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Live Stock Judging Competitions.

The Live Stock Judging Competitions for young men held in connection with the Stock Judging Demonstration at Lunenburg under the direction of the Department of Agriculture, Morrisburg, proved an interesting feature of this event. The young men were allowed 15 minutes in which to place the class of animals and 15 minutes to write reasons for their placing. 60% of marks were allowed for placing and 40% for reasons. A number of young men took part. The following are the prize winners:

Name	Address	Score	Points
1st S. J. Munro	Cornwall		182
2nd Lloyd Tait	Northfield		180
3rd M. Campbell	Finch		166
4th Edgar Russell	Lunenburg		164

"D" Company Entertained.

"D" Company of the 77th Regiment, on their history making trek arrived in Chesterville Tuesday afternoon promptly on schedule time, and notwithstanding that a raging snow storm was giving battle at every point of vantage, the reception tendered the soldiers was hearty and enthusiastic. At the first clang of the church bells, business and household duties were cast to the side, and our citizens lined the streets eagerly scanning for the first sight of khaki.

The pupils of the three village schools sallied forth in procession converging on the public square, where with the village councillors and the school boards at their head all were lined up and marched back Main street followed by a large concourse of citizens who had taken their places in the lines. Towards the north end of the town the soldier boys were met and escorted to the square where the Reeve extended the freedom ot the town to them. On account of the raging storm speech making was not indulged in, and after the singing of patriotic songs by the school children, the soldiers were marched to the town hall, which became their headquarters while in Chesterville. In the evening a banquet was tendered by the ladies of Chesterville and served in the spacious room of Trinity Methodist church. Oysters held the place of honor on the bill-of-fare, and if "D" Company capture as many Germans as they did oysters it will certainly be up to the Kaiser to turn on the gas for a spell. The men speak very highly of the treatment they received while in town, which they say is getting better as the trek proceeds.

As the storm had abated to a considerable degree there was an immense crowd at the concert in the Music Hall, every inch of space being taken up by the enthusiastic eager crowd. The entertainment provided was good, clean and particularly of a patriotic nature, and to judge by the applause every item on the long programme must have been fully appreciated. There was full reciprocation in the matter of applause and the part of the programme supplied by Miss Beattie, Miss McCorkindale and Mrs. Howard was much enjoyed by the soldiers.

Speeches were delivered, good rousing, patriotic, recruit-stirring speeches. The officers and men felt at liberty to strike out from the shoulder when putting up the proposition and asking why more men are not coming forward, and it should bear fruit.

A Record Breaking Trek

"D" Company of the 77th Battallion is making history long before it gets into the trenches. The trek that the company is taking is the longest ever taken for training purposes by an infantry company in Canada. It was with a twofold purpose it was inaugurated ; to condition the men and also to show the people of the rural districts some of the conditions of active service. The soldiers spoke of how noticeable was the attention they received from farmers along the route of march, and how it seemed that the older ladies could not do enough for their comfort.

Hot Meals on the March

The field kitchen with the 77th men was an object of much interest to civilians. The soldiers look upon it as perhaps their best friend next to their rifle. A full course dinner can be prepared on it at one time. For instance, if a march was started. say in the morning, along about nine o'clock the fires would be lighted and the work of cooking the dinner started. At twelve o'clock a halt is called, and behold a hot dinner is ready for every man as soon as he is prepared to be served. The field kitchen with "D" Company was presented to them by the people of Iroquois.

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Personal

Mrs. F. A. Campbell and Miss Mary spent Saturday the guests of Mrs. G C. Lacey.

Mrs. S. Redmond of Iroquois is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. S. Bogart for a few weeks.

Mr. Ed. McMillan of the 79th Battalion, Winnipeg, spent a few days at his home at Grantley, before leaving to go to the front.

Miss Violet Saucier is the guest of Peterboro friends where she is spending a few days before going to Toronto to visit her sister, Mrs. T. Russell Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Feeley of Grandora, Sask., are visiting their old home at Cannamore, after three years in the West. Mr. Feeley reports the past season as having been one of the best ever in that country. They both appreciate The Record, bringing the old home news each week.

Obituary.

WILLIAM GEORGE VALLEY.

The subject of this memoir, William George Valley, was accidentally killed on Tuesday morning, Dec. 7th, 1915, at the Canadian Pacific Railway crossing at Chesterville, by the westbound fast express. He was one of the well known citizens of the town, having resided here for about 30 years, being in the employ of Mr. Melvin Durant, merchant, for the past eight years of this time.

He was born on July 12th, 1867, in Vankleek Hill. His mother, the late Mrs. Mary Ann Valley, predeceased him just seven months ago. There is left to mourn afresh, in so short a period, the remaining brothers, Thomas, Godfrey and Robert. He was an honest and industrious citizen, and his kindly spirit had won him a large circle of friends.

The funeral was conducted from the residence on Victoria street, conducted by Rev. H. E. Warren, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, the day following the accident, owing to the difficulty in preserving the appearance of the mutilated form.

He was borne to the family plot in the Maple Ridge cemetery, by a near company of his neighbors and business associates, consisting of Messrs. Melvin Durant, O. D. Casselman, David Allison, Bernard Coyne, Dr. Morrison and Hugh Kearns.

William Andrew Riddell.

There passed away on Friday, December 10th, 1915, at the General Hospital, Montreal, William Andrew Riddell, late of the 87th Battalion, Grenadier Guards.

The deceased was a son of the late William Riddell of this village, and leaves surviving him, his aged mother, Eliza Riddell of Oxford Station, Ont., his sisters Mrs. W. E. Grue of the same place, Mrs. C. B. Rae of Chesterville and Mrs. W. L. Hutt of Finch; his brothers Robert J. Riddell of Ottawa, Soule Riddell of Iroquois and George W. Riddell of Finch.

Number one company to which the deceased belonged accompanied the body from the morgue to the train with all the military honors and solemn tribute due the body of a dead comrade.

On Sunday, the 12th inst., funeral services were conducted by his pastor at the residence of his sister, Mrs. C. B. Rae, after which the remains were interred in the family plot at Maple Ridge cemetery.

Ten of those who enlisted with him from this village took charge of the casket on its arrival here and gave their kindly offices in the last sad rites.

The funeral was attended by a large number of this community who came to pay their last tribute of respect and honor to the dead soldier.

A memorial service was held in the Presbyterian church here on Sunday evening, Rev. T. B. McCorkindale officiating, and a large congregation heard an eloquent sermon appropriate to the occasion.

The late William Andrew Riddell was one of the first of those brave lads from Chesterville who so nobly responded to the call of "King and Country," for overseas service. Com.

The following letter has been received from Captain Lewis:

Dear Mrs. Riddell.

The death of your son yesterday was as great a shock to us as it was a grief. He had been at the General Hospital, which we believe is one of the best hospitals in Canada, and, I hope I need not tell you, he was receiving the best care and attention the hospital could give him. There was no evidence that the disease was approaching the crisis, but a sudden weakness of the heart developed and he passed away, peacefully and without a pain.

The deep and sincere sympathy of every officer and man in the regiment goes out to you in your great bereavement. His is the first death in our ranks, and he gave his life as truly and as loyally for his King, his Country and his God, as he would have if death had come to him in the trenches. I know that nothing can solace so great a grief as yours but surely the knowledge that your son has died in the discharge of the highest duty that a man can offer to do will in time assuage it. "Greater love hath no man than this, that he give his life for his friend." He gave his life not only for his friends but for all we hold dear.

Faithfully yours
John S. Lewis
Captain,
Canadian Grenadier Guards.

Got Plenty Too.

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Ralph Summers, Morewood Baby, Wins Prize.

The great "child welfare" movement in Canada is of very recent origin. For years we have been giving our attention to the betterment of livestock, grains. fruits and vegetables and flowers, while our most precious possessions, our babies were allowed to "grow up" in many instances with very little intelligent care on the part of parents.

Love them—of course, the babies' mothers loved them, but loving and understanding and intelligently caring for them are vastly different. What was the result? Statistics showed an alarming infant mortality. Is it any wonder thoughtful people becmse very earnest in their decison that something must be done to educate the mothers?

As a result, to-day in our largest cities conditions are being carefully supervised and nothing is left undone which it is possible to perform that will help one little life in its struggle for existence in our big busy world.

