriental Pasha Was Relieved of Mosquitoes.

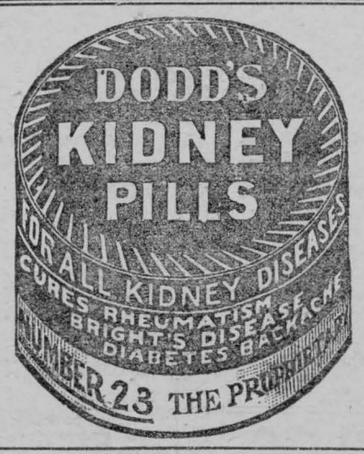
A 'round-the-world electrical engineer tells this story, says G. T. Hadley in World Outlook:

"We ran up to Bagdad to put over a little deal with the Pasha, a former Government official who had been prominent in the days of Abdul Hamid. His palace was infested with mosquitoes, and we had to plan to give him relief.

"He lived in the usual Moorish house with high walls, flat roof with parapets, few windows and open court. The old Pasha looked exactly as if he had just stepped out of a Broadway musical comedy with his shining silk robes, turban and red shoes and upturned toes.

"In the palace garden was a stream with a fall of about 10 feet. It would develop about one-fourth horsepower. We built a water mill, equipped it with a dynamo, wired the palace and started up some gigantic electric fans. These fans cooled the air and also blew through the rooms a narcotic sufficiently powerful to cause the mosquitoes to fall in a coma. All that remained was for the servants to go around and sweep them up in piles to be destroyed."

Waiters at one well-known London restaurant are being instructed in the French language at the expense of their employers.



WOMEN'S NATIONAL ANTHEM.

Dear Editor,—While in London recently I came in touch with a little incident, which I think will interest you.

I attended, one day, at noon, a recruiting meeting in front of the Mansion House. A great crowd of men and women listened to the recruiting sergeants, all of whom had "done their bit" at the front.

A lady, with a magnificent voice, sang patriotic songs, which perhaps were more effective than the speeches of the recruiting sergeants. At the close of the meeting, it was announced that after singing "The King," the lady would sing "The Woman's National Anthem."

Then, in splendid voice, she sang:

"God save our splendid men,
Send them safe home again;
God save our men.
Keep them victorious,
Patient and chivalrous,
They are so dear to us;
God save our men."

As she sang, every man stood, uncovered, and with bowed head, and there were not many dry eyes.

I think it would be a good thing if the women of Canada would learn this as "The British Women's National Anthem," for surely it is the prayer of every loyal British woman.

After the meeting, I went up to the singer, handed her my card, and asked her for the words she had just sung. When she saw that I was from Montreal, she said, "Oh, I sang in Montreal, and I will be glad to send the words to the women of Canada."

She wrote them on the back of the blue envelope which contained my passport.

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At Target Practice.

A new recruit was out for target practice, and his target seemed the only point in the landscape quite safe from his bullets. "Great Scott! my man," said an officer, hurrying up to him, "where are your shots going?" "I don't know, sir," replied the new recruit, confidentially; "but they all left here all right!"

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The new system of memory training was being taught in a village school, and the teacher was becoming enthusiastic.

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EASTBOUND

No. 18 (daily) .....due 4.23 a.m.
" 26 (daily except Sun) " 6.55 a.m.
" 6 (daily)..... " 3.55 p m.

WESTBOUND

No. 7 (daily).....due 12 48 p m.
" 26 (daily exc'pt Sun.) due 7 47 p.m.
" 13 (daily)..... " 10 13 p.m.

THE MAILS

	Despatched	Arrive
Day, west	12.30 p.m	1.30 "
Waddington.....	1.30 "	3.00 "
Day, east.....	3.30 "	4.20 "
Winchester.....	2.00 "	11.15 a m.
Night, east	7.30 "	
Night, west.....	7 30 "	
Sunday. E. & W.	7.30 "	

ARCHER

A number from this section attended Hector Kirk's sale on Wednesday the 10th.

Recent visitors:—Mrs. Fred Gallinger and daughter, Miss Beatrice of Gallingertown, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sampson of Wales at A. W Weagant's, Mr. and Mrs. Bodotte, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Pruner and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Weagant and family at George Denison's, Mr. and Mrs. H. Heagle and Mr. and Mrs. J. Grandeau at Mr. William Southworth's, Mr. Hesekiah Gallinger at his daughter's, Mrs. Roy Cunningham, Robert Shaw at Osnabruck Centre, Mr. and Mrs. Thom Swerdfeger with friends in Hoasic, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Weagant and Miss Beatrice in Aultsville, Mrs. Clarence Baker with friends in Massena, Master Hubert Baker with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Isiah Fetterly East Williamsburg, Mr. Clarence Baker and Miss Clara with Herbert Gallinger.

GALLINGERTOWN

Recent visitors at Geo. McNairns —Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gallinger, Mr. and Mrs. James Bryan, Miss Amelia Hanna and brother, Thomas.

A number from here attended the funeral at the late Mrs. Albert Hollister which was held at Pleasant Valley Presbyterian Church on Monday.

Mrs. Curtis Gallinger and Mrs. Jennie McIntosh attended the annual Deanery Meeting which was held at Iroquois.

Our school teacher, Mrs. E. Fetterley spent the week-end at her home in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sampson of Wales passed through here enroute to Archer on the 7th.

Master Dixon Fetterley and sister, Hazel, of Dixon, were callers here on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Gallinger of Pleasant Valley were guests at H. Gallinger's on the 7th.

Mrs. Fred Gallinger and daughter, Beatrice, spent the week-end at the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Weagant at Archer.

A few from here attended 'Uncle Tom's Cabin' held at Osnabruck Centre and Aultsville on Thursday and Friday nights of last week.

FROATBURN

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Froats visited Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Marcellus of Morrisburg on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schell spent Sunday at Roy Swerdfeger's, Hoasic.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Prunner of Nudell Bush visited at William Becksted's on Sunday.

Mr. Homer Swerdfeger is on the sick list with an attack of appendicitis. Hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. George Froats visited at Ora Lane's, Riverside, on Sunday.

Mrs. P. D. Schell has returned home after spending some time with her son, Willis at Williamsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Froats of Williamsburg spent Sunday at Roland Froats'.

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"Editor, Leader,—I notice in the Leader of October 29th, an article by "Layman" on the war. He seems to be well acquainted with the scripture, but not so well acquainted with the temperance cause if it is in good faith when he says that on the 29th day of June 1914, a vote was taken for or against the liquor traffic. I wish to say that there was no such vote taken that day, but he seems to think that because the opposition candidate had made some sham promises to catch the temperance vote, as others had succeeded many times before. This time the game did not work.

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Misses Maude and Dorothy Strader and Frank Empey motored to Newington Sunday and spent the day at Dr. Dickey's.

Little Max Servage, who has been very ill is slowly recovering.

Mrs. Abbott of Toronto and Mrs. J. D. Beckstead drove to Brinston last Wednesday and visited at the home of Mrs. J. C. Payne.

Rev. and Mrs. McCreery, of Dunbar spent Wednesday of last week t Mr. Asa Hess'.

We are sorry to hear of Mrs. Wingard's illness, but hope she will be around again soon.

Mrs. Edgar Algire and children spent Sunday at her father's, Mr. Ethan Whittaker's.

Mr. Harvey McIntosh of Dundela is around taking orders, preparing the people for Spring with all kinds of fruit trees.

Mrs. Laushway has moved in Richard Tupper's house.

