

GIVING SACRAMENT BEFORE THE BATTLE

Hundreds of Soldiers Gathered in Strange Solmen Scene Before Going Into Action

Lachlan Maclean Watt, the Highland mystic, preacher and chaplain, narrates his experience in giving the sacrament to Scottish soldiers preparing for action, and continues: It only needed the simplest words to seal that sacrament. And next morning, in the grey light, the men who had been touched by the thought of home and the dear ones there, and the big throbbing thought of consecration, were marching off to grip the very hand of death, in sacrifice, like Christ's, for others.

Amidst the Clatter So a rude communion table was made of boxes heaped together as our fathers would heap stones together in the moors. Covered with a white linen cloth, we laid upon that table the little chalice of silver, with the flagon of red wine, and the bread upon its platter, expecting eight men to partake. But the tent filled and hushed, and filled to overflowing; and even outside men stood and peered in through the seams. And we began, as ever, with the twenty-third psalm of consecrated memory. Again and again, and again, the chalice and platter came back for replenishing. Men raised their drooping heads and stretched out their hands for the sacred symbols.

Real Church Union Talk of your churches, your sects, your quarrelsome divisions! When men are face to face with the eternal, as we are out here, these things are as forgotten as the dust that blew last year over the remotest sand heap into the Atlantic. Brotherhood in the divine uplifting of a great imperial call, and the love of a uniting Christship, bind, as with a golden grille, all our hopes, our faiths, and fears and link them to the Highest.

CECIL ON THE BLOCKADE

Difficulties and Triumphs of Navalism Are Frankly Discussed

Interviewed by a Paris newspaper, Lord Robert Cecil, "Blockade Minister," said: "It is the intention of the allies to destroy Germany's commerce and cut off her food supplies from abroad. In my opinion we have already accomplished a great deal in this direction. We have absolutely paralyzed the German export trade, German credit abroad is rapidly sinking and her imports are decreasing."

LLOYD-GEORGE'S LIFE

Busy Minister of Munitions in New Quarters

He doesn't say as much as formerly, but there is no member of the Cabinet who puts in so many hours' work as Mr. Lloyd-George. He has removed with his personal staff from Whitehall Gardens to the offices of the Ministry of Munitions in Whitehall Place. These offices include the premises known as Armament Buildings, and those formerly occupied by the Hotel Metropole. Considerable alterations have been made inside the hotel, and luxury has given place to business furniture.

Bicycles, motor cars, and taxi cabs in Liverpool carry sleigh bells at night in order to warn pedestrians in the darkened streets. Special constables in Britain number 124,646, of whom there is a daily average of 16,851 on duty.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Lesson XI.—Second Quarter, For June 11, 1916.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Gal. vi. and 1 Cor. ii.—Memory Verses, 1 Cor. ii, 9, 10. Golden Text, 1 Cor. ii, 10.—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

As there is a prominent and all important line of truth running through both the lessons for today, we will consider both, and the heart of both seems to me to be the Spirit controlled life for those who are truly redeemed. We were recently studying a lesson concerning a long journey and a great council, all because of circumcision, and now we read that "in Christ Jesus neither circumcision availeth anything nor uncircumcision, but a new creature" (Gal. vi. 15).

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MEASLES NOT STOPPED

160th Battalion May Still be Held in Walkerton all Summer.

The epidemic of measles may yet keep the 160th Battalion in Walkerton all summer. Last week it was thought that the spread of the disease was staying but a few cases still keep cropping up. At time of going to press Lt-Col. Weir is in London consulting with the D.O.C. and until his return it will not be known how the District authorities feel about the proposition of taking the Battalion to London. In any case the Battalion will not leave until Monday, June 12th.—Walkerton Telescope.

CHANGE IN GAME LAWS

Upon the recommendation of the Minister of Public Works and Highways, an order in Council has been passed prohibiting the hunting, taking and killing of quail, Hungarian partridge and pheasants of any kind for a period of two years from October 14th 1916.

The Styx.

The Styx, according to Homer, the principal river of hell. It encircled the infernal regions seven times.

