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Service at 11 a m.

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11 a. m. and 7 p. m.—The pastor
Sunday, 10 a. m. Fellowship Service.
Monday evening Epworth League at 8 p. m.
Mark Everette Wright choir leader and Organist.

WIPE THEM OFF THE EARTH

The use of suffocating gases by the Germans has aroused the fighting blood of the British nation as has nothing else in this war—not even the ravishing of Belgium,—and is likely to have far reaching consequences. The British army is not going to submit tamely to asphyxiation, and the wind does not always blow from the German trenches. It has a habit of changing its direction. While it is not likely that the Allies will lower themselves to the position of beasts and common murderers, there is no doubt whatever that reprisals will be taken by the men, probably not under orders of their superiors. In a battle, when an emeny asks for quarter, it rests entirely with the ordinary combatants whether such quarter shall be given. Throughout this war it has never been refused. Now, however, sufficient cause has been given to complete the grim tragedy wherever opportunity offers, and the German vipers will be more severely dealt with in future by the rank and file than they have been in the past.

Canadians, especially, have occasion to wage a merciless war against the Hun, and they will do so. Sentimental or humanitarian considerations should no longer restrain their arms from the work of annihilation of a foe beyond the pale of consideration. Murderers, beasts and inhuman caricatures of mankind they should be wiped off the face of the earth from Kaiser to Kultur, in order to make room for a free air and free growth of christian brotherhood, uncontaminated by the beer soaked foetid breath of these emissaries of satan.

In the past the Allies have entertained a certain amount of sympathy with the German rank and file, believing that they were in a sense fighting under compulsion. Their acts throughout this war have shown this sympathy to have been misplaced. The rank and file of the German armies have proved themselves to be quite as inhuman as their brutal masters, and hereafter the Allies need have no more compunction in annihilating them, individually or collectively, than they would in destroying a nest of serpents or stamping out a pestilence.

War Tax on Cheques, Etc.

Enquiries having been received in regard to postage stamps being used for the prepayment of war duties on bank cheques, bills of exchange, promissory notes, express money orders, proprietary or patent medicines, perfumery, wines or champagne; as well as upon letters and postcards, postal notes and post office money orders, notice is hereby given that this use of postage stamps is in strict accordance with the provisions of the special War Revenue Act, 1915, which provides that postage stamps may be used in lieu of Inland Revenue War Stamps in fulfilment and discharge of any requirement under the Act that adhesive stamps be affixed.

The public is at liberty at all times to use postage stamps for any purpose for which Inland Revenue War Stamps may be used, but it is especially provided in the Act that Inland Revenue War Stamps are not to be used on letters, postcards, postal notes or post office money orders, the only stamps allowed on these being ordinary postage stamps or postage stamps upon which the words "War Tax" have been printed.

The Bugle Blast To Canada

Readers of the newspapers and followers of the course of the war must long ago have become convinced that the situation grows more and more intense and critical day by day. Great Britain is faced not alone by outside enemies, but by labor troubles and by lack of those immense internal resources in the matter of food production that Germany and Austria-Hungary possess. She cannot feed herself, and is compelled to rely largely on other countries for a supply of the necessaries of life. In such case the duty of her children is distinctly plain. It is noteworthy of her enemies that they are not only thoroughly united but that they are enduring with what fortitude they possess the rigid military enforcements that are placed upon them for the conservation both of food and material. Every man, woman and child, from the Kaiser down, have been put on rations. The idea is three-fold, to guard against any possible emergencies, to mislead the foe into over-confidence and by thoroughness to bring such pressure to bear as will hasten the final decision. Britain is pursuing the same course. She has not yet found it necessary to place her population individually on short rations, but she has found it desirable to take over munition factories in order to ensure supplies that mean either life or death to the nation. Meantime, Germany by cowardly submarine assassination is endeavoring to starve her people and cripple her resources.

With such a state of affairs existent it is hardly necessary to explain to stay-at-home Canadians how best they can fulfill their manifest duty and show the burden bearers how completely they possess their sympathy. But the bugle blast has its rallying power in peace as in war. To all the people, and to farmers, breeders and settlers in particular, the Patriotism and Production movement that is in progress is blowing its bugle, or, in other words, carrying its message. Its object is to arouse all and sundry to the part they are called on to play. That part does not of necessity mean harder work nor increased acreage; but it does imply in order to secure increased and improved production, by which alone cultivators of the soil can contribute towards the credit of the country and empire, the greatest care in the selection of seed, in the breeding of live-stock and in economy of the land.

Let's Hang The Kaiser

We say hear! hear! to the following which appeared in Beck's Weekly of last week:

The proper termination of this war is the execution of Kaiser Withelm and the execution or life imprisonment of the Crown Prince and probably of a number of other members of the Imperial family and the Junker aristocracy. It may be difficult to bring about, but this should be the aim and object of all the Allies' operations. The soft-hearted humanitarianism which during the last few centuries has absolved personal rulers from responsibility for the crimes which they have committed in war is not based upon Christianity or justice. It is the result mainly of the extensive inter-marriage of the reigning families, which has given every royal personage a set of relatives and defenders in every country in Europe. This inter-marriage system, we may confidently believe, is now dead. The progress of democracy and the growth of national consciousness will henceforth make it impossible for a nation such as the British to view with equanimity the tying up of its monarchy with an entangling web of "alliances" which are powerless to prevent warfare and effective only to prevent justice being done upon those who made the war.

