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## A WORTHY SON.

The following remarkable letter, written by a British soldier at the front to his father, recently appeared in an Isle of Wight newspaper:

To my Father;

This is a final message for you to read when I am dead. There will be so little else—just the brief official notification, "The Secretary of State for War regrets, etc.," maybe a belated letter or two, speaking only of the small happenings of the day, perhaps the tale of a brother officer as to how I fell; beyond that, nothing. And so now, before-hand, I say farewell.

There is no need of many words; but I want first to thank you as your son. You have been to me the best father a fellow could wish. I want to thank you for the gift of a clean and strong and vigorous and healthy body, straight limbs and thews that could serve England at her need. For the gift of a powerful intellect and a discerning mind—thank you. For the long years of self-denial that made my education possible; for the guidance and teaching that kept me straight in the days of youth; for the counsel and help freely proffered when I asked; for all noble things in your example—again and most earnestly, thank you.

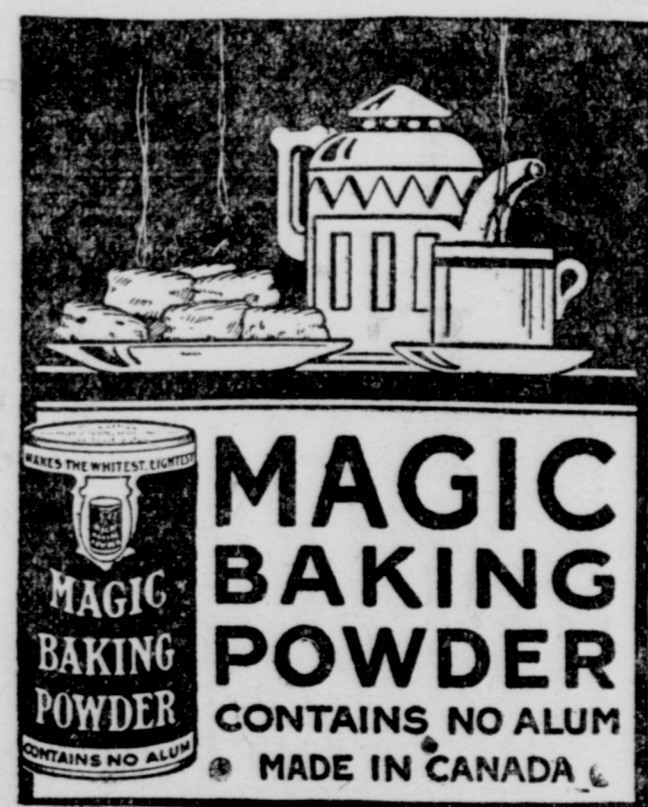
Secondly, as to my death, inasmuch as we be men together, there is little need for words. It is in a good cause that I lay down my life. All the things that I hold dear in life I willingly give up, since it is required of me. I am proud and glad to be one of those whom England takes, who in their bodies pay the price of her honor. And though in your heart there will be sorrow, you will also be proud; and you will not grieve overmuch.

"All good things be unto you! May the coming years bring wider fields of service, honor and honorable work, strength and wisdom to perform it; and in the end peace and contentment and quiet rest! Your son, a soldier of England, salutes you. Farewell!

As a contemporary well says, the business of being a father is quite the most complex and difficult of all the tasks that come to men, and to get such a letter as the above must be to any father a sweet reward.

## THE "NEW SCHOOL."

Present conditions about the streets at night are causing some talk as to the enforcement of the curfew law. We doubt seriously the wisdom of seeking a law to take the place of parental guidance. From appearances it would appear to be not the small



children who are the offenders but girls and boys of an age when discretion is not a prominent part of their make-up. It is not the curfew law but the home influence that is required.

A new freedom seems to have come to children in recent years, a freedom that has too often been purchased at the price of proper home influence. Many girls today consider their mothers old-fashioned in many of their views and do not hesitate to say so and to point out the advantages of the "new school." The mistake is made when mother permits such thoughts to persist in the daughter's head. Good intentioned parents, over-indulgent of their children, too often are their children's worst enemies.

There is no need of a return to the over-strictness of Puritanical days. That would be a misfortune and would avail nothing. Yet reasonable discipline is not only necessary but highly desirable. It is not doing a child a kindness to let him run the home; to be the little autocrat in the home domain. Parents cannot escape their responsibility. Their influence in the main di-

rects the course of life of their children, a remark which, of course, is always open to modification in some cases. That tightening up in parental discipline is needed generally all along the line is one of the lessons that can be safely drawn from the conditions referred to.

He ran like a horse.

Hear ye, Hear ye!

Why were the returned soldiers who recently arrived in Woodstock made pay their own way from St. John?

Why is it that officers, who never saw the front, and never intend to, have their way paid on all railways, while these wounded boys who have been fighting for months have to pay their own way?

Is it any wonder that soldiers complain?

The young Conservative wag that announced a new Minister of Militia, in the person of the Federal member for Carleton, started a racket among the stalwarts that assumed the proportions of a stampede. A consultation was held in Queen a street office, where "leaders" were hastily summoned by telephone. and the greatest fear was in evidence until the story was investigated and found to be a production emanating from the "sawdug" who saw a Liberal at work in the armory and took advantage of the unique event to "start something."

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The Standard is dreadfully worried about Mr. Carvell. It fears he may become leader of the Liberal party, and from the experience of some of its own directors the Standard knows what would happen. It therefore attacks him very bitterly. The Halifax Herald takes quite a different view. It says that Mr. Carvell has "loomed large on the political horizon" during the last session, "his general attitude toward measures relating to the war bringing him a large measure of political respect." The Herald further declares that he "would be more acceptable to Quebec than most other Liberals, has a following in Ontario and is popular with the west." The Ottawa Citizen says: "If Sir Wilfrid retires, there appears to be a peculiar unanimity of view as to his likely successor. Frank B. Carvell, member for Carleton, N. B., is not only 'prominently mentioned' for the position, but he is practically the only one mentioned."—Times.

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## Sheriff's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I shall sell at public auction in front of the Court House in the Town of Woodstock in the County of Carleton, on Saturday the twenty seventh day of October, 1917, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon the lands and premises described as follows:

All that lot, piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the Parish of Brighton in the County of Carleton and Province of New Brunswick, and bounded and described as follows:—Beginning on the south bank of the Beccaugenic Stream where the lines between lots one and two strike the said stream; thence southeasterly along said line between said lots one hundred chains to a reserved road on the rear thereof; and thence southwesterly along said reserved road ten chains to a line dividing said lot number one into two equal parts; thence northwesterly along the same two hundred chains to the Beccaugenic Stream aforesaid; and thence along the same upstream to the place of beginning containing one hundred acres more or less, and being the upper half of said lot number one granted to Emaline Smith.

Together with the buildings and improvements thereon and the privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any manner appertaining.

The above land is sold by virtue of an execution in my hand, out of the Carleton County Court against John B. Smith and Emaline Smith at the suit of John T. G. Carr.

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