

TRICOLOR IN ALSACE AFTER LONG EXILE IT FLOATS THERE AGAIN.

French Hold Country to the Rhine—Germans Cannot Bear to Have it Known French Have Won It Back. London, Oct. 8.—The London Daily Mail's correspondent at Belfort, says: "I have spent to-day in Alsace, in conquered German territory, where the French flag is floating again after forty-four years of exile. For the French are in Alsace. There is nothing in front of them, and if they wish they can walk right through to the Rhine. The Germans try to make the world believe they hold Alsace still, for they cannot bear to have it known that the French have won their province back. But I have seen the French in thousands in Alsace, and well established, too—no well that the Germans have not dared to attack them for weeks. "It was due to the kindness of the military authorities that I was able to tour through the country. We left Belfort in the staff officer's motor car to make the round of the outposts. It is no wonder the Germans have preferred to try an easier way into France than these frontier fortresses, because although Belfort is strong, yet the others—Egnal, Verdun, Nancy and Toul—are little less formidable. You have to watch a Frenchman's face as he looks at the tricolor floating in Alsace to realize what it means to him. He has regained that lost province after forty-four years of bitter waiting—to have Alsace again. Already French soldiers are repainting names on sign posts."

MADE EMPEROR LAUGH. Captive French General Made Mere King Wait.

Chicago, Oct. 7.—The Chicago Daily News prints the following as a cable despatch from Berlin: "An interview in a railway station between the Kaiser and a captured French general, while the King of Bavaria waited, is the substance of a story told by a wounded cavalry sergeant on sick leave. "In the transport in which we were being sent home," the sergeant said, "there were also French prisoners, and among these a captured general who had at one time been military attache at Berlin. The train stopped at the station where the Kaiser was expected to meet the King of Bavaria. "As the Kaiser came down the platform, the general among the prisoners, after much argument, managed to get an officer to take his card to the emperor. When he saw the name the Kaiser ordered the prisoner brought to him and a long conversation between them followed. They talked for fifteen minutes, and the Kaiser laughed aloud several times. I have never seen him laugh before—smile, yes; but laugh never. "I tell you, gentlemen," the entire compartment was listening to his story by this time, "that was an interesting picture—the Kaiser looking up at the great Frenchman—he was one of those tall, handsome, black haired fellows, and you know that our Kaiser is not a tall man—and down at the end of the platform the King of Bavaria was waiting for the Kaiser. And you know that it is very exceptional for the Kaiser to speak to any one for more than four or five minutes; and he talked to this man for all of a quarter of an hour."

Many a good story has been spoiled by sticking to facts.

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COL. LOWTHER'S LETTER. Wounded Officer on German Waste of Ammunition.

Ottawa, Oct. 8.—Col. H. C. Lowther, former military secretary to H. R.H., the Duke of Connaught and as such well-known to Canadians, is recovering from the wound received in recent fighting in France, according to a letter received by a friend, Thomas MacKarell, of this city, from Col. Lowther. This news will be received with interest in the Dominion. The letter is as follows: "American Ambulance, Neuilly, Seine, Paris. "My dear MacKarell,—Thank you so much for your cable and for the kind thought which prompted you to send it. It reached me here from the war office by post last night. "I'm glad to say my wound is not very serious. If the bit of shell had gone straight in, it would have been all up with E.C.L., but it had the tact to travel six inches under the skin and was resting on my breastbone, when it was comfortably extracted three days later. I rather fancy there may still be something in there, as it doesn't heal in a hurry. "This has been the biggest battle in the world's history, I should judge both as to extent and as to numbers engaged. It began on the 13th of September, and the shelling has been pretty well continuous ever since. I don't know where the Germans get their supply of shell from, as they shoot continuously at everything and at nothing. They bombarded three miles of a road we were not using throughout the whole of one night. It is very gratifying to find that, man for man, our soldiers are infinitely better than the German. I wish we had 500,000 of them, then the war would soon be over. Ottawa will be a dull city this winter, as I suppose most of one's young and able-bodied friends will be with the contingent. I hope the golf was O.K. this year. Mine was patchy, but better at times. "Please remember me to all friends. "Yours sincerely, "H. C. LOWTHER."