But this splendid movement touched only those in the large centres and Canada's great bulk ot population reside in rural districts and towns and the smaller cities. The Canadian Home Journal realized that here was an opportunity to serve these mothers, therefore, one year ago the campaign was launched and the results of this twelve months work have been marvelous. Articles were published written by doctors dealing with the care dressing and feeding of babies and in order that practical good might result this magazine introduced a Better Canadian Babies Contest, open to any baby living in Canada under three years of age.

Substantial prizes were offered to the best forty-four babies, the rules being that every child had to be taken to a doctor, very carefully examined and measured and a Score Card filled in. These and the babies photos were then judged by three doctors and the forty-four children showing the best proportionate development' mentally and physically, won the prizes.

It was not a beauty Contest. Pretty dimples and fairy like curls influenced the decision of the judges not one particle. The babies were awarded the prizes because they deserved them. There were entries from every corner in the Dominion from Yukon to Nova Scotia.

The Record congratulates the parents of this fortunate child. It is no small matter to be the recipient of such an honor. The Canadians Home Journal will hold another Contest in 1916, giving an opportunity for any who wish to enter their children. Let us hope our town will be even better represented and quite as successful in the matter of prizes in this both interesting and education movemenn.

Elopers Arrested At Cornwall

Cornwall, Ont. , December 10—James McIntryre, a young man who has been living in Massena, N. Y. , for the past year, but who claims to belong to this side, and Margaret Bush aged 17 daughter of Mrs. and Mr. Nelson Bush of Massena , were taken in charge by two soldiers of the Home Guard while attempting to cross the International Bridge at this point 3 o'clock in the morning.

The couple were turned over to the local police, aud on advices received from the Massena police were sent back.

McIntyre hired a rig at Massena, drove to the railroad and attempted to get into Cornwall with girl under cover of the darkness not counting on the frontier being guarded. McIntyre was charged with abduction, was given examination before Judge Chae, and was held for the grand jury. The girl was allowed to return home to her parents.

The provincial law would have barred a marriage ceremony being performed here without banns having been pub lished in three issues of a local newspaper.

Former Williamsburg man Dies At Iroquois

Another old and respected citizen of Iroquois in the person of Thos. A. Doran died of cancer of the tongue and other complication at Brockville Hospital on Monday, aged 52 years. For some years Tom had been under the weather, the result of burning the candle at both ends, with the usual result, and his death was not unexpected. A few months ago he had an operation performed at a Montreal hospital in the hope of removing the cancer, but the operation proved unsuccessful, as it usually does in most cases. Science seems not to have discovered a cure for this dreadful scourge that is taking its toll of thousands in all ranks of society in every land. Deceased was born in North Williamsburg, and about 30 years ago married Miss Florence Keeler, of Spencerville, who died some years ago, One child was born to them died in infancy in 1890. For the past 30 years or more he conducted a barber shop in Iroquois, and was accounted one of the most skilled men in the trade and had a splendid patronage until his health broke down,

Silence Best Aid In War On U-Boat

In the recent complete breakdown of the German submarie attack on merchant shipping we witness another of those silent victories over the German navy of which the present war has been so fruitful. The first and greatest of these, of course, was the complete immobilization of the German high sea fleet, whose 20 or more Dreadnoughts and battle cruisers have been shut up helplessly in German North Sea ports and in the Baltic from the very day that war was declared.

To what are we to attribute the sudden collapse of the German submarine raiding expeditions? The answer is to be found in two fields of mechanics and psychology. We stated many months ago, when the submarines were at the height of their activities, that the experience of past naval wars justified the expectation that some effective means would he discovered for defeating the U boat attack, and the event has proved that we were right. It is safe to say that no branch of the great naval and military operations of this war has been the subject of more thorough investigation by the scientist and the inventor than that of submarine warfare on its defensive side. Very fruitful has been the study of this problem and most efiecient have been the means adopted.

Not until the history of the war comes to be written, probably, will it be known which of the defensive measures have proved to be the most successful. Probably more submarines have been accounted for by the nets than by any other means. although a large numbers have sunk by destroyers and swift motor boats rushing in upon and ramming them or destroying them with their rapid fire guns. We are informed that not a few boats have been lost when they came to the surface at night to recharge their batteries. The exhaust from the oil engines is very noisy and can be heard over a great distance, and naturally the the submarine choose the night time for battery charging. The destroyers and armed motor boats gather in the submarine-infested area after night has fallen and by careful listening detect the location of the submarines, creep upon them quietly and then make a final dash to get them with the gun or the ram before they can submerge.

The contemplation of a lingering death in a sunken submarine may well strike terror to the stoutest heart, and the British Admiralty have made deadly use of the psychology of the situation by refraining from making any mention of of the time or place of the destruction of the U-boats. When the distubance of the floats at the top of a torpedo net showed that a submarine was hauled to the surface, shot full of holes and allowed to sink without a word being published of the occurence.

The psychological effect upon the personnel of the submarine service of this absolute silence as to the fate of the submarines after they have left Wihelmshaven or the mouth of the Elbe must be simply appalling.

So long as the fate of the U-boats which were destroyed or captured in the earlier weeks of the war was made known, the horror of uncertainty was missiug but during the past few months over half a hundred boats have failed to return. They saluted as they steamed out from their naval base and that was the last that was seen or heard of any of them.

Von Hindenburg has said that the present contest is one of nerves. If so, it may well be a question whether this portentous silence which has followed the passage of the U-boat upon the high seas has not been a powerful factor in breaking down the German submarine warfare.— Scientific American.

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Right to "Get Tight."

Ottawa, Dec. 12—Major-General Sir Sam Hughes, in a characteristic address to the Sportsman's Patriotic Association tonight, defended the soldiers from discrimination in the matter of drinking.

"I do not believe in drinking," said Sir Sam, "but much has been said about the 'boys' drinking. It must be remembered that they come from all over the world, from mines and fields and factories—rolling stones. But every one has a true and loyal heart. I don't see why the 'boys' should be debarred from getting 'tight' when the best citizens can do so. I don't see why it should be condemned in one and not in the other. The boys are away from home. It is a lonely life."

General Hughes said the Canadians were the best shooting divisions in the war, and dwelt on the need of training. Many people went around singing "Rule Britannia" and puffed out their chests, and said how loyal they were. That type was a menace to the country. The man who could handle a rifle and a bayonet was what was wanted. "There is not ten per cent. of you men in the audience who are trained to prevent us becoming slaves," he asserted, "but the country is full of the dear, good fellows who sing so loudly."

Sir Sam predicted an Allied victory in the spring, when the nations would be prepared as the Germans were when the war started.

Rinks For Soldiers.

Brockville, Ont., Dec. 18—Two skating rinks are being laid out at the Fair Grounds, where the 59th Battalion is wintering, It is proposed to organize five hockey teams, including one from the ranks of the officers, and a Military League with Kingston, Gananoque and Cornwall is being discussed. An indoor baseball league is also being formed.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer One Hundred Dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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A VISIT TO THE FLEET

FREDERICK PALMER DESCRIBES A TRIP TO THE "LION."

Only a Patch on One of the Turrets Shows Where the Lion Was Hit by the German Guns—Beatty Says a Battle at Sea is Pretty Much Like What Naval Officers Thought It Would Be—Lion Had a Narrow Escape.

THE following extracts are taken from a fascinating article on our Grand Fleet by Frederick Palmer, the well-known war correspondent.

Mr. Palmer was a member of a party of distinguished foreign journalists who made a tour of the Grand Fleet in August and September, this visit being the first and only one which has been paid by any journalists to the Fleet since the outbreak of war:

One could not fail to identify among the group of officers on the quarter-deck Vice Admiral Sir David Beatty, for his victory had impressed his features on the public's eye. Had his portrait not appeared in the Press, one would have been inclined to say that a first lieutenant had put on a vice-admiral's coat by mistake.

"Who's Who" says that he is forty-four years old, and it must be right, though it disagrees with his appearance by five years.

"Was it like what you thought it would be after all your training for a naval action?" one asked.

"Yes, quite; pretty much as we reasoned it out," was the reply. "Indeed, this was the most remarkable thing. It was battle practice—with the other fellow shooting at you!"

The fire-control officers, who were aloft, all agreed about one unexpected sensation, which had not occurred to any expert scientifically predicting what action would be like. They are the only ones who may really "see" the battle in the full sense.

"When the shells burst against the armour," said one of these officers, "the fragments were visible as they flew about. We had a desire, in the midst of our pre-occupation with our work, to reach out and catch them. Singular mental phenomenon wasn't it?"