Mr. A. C. Fetterly passed through our village on Friday last on his way from Ottawa.

Rev. Dr. Little of Morrisburg preached in the Lutheran Church Sunday night. There will be no services in the Lutheran Church ext Sunday.

Mrs. Dillabough of Brockville has spent a week among friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Garlough and Wilbur motored to Morewood on Sunday.

Dr. E. Marselis of Finch called on friends here Sunday.

Guests of J. D. Becksted's last week were—Mrs. L. Dillabough of Brockville, Miss Lucy Shannette, Mr. and Mrs. Brigs McIntosh and son, Victor, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Payne and son.

Guests of Mrs. Adam Marcellus last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Anson Graham of South Mountain.

Mr. Frank Empey this week received the following acknowledgment on behalf of the Redcross:—

"Received from the citizens of the village of Williamsburg, the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-eight Dollars ($128.00) for the Red Cross Society.

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DUNDELA

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hutt of Rowena spent Sunday at the home of Mr. George Barnhart's on Sunday.

The Lord's Supper was held at the Methodist Church, Dundela, on Sunday.

We regret to learn that Mrs. E. Casselman is ill and hope for her speedy recovery.

Mr. J. Henry of Dundela was burnt out Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Merkley and family, also Mr. John Marcellus and family were calling on Mrs. Casselman who is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. HenryDuvall of Morrisburg were visiting Mr. Adison Cooper on Wednesday.

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AULTSVILLE

Miss Margaret Morgan of Louisville, N.Y., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Sarah Morgan.

Private Harold Ault spent the Hallowe'en week-end with Ottawa friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Loucks have returned from Ottawa and will be at home to their friends at Elm Bank. W

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Loucks and son, Malcolm, and Mrs. Hannah, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Loucks and other friends over the week-end. The ladies remaining in town for a few days.

Mrs. G. W. Markell returned home on Friday after spending a week with friends in Ottawa and Montreal.

Miss Addie Cramer and brother, Chas., spent a couple of weeks with friends in Ottawa. Miss Cramer attended the Provincial Convention of the Womens Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Eamon and family of Osnabruck Centre spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. Gove.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weaver of Lakota, N.D., arrived here a few weeks ago to spend the winter with friends. Their old acquaintances welcomed them back to the old home town.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavis of East Williamsburg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hanes.

Rev. Thos. Bennet will speak at the Presbyterian Church, Nov. 21, at 7.30 in the interest of the British and Foreign Bible Society. The collectors will call before the meeting and you are requested to receive them cordially and be as liberal as possible.

Miss Lucy Pollock returned to her home in Inkerman on Sunday She was accompanied by the Misses Anna and Edna Hanes.

Mrs. Williams spent a few days this week at Carleton Place.

Miss L. Baker of Morrisburg, spent the past two weeks with friends here.

Miss J. Ralph spent the week-end at her home at Maitland.

Mr. Reginald Ault of Montreal, spent Sunday at his parental home here.

Miss Johnson, graduate nurse of Brockville General Hospital, spent a few days here recently, the guest of Miss Ella VanAllen.

Miss Lillian Wells has been engaged to teach the Primary Department of the Roebuck school.

Miss Ralph and Mrs. W. Dafoe spent October 31st at Mr. Isaah Fetterley's, West Front.

Mr. Green has purchased the property on Zions' Hills, formerly owned by the late Adam Baker, and has taken possession.

Mrs. Robt. Douley spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Horace Gibson at Louisville.

Mrs. M. Silmer was taken to Cornwall General Hospital on Monday for treatment.

Mrs. Pollock is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Hanes.

Miss Edith Famon of Wales is the guest of the Misses Zella and Lucy Hanes this week.

Messrs. Stanley and A. N. Dafoe, after spending the past two weeks shooting on Lake St. Francis, returned home Sunday.

Messrs. Chas. and Herbert Shaver spent the Hallowe'en week-end in Montreal with their brother, H. C. Shaver, of the Presbyterian College.

Miss Geraldine Fetterly spent a few days recently with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Shaver.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Wells were in Morrisburg on Tuesday.

The Uncle Toms Cabin Show in Fraternity Hall on Friday evening called out a large audience.

Born—At Aultsville, Tuesday, November 2nd., to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hanes, a daughter.

NATION VALLEY

Mrs. Swerdfeger of Hoasic is visiting her brother, Mrs. Jno. H. Marcellus.

Miss Ella Rae of Winchester visited her home here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Merkley and children visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bogart, of Chesterville on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Elliott and son, Preston spent Monday at North Williamsburg.

Miss Elizabeth Clark has returned home from Vancouver, B.C., having visited her sister, Mrs. Jas. Moodie.

Mrs. Wm. J. Allison of Chesterville visited her daughter, Mrs. Grant Grey of this vicinity last week.

Miss Nellie Elliott spent one day recently in Chesterville.

Mr. David Jackson of Chesterville spent the first of the week in the Valley.

Mr. Jno. Marcellus, who has been laid up with blood poison and was calling in the Valley.

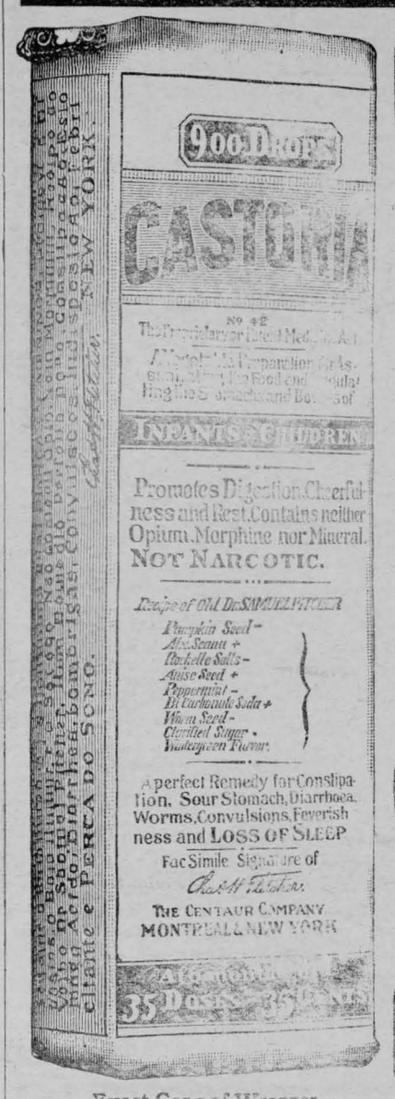
unable to work, had a plowing bee on Thursday. Twenty-one neighbors responded to the call.

Miss Helen Jamieson and nephew Master Harold, were guests of relatives in Chesterville the first of the week.

Mr. Barkley of Winchester has been doing some painting in this locality.

Mrs. Jas. Rae and Mrs. Peter Darling attended the Missionary meeting at Toye's Hill on Wednesday last.

Mr. J. F. Cass of Winchester



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About the Household

Dainty Dishes.

Steamed Indian Pudding.—One cup corn meal, one-third cup sour milk, one-half cup molasses, one-third cup chopped suet, one teaspoon salt, one teaspoon soda, few grains ginger. Mix soda with sour milk, add other ingredients, pour into buttered mold and steam four hours.

Meringued Apples. — Prepare apples as for baking. Cook until tender, but not broken. Fill centers with apple jelly or marmalade and coat each apple with meringue made with whites of eggs and sugar, one tablespoon of sugar to one egg white flavored with lemon. Brown in oven.