A "REAL NICE" PRINCE. A Characteristic Story of Germany's King-to-Be

London, Oct. 8.—The Standard's Paris correspondent says the story told by Baroness de Bays of the manner in which the German Crown Prince conducted himself while at her chateau may be compared to the experiences of a wealthy resident of Epernay. "This man last year," the correspondent says, "happened to be brought into contact with the crown prince at Biarritz. Countless and even friendly relations were established, little presents passed between them and they parted with mutual invitations and the impression on the part of the Frenchman that the prince was a much maligned individual. When the invader arrived in France the crown prince showed he had not forgotten his old acquaintances and with an imposing escort presented himself at his house. The Frenchman said: 'You understand there can be nothing between you and me.' This so enraged the prince that he immediately ordered the house to be sacked, which was conscientiously done by the headquarters staff, who looted everything."

PRESENT KAISER UNCROWNED. William II. Sought Ceremony in Westminster Abbey.

Paris, Oct. 8.—A despatch to the Temps from Petrograd says: "Following the admission of Jewish officers to the army and navy, the Kaiser is about to announce other important restrictions against the Jewish community and give them equal rights with other citizens. "Liberal measures on behalf of the Poles are also being prepared."

LIÈGE DEFENDER RECOVERING. Cured of Wounds But Still Suffering From Gas.

London, Oct. 8.—Miss Marguerite Leman, daughter of General Leman, the defender of Liège, has received word according to an Ostend despatch that her father, who is now at Magdeburg, has been cured of the wounds he sustained from shrapnel during the German bombardment. He still suffers, however, from the effects of inhaling the poisonous gas given off by the puffs of the shells.

Notes Of Interest. The official Census and Statistics Monthly estimates the hay crop for all Canada this year at 4,206,000 tons, as compared with 10,350,000 in 1913. The Ontario crop for this year is high prices are justified by the facts. The seed commission's branch of the dominion department of agriculture estimates the crop of alfalfa seed in Ontario this year at not more than twenty to twenty-five per cent. of last year. Because of the failure of last spring's seeding a poor crop is expected next year as well. A correspondent of the Bureau of Industries says that many foreigners, lately employed in Brantford industries, are now working on farms in the neighborhood. In other parts of the province farmers are "changing work" and using more machinery and thus getting along with less help. The latest census and crop bulletin from Ottawa tells of the shrinkage of crops in the west as a result of drought. But this has been a serious affair only in part of the west as shown by the fact that there has been estimated to be over 1,600,000 acres which was planted but which yielded no crop whatever. This reduction was from land sown to wheat, oats, barley and corn, and was divided as follows: 728,100 acres of wheat, 753,000 acres of oats, 102,000 acres of barley and 79,000 acres of flax. Never add to your own comfort by making your appearance displeasing to others. Keep your tongue behind your teeth, when you cannot bite.

\$5,000,000,000 INDEMNITY. What Germany Must Pay If Allies Win Completely.

Paris, Oct. 8.—Yves Guyot, a political economist, declared at a meeting of the Political Economy Society, that a six months' war would involve a total loss to the world of \$5,000,000,000 francs (\$17,000,000,000).

Paul Leroy-Beaulieu, another writer on political economy, estimated the amount of the loans that would be necessary on account of the war at the conclusion of peace at 35,000,000,000 to 40,000,000,000 francs (\$7,000,000,000 to \$8,000,000,000).

He estimated the indemnity which Germany would be required to pay, in case the allies should win completely, at from 20,000,000,000 to 25,000,000,000 francs (\$4,000,000,000 to \$5,000,000,000).

ONTARIO WOMEN SAFE. Those Held Up in Germany Have Arrived in London.

London, Oct. 8.—The following ladies, who have been held up in Germany since the war opened, reached London yesterday. Mrs. Bratt, Toronto, and Miss Colquhoun, Hamilton, Tsur and Blanche, of Port Hope. They report having been civilly treated during their enforced detention, but things were uncomfortable for them when they came to the end of their resources. It was with difficulty communication was established with them from London, money eventually being despatched through a lady resident in Berns, who kindly wrote friends in London informing them of their plight.

BALK GERARD'S EFFORTS. Germans Impose Obstacles to Release of English Refugees.

London, Oct. 8.—The American ambassador at Berlin is working night and day to induce the German foreign office to permit British subjects who have passed the age of fighting to leave Germany in exchange for similar courtesy here. But there is a hitch in the negotiations as the Germans are asserting that forty-five is the age limit of combatants, whereas Ambassador Gerard understands that thousands of men between twenty fifty and sixty are fighting in the German ranks.

FREEDOM IN RUSSIA. Greater Liberties Given to Jews and Poles.

