

KAISER NO LONGER THE PEOPLE'S IDOL

Popularity Has Waned Because of the Failure of German Diplomacy.

London, Feb. 16.—A neutral observer, who has just completed a journey through Germany and Austria, writing in the Times his impressions of a visit to Berlin, says: "The open criticism of German diplomacy by all classes seemed to be extraordinary. That the haute finance time in order to call in loans rankles was not informed of the English point in their minds. That the country was not advised of the war in due time, or was falsely advised, is felt bitterly in fact, German diplomats are in such disrepute at the present moment that I heard more than one person declare: 'We will have no diplomatic peace, and I know that the great industrial, banking and commercial men in Germany expect to be consulted should the occasion arise.'"

"For not a man of Germany but believes that the end will be favorable; but strangely enough one hears little talk of victory, little boasting over the progress of the German arms, and, stranger still to a foreigner, the emperor's name rarely, if ever, figures in conversation. In point of popularity with the people he ranks about fifth. "Hindenburg is, of course, the national hero, though among the well informed his chief of staff, Ludendorff, is given credit for these victories. Next comes the crown prince and nothing could attest to his rising fame more strikingly than the fact that his name is mentioned in a Kaiser have practically disappeared, all officers having cut theirs to the toothbrush style worn by the heir apparent to the imperial throne. After him, and running a close third, comes Zepelin, the map who has made England shiver, and shake with fear and mope about the dark, to the delight of all Berliners; then Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, and the Crown Prince of Wurtemberg, both having proved themselves great military leaders; then the Kaiser."

War Tidings. Emperor William, now at eastern battle front, has abandoned his proposed visit to Lodi because of fears that he might contract the disease. The Princess Patricia, after a strenuous time, alternating between the trenches and the dugouts, will be given a respite from the rigors of the firing line. Holland has protested to Germany and Britain in regard to the war zone and the flying of neutral flags. There is a growing belief in London that Germany will flout America in refusing to accede to the latest United States note. In France the number of deaths from illness are less than from wounds, which is said to be contrary to previous experience.

Parceling Out the Thrones

Toronto Star. A story from Germany says that in the event of a German victory in the war the Kaiser has offered the British throne to Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria. He is the direct descendant of Henrietta Maria, a daughter of Charles I., and thus represents the Stuarts. It may seem rather generous of the Kaiser to make so handsome a promise to a young prince of Bavaria, when he has so many younger sons of his own in need of thrones. We had supposed that he would give the crown Prince the enlarged Germany that would result from the war—that is to say, the German empire of to-day, with Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland, and part of France, including Calais. That is the way we figured he would, as a generous father, provide for his oldest son in the event of winning in this great war. What we fancied was that he would place his second son on the British throne, his third on the throne of France, while for the fourth he would set up a new throne at Washington where he could rule over the United States, Canada and Mexico. The Kaiser has the name of being a good husband and a devoted father, and he would wish to do well by his boys. This story from Germany that he would pass over his crown to a young Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, we are inclined to think, must be an unfounded rumor, unless, of course, the Kaiser foresees that he will not have any thrones to give away except his own, and would rather make empty promises to outsiders than to members of his own household. What a little time young Rupprecht would have on the British throne! But since he has been promised preferment, how would he like to be chosen by the powers of Europe to succeed the present unsuitable king of Prussia?

Parliamentary Tidings. The House of Commons has passed a resolution that the Government should take steps to ensure that the public health is not endangered by the sale of foodstuffs. The resolution was passed by a majority of 100. The Government has also announced that it will introduce a bill to amend the Food and Drugs Act, 1906, so as to give the Board of Health power to prohibit the sale of foodstuffs which are found to be injurious to health. The bill is expected to be introduced in the next few days.

The Joy of Good Health Is Now Experienced

Nervousness, Dizzy Spells and Sleeplessness Are Now a Thing of the Past.

This is a cheerful letter from Mrs. Peacock, and it should bring joy to the heart of many a reader of this paper. Dizzy spells and sleeplessness are symptoms of exhausted nerves, and are the bug-bear of many women, who do not know just what treatment to use. You can read Mrs. Peacock's letter and take courage for she has proven that Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is a complete cure for these troubles. So pleased was she with the results obtained that she wants other women to know about this food cure. Mrs. Thomas Peacock, 21 Havathia street, St. Thomas, Ont., and whose

THIS WOMAN WAS VERY UNHAPPY

Physically and Mentally Worn Out—Tells How Nervous and Crying Spells Were Ended by Vinol.

Monmouth, Ill.—"I was weak, worn-out and nervous. I had no appetite and was getting so thin and discouraged, one day I just broke down and cried when a friend came in and asked me what was the matter. I told of my condition and how nothing I took seemed to do me any good. Vinol was suggested. I got a bottle and before it was half gone I could eat and sleep well. I continued its use and now my friends say I look ten years younger, and I am well, healthy and strong. I wish I could induce every tired-out, worn-out, nervous woman to take Vinol."—Mrs. HARRIET GALE, Monmouth, Ill.

