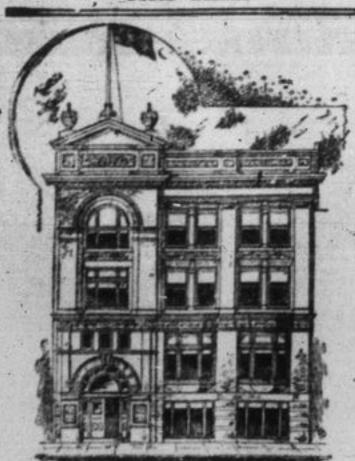
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WORK FOR REQUITTED. The women of England are not to be licensed by the Church of England to preach. A rumor to that effect has been disposed of by the Bishop of London. He writes to the English press to say that he and the Bishop

Asquith, are not for the present to tary hero. be given the franchise. Special pro- Called to the general command of that has heretofore been done by including the soldiers and sailors at superiors have been displaced, when any age, but the extension of the royalty itself has been swept aside, franchise farther was not contem- what can be accomplished? The plated, as it might open up a contro- military critics of the Times and versial issue, and this was not desir- Post-Standard are agreed that ed during the war.

In other words, the men, because great name. But what? of their duty to the empire, are to be to be a satisfying argument.

the proposition during the war.

this cutting language?

A TALK ABOUT LEADERS.

the liberal leadership in a recent ar- stand a little revising. ticle in the Canadian Courier. He does not accept as probable the report that Mr. Rowell is going to Ottawa to serve in the House of Com-Wilfrid Laurier.

. He says it is assumed by the libe- made, and the match applied. rals of the federal house that there will be a new and liberal government will succeed him in office. He would for this year. like an able and popular man like Mr. Rowell in his government, but Will the Prohibition Act be renot as his lieutenant. So thinks Mr. pealed at the next session of the their next gigantic effort in an as- in England in order that Mr. Sothern King. He is not, of course, in the legislature? Perhaps. Some pro- sault upon Bucharest to destroy the may act again for charitable pursecrets of the liberal party. He has mise to that effect appears to have Rumanian armies they would indeed poses for the British Red Cross. been given to understand that out-been made to conservative members side of Mr. Graham no one is anxious of the house, and it has put a check, for the leadership, and Mr. Graham, for the time being, upon the formaan Ontario man, has won his place tion of a third party. and the preference he has been shown by Sir Wilfrid.

which has been going the rounds, wreck itself. He thinks the memand putting Mr. Dewart in his place, the people to the point of rebellion and the liberals in the legislature, Hal is away off. As a prophet he is who have something to say about not winning the confidence of his this matter, have not thus far been countrymen.

ably, or altogether, changed.

AN IRRITATING SERMON.

Sunday evening it will be quite in had been allowed to do it: order for any pastor who vacates his pulpit, as a compliment or favor to another, to insist that the sentiments of the visitor shall not be antagonistic of the sentiments which his was a formidable force. He was a hearers are believed to entertain.

One can scarcely assume that any American preacher can be so confused on public issues as to fail, lamentably, to express the minds of the people among whom he has worked. is revealed in the press, If Dr. Easton be correctly reported he did not explain the position of the United States, or Britain, or France, or THE BRITISH WHIG PUBLISHING Russia, or any other country in the war. His was a miserable jumble of

Britain's place in the war need not defined. It is known to every reading Canadian. France's place, 229 and Russia's, and Germany's, the place of the Triple Entente and the Triple Alliance, have been pretty One year, delivered in city\$6.00 well discussed, and it is not neces-One year, by mail to rural offices .\$2.50 preacher, though a graduate of Quite a Queen's, to come to Kingston and at-

Attached is one of the best job printing offices in Canada. this kind, at least until after the war, with big guns. since public feeling is not calculated to stand the strain which they im-

> party. Another evidence that in the next election the racial and religious cry will be the principal one.

HEADING FOR CALAIS.

