



## THE SUDDEN ATTACK!

Quickly out of the mist—thru the vale and over deadman's hill our allies charge on the foe and do not spare the bayonet or bomb. Many a man leading a quiet life at home comes as near death—is running just as dangerous a risk to his life—and is not aware of it until the sudden twinge of rheumatism or gout lays him "by the heels."

### ACID POISONING!

The most eminent physicians recognize that uric acid stored up in the system is the cause of gout and rheumatism, that this uric acid poison is present in the joints, muscles, or nerves. By experimenting and analysis at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute in Buffalo, N. Y., Doctor Pierce discovered a combination of native remedies that he called An-u-ric, which drives

out the uric acid from the system, and in this way the pain, swelling and inflammation subside. Anuric relieves kidney complaints and diseases arising from disorders of the kidneys and bladder. If you are a sufferer from rheumatism, backache, pains here or there, you can obtain Anuric, double strength, at any drug store and get relief from the pains and ills brought about by uric acid; or send Dr. Pierce 10 cents for trial package. Anuric, which you will find many times more potent than lithia, eliminates uric acid as hot water melts sugar. A short trial will convince you. Send a sample of your water to Dr. Pierce and it will be tested free of charge. Anuric is a regular insurance and life-saver for all big meat eaters and those who deposit lime-salts in their joints.

### Tells How to Stop a Bad Cough

Surprising results from this home-made syrup. Easily prepared and costs little.

If you have a severe cough or chest cold accompanied with soreness, throat tickle, hoarseness, or difficulty breathing, or if your child wakes up during the night with croup and you want quick help, just try this pleasant tasting home-made cough remedy. Any drug-gist can supply you with 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (60 cents worth). Pour this into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. This prepared, you have a pint of really remarkable cough remedy—one that can be depended upon to give quick and lasting relief at all times.

You can feel this take hold of a cough in a way that means business. It loosens and raises the phlegm, stops throat tickle and soothes and heals the irritated membranes that line the throat and bronchial tubes with such promptness, ease and certainty that it is really astonishing.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and is noted for its speed in overcoming severe coughs, throat and chest colds. Its millions of enthusiastic users have made it famous the world over.

There are many worthless imitations of this noted mixture. To avoid disappointment, ask for "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex" with full directions and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

### IS RETURNING TO PARIS

M. Conty, French Minister to China, Will Serve at Home.

Peking, Oct. 25.—M. Conty, the French minister to China, has left Peking and will return to Paris very shortly, where he will be assigned to duty in the foreign office.

M. Conty has been in China many years. Recently he has been very unpopular with the Chinese press and public, because of France's aggressive action in forcibly seizing an addition to its concessions in Tientsin. M. Conty was in Paris at the time the French actually took over the Chinese territory in Tientsin, but he was regarded by the Chinese as the official responsible for that action.

## GOOD-BYE BACKACHE, KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLES

For centuries all over the world GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has afforded relief in thousands upon thousands of cases of lame back, lumbago, sciatica, rheumatism, gallstones, gravel and all other affections of the kidneys, liver, stomach, bladder and allied organs. It acts quickly. It does the work. It cleanses your kidneys and purifies the blood. It makes a new man, a new woman, of you. It frequently wards off attacks of the dread and fatal disease of the kidneys. It has completely cured the distressing diseases of the organs of the body, allied with the bladder and kidneys. Bloody or cloudy urine, sediment or "brick-dust" indicate an unhealthy condition.

Do not delay a minute if your back aches or you are sore across the loins or have difficulty when urinating. Go to your drug-gist at once and get a box of imported GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. They are pleasant and easy to take. They dissolve in the stomach, and the kidneys soak up the oil like a sponge does water. They thoroughly cleanse the kidneys, and the inflammation which is the cause of the trouble. Your drug-gist will cheerfully refund your money if you are not satisfied after a few days' use. Accept only the pure, original GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. None other genuine.—Adv.

## FOOD PRICES ARE UP 47 P. C.

Advance Since Year Before the World Struggle Began

FLOUR 130 PER CENT. HIGHER

Great Increases on Meat, Potatoes, Cornmeal and Sugar

Washington, Oct. 25.—Food prices as a whole have advanced 47 per cent over the years before the war. Latest compilation of prices, announced yesterday by the United States bureau of labor statistics, shows principal articles of food, as a whole, six per cent higher on Aug. 15, 1914, just after the outbreak of the war, than they were on that date in 1913. There was a drop of six per cent in 1915, but in 1916 prices advanced 14 per cent, and during 1917 they have jumped another 31 per cent. From July to August this year there was a two per cent increase in the combined price of the principal articles of food.

