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RHEIMS.

Rheims has been redeemed. Threatened by the enveloping movement of General Gouraud's veteran army, the Germans have been compelled to retire from the impregnable fortresses to the northeast of the city that for four years have been in their hands and are now in retreat miles away to the north.

The fate of Rheims has been a strange one. Although the Germans have never in this war had a foothold in the city since 1914, their lines ever since the first great advance of that year have run almost through its suburbs. Year after year it has been subjected to the devastating and senseless shelling of the batteries of Brimont and Meronvillers. The wanton destruction of the Rheims Cathedral, one of the most beautiful monuments of the Middle Ages, was of second importance only to the invasion of Belgium in revealing to the world the ruthlessness and brutality of the German military leaders.

Rheims is noted in history as the place of the coronation of the French kings. It was here that Joan of Arc led Charles VII. in 1429 to place upon his unworthy head the crown of his fathers. In modern times the city, which before the coming of the Germans boasted a population of about 100,000, had become one of the industrial centres of northern France. Although not completely destroyed, Rheims has suffered terribly from its experience of the past four years. Many buildings have been destroyed; the streets, are almost deserted.

Its complete redemption will be hailed with joy throughout France, not only because it restores to the nation an industrial city of much importance but because it is an unmistakable indication that the grip of the enemy upon northern France is rapidly weakening. Three months ago Rheims was a French salient projecting sharply into the German lines. Today the city is miles behind the battle front. The freeing of Rheims may well be taken as an augury of what is soon to happen to the still unredeemed portions of the country.

Sir Charles Fitzpatrick has resigned the position of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada to become Lieutenant Governor of Quebec. He will be succeeded as Chief Justice by Sir Louis Davies and a Quebec man will get the vacant position on the bench. Both Sir Charles Fitzpatrick and Sir Louis Davies are Liberals and former members of the Laurier cabinet. Sir Louis Davies is a native of Prince Edward Island and was premier of that province before entering Federal politics. His appointment to the highest judicial position in Canada is a well deserved honor to himself and will be appreciated by the people of the tight little island.

Significant of the intention of the United States to aid Russia was the arrival at Vladivostok recently of the first consignment of supplies for the Czecho-Slovak army, the gift of the American government through the Red Cross, and the opening of the office of a representative of the United States War Trade Board, which makes certain the import into Russia of kerosene, clothing, hardware and other material of which Russia is in dire need. All articles imported will be under control as to price and distribution for the purpose of preventing profiteering. This control is something unknown heretofore in Russia.

The German reply to President Wilson's peace note has been received at Washington and will be found on another page of this issue. The note was evidently prepared by the Huns with a great deal of care. While it is rather vague in its terms, it is generally looked upon as an acceptance of the President's terms. As the Huns appear to be sparring for wind, it is rather doubtful if the note will lead to an armistice in the very near future.

The Victory bonds shortly to be issued by the Dominion of Canada deserve to rank as the best government security in the world. The bonds will be issued at par and will bear interest at the rate of 5½ per cent. They are issued in denominations as low as \$50 which brings them within the reach of all classes of people. The campaign will be on in the course of a few days, and it should go with a rush.

The British casualties reported for the week ending yesterday numbered 37,150, compared with 35,710 for the previous week. They are divided as follows: Killed or died of wounds: Officers 517, men 4,971; wounded or missing, officers 1,464, men 30,198.

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THROUGH OUR SIEVE

Marshal Poch is the greatest living peacemaker.

Maybe socks will "win the war"—darn 'em.

In terms of the squared circle Serbia still has a punch or two left.

Perhaps the Kaiser's six sons are Germany's "last reserve."

From the Allied point of view the near east is getting nearer.

It's getting cool enough, girls, to remove the summer furs and expose the chest.

Boys fail to realize that some day they will know as little as their parents.

Mrs. O'Hevens says the Allies are bound to make the world safe for democracy.

It will perhaps be some satisfaction to hear that the girls who wore furs in summer were early victims of "flu."