From two sources, the New York of Chelmsford were quite willing that Times and the Syracuse Post-Standthe women should assist in a certain ard, one gets a new view of the Von mission, but that their lordships did Hindenberg campaign. He is renot imply that the women were to garded as Germany's greatest warassume any functions of the priest- rior. His reputation is peculiarly his own. His is a record that, in The women, too, according to Mr. some respects, stamps him as a mili

vision has been made for an up-to- the German army, when the outlook patriotic citizens at their own exdate registration of the male voters, is dark and lowering, when his pense. must do something worthy of his

Make a new drive westward and sport they can't excel in? enfranchised specially, but the wo- towards Calais? His aim may be to men because of their extraordinary alarm, if not defeat, Great Britain, service are to cultivate still more the whose army and navy have done so virtue of patience. It does not seem much to destroy Teutonic prestige. Lloyd-George goes out of his way, sors in command have done, but he tion which was intended to restrict wipe it off the statute book. It is tion of ancient, honorable and accepas a minister of war, to pay high tri- must try again, and by a tremendous Sincere and disinterested lovers of In a month from now, if the law as led up with anything except automobute to the women for the efficiency effort-perhaps the last, great and the turf may have to face a harder it stands on the statute books is bile wheels, dragging differentials of their service at a critical time, herculean effort—strike for the one battle if racing again becomes an rigidly enforced, the transportation and profane tourists. It would seem They have met every expectation of point, where, with success, he could issue in Parliament. the state, but they cannot vote, and revive the drooping spirits of the it is not expedient to even consider Germans and depress, correspondingly, the spirits of the Allies.

The articles which amplify this What is the matter with the Ot- phase of the European situation will tawa Journal that it should refer to appear in another column, and will the government it supports as "fore- be read with profound interest. They flush democrats," on the recruiting were written, of course, before Gen. question? Something has touched Haig made his last great and suc- anoque Fair. our contemporary in a very tender cessful attack on the German lines spot. It wants conscription, but they over Sunday and Monday, and drove back the Teutons who are operating under the very eye and inspira-Tom King, the Ottawa correspond- view of this experience, the proent of the Toronto World, discusses pheey of our contemporaries will

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Get ready for an election in Ontario. That is the advice sent out mons and as the successor to Sir from Toronto, and it is the centre Syracuse Post-Standard, where the political ammunition is

Hal Donly, in the Simcoe Reform-All this is a summary of the gossip er, thinks the Prohibition Act will and about the men of the hour. The bers of the government would be conservatives, by the way, have for chumps if they did not enforce it some time been retiring Mr. Rowell vigorously, and in that way stir up

On May 17th Sir Robert Borden Murmurings of revolt in the con announced that as the question of the servative party are heard from To- efficiency of the Ross rifle had been ronto. The ministers who would full raised the government would leave others to sleep, as they have been it to the judgment of the commanderlulled to sleep themselves, with the in-chief whether the rifle was fit or assurance that "all's right with the not. Approximately- three months take. All will be right with the gov- the Ross rifle was being scrapped hath made us dumb, Come, gentle Fall, imperial Autumn, come! ernment when it has been consider-land the Lee-Enfield substituted. Sir Douglas Haig evidently required only

The church cannot ask visiting rifle our men had been using two would keep open the way to Conclergymen to submit their sermons, years ago was not up to the mark. stantinopie, they would will new or the outlines of them, for such The conclusion is obvious that the would not end the war. The Gercensorship as the occasions warrant. Ross rifle would have been discarded man press wants a "decisive battle." But after a certain experience on long ago if the commander-in-chief The German people want a victory

> The London Free Press is displayferred to as a "disarmed ass." He hero, Hindenburg. and called bor names. The conservative party will get along without

Zaimis Act Meanwhile. (Port Arthur Chronicle) The Crown Prince of Greece

(St. Thomas Times)

get the throne, but Venizelos give the orders. Insincerity.

Quite a Celebration (London Free Press) of the German military staff by a this is as it appears. Let us have no more sermons of capture of 15,000 Austro-Germans,

Hush Up, You.

(Hamilton Spectator) The ghost of Louis Reil is being of the day. Perhaps an appropriate cannot, in face of opinion at home. called up in the political squabbles air for its performance would be that remain entirely on the defensive. of Quebec, and by the conservative of the girl "with a naughty little Somewhere an effort must be made. twinkle in her eye."