Cassel Pudding (English).—Take weight of two eggs in butter, in sugar and in flour. Rub butter and sugar together, add to them grated peel of half a lemon and yolks of eggs beaten light. Stir in flour and, last of all, whipped whites of eggs and one-half teaspoon baking powder. Grease small, deep patty pans and bake pudding in these for about one-half hour; turn out on hot dish and serve with hard sauce.

Johnnycake.—One-half cup sugar, one-half cup thick sour cream, one-half cup thick sour milk, one egg, one-half cup flour, one cup corn meal, one teaspoon soda, one pinch salt. Beat egg until light, add sugar and mix. Dissolve soda in sour milk, add to sugar and egg, together with sour cream. Add flour, corn meal and salt, beat thoroughly, pour into well-greased biscuit pan and bake twenty minutes in hot oven.

Rice a la Mode.—One pint cooked rice, six slices bacon or salt pork, three eggs, one tablespoon butter, one-fourth cup milk, one tablespoon chopped onion, salt, pepper and one teaspoon parsley. Beat eggs, add milk and pour into hot saucepan in which butter is melting. Stir constantly, adding onion, salt, pepper and parsley. When creamy add rice and when thoroughly heated again mound in platter, surround with hot fried bacon or salt pork, and serve.

Date Cake.—This cake is economical and quickly put together. One-third cup soft butter, one and one-third cups brown sugar, two eggs, one-half cup milk, one and three-fourths cups pastry flour, once sifted, one-half teaspoon cinnamon, one-half teaspoon grated nutmeg and one-half pound stoned and shredded dates. Put all in mixing bowl and beat three minutes, using slitted wooden spoon. Turn into buttered and floured cake pan and bake in moderate oven from forty to forty-five minutes. Sprinkle top with confectioner's sugar after removing from oven.

Carrot Soup.—Two cups chopped raw carrots, two slices onion, sprig parsley, one-fourth cup raw rice, four tablespoons butter, one and one-half teaspoons salt, few grains cayenne, two cups water, two cups scalded milk, two tablespoons flour. Cook carrots in water until tender and press through sieve, reserving liquor. Cook rice in milk in double boiler. Cook onion in butter. Add flour and seasonings. Mix carrot mixture with rice and milk and pour on to butter and flour. Bring to boiling point, strain and serve. Garnish with chopped parsley. If soup is too thick thin with cream or milk.

Breads.

Brown Bread.—Two cups of corn meal, one cup of flour, one cup of buttermilk, one of sweet milk, one egg, one teaspoon of soda, one teaspoon of baking powder, one-half cup of sorghum; divide batter into three equal parts and put into greased baking powder cans (pt. size). Cover with lids and set in a covered bucket or pot to steam for three hours, then remove lids and set in oven to dry for ten or fifteen minutes. This is especially nice for wash day.

Pocketbook Rolls.—One cup of yeast sponge, one cup of sweet milk, one-fourth cup of sugar, one egg, one-half cup of potatoes, flour to make thin batter; beat for five minutes or until smooth and light. Let rise four or five hours, or until air bubbles cover the surface and show that the batter is light. Now add one-half cup of lard and one teaspoon of salt; mix in flour to make dough as stiff as ordinary biscuit dough. Let rise two hours, roll out, cut in biscuits, dip in melted lard or butter, fold together, let rise until ready for oven. Cook quickly and brush tops with cream or butter.

Household Hints.

A quick and easy method of polishing linoleum is to wash it over with milk.

Change the lids of the kitchen range frequently, and you will prevent their warping.

Cold meat minced fine and mixed with mashed potatoes in potato cakes makes a good dish.

A good idea is to have egg spoons made of black horn; the silver ones discolor so badly.

Comfortable living is not a matter of money so much as it is a matter of foresight.

When buying nuts avoid the mixed nuts bait. They are generally made up of the cheaper nuts.

Never store any diseased potatoes in the cellar or anywhere else — they will ruin the good ones.

Wood alcohol will take vaseline stains from wash goods. Soak them a few minutes in the alcohol.

Pack glass or china in hay which is slightly damp. This will prevent the articles from slipping about.

Rice flour or rice which has been boiled is excellent added to the cup of mutton broth served the invalid.

The second and third cuts from the top of the round of beef are not expensive, and they are not tough.

Tea and coffee should be kept in a cool, dark place as far as possible, as this helps to preserve their flavor.

Meat should be taken from the paper as soon as it arrives, and never put in direct contact with the ice.

Sugar is present largely in bananas, grapes, etc., and their food value is derived almost entirely from that.

The juice of a lemon added to a pan of water will freshen wilted vegetables. Let them stand in it for one hour.

It is wise to use either mustard or red pepper in preparing baked beans or lobster dishes, as these condiments used sparingly render the food more digestible.

Delicious tomato sandwiches are made by cutting the tomato very thin and spreading it with mayonnaise. Cut the bread rounds with a cookie cutter, spread and use the slices of tomato for filling.

Keep a bottle of glycerine in the laundry, a tea stain, however persistent, will often yield to this when other means fail. Wet the stain first with water and then with the glycerine. After a few hours wash well with soap and water.

COMING TO AMERICA.

A Movement to Make Uncle Sam a German After the War.

After the war there will be a tremendous flow of German emigration to America, says the London News.

This I gathered from many conversations in Berlin and elsewhere with Germans who foresee that their own land will be poor after the fighting is done, and that America is rapidly rising to the first place in finance and commerce.

The Germans who have gone over to Berlin and into the army from English jobs are intelligent enough to see that they will hardly be welcomed here after the war. I give here a conversation I had with a middle-aged German in Berlin.

"After the war," I said, "you will go back to London?"

"No," he answered, "I shall go to America."

"But it will be less easy there, in your game."

"Less easy, but less, shall we say, difficult. You see the English are, so far, children in running hotels and restaurants. Any old woman with a capital of fourpence could get rich in London if she knew how to cook—and to distribute eight chairs round two tables.

"They are the biggest fools in the world. It isn't only the German waiter, you know, who says that the bigger the tip the bigger the ass, and the bigger the ass the more surely he is the Englishman."

"Yet you will not return to these people?"

"No, the United States for me. The London newspapers talk and talk about keeping us out after the war. No need for that. If we win the war England will be a house of snakes. If we lose, it will be a den of braggarts. But in America, well, the future is there. What I say is that good Germans will go over there and colonize it and end by ruling it. We shall make Uncle Sam a German. Then God help England, with a Germany on either side of her!"

And if the emigration movement is serious the Germans are thorough enough to set up schools to teach the emigrants the American accent before they go!

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

Proud of Their Heroic Sons and Brothers.

Australia and New Zealand have made a most honorable and sacrificial offering to this war. A correspondent writes:—"I send you these few lines from a far back sheep station among the New Zealand hills. I assure you that the throb of emotion of patriotism reaches to the uppermost parts of the empire. Every man of eligible age on this station is either on the list of those accepted or has been rejected, like myself. Nevertheless, in New Zealand, as elsewhere, there are 'shirkers.' However, we are more proud than any words can say of our heroic sons and brothers, and some cases fathers (extremely few married men have gone from New Zealand). The New Zealand Minister of Defence, in reply to a deputation which waited on him to strongly urge increased contributions of men from New Zealand, stated reasons of a confidential nature, explaining why New Zealand could not send another Main Body. These reasons, which the Press was asked not to publish, quite satisfied this influential deputation. As it is, New Zealand is sending over 3,000 men as reinforcements every two months."