Where were the scars from the wounds? One looked for them on both the Lion and the Tiger. That armor patch on the sloping top of a turret might have escaped attention if it had not been pointed out.

A shell struck there, and a fair blow, too. And what happened inside? Was the turret gear put out of order?

The turret is the basket which holds the precious eggs. A turret out of action means two guns out of action; a broken knuckle for the pugilist.

That shell did not go through bodily, only a fragment, which killed one man and wounded another. The turret would still rotate; the other gun kept in action and the one under the shell-burst was soon back in action.

The Lion was hit fifteen times and the Tiger eight.

A beautiful hit, indeed, was that into a small hood aperture where an observer looked out from a turret. He was killed and another man took his place. Fresh armour and no sign of where the shot had struck.

Then below, into a compartment between the side of the ship and the armoured barbette which protects the delicate machinery for feeding shells and powder from the magazine deep below the water to the guns.

"H—— was killed here. Impact of the shell passing through the other plates burst it inside, and, of course, the fragments struck harmlessly against the barbette."

The Lion had had a narrow escape from going down after being hit in the feed tank, but once in dry dock all her damage parts had been renewed, a plate elsewhere which had been left unpainted showing a spatter of dents from shell-fragments.

"We thought that we ought to have something to prove that we had been in battle," said the host. "I think I've shown all the hits. There were not many."

None of these men serving the two guns from the depths to the turret saw anything of the battle except the gun-layer. It was easier for them than for him to be letter-perfect in the test, as he had to guard against the exhiliaration of having an enemy's ship instead of a cloth target under his eye.

Told by Kier Hardie.

The late Kier Hardie, the fiery, sincere, and well-beloved member of Parliament for the labor party, dressed very plainly and was often taken for a workingman.

Mr. Hardie liked to tell a story about a policeman who said to him one day as he entered the House of Commons by a little-used gate:

"'Workin' here, mate?'

"'Yes,' the M. P. answered.

"'On the roof?'

"'No. On the floor.'"

Probably.

When a woman won't have anything to say to you it is probable that she will have something to say about you.

Canadian Keep Germans On Edge By Plucky Feats

Ottawa, December 12.— Major-General Sir Sam Hughes has received the following communique from the Canadian general representative in France:

Canadian General Headquarters in France, December 12:— During the week of December 3rd to the 10th, there has been no material change in the general situation on the Canadian front. The weather has continued warm and there has been much rain.

On the afternoon of December 7, the enemy bombarded some of our trenches and positions, mostly with high explosive shells. Very little material damage was done. In retaliation the enemy's front and communicating trenches were heavily shelled by our artillery. With this exception the enemy's artillery has been less aggressive than in the preceding weeks. The superior weight of our artillery fire has been well maintained throughout the peroid.

The heavy rains have rendered the low-lying ground very swampy, large working parties having been employed reclaiming and improving our trenches. German working parties were frequently seen by day, and as often fired on by our artillery with good effect. On one occasion a party of sixty Germans was caught by our artillery fire in a shallow communicating trench. Several casualties were seen to result.

On the 5th of December we exploded a mine and successfully blew up a German gallery from which sounds of mining had been heard.

The enemy has displayed increased activity in patrolling. On the night of December 8th an enemy bombing party was discovered approaching our trenches. Rapid fire was opened and the enemy driven off.

Our patrols have also been active. On the night of Dec. 3, a small patrol under Lieutenants H. Rant and A. V. Evans, of the 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles, reconnoitered a small work constructed in front of the enemy line on the previous night. An enemy party was heard at work, and bombs were thrown among it by our patrols. The enemy replied with machine-gun fire, but our patrol retired without casualties.

On the night of December 7, a patrol of Royal Canadian Dragoons, under Lieutenants E. W. Lindsay and A. B. Irving, entered a German sap and followed it inwards to the edge of the German wire. At this point a German patrol was encountered and bombed, after which our patrol withdrew safely.

On the night of December 7-8, a patrol of our 2nd (Ontario) Battalion, under Lieut. G. T. Richardson, cut through the hostile wire and climbed on the top of the enemy parapet. A party of five Germans was seen in the trench and successfully bombed.

On the afternoon of December 8th, Private Lindsay, of Lord Strathcona's Horses, crawled out from our lines and looked over the enemy parapet. After counting the enemy in the trench and identifying the regimental badges on their caps, he returned undetected to our lines.

Some cases of "trench feet" and influenza have been reported, but the general health of our troops continues very good.

Handful of Irish Held Bulgars Whole Morning.

London, Dec. 12.—How two companies of the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers and another of the Irish regiments forming the British divisions, which are making a fighting retirement from Serbia, sacrificed themselves to cover the retreat of their comrades is told by the wounded who have reached British headquarters in Macedonia. The British, according to the correspondent of Reuter's Telegram Company, in a despatch from the British Headquarters, were outnumbered ten to one by the Bulgarians, who were well supplied with guns and machine guns. Last Monday morning they were awakened by a heavy bombardment by the Bulgarians, who poured a hail of shot and shell on them. Splintering rocks intensified the effect of their fire.

The Bulgarian infantry then advanced to the attack in massed formation, and were punished severely, but the scarcity of British guns did not permit them to take proper toll of the advancing Bulgarians. The British emptied their rifles rapidly into the crush and tried to stem the tide with bayonets, but were overborne by sheer weight of numbers, and the position was lost. Similarly, the second line was lost, and the British fell back on the third line of defences.

Two companies of Inniskillings, however, held on to the ridge known as Kevis Crest, and kept back the Bulgarians the whole morning, although they were supported only by riefl fire. Hardly a man escaped, but their stand impressed and delayed the Bulgars, thus giving the British much needed time to complete defensive dispositions in the third line, where the Bulgars were finally held up for four days.

The Bulgarians, the correspondent adds having suffered heavily, have since then attempted no strong offensive up to Sunday.

Canadian Soldier Slain in Camp.

London, Dec. 10.—The most grim and sensational tragedy which has marked the history of the Canadian troops in England occurred on Thursday night in the quiet Hampshire village, Grayshott, when Sergt. Jacques Marcus Ozanne, of the 41st., the French-Canadian battalion in command of Lieut.-Col. Archambault, was brutally murdered in a stable nearby a house used as a mess by some officers of the battalion.

Lieut. Coderre, the only occupant of the house when the body of the sergeant was found, was taken into custody and handed over to the county police. Tuesday the lieutenant was brought before a magistrate in Whitehall, and after formal evidence of the arrest was heard, he was remanded until the inquest, which will be held on Monday.

Lieut. Coderre, who is a powerfully built man, strenuously denied being implicated in the crime.

The body of the sergeant, who is believed to be a native of the Channel Isles, was terribly mutilated. The head was almost severed. A carving knife and a blood stained towel were found in the vicinity of the body. The victim left Bramshott camp on Thursday afternoon and the body was found in the evening.

On Thursday night the 41st battalion was moved from Bramshott camp to Aldershot, consequently no members of the regiment could be found to-day at Grayshott, the neighboring village to Bramshott, to throw any light on the tragedy.

A Passport.

The Archbishop of Canterbury was to officiate at an important service in London. The main entrance to the abbey was opened, and a great space roped off so that the dignitaries might alight from their equipages unmolested. When a dusty four-wheeler crossed the square, driven by a fat, red-faced cabby, bobbies rushed out to head them off.

"Get out of 'ere," one of them called briskly. "This entrance is reserved for the Archbishop."

With a wink and a backward jerk of his thumb, the irrepressible cabby replied cheerfully.

"I 'ave the old duffer inside."

Announcement

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No Stomach for the Job.

Many people cannot see why it was incumbent on the United States to take part in freeing Belguim from the grasp of the Germans. The point is explained clearly by an Ameriean lawyer; in a letter to the Morning Post, showing that the supreme law of the United States was violated without protest by that nation. He tells us

"The first principle of international right,' which has 'received the sanction of the civilized world' is expressed in Articles I. and II. of chapter I of the 'Convention between the United States and other Powers respecting the rights and duties of neutral Powers and persons in case of war on land,' which was signed on behalf of United States ratified by the senate and by President, and proclaimed to the people of America as part of the law of the land. These are as follows. 'Article I. The territory of neutral Powers is invoiladle. Article II. Beligerents are forbidden to move across the territory of a neutral Power troops or convoys either of munitions of war or supplies.' By the express language of the Constitution of the United States, 'all treaties made or which shall be made under the authority of the United States shall be the Supreme Law of the land' (Article vI. of the Constitution, par.2.) The Treaty of the Hague of 1907 was therefore, urges 'An American Lawyer,' part of the 'Supreme Law of the land,' and when that supreme law was violated by Germany on August 4th, 1914, the duty of Championship immediately arose."

