

LOSES TROUSERS IN CAR FIRE, SEEKS AID

Man Holding Firmly Old Gogglesack Which Encircled His Midsection Applies to Salvation Army for Clothes.

Western Newspaper Union News Service. Akron.—Theodore Kruger, 20, Cambridge, Mass., stepped into the Salvation Army canteen Monday morning and asked for immediate assistance. He held firmly to an old gogglesack which encircled his midsection. His feet were protected by an old pair of threadbare socks. "What can I do for you?" asked Mrs. Hughes, wife of the adjutant in charge. "You can call your husband and retire," replied Kruger. When the adjutant entered, Kruger begged him to get a box of save and a pair of trousers. Then he cautiously lowered one corner of the sack. Adj. Hughes backed Kruger into a corner and hustled out for a pair of trousers. Kruger's trousers were missing and the back of his legs were blistered. He said he had gone to sleep in a freight car and that companions had started a fire from some newspapers. When his clothes caught fire, he leaped through the car door without taking time to put on his shoes. He hid near the railroad until a farmer grain sack and walked into Akron.

Students Burn 'September Morn.' Wooster.—"September Morn" was burned to death here by Wooster college students, who decided her presence on dormitory walls was not consistent with the ideas the students generally have adopted following a week of prayer. Services conducted by Dr. J. Campbell White, secretary of the Laymen's Forward Missionary movement, and Mrs. Dwight E. Potter, both of New York, have brought about a religious revival among the undergraduates. The climax came when, into a big bonfire in front of the gymnasium, students fed erotic literature and questionable pictures of all sorts, most numerous among them being copies of "September Morn."

Pays Election Bet With Roses. Canal Dover.—Several Canal Dover and New Philadelphia young women have been surprised to receive a bouquet of a dozen roses bearing a card of a roller in the Canal Dover mill. The surprise is due to the fact that the sender, P. G. Reed, is a stranger. The reason for the gift is an election bet. Reed having placed his confidence in the reelection of Gov. Cox. The winner of the wager is John Wallace, New Philadelphia grocer. The loser was to send six young women a dozen roses each, the names to be supplied by the winner.

Had Presence of Mind. Port Clinton.—If you struck a match on your trousers, still damp with gasoline which you had used to remove a grease spot, and the most obvious thing in the world happened, would you have enough presence of mind to hunt up a river and jump into it? Well, anyway, that's just what David Bosler did. All these things happened to Bosler here. He's living, but possesses painful burns, a threatening cold and not much more than a grease spot of the once highly valued trousers.

Wants Mayor Removed. Coshocton.—As the result of the removal of John Gross, Democrat, from his position as city street commissioner, a petition has been filed with Gov. James M. Cox to have Mayor L. N. Staats, Socialist, removed from office. The petition alleges Mayor Staats failed to comply with an order from the state civil service commission to reinstate Gross.

Issues Statement to Preachers. Akron.—Mayor A. M. Bird of Barberton, himself a minister, has issued a statement, in which he advised the city in which he advised them to attend police court sessions and get some first hand evidence on how the other half of the world lives before preaching sermons on charity or condemning the down-and-outers. Mayor Bird said he never had seen a minister at a Barberton police court session.

Dies When Home Burns. Pomeroy.—John Goeglein, aged 24 years, prominent and wealthy farmer, was burned to death when his home at Keno, 12 miles from here, was destroyed by fire. He lived alone, and it is thought he was slain and the home fired.

Fines Woman for Contempt. Sandusky.—Mrs. Annie Bolden aged 53 years, was fined \$18 and costs and committed to the county jail in default of payment by Justice Philip Dietrich, who held her in contempt of court for having failed to respond to summons to testify in a case.

Boy is Found Starving. Lorain.—Ran Rackange, aged 19 years, half frozen and weak from inanition, was picked up and placed in St. Joseph's hospital. He had come here to hunt work and made box cars his home.

Falls Forty Feet, Slightly Hurt. Geneva.—Fort Randall, Geneva telephone lineman, plunged forty feet and escaped death. He fell head first, but his only injury was a broken nose. Randall was on top of a pole when it broke.