FRENCH TRENCH IN CHAMPAGNE



The picture shows a French terraced trench in the Champagne region freshly supplied with cannon-balls and hand grenades.

WAS ONCE FEARED AS WITCHCRAFT

HYPNOTISM NOW HAILED AS AID TO MEDICINE.

Doctor Says That All Diseases Can Be Greatly Benefited If Not Cured.

Hypnosis as a medical aid has been extremely popular with authors and playwrights during the last few years, being set forth successfully and interestingly in two brilliant plays, "The Shadow," by Nicodenie, and in Belasco's "Case of Becky."

In "The Shadow" a woman who has been stricken by paralysis goes from physician to physician begging them to restore her to health so that she may have her husband's affection and companionship, instead of sympathy and mere pity. Her happiness is never complete, but her health is restored by means of hypnotism before the final curtain.

In the "Case of Becky" the patient, a young girl, has a number of diametrically opposed natures. After consulting many physicians to no avail, she comes upon a nerve specialist, who treats her by hypnotism, and he blends the diametrically opposed personalities into one happy personality.

Dr. Heldring-Fabricius says: "My usual way in proceeding in treatments consists in getting the confidence of my patients and making them thoroughly believe in my method of treatment. Then I make the patients go through a set of exercises which I demonstrate for them. These exercises are first, active; second, passive; third, exercises of relaxation, which consist of exercises under the patient's control and hypnotic exercises which are under the operator's mental control.

Brain Controls All.

"I wait until the patients are thoroughly relaxed, and often talk to them to get them into a receptive mood. Now, whether I induce hypnosis at this point or not depends on the condition of the patient. In either case I speak to them such words as these: 'I want you to relax all your muscles and nerves thoroughly. By doing this you will quiet your nerves, you will suffer less pain and get well faster.'

"You probably do not realize that your brain or mind controls the muscles, nerves and blood vessels of your entire body, but it does. Just the same as your brain or mind unconsciously controls your heart's action, your breathing, and your circulation, so does it control all other parts of your body. There are running to and from the brain innumerable nerves or wires to all the different parts of the body, just like telephone or telegraph wires. The brain or mind sends messages from all these different parts, consciously or unconsciously. It is only in sickness that sometimes there are breaks made in this communication, like the breaking of a wire, due to too much pressure on the brain or along the nerve's course. These breaks must be cured by the relieving of the pressure which means strengthening of the nerves and nervous system.

"You may wonder what disease can be treated by hypnosis. My experience prompts me to say that all diseases can be greatly benefited, if not cured; and I include the morphine habit, cocaine habit, St. Vitus' dance, drink habit, stuttering and hysteria. Dr. R. Osgood records one hundred and fifty cases of children treated for nervous insomnia and somnambulism by this auto-suggestion.

"The case of a boy who was a great coward, another of 19 possessed of a desire to commit suicide, a boy of 16 known for cruelty and malice—these, I recall,

Were Cured by Hypnotism.

"One of my most interesting patients was a 9-year-old girl, Grace De Young. She was a paralytic. After studying my little patient carefully I diagnozed that she had a clot on the brain and that the only possible way to remove it was to reduce the blood pressure and the circulation in those parts. There were times when I almost lost hope, because the child was blind in one eye and was paralyzed in speech, limbs and bowels.

"At first progress was very slow, but after a while I became encouraged when I saw she took interest in things. One morning she was able to say to her mother, 'Mamma, hear the church bells ringing!' The one blind eye showed the same slow but sure progress after treatment by hypnotism, aided by the use of lenses and glasses of different strength. At the end of ten weeks I found Grace a healthy and normal child.

"Another patient came to me suffering from acute stomach trouble caused by ulcers. Her tongue was paralyzed at times. I gave her twenty-five treatments and she is now a healthy girl. Her sister was suffering with deafness of the right ear caused by a catarrhal condition in the head, giving rise to many headaches, which lasted sometimes as long as two or three weeks. After a number of treatments, her catarrhal condition improved and caused her headaches to disappear and hearing to become normal. A pronounced consumptive under my care forgot the name of the disease and

Gained Thirty Pounds.

"Insanity, nervous trouble and heart trouble have all responded to this cure. The mental trouble called insanity is a condition in which the circulation in the brain is the same as when a patient is in a semi-sleep, in which they experience in their abnormal condition the vagaries of dreams, which they see enacted, and try to enact themselves. One of my most interesting cases was that of a woman suffering from religious insanity. Time and again she was declared insane until I took her in hand and treated her with hypnosis. She is now mentally strong.

"We know what influence a soft hand has on a tired head. We know that drowsiness and sleep depend on sluggish and diminished blood pressure in the brain. In hypnosis the same causes are at work, the same in fainting, in somnambulism and catalepsy, because they are all different degrees of blood pressure in parts of the brain. You may be so frightened as to turn pale while you feel your nerves shiver and your lips chatter. Sudden emotion of joy or fright creates the same effect.

"The normal state of circulation of the blood and the throbbing of the nerve centres means health. When any of these channels are weakened or destroyed, disease in some part of the organism or the whole organism is bound to be the result. There are many ways of trying to quiet tired nerves in a diseased body, but the simplest and the most natural is to reduce the blood pressure and create normal circulation by means of a strong personality working on a weaker one, as done in hypnotism and auto-suggestion in the right direction."

How She Got the Price.

"I suppose you were touched when your wife gave you that $50 easy chair for your den?"

"I was touched before she gave it."

Don't let the badness of your neighbors worry you; they might do worse.

GERMANS ARE HARSH.

Military Training Has Brutalizing Effect on Men.

Owing to his curious mixture of emotion and stolidity the German is far more easily excited than most of his enemies. I read in English books of the "stolid German," says a neutral observer in the London Times. "If the German ever was a stolid person he certainly is not to-day. The German of to-day is noisy, shouting, staring, and over-bearing. Particularly is this so with the non-commissioned officers. Downtrodden for generations, they are now retailing on such unfortunate inhabitants of Russia, Poland, France, and Belgium as come in their way. The German Government sedulously circulates photographs and cinematograph films of posed German soldiers playing with enemy children. I have no doubt that in such cases such episodes have genuninely taken place, because many a Landsturmer has sympathy with little people; but, on the other hand, I have witnessed absolute brutality on the part of German soldiers towards their own people.

Here is an instance. I had occasion to visit the office of the military commandant at Posen shortly after the Russian retreat. It was interesting to observe the cringing displayed by an Unterofficer before his superior. Immediately afterwards this man was approached by an old couple, two returned refugees, who humbly and civilly inquired where they should find a lodging. His whole attitude changed. Turning upon them savagely, yelling and screaming, he took them by the shoulders and kicked them out of the building, saying "You go to the right place to ask such questions. I have nothing to do with such people as you." This is a case of German harshness to Germans. The man had been browbeaten by his superiors all his life, and now the desire to browbeat others expressed itself.

One trembles to think of the attitude such men would adopt if they ever cucceeded in their cherished ambition to land in England.

SHE KNEW COFFEE.

Sir Hiram Maxim's Stenographer Was Delighted.

A great many people who flatter themselves that they are judges of coffee or other beverages may learn a lesson of caution from the experiments carried on by Sir Hiram Maxim when he was trying to find a palatable preparation of wheat and coffee.

It occurred to me, says Sir Hiram in "My Life," that very few people knew much about coffee. One Sunday I brought out from the Maxim Lamp Works about thirty young men and women. My stenographer was also present; she was one of those young ladies that know all—from whose decisions there is no appeal.