The Present Condition Of the Canadian Egg Trade

For the first time in a number of years eggs have taken a prominent place in Canada's export trade. This is largely due to the unprecedented demand for eggs on the part of the British market and the fact that British dealers have shown a marked preference for Canadian eggs over United States eggs and a willingness to pay a distinctly higher price for them.

So great in fact such has been the demand that Canadian dealers have shipped practicaliy all of the available Canadian storage product to the Old Country. As a result there is not in Canada at the present time, sufficient eggs in storage to supply home consumption until fresh receipts in appreciable quantities begin to come in.

Quantities of eggs from the United States, however, are being imported into Canada, some in bond for export, but the larger part to take the place of the Canadian product exported. On account of the keen demand for Canadian eggs above mentioned, United States eggs can be laid down in Canada at the present time duty paid, at several cents per dozen less than the price at which Canadian eggs are selling for, for export and they should be procurable by the consumers accordingly.

On the other hand the Canadian markel at the present time is very firm for Canadian "Specials" (new laid) the production of which is not enough in most instances to supply the demand at local country markets. This means that high prices will have to be paid in consuming centres in order to draw a portion of these supplies from local points. Producers may therefore definitely expect reasonably high prices during the period of low production for fresh gathered eggs that will grade "Specials".

The question has been raised as to whether the phenominal demand on the part of the British market for Canadian eggs will continue. This depends entirely upon the quality of Canadian eggs exported. Canada has tremendous possibilities as an egg producing country. The poultry industry is at present but a mere fraction of what it might be. It remains, therefore, for those most interested in the developement of this trade to make the best possible use of their present opportunities, and by careful supervision of the quality of Canadian eggs going forward to pave the way for an extensive and profitable export trade in the future.

NATION VALLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Nesbitt of Winchester were guests in the Valley recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson of Cass Bridge visited here the first of the week.

Miss Abbie Bogart of Paradise visited here last week.

Some from here attended the memorial service in the Presbyterian church, Chesterville, on Sunday evening last for the late Pte. William Riddell.

Our annual Xmas concert provided by the Sabbath and day schools will be held on Wednesday next, Dec. 22nd in the schoolhouse.

FIRE

Fronts and backs for the Kooteney, Universal and Maple Leaf Ranges at the Foundry. Chesterville. Prices right.

Auction Sale.

T. G. Deye, 1½ miles north of Avonmore, Tuesday, Dec. 28th, Stock and Implements. 8 montns' credit. Jas. Currie auctioneer.

Postponed

On account of the inclement weather, the Auction Sale advertised by Mr. Calvin M. Munro, Lot 12, Con. 2, Winchester, 3 miles north west of Chesterville, one mile east of Nation Valley Bridge, for Tuesday, Dec. 14, has been postponed

Until Sat. Dec. 18th

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Our terms are spot cash. Don't ask for credit for you will be refused.

Copy of V. S. Report.

Nov. 23rd, 1915.

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A. S. Morrison.

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CONCERT

Saturday, Dec. 25th.

—IN THE—

Music Hall, Chesterville

This is the annual entertainment given by the Sunday School of Trinity Methodist Church and will consist of

CHRISTMAS PLAY PATRIOTIC DRILL

Dialogues, Readings, Motion Songs, Solos, Duets, Patriotic Choruses, Etc.

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And further. any person or persons found trespassing on these premises will be prosecuted according to law.

3-5 G. W. SHARKEY

ESTRAY.

Came upon the premises Lot 22, 2nd Con., Winchester, an Ayshire Bull. Owner may have same on proving property and paying expenses.

3-5 LEN. CLEMENT.

Nomination Meeting

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statutes relating to Municipal Elections. a meeting of the Electors of the Village of Chesterville, will be held in the

TOWN HALL, CHESTERVILLE

—ON—

Monday, Dec. 27th, '15

At 7.30 p.m., and continuing for one hour thereafter, for the Nomination of Candidates to fill the offices of Reeve and Councillors in and for the said Village of Chesterville, for the year 1916.

Also for Trustees for the Chesterville Public School, and if more candidates are placed in Nomination than are required to fill the several offices, then a poll will be held in said hall on Monday, the 3rd day of January, 1916, from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Dated this 15th day of December, 1915.

GEORGE ELLIOT
Village Clerk and Returning Officer.

Nomination Meeting

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statutes relating to Municipal Elections, a meeting of the Electors of the Township of Winchester, will be held in the

PRESBYTERIAN HALL, MOREWOOD

—ON—

Monday, Dec. 27th, '15

At 12 o'clock noon, and continuing for one hour thereafter, for the Nomination of Candidates to fill the offices of Reeve, Deputy-Reeve and Councillors in and for the said Township of Winchester, for the year 1916. And if more candidates are placed in Nomination than are required to fill the several offices then a poll will be held on Monday, the 3rd day of January 1916, from 9 a,m. until 5 p.m.

Dated this 15th day of December, A. D, 1915.

GEORGE ELLIOT,
Township Clerk and Returning Officer.

Nomination Meeting

Notice is hereby given to the Electors of the Township of Williamsburg that the Nomination of Candidates for the offices of Reeve, Deputy-reeve and three Councillors for the year 1916 will be held in the

I. O. O. F. HALL, WILLIAMSBURG.

on Monday, the 27th day of December, 1915, from 12 o'clock noon until 1 p.m.

Dated Dec. 14th, 1915.

GEO. LANE,
Clerk of said Township.

APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT

Notice is hereby given that the Morrisburg and Ottawa Electric Railway Company will make application to the next session of the Legislative Assembly for the Province of Ontario for an Act extending the time within which the construction completion and operation of the said Railway shall be carried out.

Dated at Ottawa in the County of Carleton this sixth day of December, 1915.

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The daintiest of Xmas Handkerchiefs

The daintiest of Xmas handkerchiefs will be found in our splendid assortment. Hundreds and hundreds of them to choose from and all the very best values.

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BERWICK

The Farmer's Institute met in the Town Hall here on Wednesday afternoon. A good number of the farmers were present. In the evening a joint meeting was held with the ladies and besides two splendid addresses by Miss Campbell and Mr. Smith of Western Ontario, a musical program by the local talent was rendered. Special mention is due little Alice Summers, who gave several selections on the mouth organ. Mr. James Pollock ably filled the chair. The meeting closed with the National Anthem and three cheers for the King.

There were no services in the Methodist church Sunday on account of the anniversary at Grantley.

Last Sunday morning the people of this community was shocked when they learned of the sudden death of Mr. John McLean. The funeral took place on Tuesday at the house and was very largely attended. The family have the sympathy of the community.

The children are preparing for their annual Xmas tree entertainment on Dec. 23rd.

Mr. Aden Casselman is getting ready for next summer. He bought a McLaughlin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. McMonagle were at Chesterville on Sunday, attending the funeral of their nephew, Wm. Riddell.

TOYE'S HILL

Mr. and Mrs. W. Casselman visited at the home of Mr. Geo. Cunningham on Sunday.

Mrs. B. Harper has returned home aftes spending three weeks with friends at Winchester Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Harper and family visited at the home of Mr. R. Moore one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirkwood visited their home here last Sunday.

Mr. Jas. Johnston visited his son, Edwin on Saturday last.

Mr. E. Johnston spent a few days last week at Shanley threshing grain.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Winters and family visited at the home of Mrs. Jas. McLaughlin one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bickford visited at Mr. Jos. Winter's last Friday.

Mr. W. Gillaland of this place visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnston last Sunday night.

Nearly all the Toye's Hill people turned out last Monday at Winchester Springs to see the soldiers passiug through. Messrs. Jas. McLaughlin, White, E. Haggarty, Johnston and Peterson took sleigh loads.

MOREWOOD.

The last few days have been a very good example of winter.

Our village has been a little livelier since the sleighing has come.

A number of our citizens visited Chesterville on Tuesday to see the soldiers who were marching through the country.

Preparation for Xmas entertainments is the order of the day.

The women enjoyed the address given by Mrs. Moorehouse at the Manse on Wednesday Dec. 8. We wish to express our thanks to the Farmers' Institute for such a pleasing address.