The constitution of Germany is such as to make the Kaiser, by divine right, personally responsible for his country's action in precipitating the most murderous war in history, and that responsibility can be purged only by blood. Nor is the mere declaring of war the limit of responsibility resting on the Kaiser; he, and he alone, is the person on whom rests the blame for the assassination of unarmed and helpless civilians by his soldiers on land and his submarines at sea. In the case of the submarines there are the clearyst and most direct orders from headquarters, which the officers on board could not disobey without treason to their sovereign lord. It is not the captains who must be hanged; it is one "higher up."

In some kind of a stupor George Clemont, a middle-aged porter of the Butler House, Brantford, allowed his feet to get into the door of the hotel furnace Saturday night, and burn so badly that it will be necessary to amputate at least one of them. The most unbelievable part of the incident is that the unfortunate man did not seem to experience pain, and the discovery was made by the manager of the hotel, who was attracted to the basement by the smell of burning flesh. Manager Kirkpatrick found Clemont sitting asleep in the chair, with his feet in the fire and burning.

The Heroes of Langemarck

With the personal grief of these bereaved Canadians who have to mourn a husband, a son, a father or a lover, the public has no right to concern itself. The profoundest sympathy at such a moment, is that which is most silent. But apart from the irresistible anguish of personal affection, there should be no grief or lamentation over the sudden cutting off of these glorious lives. There is not a single hero of this terrible campaign of whom it is not true that he, being dead, yet speaketh. There is not one of them who, if his life had been prolonged for another forty years, could have done one-tenth as much for Canada, for civilization, for all that makes life great and noble upon this earth, as he did in those brief moments of sacrifice on the blood-stained fields of Belgium. There is no waste in a death like this. These men have baptized with their blood a nation which was in urgent need of such a consecration, and which will show itself worthy of it. Without sacrifice there is no true worship; without shedding of blood there is no remission. A nation is not aware that it has ideals until it has paid in the laying down of life for the cherishing of them. The men who died at Ypres died that Canada might live and Canada will live to do credit to them. They died as they would have desired to die. Instead of mourning over their death, Canadians should hold a solemn service of praise and rejoicing, and thank God that He has made us not unworthy of our forefathers.—Beck's Weekly.

Executors'
Notice To Creditors

In the matter of the estate of Richard Smith, late of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, in the Province of Ontario, farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Revised Statutes of Ontario, Chapter 121, Section 56, that all persons having any claims against the estate of the above named Richard Smith, who died on or about the 9th day of October, A. D. 1914, are required on or before the 1st day of June, 1915, to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned executors, their names, addresses and full particulars of their claims, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them, duly verified.

And take notice, that after the said 1st day of June 1915, the aforesaid executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the estate, or any part thereof to any persons of whose claim notice has not been received by the executors at the time of such distribution.

JOHN BOLAND, Markdale, Ontario.
PETER MUNSHAW, Eugenia Falls, Ontario, Executors.

By Browning & Wallace, their Solicitors herein.

Dated at Toronto this 29th day of March, A. D. 1915.

Inferior Lightning Rods

Again I wish to warn the farmers of Ontario against inferior lightning rods. One of the same companies that buncoed the farmers with iron centred rods last year is reported to be selling the same rod again this year. Watch out for them.

There is no difficulty in spotting these rods. The outside covering is a thin sheet of copper, Inside of the copper is a strip of galvanized steel or iron one half inch wide and two galvanized steel or iron wires about No. 10. The copper sheath is twisted around the strip and wires giving the rod a corrugated appearance. The steel or iron will rust out in from five to ten years. For photograph of what happened to a rod of this kind in less than eight years, see Figure 34, Bulletin 229, which may be had by writing the Department of Agriculture, at Toronto.

An Illinois firm is circularing the trade and others advocating the "Mast" Lightning Rod System. They declare that twisted cables are positively dangerous, claiming they act like "choke-coils," that tubes only should be used, that insulators must be used, etc. For concentrated essence of error these circulars surpass anything else I have seen.

Beware of the man with the iron-centred rod and the man who claims that twisted cables are dangerous. This Department will be glad to be informed regarding the operations of either.

Wm. H. Day,
Department of Physics,
O. A. C. Guelph.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Hydro-Electric Power Commission are closing the 10th Con. between Lot 28, Con. 11, and the 30th sideroad. Also the 30th sideroad, between the 10th Con. and the Blind Line, between the 9th and 10th Cons.

Fences have been put across the roads at these points, and any person removing such fences, and continuing to travel the sections of the road which are stated above as being closed, do so at their own risk.

A. D. WATTS, Resident Engineer.

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May 15

Dissolution of Partnership

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore susisting between us, the undersigned, as manufacturers of building material, also grain choppers, in the Village of Flesherton, in the County of Grey, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership, are to be paid to the aforesaid Wm. I. Henry at Flesherton, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Wm. I. Henry, by whom the same will be settled.

Dated at Flesherton, this 19th day of April, 1915.

Thos. A. Blakely.
Wm. I. Henry.

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