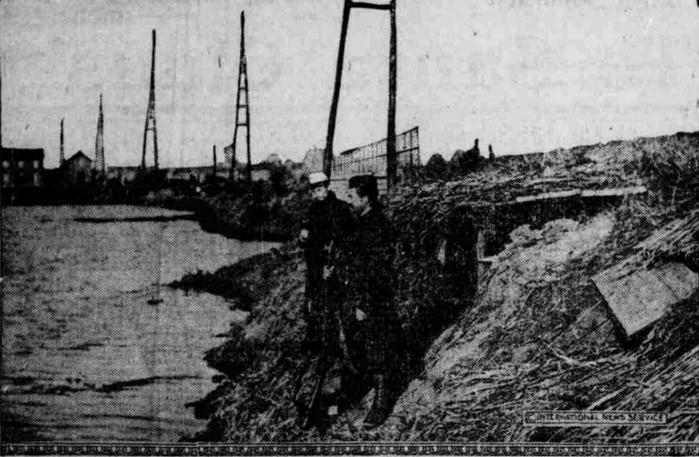
Man is Crushed to Death. Kenton.—John Haas, aged 55 years, of Dunkirk, while trying to dodge between freight cars and a bumping post, was crushed to death.

Two Are Burned to Death. Gallipolis.—Mrs. Margaret A. A. Shire, aged 80 years, pioneer resident of Meigs county, was burned to death at Syracuse village, near here, when clothing ignited from grate. Louis Johnson, eight, was burned to death when a coal oil can exploded near the kitchen stove.

Sunstroke Kills Ohio Woman. Findlay.—Mrs. Eva Platt aged 84 years, mother of 19 children, only four of whom survive her, died as the result of a sunstroke received last summer.

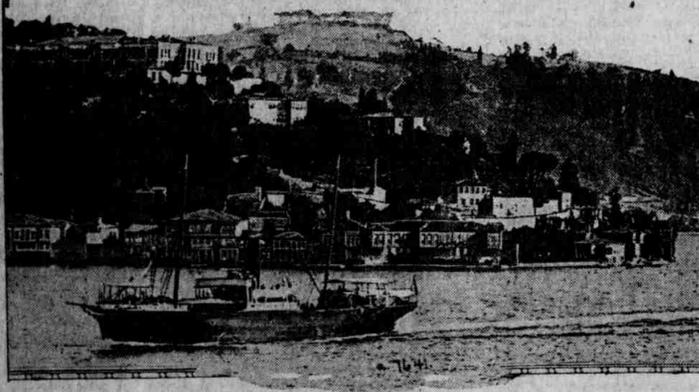
Gasoline Explodes, Man Hurt. Kenton.—Guy Eliaaser filled the tank of his gasoline engine and then set the can of gasoline on the ground. He dipped a corncob in oil and lighted it to heat the engine. The gasoline exploded, burning Eliaaser so seriously that he may die.

ALONG THE FLOODED YPRES CANAL



First photograph of the flooded Ypres canal where many Germans met death when the allies cut the dikes. From the shelters along the banks the Belgians, French and British poured out a devastating fire.

HOMES OF BRITISH AT CONSTANTINOPLE



Crandilla, a suburb of Constantinople on the Asiatic side of the Bosphorus, occupied as a residential quarter by the British and open to attack by the Turkish ships.

MRS. WINSTON CHURCHILL



New photograph of Mrs. Winston Churchill, wife of the first lord of the British admiralty, who is herself actively engaged in aiding the British soldiers at the front.

FIELD KITCHEN OF THE RED CROSS



One of the Red Cross kitchens in the field, between Dixmade and Nieuport. German trophies decorate the poles of the shelter.

TWO ROMANCES OF THE WAR

Woman Adopts Nephew and Niece, and Long-Separated Brothers Meet in England.

London.—Here are two romances of the war. A boy and girl, Belgian refugees, at Swansea, were adopted by a man and wife of Abercromby. The children now prove to be those of the wife's dead sister, who went to Belgium as a governess years ago. A locket which was found on the little girl led to the discovery.

There has been at a hospital in Cardiff a remarkable reunion of two brothers who had not seen each other in 16 years. One is Martin Gaffey, of the Second Leinster regiment, the other John Gaffey, of the First Connaught Rangers. One of the nurses noticed the coincidence in names and this led to their meeting. When John joined the regiment, Martin was still a child. One brother was wounded in the right arm, the other in the left arm.