A generous bale of clothing, groceries etc. was sent to the Deaconess' Home in Montreal by the ladies of the Methodist Ladies' Aid and Missionary societies.

Those in charge of the Red Cross work intend shipping a bale of work this week.

The Presbyterian Bazaar was a success. A large number of people gathered to purchase the articles offered for sale and to spend a social afternoon and evening.

Guests in town for the week end were Misses Sadie, Gladys and Lillian Feeley of Russell.

MELVIN.

The Misses Docksteader of Harmony were guests of their sister, Mrs. M. R. Black last week.

Miss Meryl Beach of Winchester spent a day last week with Miss Belle Melvin.

A very large crowd attended Mr. Allan Patterson's sale on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Rennick were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Redmond on Friday,

Miss Gertie Shaver was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Wilson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Melvin and little daughter Ruth arrived home from their western trip on Friday evening, having visised their son Carl and daughter Bessie in Winnipeg, and friends in Moose Jaw, Brownlee and other western cities.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Wilson spent Monday with friends in Winchester.

Mrs. N. McIntosh of Mountain spent Sunday here with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hutt of Inkerman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Redmond.

Miss Belle Melvin was the week-end guest of Winchester friends.

The majority of the parents and children of this section went to Winchester on Monday afternoon to see D. Company of the 77th Battalion march into town. Mr. Albert Baxter came to the schoolhouse at 3 p.m. and took a sleigh load of pupils and teacher, Mr. Martin.

Mr. Robert Summers who has lately been working for Mr. Wm. Stewart left on Monday to enlist for overseas service.

SPRUCE GROVE.

Mrs. Irwin Ball is on the sick list. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Barkley and daughter Edith were visiting Mrs. Barkley's brother, Mr. Chas. Whitteker on Monday.

Mr. Lemuel Dillabough and daughter Clarissa were visiting his daughter, Mrs. Henry Barkley on Sunday.

Mrs. Elsie Johnston and son Robert were the guests of her daughter Mrs. Jas. Meyers on Monday.

Mr. Orlando Crobar of Dixon's Corners was visiting Mr. Henry Weegar on Sunday.

Miss Clarissa Dillabough was the guest of Mrs. Henry Sergeant on Friday.

Mrs. Alva Barkley of Elma, was calling on Mrs. Irwin Ball on Wednesday.

Mr. Ross O'Shaughnessy passed through our vicinity on Monday evening.

Mr. Sanford Ierriman was the guest of his daughter Mrs. William Dillabough on Friday.

COLQUHOUN.

We are very much pleased to see Miss Winter array herself in the mantle of white.

Mrs. Osbourne McMillan was the guest of Mrs. John McLean on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace of Grantley, were the guests of their daughter Mrs. Chas. McMillan on Thursday evening.

Mr. David Beckstedt and son Ernest of Grantley, passed through our hamlet on a hunting expedition Saturday morning.

Mr. Willie Kennedy left on Thursday for Norwood to spend a few days with his sister, Mrs. Clement Royce and other friends.

Miss Nellie Kennedy and Miss Luella Colquhoun were the guests of Miss Ella Carr on Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Beckstead and Baby Audrey are visiting friends in Beckstead for a few days this week.

A large number from here attended the anniversary tea in Grantley Monday evening.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Thomas Black is on the sick list. We hope for a speedy recoverv.

Miss Grace McMillan who is training for a nurse in Cornwall is visiting at her parental home for a couple of days.

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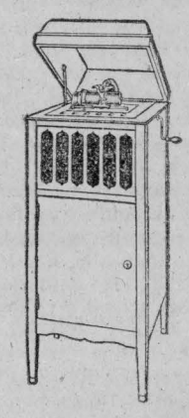

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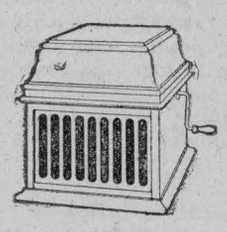

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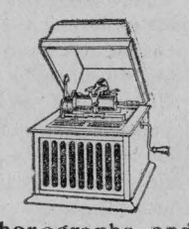

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The Cruise of The Last Hope

A Thanksgiving Day Story.

By LOUISE B. CUMMINGS

Johnny Baxter was born on the Maine coast and was more at home on the water when he was ten years old than on land. At any rate, he liked the water better, for, as he put it, the boat did his walking for him, and that was much better than using his legs. Johnny flourished as a boy before the period of motorboats, but he was scarcely into his teens when he had rigged a little three cornered sail on a six foot pole in a punt and seemed to know by instinct how to navigate. He used to frighten his mother by going out in his punt into open water, but he was never frightened himself. We are not usually frightened at that to which we are accustomed. Johnny was several times caught in a storm out in water where the force of the waves was unbroken by any intervening land, but he never lost his head. But one day he dropped a lighted match in a thicket dried after a long drought and started a blaze. He ran to the nearest house so frightened that he was scarcely able to warn the inmates of the danger that threatened the region. When the fire was put out he sailed away in his boat. When asked why he did so he replied that he didn't like being ashore; it made him afraid.

Bessie Andrews, a couple of years younger than Johnny, was as amphibious as he. They went to and from school together; but, as to play, their playing was done in Johnny's boat. Bessie's mother objected to her child going out with Johnny till she found herself unable to prevent it, then consented on condition that they never sail outside the cove. Conditions with children when they are beyond reach are a dead letter. When Johnny was reproved for breaking the agreement he laid it to the tide or the wind, or both. That ended the argument.

Johnny and Bessie grew up together, and when Johnny came to manhood and the problem of making his own living presented itself he naturally chose the sea. There was, however, a great obstacle in the way of his doing so. He and Bessie had become so used to being together that a separation was terrible to think of. Though Bess was aquatic, being a girl she could not ship with Johnny on the same vessel. Bess proposed dressing as a boy in order to go with him, but Johnny wouldn't hear of it. He said the tight fitting sailor togs would give her away at once.

Johnny shipped before the mast—there were few steamers in those days—for a cruise to the west coast of South America to bring back hides. He was gone two years and would have enjoyed the voyage immensely if he could have had Bessie Andrews with him. As it was, he was mighty glad to get back. When they parted they had not entirely thrown off the childhood companionship that had existed between them; when John returned they flew to each other's arms as a pair of lovers.

John found that during his absence another barrier than the sea had come between him and Bess. An uncle of hers, Nathan Barrows, when a boy had gone to the city and had prospered as a shipping merchant; but, since his wife had not borne him children, he had no one to whom to leave his accumulations. Besides, his wife was an invalid and needed the attention of a younger woman. The couple had spent a summer at Mr. Barrows' old home, where Bessie lived, had taken a fancy to her and had proposed to adopt her and, provided she would remain with them so long as they lived, leave her their property.

This was a severe complication for John Baxter, who could not claim Bess as his bride without doing so to her serious disadvantage. As the wife of a sailor she would be without the companionship of her husband nine tenths of the time and must live in comparative poverty. As her uncle's adopted daughter she would have all the advantages wealth could bestow.

John was made of such stuff that he would not stand in the way of the girl he loved, though it required all his resolution to give her up. He not only advised his sweetheart to accept the offer, but insisted upon her doing so. She consented at last with the hope that if she and John should outlive Mr. and Mrs. Barrows they might be united. Such a result did not enter John's calculations, and Bess made no mention of her expectations to him.

When John sailed again there was but one comfort for him—Bess was pledged not to marry during her uncle and aunt's lifetime, and John need not marry if he was not so disposed. Nevertheless he expected Bess to take on that refinement city life is supposed to produce, and if she married it would be with a city bred man.

Five years passed, during which John Baxter's sterling worth gained him the position of first mate of a vessel in the China trade. Mrs. Barrows died at this time, and her husband found himself dependent on his adopted daughter for whatever of comfort remained to him. Though growing old, he retained control of his business, and his only regret concerning Bess was that she was not a man, that he might fit her to manage it when she should own it after his death.

Another five years brought a still greater change. One morning while sitting at his desk in his office Mr. Barrows was stricken with apoplexy and died in a few days. Bess, while she loved her adopted father, had looked forward to a day, after he had finished his career, to her union with John Baxter. She now had a double reason for wishing this union. She had suddenly come into the possession of a shipping business and believed—that which she wished to believe—that John's seafaring life would have fitted him to manage it for her. John was at sea at the time and was not expected to return for several months.