I had cleared off a long bench and arranged on it a large number of cups, milk, sugar, cream, much coffee, and plenty of apparatus for making coffee. I got from the Army and Navy Stores various kinds of coffee that were supposed to be the very best in the world, such as Mocha, Java, and so forth, and I also got from a dealer in coffee some of the sweepings and siftings of his shop—small, imperfect, and broken kernels. These I freed from dust and dirt, roasted and ground, and mixed with three times their weight of chicory. I was ready for the test.

My shorthand writer came in, tasted the Mocha, the Java, the Costa Rica, and pronounced them all very bad. She then tried some of my wheat coffee, and some of what was half wheat and half coffee, which, she said, were also bad, but not so bad as the others. But when she reached the mixture of siftings and chicory she was delighted. "That is coffee!" she said, with an air of finality. "That's it That's the right stuff!"

In all probability the young lady had never tasted a cup of genuine coffee in her life until that Sunday morning.

THOUGHTS FOR THE DAY.

The path of duty is the way to glory.—Tennyson.

Excessive distrust is as hurtful as towering presumption.—Swift.

Thirst teaches all animals to drink, but drunkenness belongs only to man.—Fielding.

I like to be at my post doing my duty, indifferent whether one set or another govern, provided they govern well.—Sir J. Moore.

Only he who lives a life of his own can help the lives of others.—Henry Ward Beecher.

Discretion is the perfection of reason and a guide to us in all the duties of life.—Addison.

Isolated discoveries born out of date would positively fall dead upon the world.—Leitch.

The eyes of other people are the eyes that ruin us. If all but myself were blind I should never want a fine house nor fine furniture.—Dr. Franklin.

If a man has ordinary chairs and tables no one notices it; but if he stick vulgar, gaudy pictures on his walls, which he need not have at all, every one laughs at him for his folly. —Sydney Smith.

Economy.

He—If you made the dress yourself, what is this bill for?

She—Alterations, dear.

FROM OLD SCOTLAND

NOTES OF INTEREST FROM HER BANKS AND BRAES.

What Is Going On in the Highlands and Lowlands of Auld Scotia.

Edinburgh's municipal rates are to be reduced this year.

At the lifeboat flag day recently held in Coatbridge the sum of $734.32 was realized.

After an almost complete reconstruction, Maybole Gas Works have been formally opened.

The valuation of the burgh of Dunfermline shows an increase of $34,120, as compared with last year.

Lord Doune has joined the Flying Corps and is putting in his preliminary training on the East Coast.

A flag day in aid of the National Lifeboat Institution was recently held in Kirkcaldy and a sum of $575 was realized.

The Earl of Moray has got $160,000 as compensation for lands taken over in connection with the Glasgow new water scheme.

Glasgow School Board has decided against the employment of married women teachers, unless in exceptional circumstances.

Lady Jellicoe, wife of the Commander-in-Chief of the fleet, was present at the re-opening of the Pathhead Tipperary Club, Kirkcaldy.

Richardson Russell, an Indian Mutiny veteran, has died at his home in Parkhead. He enlisted in the old 78th Foot nearly seventy years ago.

A proposal is on foot in Dundee to discontinue Sunday evening church services during the winter owing to the rigid lighting regulations.

Two hundred more members of the Glasgow police force have just joined the army, bringing the total of the Second City's policemen soldiers up to 600.

The Government has taken over the Freestone quarries at Corsehill, Annan, and at Cove, Kilpatrick-Fleming, and the wages of the workmen have been increased.

Mr. Tennant, Under-Secretary for War, who is present tenant of Hutton Castle, Berwickshire, is understood to be the new proprietor. The price paid was $115,000.

Arrangements are being made for holding a Red Cross Flag Day throughout Scotland for the object of raising funds on behalf of the sick and wounded overseas.

Considerable damage was caused by a fire at Millbank Works, Dundee, owned by Messrs. Low & Bonar. About two hundred employees are temporarily thrown out of work.

Meetings arranged by the Paisley War Savings Committee have been held at several of the local public works to urge upon the workers the necessity of exercising economy.

Since the scheme of supplying the soldiers and sailors with refreshments passing through Perth general station was inaugurated, no fewer than 60,000 meals have been served.

The valuation of Stirlingshire this year is $3,873,595, an increase of $22,240. St. Ninian's Parish shows a reduction of $17,000 caused by the decrease in the output of minerals.

GASOLINE EXCAVATOR.

Has the Speed and Efficiency of Fifty Men.

A new piece of machinery available for the farmer or the contractor has made its appearance in the shape of a device for excavating cellars, digging ditches or loading wagons and carts with material from the ground level or below it. It consists of a nine horse power gasoline engine mounted on a frame and capable of being moved from point to point.

Power is transmitted from the motor by a drive chain to a drum at the top of the machine, on which a fifty-foot cable is wound. A slip scoop at the end of the cable carries the dirt from the pit or basement at any angle and delivers it into the wagon at the opposite side of the machine with approximately the speed and efficiency of fifty men.

The loading part of the machine is in no way complicated. When the loaded scoop reaches the machine the cable draws it into a steel holder on the end of a pair of lifting arms, which elevate the scoop, dirt and all, and empty it into the waiting wagon.

A wagon can be filled in less than five minutes. The scoop is automatically returned to the ground after unloading by the release of the friction clutch that conveys the power to the hoisting drum.

WOMEN URGE REFORMS.

War Economy League Would Eschew Sweetmeats.

One of the first reforms proposed by the Women's War Economy League of London is to induce the people to try to get along without sweetmeats.

Other needed economies relate to the $35,000,000 spent annually in motorcars, motorcycles and cycles and $20,000,000 on imported gasoline. Britain spends also $15,000,000 on skins and furs, $7,500,000 on ornamental feathers, $85,000,000 on silks, $25,000,000 on wines and spirits, and nearly $40,000,000 on tobacco.

The league also urges strict economy in coffee, tea and all imported articles of food, drink and wear.

The Green Seal

By CHARLES EDMONDS WALK

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CHAPTER XI.—(Cont'd).

If the room suddenly had turned upside down, I could not have been more staggered. I vaguely heard Struber asking other questions in a tone that brooked neither disregard nor inattention.

"Do you mean one o' the fellas with the diamond was Steve Willets?"

"No, no, no; I didn't say Steve—just Willets. That's all I efer heard of his name. The other fellow's, that I forget."

"Which o' the two was Willets?"

"The fierce-eyed fellow. He was jolly enough too, though, when he had anything to say. He mostly sat quiet and watched, I remember."

Struber gave his head a short jerk as if the puzzle were perfectly comprehensible to him.

"And the little ivory box they brought the uncut stone in, would yuh recognize it if yuh were to see it again?"

"Surely," replied Aartsen. "It was square—about two inches"—he indicated the size with his hands—"covered with funny Chinese carvings—"

We all turned abruptly to Miss Fox. She had uttered an inarticulate cry of amazement.

"Why," she faltered, suddenly blushing and confused under our concentrated regard, "that describes a small Chinese box that has belonged to my aunt ever since I can remember. But of course it can not be the same one."

"Of course not," Aartsen readily agreed. "Just as there was nefer such another diamond as this one."

"Don't be too sure," Struber drily advised him. "I can show yuh inside of an hour a box I bet yuh'll swear is the same one."

He flipped the sheet of wrapping-paper across the table toward the expert.

"If the box had been wrapped in that," he went on, "wouldn't it just about fit those plain creases?"

