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Hints from the Enemy

A German Soldier's Advice

The "Vorwarts" has been very helpful-hints from a wounded soldier to his comrades in the field.

"I have now been in hospital three weeks, and it suddenly occurred to me that I ought to relate some of my experience to my friends in the field, so that my advice may assist them in facing the dangers which I have overcome.

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tea so that his soldiers might never be without hot tea in the cold. We are much better without alcohol.

It is the feet, and especially perspiring feet, that suffer most in the cold. I have found three pairs of socks insufficient, and I have often volunteered to go on night watch to prevent my feet from getting ice cold.

By a piece of luck I learnt the use of straw. Cutting a piece of about length of my foot I stuffed it into my boot and arranged it around the sole of my foot.

The last dodge seems a good one, and may perhaps prove useful to our soldiers. For this German, as he states, never suffered from frost-bite.

Westminster Gazette.

Terrible Battle Still Raging

London, April 30.—A despatch from Rotterdam to the Daily Telegraph, dated April 29, says:

The terrible battle along the Ypres-Yser fronts is still raging, with little diminution of fury and strength. The Germans are now definitely on the offensive along the whole line, westward from Zonnebeke, and then along the canal to Dixmude.

From Zonnebeke along the newly won territory, past the Pilkes Hills toward the canal, the Germans have been brought to a complete standstill. At one or two points yesterday, spasmodic attacks were made, quite fruitlessly, against the British who now, that the tide is stemmed, have dug themselves in along the whole front close to the German lines.

London, April 30.—The German attack on the Yser has ceased, says the Times correspondent in Northern France, writing under date of Thursday. "The enemy has fallen back on the defensive," says the correspondent, "and is struggling to defend the small territory gained."

London, April 30.—The virtual annihilation of 4,000 Germans who crossed the Ypres over a bridge near Ste. Encaente, is described by the newspaper Wingtieme Siecle. Belgian heavy artillery destroyed the bridge while a field artillery showered them with shrapnel.

Paris, April 30, 2.30 p. m.—The French War office this afternoon gave out a report on the progress of hostilities, reading as follows: "We made progress yesterday to the north of Ypres, in the region of Steenstraete."

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stress cannot be laid on the urgency of protecting native birds. Farmers should never permit shooting of wild birds.

British War Office Wants Canadian Doctors For Service

London, April 27—Colonel Pelletier, agent-general for the province of Quebec, approached the medical chief of the war office recently with regard to the question of accepting Canadian doctors for service, either in field or home hospitals.

VALUE OF A PROMISE.

Thomas Atkins, a hospital orderly, was being put through his paces by a hospital sister as regards his practical knowledge.

Breeds of the general purpose type, such as Plymouth Rocks, Rhode Island Reds and Wyandottes, are among the best brooders.

Care For the birds

Dr. C. Gordon Hewitt, Dominion Entomologist urges farmers to encourage birds by building nesting boxes and leaving birds undisturbed on wood-lots.