Canadian Indians Suffer. Ottawa, Ont.—Indians in the northern wilds of Canada has been hit hard by the war situation in Europe. It was announced that the dominion government had decided to go to the relief of the Indians to prevent many of them from starving as a consequence of the collapse of their fur industry.

encountered a troop of Russians. "We need that horse," demurred, ordered the Russian commander. "But to prove to you that we Russians are not so black as we are painted, I now pay you for the horse."

"So saying he handed a rouble (515 cents) to the inspector, who discovered later that the piece was coined in the eighteenth century and is not current now."

Invent Powder to Stop Bleeding. Geneva, Switzerland.—A preparation which, it is said, will stop almost instantly the flow of blood from a wound has been invented by Prof. Theodor Kocher of Bern, who was awarded the Nobel prize for surgery in 1912, and his assistant, Dr. A. Fouc. The new preparation is called coagulon. It is in the form of a powder and is dissolved in water before being applied to a wound. The discoverers of coagulon have made a gift of their invention to the armies in the field, and have sent large quantities of the powder to the front.

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four inches long, covered with thick gray fur, mottled with yellow, brown and white. The membranous wings measure twelve inches from tip to tip. It has five toes, a small mouth and teeth.

Captures a Vampire. Ottawa.—Edward Wickham, living north of here, has captured a queer, battle creature of vampire type. It bit Mr. Wickham's dog, causing its death in a few moments. It is about

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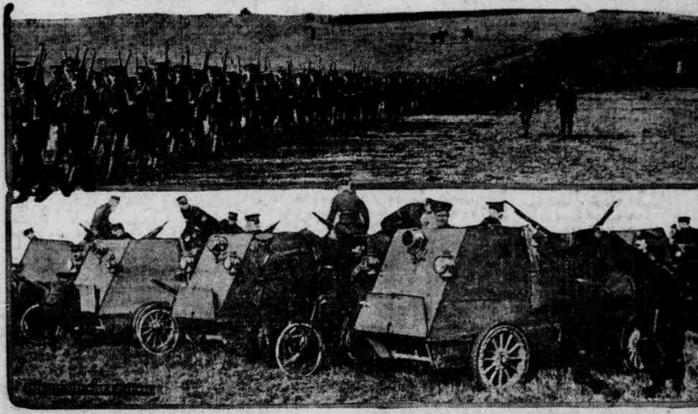
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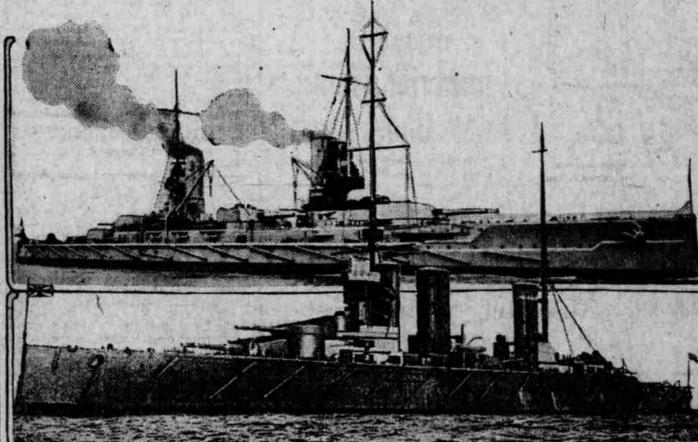
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CANADA'S WARRIORS NOW IN THE WAR ZONE



Part at least of the Canadian contingent is known to be at the front in Flanders and northern France. The illustration shows, above, these fighters from the Dominion marching across Salisbury Plain, and, below, some of the Canadian armored cars.

WHAT IF THESE GREAT WARSHIPS MEET?



Above is the very latest of the Kaiser's dreadnoughts, the Friedrich der Grosse, of 24,700 tons, 1,973 officers and men, ten 12-inch guns, 14 5.9-inch guns and five torpedo tubes. Below is the Princess Royal, one of Great Britain's newest dreadnoughts, of 23,250 tons. She carries 950 officers and men and is equipped with eight 13.5-inch guns, 16 four-inch guns, five mortars and two torpedo tubes.

POINCARÉ'S CHATEAU IN RUINS



The private chateau of President Poincaré of France at Chatigny, after it had been bombarded and sacked by the Germans.