"There are many over-worked, tired-out, careworn, nervous women in this vicinity who need the strengthening, tissue building, and vitalizing effects of Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, and so sure are we that it will build them up and make them strong that we offer to return their money if it fails to benefit.

Vinol is a delicious preparation of the extract of cod liver oil and peptonate of iron and contains no oil. Geo. W. Mahood, druggist, Kingston, Ont.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

The Prices Paid At the Various Centres.

Toronto, Feb. 15.—Butchers' cattle, good, \$7.00 to \$7.40; butchers' cattle, medium, \$6.35 to \$6.60; butchers' cattle, common, \$5.80 to \$6.10; butchers' bulls, choice, \$6.50 to \$6.75; butchers' good bulls, \$6.25 to \$6.55; butchers' rough bulls, \$5.90 to \$5.75; butchers' cows, choice, \$6.00 to \$6.40 butchers' cows, medium, \$5.00 to \$5.60; butchers' cows, common, \$4.25 to \$4.50; feeders, good, \$6.00 to \$6.60; feeders, rough, \$5.25 to \$6; stockers, 700 to 1,000 lbs., \$6.00 to \$6.65; canners and cutters, \$5.75 to \$4.75; milkers, choice, each, \$75.00 to \$90.00; milkers, common and medium each, \$35.00 to \$45.00; stringers, \$50.00 to \$65.00; light ewes, \$3.25 to \$6.25; light ewes, heavy, \$4.00 to \$4.50; light ewes, bucks, \$3.75 to \$4.25; lambs, \$6.25 to \$9.00; calves, \$4.50 to \$10.75; hogs, fed and watered, \$7.60; hogs, off cars, \$7.85; hogs, f. o. b., \$7.25.

Montreal Live Stock.

Montreal, Feb. 15.—Wet weather and the near approach of Lent caused a slow market and somewhat lower prices for cattle and hogs, but lambs were higher, at the West End Cattle Market to-day. Receipts: Cattle, 1,100; calves, sheep, 50; lambs, 80 to 85; 200; sheep and lambs, 200; hogs, 2,150. Prime beefs, 7 1/2 c to 7 3/4 c; medium, 5 3/4 c to 7 c; common, 4 1/2 c to 5 1/4 c. calves, 5c to 3 1/2 c. Hogs, 8 1/4 c to 8 1/2 c.

Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, Feb. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; irregular; prime steers, \$8 to \$8.25; shipping, \$7.25 to \$7.85; butchers, \$6 to \$8; heifers, \$5.25 to \$7.50; cows, \$3.75 to \$6.50; bulls, \$4.50 to \$7. Veals—Receipts, 300; active and steady; \$4 to \$12.50. Hogs—Receipts, 8,000; active; heavy, \$7.25 to \$7.35; mixed, \$7.35 to \$7.50; yorkers and pigs, \$7.50 to \$7.75; roughs, \$6 to \$6.25; stags, \$5 to \$5.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 4,400; active; sheep steady; lambs, \$5 to \$5.15; yearlings, \$5 to \$8; wethers, \$7 to \$7.25; ewes, \$3.50 to \$6.70; sheep, mixed, \$6.75 to \$7.

Chicago Live Stock

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Cattle—Receipts 23,000; market weak; native, \$5.40 to \$6.60; western steers, \$4.75 to \$7.25; cows and heifers, \$3.20 to \$7.65; calves, \$7 to \$10. Hogs—Receipts, 50,000; market slow; light, \$6.60 to \$6.95; mixed, \$6.55 to \$6.90; heavy, \$6.45 to \$6.85; rough, \$6.45 to \$6.55; pigs, \$5.50 to \$6.80; bulk of sales, 6.75 to \$6.85. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 11,000; market steady; sheep, \$6.25 to \$7; yearlings, \$7.25 to \$7.75; lambs, native, \$7 to \$8.50.

Italy has demanded and obtained from Germany and Austria their assurances that they will not attack Roumania. The Russians are fortifying Czernowitz, capital of Bukovina. The bridges over the Sereth River have been blown up. It is said British submarines are operating in the Baltic Sea.

IROQUOIS CLUB MEMBERS HOLD BANQUET AT HUB

Watertown and Kingston Men Have Programme of Toasts—Pappa Toastmaster.

Watertown, N. Y., Feb. 16.—Fifty members of the Iroquois Clubs of Watertown and Kingston, Ont., attended the annual banquet of the Watertown organization held last evening at the Arcade Hub.

Thomas L. Pappa, for years an officer of the club, presided as toastmaster. He first called upon John F. Quirk, president of the club, who gave the address of welcome. "Braves as I See Them," was the topic assigned to William B. Donovan. Ralph E. Sanford, Syracuse, made a brief address, telling of Syracuse when it was the meeting of the Onondaga tribe of the Iroquois. Thomas F. Hayes told a humorous anecdote which concerned several members of the club.

Joseph E. Bourcy gave a humorous recitation and J. Barrett, president of the Kingston, Ont., branch of the club, told of the progress made by the junior organization across the border.