Miss Andrews, after coming into possession of the business, appointed the best man in it to manage it under her direction, she going to the office frequently to overlook it. But, being a practical woman with some head for business, she soon perceived that her manager was unequal to the task. She longed for John's return, firmly believing that, though he had not been educated for the purpose, his knowledge of sea trading would be valuable.

Then came a disappointment. News came that the Petrel, which John on sailing had been appointed to command, had been wrecked in a storm on the east coast of Africa and all hands had been lost. The statement that all had perished was given on hazy authority, and Miss Andrews hoped that some of the crew, including the captain, might have gained the shore in safety. Africa at that time was a wild country, and persons wrecked on its coast were liable either to be murdered or made slaves. Miss Andrews fitted out a ship, made one of her uncle's most trusted captains master and sent him to look for any members of the lost crew that might have been saved from the wreck. She would have gone with the expedition, but at this time she was trying to supply her uncle's place in the management of the business.

The Last Hope—such was the name Miss Andrews gave the rescue vessel—sailed for the coast of Africa on the 10th of September. The last words she spoke to its master were:

"Captain, I'll give you $100 for every seaman you bring back, $200 for each officer and $1,000 for the captain. And if you will bring them in time for Thanksgiving I'll add $5,000."

"I'll do the best I can, in any event," replied the captain, and, weighing anchor, he sailed.

There were no wireless messages in those days, and the Last Hope was not heard from except on being spoken by an incoming ship on the way out. A month passed and she did not return. Six weeks more went by, and since nothing was heard from her it began to look as if the Last Hope had failed. The day before Thanksgiving Elizabeth Andrews had given up any hope she had cherished of having Captain Baxter with her for the anniversary. She shut herself up in her home, intending to pass the day without making any effort to observe the usual festivities, but being alone was so trying that she determined to go to her office and find relief in occupation.

She had not been there long when she received a telegram. "Last Hope signaled." Then followed three hours of suspense. Had the mission been successful? If so was Captain Baxter among those who would return on the incoming vessel? She tried to think that she was as interested in the others' safety as in his, but she knew in her heart that she was not. She swayed between believing that she would meet her lover again and that she would not. The latter filled her with despair, the former made her tingle to the tips of her fingers.

It would be some time before the vessel would reach the dock, and part of this time she could get away with by making her preparations to go to meet the ship, and a part she would spend on the way. Her impatience to know what had been accomplished led her to start to the dock so early that she was obliged to wait there an hour, and this was the longest hour of all and filled with flashes of hope and despair.

When the ship came in and was swung around there on the upper deck, standing beside her master was a figure which Miss Andrews' eager eyes recognized for John Baxter. He saw her, and smiling, waved to her.

These two who were eager to come together were kept separate for awhile longer by a gap of water some of the time not twenty feet wide. The ship was at last docked, and as soon as the gangplank was run out Captain Baxter, for whom all the others gave way, descended and was met on the dock by the girl who had been instrumental in bringing him and others of his crew home. Notwithstanding those looking on, the couple were locked in an embrace, after which Miss Andrews welcomed the others to their native shore.

That evening the captain and crew of the Last Hope, the captain and a dozen of the crew of the Petrel—all that got ashore from the wreck—sat down to a Thanksgiving dinner. A seat at the head of the table was reserved for Miss Andrews and when the dinner had been disposed of she entered and listened to an account of the sufferings of the returned sailors given by Captain Baxter. They had been slaves from the time they went ashore from the wrecked Petrel till they were redeemed. Before the gathering broke up Miss Andrews handed each man a sum of money for immediate use and the captain of the Last Hope the promised reward.

Captain Baxter and Miss Andrews were married the day after Thanksgiving, and the groom at once entered upon the work of untangling his wife's business affairs. He proved to have a head fitted for the purpose and became its permanent manager.

Sport Scarfs and Ties.

Sport scarfs are made in all of the bright sweater colors, and many are in a combination of colors. Rose, green and white and black combinations, white with black stripe borders and rose or green with white or black striped borders are all popular. Sport ties are made of inch wide grosgrain silk ribbon and are a yard in length. They are made in bright color combinations. Many are in roman stripe colors and black and white stripe combinations in bayadere effect. The ends are finished with fancy bead ornaments, and many have slides of the same.

Expressions of Love.

It is in keeping the love of others that most of us woefully fail. And we fail very largely because we are not careful in expressing love. Here we ought not to be confused by terms. Expressing love does not necessarily mean using the language of endearment. On the contrary, those who love most deeply are likely to be the least given to endearing terms, which may indicate a poverty of deep love or the absence of any love.

Ringing for Gofer.

A curious custom is annually celebrated at the parish church of Newark, Eng. Three centuries ago a wealthy merchant of Newark named Gofer lost himself in the forest that then surrounded the town. He carried much money and was in great fear of thieves, with whom the forest abounded. Suddenly he heard the Newark bells and was guided home. To commemorate his deliverance Gofer left a handsome legacy to the Newark bell ringers on condition that they should ever after "ring for Gofer" each Sunday night in October and November.

Long Known.

"Father," said the minister's son, "my teacher says that 'collect' and 'congregate' mean the same thing. Do they?"

"Perhaps they do, my son," said the venerable clergyman; "but you may tell your teacher that there is a vast difference between a congregation and a collection."

Hope.

"Yes, she rejected me, but she did it in a most encouraging way."

"How was that?"

"As I went away, she pointed to the footprints that I had made on the carpet, and said: 'The next time you come to propose to me, I want you to wipe your shoes clean.'

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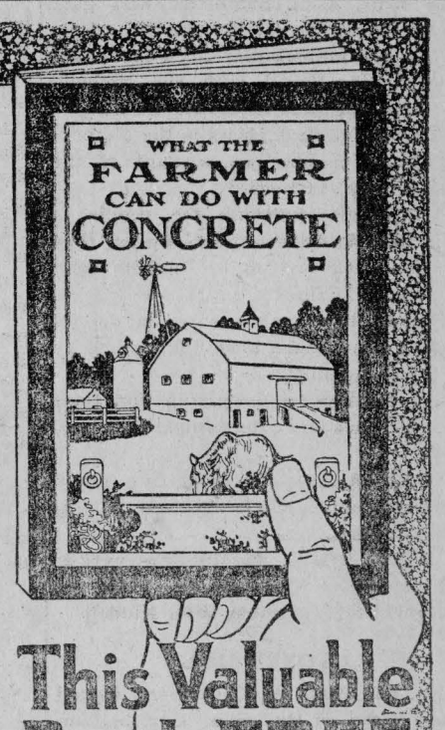

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This southern girl, with her golden hair and laughing eyes, is the very last person you would expect to find in an office with her own name on the door. She was born and educated in Georgia.

A few years ago she went north and entered a normal school, later becoming a kindergarten teacher on the east side.

At the end of her first schooling year Miss Livingstone had saved enough money for a trip abroad.

Armed with letters of introduction to Rodin, Zuluoga, D'Annunzio, Beerbohm Tree and Sir Oliver Wyndham, she traveled through Europe and Africa, selling her stories of a trip through the desert on camels. Returning home, she resigned her position as schoolteacher and, thrilled by her success at breaking into print, began free lance work, writing everything from "how to ice cake" to stage stories.

While in France she met Lou Tellegan, Sarah Bernhardt's leading man, who asked her to become his press agent. Few women have made good in this line of work. Most press agents are men. But Miss Livingstone was soon recognized as one of the most successful members of her profession, next representing such stars as Anna Pavlowa and Mr. and Mrs. Castle, and last winter she did the press work for the company that produced "Alice In Wonderland."

The theater business promises to be a fascinating field for women of special gifts, both as producers and as managers.

For Thanksgiving.

On a table covered with the snowiest of white linen is spread a circle of red oak leaves, gathered in October before they could become shriveled and dried. From this circle at the center of the cloth extends to each corner a line of the leaves tacked lightly in place.

But the glory of the table is a huge pumpkin hollowed out and filled with a golden mass of yellow chrysanthemums. As the turkey is brought to the table it should have an enormous chrysanthemum in the breast.

Where artificial light is preferred for the long dinner at the middle or end of the day oak leaves are not used on the cloth. Instead two large branching candelabra adorn the ends of the table on either side of the flower filled pumpkin. Their candles furnish the only illumination in the room except perhaps for one or two candlesticks or lamps on mantelpiece or serving table. The latter should be hidden beneath crape paper shades or inexpensive papier mache globes in the shape of pumpkins with grimacing faces, which are on sale at all good confectioners.