Flour prices in August were more than 2 1/2 times what they were in August, 1913. The increase was 130 per cent. Cornmeal advanced 120 per cent; potatoes, 87 per cent; sugar, 77 per cent; lard, 72 per cent, and pork chops, 58 per cent.

During the year ending Aug. 15 onions was the only article to show decrease in price. Cornmeal doubled; flour advanced 70 per cent; beans, 60 per cent, and other articles to a lesser degree.

### WANT COLONEL TO FORM A DIVISION

New England Governors Going to Capital to Ask That He Recruit.

Boston, Oct. 25.—(By The Associated Press).—A request that Colonel Theodore Roosevelt be authorized to recruit to war strength the skeletonized division of New England National Guardsmen, in camp at Westfield, will be laid before the department at Washington today by Governor McCall and the governors of other New England states. Governor McCall announced yesterday. The coal situation in New England and the plans to make Boston a storage and shipping port for war supplies also will be taken up with officials.

### CANADIAN WHEAT COMING.

Influx Will Help Mills in Central and Eastern States.

New York, Oct. 25.—Material relief in the shortage of hard wheat is promised by the milling division of the federal food administration in a statement setting forth that a considerable quantity of Canadian wheat owned by the Wheat Export company, a British government agency, is now moving down for grinding by mills in the United States.

The amount of hard wheat thus to be supplied will materially relieve the shortage of hard wheat and enable mills in central and eastern states to increase their flour output materially.

This arrangement will remove whatever apprehension has existed in regard to the inability of mills to supply sufficient hard wheat flour for winter consumption in the eastern section of the country.

### TO PREVENT OFFICE HOLDING

By Members of Parliament, Bill Is Introduced.

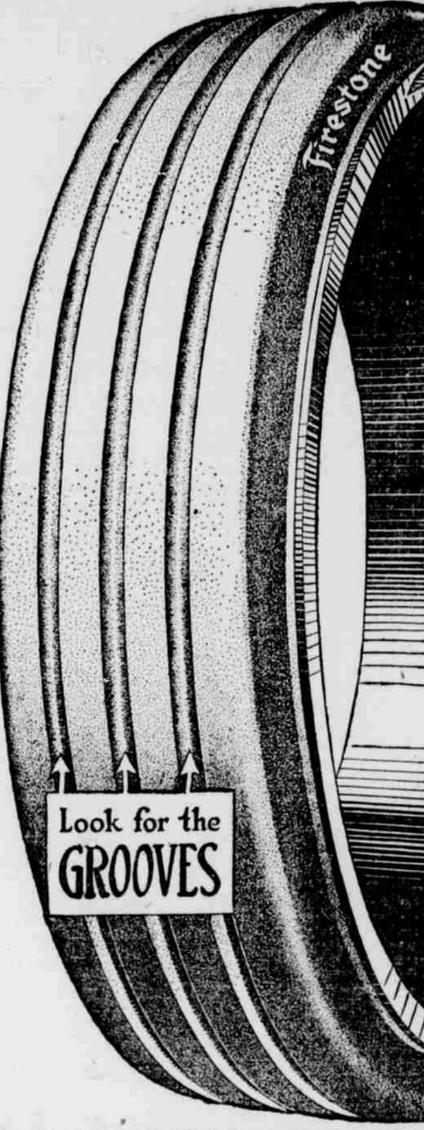
Paris, Oct. 25.—To prevent members of Parliament from holding any other public office, elective or nominative, or from participation in business dealings with governmental departments, a bill has just been introduced into the Chamber of Deputies. This bill is supposed to have been provoked by recent revelations and rumors regarding the participation by members of Parliament in business transactions with different branches of the French government, neutrals, and, it is asserted, even with Germany.

At present the same person may be at the same time a deputy or senator minister, mayor of a town and a member of the general council of his department. There is nothing which prevents him from engaging in business enterprises with the state, department or communal administrations. This bill is intended to prevent cumulative office holding, excepting that deputies and senators may still become ministers.

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FIRESTONE built the first successful truck tire and has lead in improvements ever since. This Firestone Giant Truck Tire is the latest practical contribution to the world's vital needs of tonnage and transportation.