"Don't forget," I spoke aside to the detective, while Aartsen, perplexed and frowning, examined the wrapper, "that there is another box that will fit those creases."

I meant, of course, the ring box. The only recognition by Struber of my reminder was another curt nod; he did not remove his sharp regard from Aartsen. Presently the latter shoved the wrapper aside.

"I should say yes," said he. "But that means nothing. Blenty of boxes are that size and shape; any one of 'em would fit those greases."

With a secret, crooked little smile, Struber recovered the wrapper, and folding it along the creases, careful not to erase them, quietly placed it in his pocket.

"Mebbe you're wise when it comes to givin' diamonds the acid test," he observed to Aartsen, "but yuh ain't wise to the fact that this particular chunk o' ice was in somethin' else besides that wad o' paper when this wrapper was put on. Mr. Ferris ain't told us yet why he didn't bring it along."

"Because I couldn't find it," I quickly explained. "It was precisely such a box as Mr. Aartsen described—a replica of the box you have already seen, Struber. A verbal description, you know, wouldn't amount to much."

"What does anything amount to in this case?" inquired Struber. "You don't know. You're not ready to say what's important an' what ain't. It's up to me to find out, for it looks like I got to horn in without a invite because my reg'lar duties 've brought me in. This here gent"—indicating Aartsen by a sidewise motion of his head—"won't even say for sure what the rock's worth. I reckon they're scarce all right; but them dinkey little boxes seem to be as thick as fleas on a dog. How many is there anyhow? I'd like to see Miss Fox's aunt's."

"You may," she quietly told him. "She'll show it to you if I give you a note to her."

"Thanks, Miss Fox. I'll take a pasear out there some time to-day, then."

CHAPTER XII.

The proposal I wanted to offer respecting the diamond may be sufficiently explained by the disposition finally made of it. Before our party broke up and separated, it was with the understanding that the priceless gem was to remain in the custody of the Citrus Exchange Bank, and to be delivered only upon either my or Miss Fox's application in person, and in the presence of Mr. Hall himself. No merely written demand—less than a court order, of course—would be honored, and should anything happen to me I imposed confidence enough in Miss Fox to trust to her judgment and discretion in case of emergency. Finally, unless Mr. Hall were fully satisfied that everything was proper, he need not deliver the diamond at all.

Thus was an inestimable treasure, seemingly ownerless, safe guarded, and my burden of responsibility lightened.

Three of us—Struber, Miss Fox, and myself—emerged upon the walk together. At that moment a rangy gray automobile spun by, so fast that I caught only a hazy glimpse of its occupants, who were two in number: the driver, and a figure in the tonneau, muffled to the ears in a drab motoring-coat. A feeling that I had seen the car before impelled me to watch it until it rounded the corner into Fifth Street and disappeared toward Hill Street.

I was engaged thus perhaps two seconds. Then I became aware that Miss Fox's hand was clutching my arm and that Struber was regarding us inquiringly, as if to ask why we lagged.

"Did you see that automobile?" asked Miss Fox in a dropped voice.

I glanced at her, surprised that she should have been attracted to it too. I saw that she was disturbed. Automobiles of all shapes and sizes and vintages, were passing in both directions in two continuous streams; but I knew very well the one she meant.

"Yes," I replied. "I was wondering where I had seen it before."

"All during our morning ride," she declared, "it followed us." Her look was troubled as it met mine. She let her hand drop from my arm as she continued hurriedly:

"When we paused, just before turning into Vermont Avenue, it paused too."

Struber had approached and was now an interested listener.

At that instant a light of comprehension broke upon me; something surged up into my conscious mind and exacted recognition, something that intuition or subconsciousness had apprehended all along: there had not been a moment when I was abroad during the past week that I had not been followed, my every movement watched. Without being able to connect it with any certain, definite occasion, that gray automobile darted dimly in and out of memory's field, personifying the shadow that had hung persistently upon my trail. In my mind I saw it as through a veil.

Miss Fox's perturbed assertion served to fix the conviction; yet I was sure I had not noticed this particular automobile during our ride—I had been too engrossed to heed insignicant details, like automobiles, or even solar eclipses or earthquakes. So I questioned her assurance until I could no longer conjure up a doubt.

"You know," I said, "it's a common thing to imagine that another car is following yours. They do, too, but inadvertently; it's a sort of hypnosis, one driver riding aimlessly and unconsciously letting the car ahead act as pilot—too lazy or feeble-minded to choose a route of his own."

"That may be the explanation," she assented, so dubiously that I knew she didn't think so at all.

It appeared that Struber had not observed the car; but when I presently admitted that Miss Fox possibly had been correct in her suspicion, that the gray car probably had followed us with intent, not only that morning, but had trailed me closely all week, he was disposed to view the matter seriously. He even expounded a theory elucidating the problem.

"Yuh start out to shadow a fella," he averred; "stick close to him all the time—I don't care whether he sees yuh or not, or hasn't any reason to suspicion he's being followed—he'll get next to it in time. Funny thing, but it's so. He can't pick out the shadow, but after a few days he gets uneasy and fidgety without knowin' why—gets to jerkin' his head round and lookin' to see who's behind him. . . . You walk mostly, don't yuh?" he abruptly broke off.

"As much as I can," I told him. "It's about all the exercise I get."

"Wish you'd get the license number," he went on, "or could describe them better. It don't look good to me. Them ginks is prepared for anything. I see how they work it; they're pretty foxy, all right. As long as you're walkin' the guy in the back seat walks too, shadowin' yuh, while the other trails along with the auto, keepin' him in sight. Then if yuh hop a car, get a taxi, or anything like that, this guy signals his machine, climbs aboard and don't lose yuh. An auto followin' a fella on foot would be spotted by him right off, so this gray auto keeps out o' your sight as much as possible—but you've got a line on 'em, just the same."

"But why the dickens should they want to follow me?" I demanded. "Who are they anyway?"

"Search me," he returned gloomily. "What with that diamond and the Chink sign and all I feel like I was 'way out over my head, where the undertow and tide-rip was a-gettin' me. I ain't no Sherlock Holmes."

Miss Fox and I both laughed; but right away he regarded me with whimsical shrewdness.

"Just watch your Uncle Heinie," he adjured; "I'll go plugging along in my own way, an' I bettcha, when we come to cash in, my stack won't be all whies. . . . Going anywhere particular to-day?" he asked irrelevantly.

I considered.

"Why," I returned at length, "I must be at the courthouse at two—have a motion to argue in department four; that will take only a few minutes. After that an engagement at the Henne Building; then the inquest. You are not asking merely out of curiosity, I suppose?"

"You suppose right. Mebbe I'll have something to tell yuh before night. Don't forget this—don't let on like you're wise to your shadow. Yuh might scare 'em off, and I want 'em to keep followin' yuh for a while." He turned abruptly to Miss Fox.

"If yuh'll give me that note to your aunt," he said, "I'll bother her just long enough to let me see the ivory box you spoke about."

We moved up closer to the building, away from the jostling sidewalk throng. A sheet from my memorandum-book, my fountain pen, the memorandum-book itself serving as desk, and the note was written right there. She appended a street and number that I identified as being some distance out on Boyle Heights. "The First Street car goes within two blocks of the house," she told him.

Struber gallantly doffed his shabby derby and murmured his thanks. To me he said over his shoulder, as he moved away:

"I'll drift back to your loft as soon as I can. I've a hunch it'll help things along if we compare notes."

"I'm willing," I agreed. And the detective, in his illusory shiftless fashion, went rapidly away.