Cut Out The Bar.

(Ottawa Citizen) latter is a department of the hotel Calais might. business that might well be restrict-

. The Object Of It All.

(Toronto Globe) The "active campaign" for more recruits inaugurated at Ottawa seems to consist for the most part of ap pointing men on salary to do work

New Yellow Peril. (New York Sun.) The Japanese are formidable or the baseball field, and on the wrest ling mat they hold their own against all comers. The sensation of this season is their prowess on the tennis

Too Much Of It. (Toronto News)

Is Ontario to be a continuous refuge for race track gamblers from all we have almost continuous racing.

25 YEARS AGO

day on the steamer Maud for a tour of the islands. A big crowd from Wolfe Island took in the trip. C. H. Corbett and a party of Naptich of Von Hindeberg. Perhaps, in anee sportsmen are hunting at Varty

AMERICAN IDEAS OF GERMAN DRIVE

There are reports that the new chief, of staff proposes to give his first attention to the punishment There are whisperings with regard be, for Rumania threatens more than to the municipal election already. Hungary. She is a menace to the after the next election. Sir Wilfrid Candidates for the mayoralty are be- Bulgarian alliance. The Central will be premier again. But he is ading discussed, and also the possibility Powers must keep their Balkan ally
in good humor lest he decide to revancing in years and will be inter- of peace being continued in the coun- pudfate his alliance. With the Saested in the choice of someone who cil. There has been a kind of truce lonika armies keeping his troops octivities at the Danube.

three months to find out that the cement Bulgarian friendship, they stantinople, they would win new that gives promise of peace. That the able Falkenhayn failed to accomplish this-at Verdun-is the assumed reason for his dismissal ing its ingratitude. Bourassa is re- and the elevation of the popular

The decisive battles of the war man to be courted and feted and The objective of the German armies fawned upon when Nationalism was there, ever since the battle of the at its height. Now he is despised Marne, has been Calais. If the Gerare likely to be called upon to win him in Quebec? So it is assumed. From Calais, the Germans could or to understand public opinion as it Hence why not abuse the "disarmed threaten England, and it is only by whipping England that Germany can hope to make a peace to her liking So the orders are likely to be as they were eighteen months ago "Take Calais or Die."

> Consider the situation as a whole; the fact that the Teutonic allies are from Persia to Poliesse strictly on the defensive, and in grave danger will of defeat; that within this vast territory they are' outnumbered, outmanoeuvred both in a military and a diplomatic sense, and are being outfought; that throughout they are admittedly on the defensive. Then consider the situation on the western front, where they have unmistakably make their best showing. These are the facts as they appear to us on this side of the ocean. Our information may be incomplete, pos-Hindenburg to the position of chief sibly in some cases inaccurate. But

> If, then, this summary of the situation is practically correct, what field is there open to Hindenburg's strattegy? The western front, and only the western front looms up on the "Twinkle trot" is said to be the horizon-a drive to Salais. A blow latest addition to the fantastic dances must be struck somewhere. Germany another reaching out for final victory. Verdun has faded away into the annals of the past. A show of activity exists, but it is not serious. Perhaps the local incident where And at any rate Verdun could not one man was killed by another who end the war. This is now generally had just issued from a hotel bar may accepted and acknowledged by all help convince some people that the parties regardless of sympathies.

Therefore it would not be surprising if, before the snow falls, well should see the effect of von Hindenburg's appointment take definite shape in the form of a tremendous effort, and a final effort, to seize the command of the Straits of Dover by driving to Calais and bring England to her knees through an activ

PROHIBITION LAW WILL WRECK ITSELF

The Southwest Toronto bye-election will not prevent the Hearst such a law is administered, the more King drag since the Mexican war. He may fail in this, as his predeces- over the continent? Under legisla- quickly will it raise up enemies to Almost every county has a collecan unfair, un-Britsh, one-sided law. ted mud holes, which are never filin running booze out of the province next congressional district it would There is no attempt made to limit any one's consumption of it save he ing cars. But it is harder to make be of the very poorest class in the a mud hole retire than it is to drag community. We believe a few a Federal office holder away from the The Kingston Lacrosse Club has months of actual experience of its pay roll. been engaged to play at the Gan- ridiculous workings will bring it in- Mud holes are caused by the surto open contempt and that it will re- face of the road giving way at the Two hundred excursionists left to- peat the experience of the Scott Act. knee joints and sinking due south un-

KILLED WHILE RIDING.

tim of Accident.