French Fruit Salad.

Remove the skin and seeds from one cupful of white grapes, cut three bananas in cubes and cover immediately with lemon juice. Remove the skin and white from six oranges and cut in small pieces. Mix with mayonnaise dressing. Arrange in nests of white lettuce leaves or serve in halves of oranges. Garnish with mayonnaise dressing.

GREAT LABOR LEADER.

G. N. Barnes Only Had Two Years' Schooling.

"Barnes is the big man; let us send Barnes," the Cabinet said, in effect, when the members were discussing who they should send on a secret official mission to Canada on behalf of the Board of Trade. And so Mr. G, N. Barnes, the most astute and courageous leader British Labor ever had, was sent. He succeeded in what he was sent to do, as everybody concerned knew he would, and he returned home to find, alas! that his boy Dick—a "bonny and clever lad, and a good one," to quote his father's own words—who was a lieutenant in the 2nd Gordons, had been killed. "My sorrow is tempered with pride," said Mr. Barnes, and the sympathy of the whole Labor world went out to Mr. and Mrs. Barnes in their great bereavement.

Few men in trade or politics have won such popularity as the Labor leader who started life as a boy in an engineer's shop and educated himself by studying diligently at night classes after his day's work.

It was while chatting on one occasion with the writer in the smoking-room of the House of Commons that Mr. Barnes told me that, owing to the fact that his father moved from Scotland to England, he only had two years' schooling, and that was when he attended a little country school at Enfield Highway between the age of eight or nine and eleven. "Not much education to fit a man for a life struggle," Mr. Barnes said, somewhat grimly," but the family purse was such that I had to go out to work, and after trying my luck in a jute mill I subsequently learned engineering in London, afterwards serving out my apprenticeship at Dundee, to which town my parents returned. A few months after the termination of my apprenticeship I discovered, as it was discovered long before by Dr. Johnson, that the best thing about Scotland is the way out of it; so I found my way out of it, and have remained out of it ever since."

How the sturdy character and integrity of Mr. Barnes so impressed his fellow-workers in the engineering trade that he was ultimately appointed assistant secretary, and then general secretary, of the powerful Amalgamated Society of Engineers, the blue ribbon of the Trades Union world, and how he entered Parliament, is now a matter of common knowledge to people in the Labor world. Mr. Barnes declared, however, that he attributed the fact of his being in the House, and his official connection with the Amalgamated Society of Engineers, to his association with Tom Mann in the early days of his campaign.

What most people like about Mr. Barnes is his independence of character, which was strikingly shown in 1908, when he resigned his secretaryship in consequence of the North-East Coast engineers refusing to accept the settlement he had made with the employers. "I consider," he said at the time, "that the moment has come when Trades Union officials must make a stand against the repudiation of control on the part of their members. It has been carried to such lengths that the employers are beginning to ask why they should trouble to arrange terms with people who are promptly repudiated by their constituents."

A canny Scot, Mr. Barnes loves a quiet evening with Burns, but he loves most of all to fight battles for the slum dwellers, the unemployed, the hungry children, the landless laborer, the sweated woman, and the pauper. In a word, George Barnes is a champion of the people.—London Tit-Bits.

Prince in the Trenches.

The Prince of Wales has returned to his military duties at the Front, after leave of absence in England. A correspondent of the "Bystander" says: A captain in one of the Scotch regiments writes to me from the front to say that it really is true that the Prince of Wales goes right into the firing line, and, in fact, is rather fond of getting into rather dangerous places. On one occasion he came into my trench at a particularly bad place, where there was a gap of 200 yards or more, right between my trench and the one on my left, which it was impossible to hold. The Prince crawled out to a listening post in the no-man's-land, and was badly sniped at by the Germans coming back. In the trench next mine on the same day a man was shot through the head, standing next to the Prince.

Artillery Horses in Action.

In spite of the motor, whose usefulness in haulage of big guns to the front is undenied and undeniable, there are several sorts of grounds where the functions of the traction engine end and those of the equine gun team begin. Generally speaking, horses have the honor of galloping their gun on to the field of action and standing the hellish racket of the bursting shells, and the percentage of killed among the gun teams is always a very high one.

The powerful beasts, excited by their surroundings, maddened by the rush, they have just taken part in, sweating and covered with foam, often get out of hand, and, rearing and plunging, threaten to break away from their harness. To contend with a pair of these half-frightened, half-infuriated animals is all one man's work.

Effects of Fear On Children

Most of us are familiar with stories of the bogey nurse of long ago, but few realize that her type survives even in these enlightened days. It seems probable that from very earliest times there have been people whose only idea of ruling children was to employ a discipline of fear.

One hundred years ago Napoleon was the favorite bogey, especially among English speaking people, and terrifying were the tales which nurses and probably many foolish parents invented of the horrors he perpetrated on small children who cried in the night, soiled their Sunday frocks, or were guilty of any of the hundred and one small naughtinesses children unthinkingly commit.

A word that "Boney is coming" would send many small girls and boys cowering beneath the bedclothes, there to spend hours of shivering terror, while the real bogey who had so scared them employed the time cheerily gossiping in the servants' room.

But that was all very long ago. Nowadays we study hygiene, eugenics and what not and take the bringing up of our children very seriously. There is one fact, however, we often overlook. A 1915 incarnation of the bogy nurse is still among us. Today for weapons of terror she uses the policeman. Now, this is very wrong, for the child who lives in the city should be taught that the policeman on the corner, in the park or anywhere one finds his brass buttons and gold braid is a person to be welcomed as a friend and protector of the kiddies, not an enemy or a bogy to be feared. If this idea of the law is instilled into the youngster's head he will not forget it should he become lost from his mother or nurse. Instead of wandering along the streets or park helpless and bewildered he will run confidently to the nearest policeman, explain his troubles as best he can and stay content with the big man decorated with many brass buttons until aid arrives.

The child who is taught to fear the policeman, on the other hand, shuns him in time of trouble, with effects which are sometimes disastrous both to the little fellow and his parents.

A stroll through the park any pleasant day will bring you in contact with the foolish nurse who holds up the policeman as a terrible bogey.

"Come along, Master Bobby!" she will say. "The policeman will come and catch you if you hang behind like that." The little fellow gives a scared glance over his shoulder before he hastens on, frantically pulling at her hand.

Two little girls were playing in the park the other day. In the game one slipped and fell, covering her diminutive skirt with green grass stains.

"Now, whatever shall I do with you, Agatha?" cried the nurse. "The police man will get you and no mistake. They always look out for dirty little girls!" So wee Agatha's play was spoiled by the fear of another tumble and the dread consequences that would surely ensue.

Many nurses are not ignorant, thoughtless women, but there are a few who by these means do irreparable harm to sensitive and timid children. Nor are nurses by any means the only offenders. Mothers have been known to trifle with the nerves of their children—that delicate mechanism governing both the body and the mind.

While children may beg for exciting stories and display a tremendous interest in the war, it is far from wise to tell them too much and to excite their imagination by descriptions of gory encounters. It is natural for little boys who want to hear the details of the conflict from their fathers to beg daddy for "a story of the war," for a certain love of the military is ingrained into the masculine character from the moment the little lad begins to play with tin soldiers. However, if one cares to preserve the tiny fellow's nerves the story telling will be restricted to deeds of valor.

Pineapple Seeds.

The pineapple as ordinarily cultivated is almost seedless, seeds being so rarely produced that the great majority of growers have never seen a seed and believe the fruit to be wholly sterile. But it is possible to produce them.

Buckskin Gloves.

Buckskin gloves are needed in mountain climbing and in a region where thorns and briers are common. Buy the regular army ones. They are real buck and dry out soft. Cavalry gauntlets are better for horseback trips. By folding the hand of a gauntlet back against its cuff the latter serves as a drinking cup.—Outing.

Christmas Appeal

FOR

The Hospital for Sick Children

COLLEGE ST., TORONTO.

Dear Mr. Editor:—

Thanks for your kindness in allowing me the privilege of appealing at this Christmas time on behalf of the Hospital for Silk Children, Toronto.

In the 40 years of the Hospital's existence there have been treated within its walls 26,108 children as in-patients; 231,768 as out-patients; a grand total of 257,876 in and out-patients.

The Hospital for Sick Children gives a province-wide service, for little patients from every section of Ontario have sought its aid. Last year 499 patients were admitted from 232 places outside the city of Toronto. In 1914 there were 394 from 210 places.