LIEUT. R. L. G. MARIX



Flight Lieut. R. L. G. Marix of the British army has been made a recipient of the Distinguished Service Order for his part in the aeroplane attack on the German airship shed at Düsseldorf. His machine was hit five times.

TURKISH RED CRESCENT WOMEN



These members of the Red Crescent, a Turkish society that corresponds to the Red Cross of Christian countries, are preparing bandages for the soldiers of the sultan. They are all harem women and are here for the first time photographed with their faces uncovered.

KAISER KEPT EYE ON BANKS

Told President of Reichsbank a Year Ago to Be Ready for Trouble.

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DIVIDE ALL GOOD FORTUNE

Eskimo Tribe Seems Never to Have Learned the Meaning of Selfishness.

Probably no more clamish—and selfish—people exist than the natives of the arctic coast of Siberia, the lowest type of semi-savage Eskimos, a writer in the Youth's Companion remarks. They are ever thinking of one another's welfare, and if one comes into possession of anything of value, he never thinks of keeping it for himself, but calls the other members of the tribe to share with him. If a whale is taken, or a polar bear, caribou, or walrus is killed, the meat is divided among all the igloos. Even during the hard winter, when there is a shortage of food, if a seal is brought in by some fortunate hunter, the meat and blubber are equally distributed.

Four men from East Cape, the Siberian side of Behring strait, were taken aboard the whale ship Narwhal to make up the boat crews for whaling in the Arctic. All through the summer season they remained aboard the vessel, doing their share of the perilous and wearisome work. When the vessel returned to East Cape, on its way south, the captain made a pile of flour, sugar, hard bread, coffee, tobacco, cartridges, needles and thread, tea, matches—everything dear to the Eskimo heart. It was their wages, and the Eskimo were proud of their wealth.

The walrus hide canoes came alongside and the four men were taken ashore with their riches. At the water's edge every article was delivered to waiting hands, and when the men who had worked all summer for these necessities and luxuries started for their igloos they carried all they kept for themselves in their hands. They were almost as poor as they were when they started on the cruise, but the village was temporarily happy—and so were they.

Legends of the Lincoln Imp. Have you ever heard the story of the "Lincoln Imp"? Listen, and I will tell you about that wicked little sprite.

In the eastern part of England there is a quaint old town named Lincoln, or Lincun, as it was called in olden days. This town, which is hundreds of years old, is built on a hillside, and what do you think is on top of that hill? A beautiful cathedral! One day, a long time ago, the devil let loose some of the little demons to play. One of them thought it would be great fun to get into the cathedral and make mischief. So he slipped away from the others and entering the church he ran down the aisles, and after tearing up the prayer books he broke the two great candlesticks which were on the altar, and did ever so many other wicked and naughty things. Suddenly he heard the sound of music! It was the organ playing and the choir singing for vesper. The music enchanted the little devil and he remained quiet for so long a time that he finally was turned to stone, and there he has stayed ever since. You may see him to this day, perched high on the columns of the choir. This is the legend of the "Lincoln Imp."—The Churchman.

Old Baby Tender. The "baby tender" invented and used to this day in the island of Marken in the Zuyder Zee is the substitute for the cradle which resists the advance of baby carriages and modern high chairs. In Marken, babies of both sexes are dressed exactly alike, the accepted fashion having been unchanged for three centuries. At so early an age is the infant placed in the stays of this costume that there is no use for a cradle for babies in Marken. The child supported and kept out from under foot in a wooden contrivance serving both as a chair and cradle, which is mounted on small wheels so that it may be readily moved about. A shelf in front serves as a perch or receptacle for food or playthings.

Beyond Him. A party of New Yorkers were hunting in the "piny woods" of Georgia and had as an attendant an old negro whose fondness of big words is characteristic of the race. One of the hunters, knowing the old African's bent, remarked to him: "Uncle Moses, the indentations in your firm in this locality render traveling in a vehicular conveyance without springs decidedly objectionable and painful anatomically. Don't you think so?" Uncle Moses scratched his left ear a moment and replied, with a slow shake of his woolly head: "Mistah Gawge, the exuberance ob yoh words an beyon' mah jurydiction."

She Had Forgotten. "See here," said Mrs. Gabb. "I got out your last winter's suit today and I found a lot of long blonde hairs on the vest."

"Well," replied Mr. Gabb, "you seem to forget that you were a blonde last winter."

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