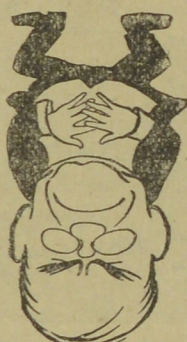
Lots of people who think a pedigree is a fellow who fixes feet are nevertheless aware that the Kaiser comes of rotten stock.

It doesn't always signify romantic longings when a woman stands at the kitchen window and looks out into the dark. Perhaps she is trying to recall her mother's method of setting buckwheat cakes.

UPSET STOMACH

Pape's Diapiesin at once ends sourness, gas, acidity, indigestion.

Don't stay upset! When meals don't fit and you belch gas, acids and undigested food. When you feel lumps of indigestion pain, flatulence, heartburn or headache you can get instant relief.



No waiting! Pape's Diapiesin will put you on your feet. As soon as you eat one of these pleasant, harmless tablets all the indigestion, gases, acidity and stomach distress ends. Your druggist sells them.

Well Known in St. John
Owen Moore, Mary Pickford's husband, is seriously ill with the Spanish influenza in a suburban hotel near New York. He is well known to many people in St. John, where he stayed three months some ten years ago performing back of the screen at the time when talking pictures were a novelty. While there he stayed at the Park Hotel. It was while in St. John Mr. Moore was attracted by the comeliness of Miss Pickford, and later when he returned to New York he met her and became her husband.

FOR SALE—Going south, will sell my fast driving mare, light spring wagon and harness. Mr. Ray, J. Stillwell's house, North Devon. 61

CITY OF FREDERICTON Board of Health.

PUBLIC HEALTH NOTICE

The Board of Health of the City of Fredericton has been ordered by the Department of Health of the Province of New Brunswick to issue and carry out the Provisions of the following Order:

J. M. WILEY,
Chairman F'ton Board of Health.
G. Y. DIBBLEE,
Secretary F'ton Board of Health.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Avoid Crowding.

All Proprietors of Stores and other business places are desired to prevent overcrowding during business hours, and to absolutely forbid loitering on their premises at all times during the present epidemic.

By order of Department of Health.
(Sgd.) GEO. G. MELVIN,
Chief Medical Officer.

A CHILD HATES OIL, CALOMEL, PILLS FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

Give "California Syrup of Figs" if cross, sick, feverish, constipated.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; the tit never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

APPEAL FOR VOLUNTEERS TO NURSE FAMILIES

Mrs. John Black Issues Appeal—V. A. D. Will Assist, Although Handicapped—Details Given.

Members of Division No. 31, St. John Ambulance Overseas.

With six overseas, ten at work all day, four away from town at work, five out of the city, five at home ill themselves or household ill and needing them—in Division No. 31 V. A. D. a strong and urgent appeal to the public spirit of all those free enough to come to the help of many suffering men and women is now made by the officer-in-charge Mrs. John Black, who has only just received permission from headquarters in Toronto the Canadian Branch of the St. John Ambulance Brigade Overseas to help in every possible way to strengthen the hands of the Provincial and Local Boards of Health in dealing with the epidemic of influenza.

Men who will help other men afflicted and helpless acting as orderlies as is done elsewhere and male and female nurses are required.

Scouts who will go to houses, carry in wood and coal, attend the furnaces and lend their aid also are required. Women whose services in many cases would be paid for by the families of the sick for nursing and household duties are wanted.

All those who have taken First Aid courses. All those who have taken Home Nursing courses, school teachers now free, Women's Volunteer Reserves and others who have not had training but who have had practical experience in the care of the sick, the preparation of food, looking after children may be of great service.

Full time to be given is preferable but part time will be accepted most gratefully. Many not in a position to do full time could do relief work in spare hours, help over the night or make the sick ones comfortable for the weary hours of night.