Of the 2,838 in-patients last year 1,771 were medical cases and 1,067 surgical. In the orthopedic department of the 2,838 in-patients, 264 were treated for deformities, 21 Pott's disease of the spine, 10 lateral curvature of the spine, 10 bow-legs, 57 club-feet, 17 dislocations of hip, 42 tubercular disease of knee, hip, ankle, wrist and elbow; 76 infantile paralysis, 8 wry neck, and 21 miscellaneous.

Our battle is never-ending—is one that will continue while the world lasts, for it is the fight between the armies of life and death, to save the child life, the sick little ones, sons and daughters not only of our soldier men, but of the fathers and mothers still in this home-land province.

The Hospital is beating back disease and death, the enemies that assail the lives of little children as the British Empire is beating back Germany, Austria and Turkey, the enemies that assail the life of liberty.

So we appeal to the generous people of Ontario not to forget those so near and dear to us, who lie in the beds and cots of this great charity.

Will the people at large, as of old, respond to our call? Will they remember that every year is a war year for the Hospital, every day a day of battle, and that the Hospital needs money, not for its own sake, but for the children's sake?

The Hospital has waged its war for forty years. The people of Toronto and Ontario have been its friend, and this year of all years it requires help. Surely you will give to a charity that cares for every sick child in Ontario, for only as your money reaches the Hospital can the Hospital's mercy reach the children.

Every dollar is a link of kindness in the chain of mercy that joins the money in your pocket to the miseries of some child's life, some mother's heart.

Remember that Christmas calls you to open the purse of your kindness to the Hospital that the Hospital may open the heart of its help to the children.

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Local and District News

See episode 2 of the Million Dollar Mystery, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 16th and 17th, at the Star Theatre.

The news was received in Chesterville yesterday of the death in Buffalo of Rev. A. K. McNaughton, known to many here, his wife having been Miss Elsie Casselman, daughter of the late J. C. Casselman.

It is reported that four aspirants to the reeveship of Winchester are definitely in the field, being Ezra Countryman, Samuel Howes, George E. Earle and John Bogart. Evidently the truce of a year ago has expired.

So great was the crowd in the Music Hall Tuesday night that at the close of the concert the chairman asked those in front to remain seated while the rear portion of the hall was cleared to prevent accident.

Iroquois Man's Sudden Death.

(Iroquois News)

Iroquois has had another object lesson of the brevity of life and the slender thread that separates us from the life beyond. We refer to the sudden death on Monday morning of our young and respected citizen, Allan J. Marsh, of the firm of W. J. Marsh & Sons, furniture dealers and undertakers. For some time he complained of heart trouble, but nothing serious was anticipated and he was able to attend to his work as usual. He had dressed and was about to partake of breakfast when he fell over and in a few minutes expired in his wife's arms, who was alone with him. Her cries brought the family upstairs, who were equally shocked at the painful tragedy so sudden and unexpected. The young couple were ideally mated and lived as sweethearts. Indeed her cry to Mr. Marsh as he came upstairs was "Oh, father, I have lost my sweetheart." The poignant sadness of it all greatly affected the father, whose tenderness of heart and sympathy with his daughter-in-law was pathetic indeed. As Miss Ethel Beckstead, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Beckstead, late of Morrisburg, and now of Canton, N. Y., she was and is one of the most beautiful and lovable girls in the community, while Allie Marsh was a fine, warm hearted young man, with a prosperous business career before him, and together their future happiness seemed assured. Deceased was born in Spencerville on July 7th, 1886, removing to Iroquois with his parents, where he has lived most of his life, and for a number of years conducted the undertaking department of the firm's business.

Why don't you advertise in THE RECORD? It pays.

Local and District News.

Dr. J. Leroy Mavety, only brother of Mrs. (Rev.) A. E. Runnells was killed in France on the 14th inst.

Have you let the Christmas spirit so far grip you that you are doing your buying in your own home town?

Lord Derby's voluntary recruiting campaign in Great Britain is said to have resulted in four million men responding.

The annual entertainment of the Chesterville Presbyterian church will be held in the Music Hall on New Year's night. For particulars see posters.

Whitteker, the Optician, will be at Winchester, Monday, Dec. 13th; Chesterville, Tuesday, Dec. 14th; Russell, Thursday, Dec. 16th; and Finch, Friday, Dec. 17th.

Rev. B. A. Arnold of Massena, N. Y., has been appointed by the Bishop of Ottawa to the charges of Chesterville and Winchester and will take up his duties very shortly.

After the school children had finished singing "O Canada," one of the boys in khaki added fervently "Amen," and then quickly, "Oh, excuse me. I thought I was in Winchester."

Show as much spirit as the soldier by fighting for your home town. Keep the silver bullets at home instead of supplying the ammunition "that wins in the end to the other man's town or city.

Berwick Methodist Church Sunday School will hold their Christmas Tree Entertainment in the church on Thursday evening, Dec, 23rd.

If you break a lens or the frame of your eye glasses Mr A. E. Bolster can fix it for you—day or night every day—at W. G. Bolster's Drug Store, Chesterville.

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Over 25 per cent of the ratepayers of the village of Finch have petitioned the village council asking for the repeal of the local option by-law passed in 1909. The council decided to grant the petition, and a vote will be taken on January 3.

During the past week four more men have been added to the strength of the Dundas Platoon of the Grenadier Guards, viz:—Jas. Allan Stewart, Purcel McVicar McCormick, Richard John Perring and Ernest Summers.

You have no doubt often read in the despatches of the short sharp cough of the machine guns in the British ttenches. That was not a rehearsal in the Music Hall Tuesday night.

An American salesman in the Music Hall on Tuesday night, gazed intently across at what he believed was a familiar profile and remarked "By hokey there's Wilsiam Jennings Bryan." It was Ed. Flynn. Did you ever notice it?

Attention is called by the Fire Underwriters' Association of the chances of fire and loss of life by insufficiently guarded Christmas decorations. Tnese are usually of such an inflamable material that great risks are taken when using them. "Safety First" is the one big consideration.

Mrs. Lavere of Winchester, whose action for damages against the Smith's Falls General Hospital for permanent injuries received from the application of hot bricks causing burns on her feet, was argued in the supreme court some time ago and judgment reserved, has just been given judgment for $ 00 and all costs.

Boys as young as fifteen years are so anxious to join the British army that they are presenting themselves at the recruiting stations and declaring themselves to be of military age. It is altogether likely that if they were permitted, thousands of boys would enlist for service at the front, for in the boys' kingdom the soldier is the hero par excellence. Youngsters have fought in previous wars, notably in the great Civil War in the United States at the end of which men were at a premium in some parts of the country. They are the last resort, however, and a nation has to be in sore straits indeed before it calls them out.

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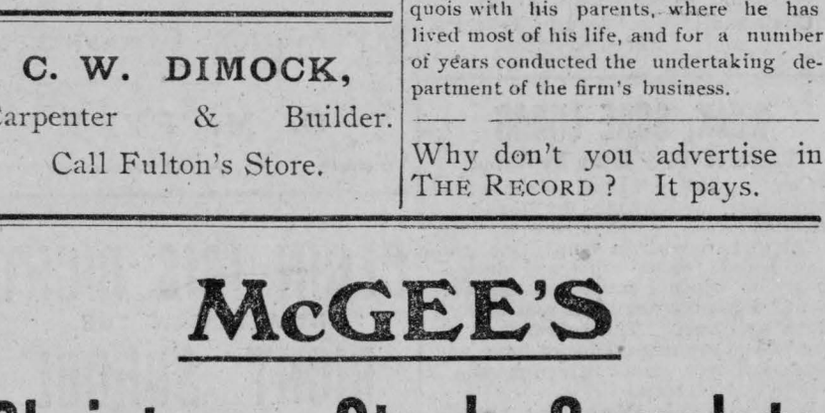

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Fancy Bedroom Slippers.
Silk Parasol or Umbrella.
Silk Underskirts.
Note Paper in Fancy boxes.
Carpet Sweeper.
Fancy Embroidered Handkerchiefs.
Jewel Boxes.
Silk for a Dress or Waist.
Fancy Aprons.

For Men

A Pair of Gloves.
Pair or Box of Fine Hose.
Neckties, Collars, Scarves.
Tobacco Pouch.
Safety Razor.
Suspenders in fancy boxes.
House Slippers.
Shirts and Collars. Cuff Links.
Linen Handkerchiefs.
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