Simpleton.

A "simpleton" was once the honored term for a straightforward man, candid and "simple."

Profiles.

Profile likenesses are due to the vanity of a Roman emperor who had but one eye.

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THE WAY OF THE BRITISH

BY LILIAN BEVERIDGE

It isn't the way of the British. In the fight for country and king. On the fair, white field of their valor. The shadow of shame to bring. There isn't a lad in the army, There isn't a lad on the sea, Would dim the light of his honor By a deed of infamy.

It isn't the way of Britain To grasp with a greedy hand, And hold with a despot's power, Domain in a friendly land. But she fights for "a scrap of paper," She dies for "an old colored rag," When the one is her word of promise And the other her blood-stained flag.

It isn't the way of the British With ruthless hands of hate, The priceless things of a nation To plunder and desecrate. Nor against defenceless women And children their guns are turned; Nor 'gainst the weak and fallen— That isn't the way they've learned.

It isn't the way of the British To strike like the heathen hordes, To torture the hapless captives They take at point of their swords. That was never the way with Britain Her strength is the strength of ten. For her sons in her far-flung warfare Fight ever like gentlemen.

There were thirty or more of our gunners— It was but a week ago— Were called to a post of peril. In the path of the furious foe. It was certain death and they knew it; But the valor in each heart burn'd, "Good-by, good-by to you fellows!" They called—and never returned.

Again came the short, sharp summons And there dashed thru the sulphurous smoke, With the same farewell to comrades, While a wreath of smile outbroke. Thirty to follow the thirty; And the eager ranks closed in. That is the way of the British, That is the way they win.

This is the way of the British— In the strength of their righteous cause, Upheld by the hosts of heaven. They strike for their King and laws, From what do they shrink—our soldiers? They may lose, in the fearful fray Their lives, but never their honor, Who fight in the British way.

Then here's to the lads in the army, And here's to the lads on the sea; To the hands that are strong and steady, To the hearts that are true and free. Tho' long it be ere the dawning, It cometh at last—the day, When all that you've fought for, bled for, You shall win in the British way.

A RECITATION.

Professor—You're not enough of a militarist, Mr. Smythe Student Smythe—Why so, sir? Professor—Every time I call on you you're not prepared.—Michigan Gargoyle.

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TORONTO 6-8-3m ONTARIO

AUSTRALIAN VISITORS TELL OF ANTIPODEAN SPIRIT.

Amongst the visitors in town over the week-end were Dr. W. J. Cross and Mrs. Cross, of Melbourne, Australia, who came up on Saturday morning from Toronto to make a brief visit with Rev. and Mrs. J. Wallace Stewart at the First Methodist Parsonage. Dr. Cross, who is Mrs. Stewart's elder brother, graduated from the Toronto University with honors in 1879 and left the following year for Australia. For the past twenty years he has been largely interested in ranching and has been quite successful. This is his fourth visit to Canada in the past even years. Referring to war time conditions in the Antipodean Commonwealth, Dr. Cross states that the Australians appreciate the need of economy in the great struggle far beyond that displayed by Canadians. The sending of flowers to a funeral is regarded as little short of an outrage when so many of the Australian boys are dying in the trenches. Weddings are observed with the greatest simplicity and few people indulge in extravagances. There is a more serious

appreciation of the situation than is in evidence in Canada, and the Australian people are in the war with a whole souled determination to sink all to win. Dr. and Mrs. Cross left for Toronto Monday morning to spend a few days with another sister and son before the latter leaves for the training camp.—Owen Sound Times.

MR. GUTHRIE WAS MISSING

There are hundreds of English-speaking Catholics in South Wellington. The great majority of these vote regularly and faithfully for Mr. Hugh Guthrie. Bilingual schools, as conducted down to a few years ago, made it difficult for English speaking Catholics in many separate school districts to secure a decent education. It was against this condition that Bishop Fallon so vigorously protested. Apparently Mr. Guthrie was too loyal to his leader to vote against the Lapointe resolution.—Toronto News.

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