Halifax, Sept. 6 .- Word was received in Halifax vesterday that a fall from a horse. Mrs. Wickwire trans-continental railway through little of it is used in building speedand two children of Major Elliott, the back forty. Many a farmer who ways. grandchildren of the late Dr. Wick- lives next to one of these quick as- The mud hole commits most of its etc., frames regulded. when she fell from the horse. The endeavor. and elimination of Rumania. May young lady was picked up and taken There are not many mud holes in long if everybody who wallows sustained any serious injuries, but being due to the fact that the farmer ough to bond the county for good some time afterwards she developed is buying most of the automobiles. roads: congestion of the brain. Her father, Major Elliott, is in Ottawa.

E. H. Sothern has reconsidered cupied at the south, he is concerned his decision to retire permanently about Russian and Rumanian ac- from the stage. Mrs. Sothern (Julia Marlowe) has agreed to post-If the Germans should put forth poned her long anticipated residence

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INVITATION TO AUTUMN



Come, gentle Fall! Imperial Autumn, come! Heat long endured has knocked us out of plumb; sagged in the back and wabbly in the knees, humbly we beg a breath of Autumn breeze. Long have we watched the red-hot days drag by, panting and sick beneath a well-done sky; as people long, when Winter has its fling, long for the glow and genial warmth of Spring, so do we yearn, our backs against the wall, yearn for your chill, O life-preserving Fall! Bring on your frost, regardless of expense: Bid Summer quit, bid heat go humping hence! Wilted we stand, a weary, washedout band, hoping that snow will come and hide the land, muttering low, amid the endless heat, "Fall, when you come, bring forty kinds of sleet! Let every gust be born of arctic snows, freeze all our ears, put chilblains in our toes! Cover our spinach with a coat government," are realizing their mis- later it was suddenly announced that of rime, let us be cold for three months at a time!" Let us repeat, ere heat



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THE MUD HOLE tember 16th, and the members of and stays until a new board of supthe Ontario Government will be the ervisors is elected. It then moves greatest chumps in Ontario history over to another township and locates if they do not enforce the law. The on a piece of road which has not been greater the strictness with, which touched by the profane hand of the

companies will be staggering under that when a mud hole has established the business it will make for them a reputation which reaches into the in order that it may be run back be content to retire and not keep on The law does not put any clogging the highway with the prostrate forms of seven-passenger tour-

home and it seemed at first had not our public highways as formerly, this through it would stay mad long en-

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Almost every county has a collection of ancient, honorable and accepted mud holes.

til both running boards are anchored family down with him, where they firmly to the highway. Some mud can't see anything but the tree tops. holes are deeper than others and un- either the mud hole or the road su-Miss Eileen Elliott, of Halifax, Vic- less acted upon at once will swallow pervisor will be removed at the next a high-seated runabout with the top general election. It used to be the up. When such a mud hole as this is fashion to repair mud holes with live located in close proximity to a farmer sod, which stood erect in the road Eileen Elliott, the sixteen-year-old who owns a dredging outfit consist- and imparted a smooth; gliding sendaughter of Major Elliott, of this city, ing of a team of docile mules, it is sation to people in the back seat. was killed at Chester as the result of worth more to the property than a Sod is all right in its place, but very

wire, have been summering at Ches- sets has earned more money yanking crimes in the spring of the year, ter. Miss Eileen went for a horse- deeply imbedded tourists to some ha- breaking springs, twisting axles and back ride. It was about four o'clock ven of rest than any other form of causing people to lose a lot of hardearned religion. It would not last

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