CHAPTER XIII.

Up to this time I had spoken of the death-ring to Miss Fox only in the slightest and most casual way; because, prior to Steve Willets's death—I never could bring myself to thinking of him as her father—her interest in it had seemed so remote that the idea did not suggest itself, and afterwards I was restrained from speaking of it by a reluctance to mention the instrument that had been the direct cause of that death.

But now, with the potential connection between the ring and the ivory boxes in mind, and the manner in which they had come into the mystery surrounding her own life, I decided that she was entitled to have all the information relating to it that I could impart. The circumstances of her attitude toward the bandit being nearly, if not quite, impersonal, relieved the situation immensely. She fostered no tender memories of the man; in his death she had known no grief. The only sentiment respecting him that she could possibly entertain was regret that he had been the sort of man he was. His taking off had been a blessing instead of an affliction.

Accordingly, therefore, after Struber left us and we were once more back at the office, the instant I found the opportunity I called Miss Fox into my private room for the purpose of telling her about the ring. The story of the diamond, of course, she had already heard that morning, except one feature that I purposely had not referred to at the bank, namely, the coincidence of its apparently miraculous arrival, and her having come into the midst of that astounding situation with what was to me the most extraordinary story of all.

My principal purpose, however, was to give her the ring's history, as much as I knew of it; and as I unlocked the drawer where I had hidden it beneath a mass of old papers, I said:

"The diamond coming as it did was enough to upset any man; but the two boxes being exactly alike was the limit." I was fumbling for the ring box. "You know, there is an atmosphere about this box, as if it had belonged to the ring for ages. It was hard to believe that there could be another just like it. Right on top of that came your story, then, a day or two later, the Strang letters—well, it's been a pretty strenuous week for me."

My hand encountered the box, which I drew forth. The instant Miss Fox beheld it I knew its appearance was not strange to her. But how little did I dream that this relatively unimportant episode was to end in a climax more astonishing than anything else that the baffling mystery had yet jolted me with. She was only frankly curious, and her lovely eyes were aglow with a light of anticipation. Then she saw the box and uttered a little exclamation.

(To be continued.)

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WAR AND BUTTERFLIES.

What Fashionable Women Are Doing in the Great War.

Centuries ago a chronicler of the crusades recorded quaintly of a certain vain and valorous knight:

"Three wounds he received in this battle, whereat he laughed; but the Paynim who shore his tall plume he cursed deeply, and rested not till he had, with his good sword, shorn off his head."

That was in the day when every gentleman who was not a priest must be a fighter, and could be a dandy only by the way. It was many years later that another type arose, dandy first and fighter afterward: the graceful idler, the society fop, suddenly transformed by patriotism, at his country's call, into a hero. History proved him, fiction adopted him; he became one of the most popular figures in drama, story, and romance. But until now neither fact nor fiction has supplied a corresponding type of heroine.

The great war of to-day, although it demands of many of the noble women who have answered the call greater ability, responsibility, and thoroughness of training than has ever been demanded of women before, has also offered opportunities of service to others, hitherto merely women of fashion and the gay world, which many have eagerly accepted. Women used only to organizing balls toil on committees; women who have shone in foreign capitals interpret for hapless refugees; women who have played with petted children in charming nurseries establish orphanages, care for destitute mothers, or adopt war babies. Other women, of the modern athletic type, untrained in nursing, devote their nerve and muscle to slaving in hospitals,—hastily improvised, ill equipped, overcrowded, undermanned hospitals,—where they fag for the real nurses, and turn their hands to anything from writing wills and messages for dying men to menial and often horrible tasks of washing, scrubbing and disinfecting.

Others give themselves, with their automobiles, to the Red Cross, and drive their own cars, filled with wounded, over war-torn roads and half-wrecked bridges with skill and daring. Often they run them under fire, and not one of them has flinched.

"If ever this terrible time, which seems an endless nightmare, does really end," the American wife of an Englishman of high social position, who has been loyally working with the rest, wrote home recently, "and if I wake up to peace and pretty clothes and gay doings, and life as it used to be—sometimes I wonder who it will be that will wake ? Not I, as I am now, or it wouldn't be waking, and not I, the old I of before the war; that I, my dear, is as dead as if she had been shot. I want to be happy and jolly again, yet when I think of the old life it seems no more possible to take it up and live it than to go back and be a little girl. I have died, or grown up, or been born again since then—I don't quite know which! I only know that I am, and must be, different, and that I cannot even wish to be the same again."

Sometimes to lose a self is to find a soul.

MISSILE FOUND BY X-RAYS.

Bullet Taken From Heart and Soldier Still Lives.

The opening of a chamber of the heart and extracting a bullet is reported by Professor Freund and Doctor Casperson in the Munich Medical Weekly. The patient was a young soldier who had recovered from a bullet wound through the liver. Upon X-ray examination preceding his discharge from the hospital a foreign object was discerned in the heart. It moved synchronously with the heart's pulsations, and the physicians decided that it was a shrapnel bullet.

To prevent possible dangerous complications it was determined to remove the bullet. The breast was opened, the pericardium slit sufficiently to permit the heart to be brought forward, a quick incision was made in the right ventricle, and the bullet was immediately found and removed. Much blood was lost, but the bleeding stopped after a prompt stitching and the patient made a complete recovery.

The bullet, which weighed 12 grams, had taken a most erratic and extraordinary course. It struck the soldier on the left shoulder from above, as he was storming forward, inflicting only a flesh wound. It passed down and diagonally across the body, barely marking the skin, was deflected by a cartridge box and entered the liver, passing completely through it into the vena cava, one of the two trunk veins that empty into the heart. The bloodstream conveyed it thence into the right ventricle of the heart.

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Hand separator cream produces better butter than that separated by any other method. The deep can surrounded by cold water is second best; pans and crocks are third best, and the water-dilution method comes last.

The cream should be kept in as nearly a sweet condition as possible until enough has been gathered for a churning. This should then be soured or ripened. To ripen the cream warm it to a temperature of 75 to 80 degrees, until it is sour enough; then cool down to a temperature of from 55 to 60 degrees, which is right for churning. Let it stand at this temperature for an hour or so before churning, if possible. This will cause the butter to come in better condition. Cream that is being ripened should be thoroughly stirred several times before it is ready for churning.

It is often advisable to save some of the buttermilk of one churning to be used as starter (the same as yeast in bread making) for the next batch of cream. Add a small amount of this buttermilk to the sweet cream when enough has been gathered for a churning; thoroughly stir it, and it will ripen very much more rapidly. Care should be exercised to keep this old buttermilk in as good condition as possible.

Strain all cream into the churn. This will remove all clots and particles of curd, and there will be no danger of white specks in the butter. Do not fill the churn over one third to one half full. Give the cream room for agitation, which insures quick churning. Turn the churn just fast enough to give the cream the greatest amount of agitation.

The butter should be gathered until the grains become about one half the size of wheat. Then draw off the buttermilk through a strainer and wash the butter in cold water two or three times or until the wash water is removed practically clear. In washing, care should be exercised not to bring the grains together in one mass, but rather keep it in the granular condition. The washing of the butter removes the buttermilk and makes the butter keep for a longer time. It also puts it in better condition for salting.

The butter should be taken from the churn in the granular condition and the salt sprinkled over it before it has been worked together. Usually a scant ounce of salt is added for each pound of butter.