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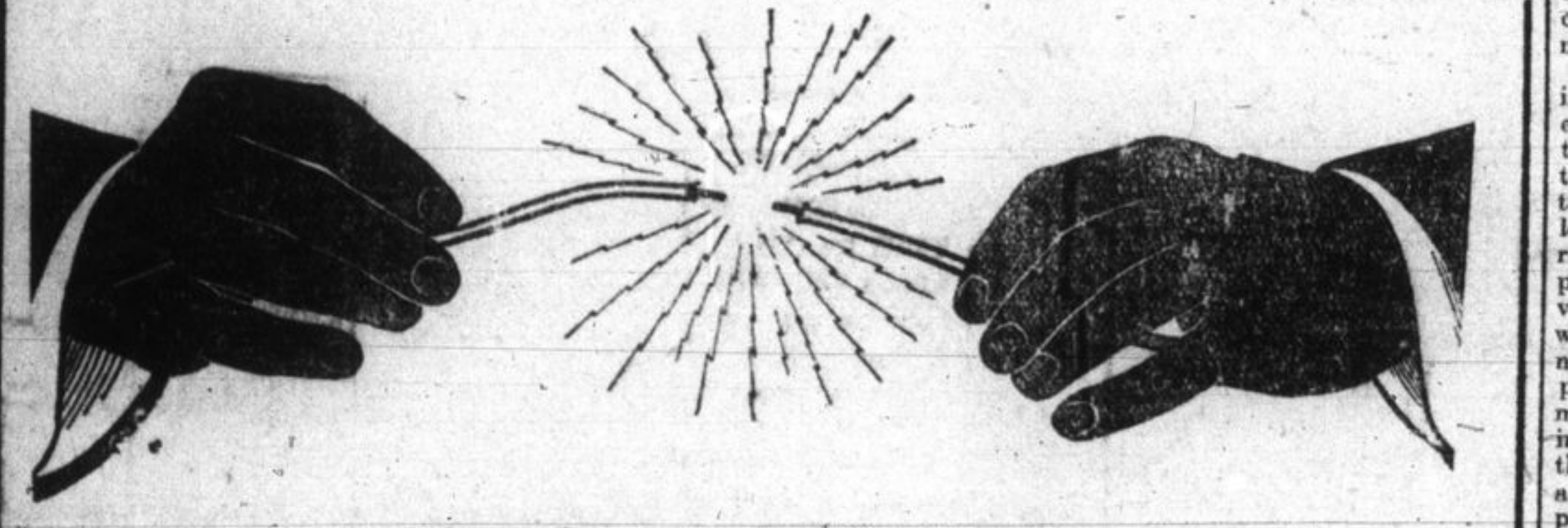
Chance For Rifle Shooting. With the approach of unfavorable weather conditions, when training in rifle shooting will be impossible out of doors, officers commanding units of the active militia, captains of rifle clubs and principals of cadet corps are reminded of the facilities afforded in the use of the Eddale gallery for indoor shooting. In view of the outstanding importance of training in the use of the rifle at the present time, attention is directed to the general order of the militia department requesting officers to take the necessary steps to ensure that these targets are made use of more generally. The regulation reads as follows: "Eddale targets may be issued on the approval of the officer commanding divisions or districts to militia units and cadet corps in the proportion of one target to each unit of forty members or less. Units using these machines may draw free of charge one roll of paper targets annually for each five members."

Thoughts are Sparks—flashes of the mind that decide for success or failure. The question is, what kind of sparks does your brain generate?

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Large advertisement for "Careful, Cautious and Canny" featuring a man in a suit and text about business and war.

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Advertisement for Mott's "Elite" Chocolate, featuring a box of chocolate and text about its quality.

Advertisement for "Easy & Practical Home Dress Making Lessons" by Pictorial Review, featuring a woman in a dress.

Advertisement for a "SOFT SILK FROCK" by Pictorial Review, featuring a woman in a long dress and detailed instructions for making it.

Advertisement for R. J. Reid, a leading undertaker, featuring a casket and text about funeral services.

Advertisement for BUILDERS!! Have You Tried GYPSUM WALL PLASTER? It Saves Time. P. WALSH, Barrack Street.

Advertisement for FURNITURE PARLOR, MUSIC AND CHINA CABINETS, featuring a table and text about furniture prices.

Advertisement for R. J. REID, Leading Undertaker, Phone 577, featuring a casket and text about funeral services.

Advertisement for DAVID HALL, 66 Brock St., Phone 235, Res. 306, featuring a man in a suit and text about clothing and services.