NEWS OF DISTRICT

What Is Found In The District Exchanges

Renfrew has provided ninety-three men for the various contingents. A. G. Shaw, Perth, is to succeed the late E. G. Malloch as county crown attorney.

John A. McIntyre, Brockville, died, on Friday, after an illness of only a few days, aged sixty-eight years. There are 800 war prisoners at Potawawa. They are quiet but trouble may come in the spring.

Rev. Father E. Cornell, a native of Carleton Place, has been appointed rector of St. Joseph's church, Ottawa. Nine cases of typhoid fever have been registered at Brockville since Saturday, making a total to date of 169.

The death of Michael McDermott occurred at Prescott, on Tuesday, Mr. McDermott was in his eighty-third year. The Dickson Bridge Works company Campbellford, has been awarded a contract for 25,000 shrapnel shells.

Frederick Myles, Lyndhurst, died at Brockville on Sunday. He was an Englishman, his parents residing in England. E. E. Easton, Brockville, died on Sunday of typhoid fever, aged forty-five years. He was engineer at the electric light plant.

Lennox and Addington council refused to add the Tamworth combination school to its list of high schools to be maintained. Mrs. Eliza Grant, widow of John Allan Grant, passed away on Friday, at the residence of her son-in-law, Syrenus Cole, Row's Corners.

Estella, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harris, was united in matrimony to William J. O'Leary, Belleville, on Feb. 15th. A break was found in the Brockville intake pipe, likely caused by the dropping of an anchor. It is a hole eighteen inches long by six inches wide.

Rev. A. R. Sanderson, West Belleville Methodist church, has received a hearty invitation to become the pastor of the Methodist church, Campbellford. Mrs. Patriek Nolan, Brockville, died on Sunday following a brief illness. She was sixty-three years of age. Three daughters and two sons survive.

Peter Little, an aged man, died Thursday, in Thurlow township. Deceased, who was eighty-seven years of age, was born in Thurlow and resided there all his life. On Feb. 10th, at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. Edwin Crowell, D.D., St. John, N.B., Miss Katherine Mary J. Gibbs, Trethomas, England, was married to John Bullinger, Belleville.

Allan Gilmour, Brockville, who has been very ill with typhoid fever in Toronto, is reported to be in a very serious condition. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gilmour, are at his bedside. William Barber, formerly janitor of the village opera house, Alexandria Bay, was convicted of an attempted criminal assault on Esther L. Constantine, aged about eleven years.

The late E. G. Malloch, K.C., Perth, left an estate valued at \$179,783.73, and is all left to his adopted daughter, Kathleen Hamilton Sharpe White Plains, N.Y., who is made sole executrix.

On Jan. 30th, the death occurred at Victoria, B.C., of Melissa Jane Gayow, aged seventy-nine years. She deceased was born in Bloomfield, Ont., and was the daughter of Cornelius Bowerman.

Marion Lodge, I.O.O.F., Renfrew, honored one of its members, J. H. Walford on Monday. Mr. Walford was presented with a beaver coat and an address in recognition of his thirty-nine years service to the lodge.

There are three cases of typhoid fever in Prescott. The victims are Miss Lena Bonnard, Miss Belyea and Mrs. W. Peterson. There are also four cases of scarlet fever. An analysis of the water showed decided contamination.

The government has issued public notice to mariners entering the ports of Halifax, Quebec or Esquimaux that in view of war conditions arrangements have been made for the taking whenever necessary of special measures to examine all vessels before entering these ports.

In the last six months the contracts department of the militia department has been making supplies to the value of \$12,500,000 for the Canadian forces, besides harness, saddlery, blankets, etc. for British and foreign governments to the value of \$6,400,000.

At Hammond, N.Y., 800 on Monday did business estimated at \$50,000. The town hall, W. A. Laird's store, and the Advertiser printing building, conducted by W. A. Burton, were reduced to ruins.

New Name of FRONTENAC Christmas Bock

Never in the history of beer has man been confronted with so troublesome and elusive a problem as the selection of a name for Frontenac Christmas Bock. Hundreds of names have been submitted that are, each one, nearly suitable but the right name is still a matter of controversy and consideration by our Name Committee.

When you remember that the name chosen must describe in as terse a manner as possible the many delightful qualities of the beer while at the same time preserving the association of the name of Frontenac—which, after all, is the stamp of quality of all good beer—the choice of a short name seems almost like invoking a miracle. The name must sum up the delights, the sparkling effect, the food-like taste, the pleasing clear brown color, the strength of FRONTENAC BOCK. These are some of the points the committee are now considering—and the task is no easy one. It will take some days yet to come to a decision and for that length of time we ask the indulgence of competitors.

Meantime remember that FRONTENAC CHRISTMAS BOCK is still on sale at all dealers. Try it today—realize the thrill of satisfaction this delightful beer sends vibrating through every fibre of your body, realize the vital force it gives you, the solid resistance against cold and wet. FRONTENAC CHRISTMAS BOCK has been brewed especially for Canadian weather.



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