One working, at the time of salting is usually sufficient, providing the butter is hard enough when removed from the churn. If the butter is somewhat soft when taken out, it can be salted and set away for a few hours until it gets hard enough to finish. Butter is usually worked enough when the water has been removed so that it will bend without breaking. Too much working will spoil its grain and make it salvy, while leaving too much water in it will spoil its keeping qualities.

Pack or print the butter as soon as it has been worked sufficiently and put it in a cool place until it is taken to the market. Remember that the appearance of the package, as well as the way the butter is packed, has a great deal to do with the selling price.

In order to make a uniform colored butter for the entire year, some color may be used. Very little will be required during the spring and summer months, when the cows are getting green feed. Colored butter is not only more appetizing, but can be sold on the market for a very much better price than that which is not colored. The color should be added to the churn before starting to churn.



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LOCAL AND GENERAL

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Morrisburg, Nov. 18, to Dec 4,

The urgent appeal made for furs for the use of the Italion troops has been recommended to the good offices of the National Council of Women of Canada by the advisory president, the Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair, and the appeal has received the support of the Red Cross Workers of Morrisburg. Many persons might concur helpfully now in the work by giving old furs for which they have no use, chauffeur's coats, motor coats, skin rugs, floor, travelling or carriage rugs, or furs of any sort, which rapidly adapted or transformed to a military regulation model, could be sent off at once to the front. Let all, then, who have any suitable furs which they can do without, make it a sacred duty to give them with that large-hearted generosity which knows no limit. Any one wishing to donate furs of any kind will please leave same w th Mrs. Gilbert Smith who will forward same to Mr. A. F. Grafton, 227 Notre Dame street, Montreal, where a committee of ladies are in charge to receive donations. Kindly send contributions not later than Tuesday, Nov. 16th.

We learn with much regret that Mr. Andrew Broder, M.P., owing to a serious illness, due to a fall which occurred a few weeks ago, had to be removed to the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, on Thursday, where, we understand, he will undergo an operation.

On Friday, about 4.30 p.m., Howard Beckstead, about 5 years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Beckstead, was picked up along the roadside in an unconscious condition by passers by. The child was at once removed to his home where three physicians were summoned. Upon the arrival of the physicians it was discovered that the child had swallowed some liniment from a bottle which he found along the roadside, and despite all the efforts that medical skill could devise, the child did not regain consciousness until 11 p.m. Friday. We are pleased to announce that at the time of going to press the child has completely regained his usual health.

Mr. and Durham Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse I. Casselman motored to Chesterville and Crysler on Sunday.

Mr. L. Macdonald of Cornwall, spent the week-end in town.

"ROUGH on RATS cleans out Rats, Mice, etc. Don't die in the house. 15c and 25c at Drug and Country stores.

Mrs. Burke and Miss Owen of Ogdensburg were the guests of Mrs. W. H. McGannon a few days this week.

Mrs. Brady and Miss Minnie Loucks are in Cobourg the guests of Mrs. O. F. Allison.

Mrs. W. G. Baker and children are spending a few days in Crysler.

Mr. Earn Weegar spent the week-end with friends in Alexandria and Lancaster.

Mrs. Martin Blondin is able to be out again after being confined to her room for the past three weeks.

Dr. Chamberlain spent the former part of the week in Toronto and Kingston.

Services in St. James' Church, Sunday—Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins, 11 p.m.; Evensong, 7 p.m. Trinity Memorial Church—Evensong, 2.45 p.m.

Lieutenant Fred S. Broder, who is stationed with the Militia at Alexandria, after spending the former part of the week in town returned to his headquarters on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. James Lyle left for Pittsburg Penn., on Friday to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. F. A. Potter.

Dr. H. J. Lyle of Massena, spent Monday with his mother, Mrs. J. Lyle.

Mrs. W. H. E. Warner of Toronto is visiting friends in town for a few weeks.

The Willing Workers of St. Pauls E. L. Church will hold their bazaar on Saturday, Dec. 11th instead of Friday, Dec. 10th.

The debate held in the Collegiate Institute on Wednesday evening—"Resolved, that conscription should be adopted in England," was very largely attended gnd proved most interesting. The judges, Miss A. A. Boyd, Rev. C. O. Carson and Mr. J. S. Jamieson, after hearing the arguments of the affirmative and negative, decided in favor of the affirmative.

Mr. J. S. McIntosh of the Interior Department, Ottawa, paid The Leader a business call on Wednesday.

Mrs. S. A. Morrison will receive on Thursday afternoon, Nov. 18th, from 3.30 p.m. till 6 p.m. Mrs. Morrison, sr., will receive with her.

NOTICE

Liberal Club Federation Conference for Dundas, including the Townships of Osnabruck and Finch, to be held in Chesterville on Friday, November 19th, 1915.

Business meeting in the afternoon to be held in Chesterville.

Business

1. Liberal Club Federation. What it is.
2. Co-operation and affiliation.
3. Allotment of Territory. 4
4. Debating, etc.
5. Clubs and the War.

What the Clubs have done.
What the Clubs could do.

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(b) Sending supplies (books, magazines, fruit, etc., to the front.

(c) Speeches on the War.

(d) Debates to stir up interest in War Topics.

Evening Meeting

"Canada and the War"—Address will be delivered by Andrew McMaster, K.C., president of the Montreal Reform Club and Leon Garneau, a leading lawyer in Montreal.

"God Save the King."

ANNUAL MEETING OF DUNDAS COUNTY LIBERAL ASSOCIATION

The Annual Meeting of the Dundas County Liberal Association for Dominion purposes will be held at Hamilton's Hall, Chesterville, on Friday the Nineteenth day of November, inst., at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year and for transacting any other business properly coming before the meeting. Every person in sympathy with Liberal principles is invited to attend.

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AUCTION SALE

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in Section 3 of The Inkeepers' Act there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, on Monday the 22nd November, 1915, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, at the Main Street Sample Room of the St Lawrence Hall hotel, in the Village of Morrisburg, in the County of Dundas, by Jacob Hopper, Auctioneer, the following property, namely; 7 Rubber Stamps, 500 Blotters, 1 Lot Advertising Matter for the North American Life Assurance Company, 3 Neck Ties, 6 Men's Collars 1 Suit Light Underwear, 1 pair Men's low Tan Shoes, 1 Derby Hat, 2 Caps, 1 Man's Blue Serge Sack Coat and Vest, 1 Man's Waterproof Coat, 2 Letter files and 1 New Remington Standard No. 10 Typewriter.

The said property belongs to Clarence R. Giffin, Insurance Agent, formerly a guest at the said St. Lawrence Hall, and is being sold as aforesaid to recover payment of the balance of the indebtedness of the said Clarence R. Giffin for food and accommodation furnished to him while he was such guest as aforesaid, amounting to $28.10.

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PROGRAMME

Monday Nov. 22nd

1—1.30 P-M, Stock Judging Competition for young men.—Dairy Cattle

1.30-4.00 P M. Demonstrations and Lectures on Dairy Cattle, Feeding Breeding, Management and Practical Judging of Dairy Cows in the ring conducted by G. A. Brethen, Norwood Ontario.

Tuesday Nov. 23rd

1—1.30 P.M. Stock Judging Competition for young men.—Horses.

1.30—4 00 P.M. Demonstration and Lectures on Horses, Breeding, Feeding, General Care and Practical Judging of Draught Horses in the ring conducted by Dr. H. G. Reed. Georgetown, Ontario.

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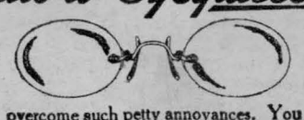

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