If an ammunition worker here in town whose hours are from 6 a. m. to 6 p. m. can after that go and do her bit in several homes before she gets to bed herself surely there are others who could don a uniform or cotton frock required in all sick rooms and do her bit if blessed with health and strength herself in this time of desperate need of helpers and practical Christianity.

Telephone 132-11 or call personally and register with Mrs. John Black, officer-in-charge of Division No. 31 to whom already many appeals for help have come. Her kitchen and house are offered for any and all diets to send in on a doctor's order. Contributions will be thankfully acknowledged in the press and the names of those volunteering for this call to urgent service.

Doctors having needy cases requiring diets will appeal it is hoped. Foods ordered by them only will be sent except in certain cases of need and then freshly made and carried to the homes.

This is not charity, for when services can be paid for fees will be charged, but just now many a bread winner is unable to get his daily bread and it is a pleasure and a duty for others to tide them over a brief time of distress.

Offer your services, men, women, boys and girls. You may not be called upon unless really needed but hand in your names as available and willing helpers.

Who will be the first to lead this Roll of Honour?
Oct. 22nd, 1918.

THIS IS THE SEASON FOR FURS

Our selection this year is more varied and extensive than ever.

BLACK WOLF MUFFS
NATURAL WOLF MUFFS
TAUPE WOLF MUFFS
BLACK LYNX MUFFS
NATURAL LYNX MUFFS
RED FOX MUFFS

AUSTRALIAN LYNX MUFFS
NATURAL COON MUFFS
ALASKA SABLE MUFFS
MINK MUFFS
BLACK WOLF MUFFS
TAUPE WOLF MUFFS
BLACK LYNX MUFFS

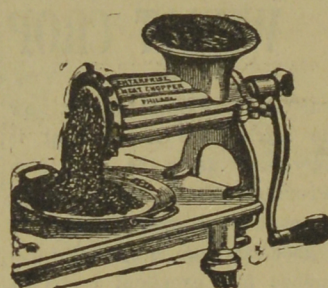
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BROWN LYNX STOLES
RED FOX STOLES
AUSTRALIAN LYNX STOLES
ALASKA SABLE STOLES
MINK STOLES

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EARLY CLOSING OF THE RAILWAY FREIGHT SHEDS

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS

Order of War Board Not to be Effective Until Nov. 10th.

The date fixed by the Canadian Railway War Board for the opening of the railway freight sheds for the receipt and delivery of freight at 7.30 a. m. daily, and their closing at 5.00 p. m. daily, excepting on Saturday, on which day they are to be closed at 1 p. m., has been extended under its direction from the 15th October to the 10th November.

The public is therefore advised that the regulations at present governing the opening and closing of freight sheds on the Canadian Government Railways will continue in force until the last named date.

Death From Pneumonia

The death occurred at the home of his parents on Lansdowne Street yesterday afternoon of Harold Percy Logan following a short illness of pneumonia. The deceased was twenty-five years of age and is survived by his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Logan by one brother Ernest of this city, and by two sisters Edith and Mary. The funeral took place this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. Rev. A. D. McLeod conducted the service. Interment was made at the Rural Cemetery. The deceased was a trainman on the C. G. R. and was well known and popular. Yesterday it was thought he was improving but he suffered a relapse.

Mr. S. DesBrisay of Petit Rocher is at the Barker House.

Mr. S. Douglass of Stanley is registered at the Barker House.

Mr. H. P. Faucher of Montreal is in the city today.

Mr. W. E. Sharpe of Pictou is at the Barker House.

Mr. J. Leonard McGregor of Montreal is at the Queen.

Mr. H. Bedlington of Toronto is in the city.

Conservation Recipes

The Women's Food Conservation Committee of Fredericton has issued an attractive book of "Conservation Recipes," which every house wife should have.

The book contains 35 pages and about 160 recipes, besides some very valuable and useful information.

The books will be offered for sale throughout the Province.

In Fredericton the stores of Jas. S. Neill, C. W. Hall and McMurray & Co. have them for sale.

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