It gives amazing mileage and adequate protection to the truck. This great bulk of fine rubber in a single tread supersedes the two treads mounted together. It absorbs strains and shocks, regardless of irregularities in the road. There is skid prevention in the grooved tread.

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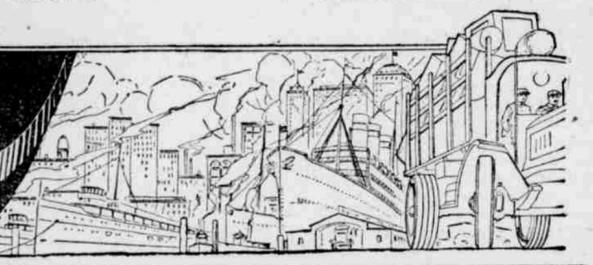
Its remarkable traction and resiliency saves fuel. These and other advantages result in Most Miles per Dollar and make it—

### The Dominant Truck Tire of the Day

Made in 7, 8, 10, 12 and 14 inch widths.

That motorists find extra values in Firestone Tires is proved by the fact that our sales increased 72 per cent this year up to September 1st. Our total business this year will exceed \$60,000,000.

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### GIVES HIS ESTATE TO GREAT BRITAIN

On Condition That He (Col. Sir Arthur Hamilton Lee) and Lady Lee May Occupy It as Long as They Shall Live.

London, Oct. 25 (Correspondence).—Colonel Sir Arthur Hamilton Lee, who married Miss Ruth Moore, daughter of J. G. Moore of New York, in giving his country seat, "The Chequers," to the nation as a residence for British prime ministers, makes it a condition that he and Lady Lee, if they desire, remain in occupation as tenants of the trustees as long as they shall live.

"The Chequers" estate covers 1,500 acres, is the reputed birthplace of Caractacus, in the year 1, and has records dating back to the reign of Henry II, when it was the residence of Elias de Scarrario, chancellor of the exchequer. The house is Tudor in origin and design, was largely built in 1565 and restored in 1909. Sir Arthur in his bequest asks that no alteration or addition be made to the principal features of the house, as he wishes to protect it against such outrages as were inflicted on it by the "late Georgian Goths and Vandals."

In a memorandum outlining the conditions of the trust which is being created under the prime minister, Sir Arthur says that the scheme is not a mere whim, but a carefully considered policy based on a long experience of political life and official conditions, and of the beneficial effect that the climate and atmosphere at "The Chequers" invariably exercise on hard-working men of affairs.

He has foreseen that it is impossible to foretell from what classes or conditions of life the future wielders of power in this country will be drawn. They may be men of wealth and famous descent, they may belong to the world of trade, or they may spring from the ranks of manual laborers. He believes that to the city-bred man, periodic contact with rural life would help him to preserve a just sense of proportion between the claims of town and country, while to the revolutionary, the antiquity and calm tenacity of the place would exercise a check upon too hasty upheavals. Sir Arthur also lays down the maxim, "The better the health of our rulers the more sanely they rule."

### STICK TO LIBERTY MOTOR.

Government Has No Present Intention of Supplanting It with a Foreign Motor.

Washington, Oct. 25.—The Liberty airplane motor has met every requirement in block tests and in actual air trials and while various foreign-made motors have been offered to the government there is no present intention of using any other than the Liberty motors for American production.

### STANDARD BOOTS.

Are to Be Turned Out at Factory in Northampton, Eng.

Northampton, Eng., Oct. 25.—Arrangements are now complete for turning out every week 250,000 pairs of standard boots made of leather, as soon as the government gives the word for the work to be started.

There will be three grades of men's boots at prices ranging between \$1.08 and \$2.95. Women's shoes will cost them from \$1.08 upwards and boots from \$1.50 up.

It is expected that children's boots will be turned out in greatest quantity at first owing to the shortage.

There will be no wood fibre, canvas or patent substitutes in these standard boots. Leather will be used throughout.

### TO SETTLE DISPUTES.

Between Ship Owners and Seamen in Great Britain.

London, Oct. 25.—The shipping controller has sent up a mercantile marine conciliation committee for dealing expeditiously with differences between ship owners and seamen. Various sections of sea-labor and ship owners have been in conference on the possibility of arranging a standard or national rate of wages and as the ministry of shipping is satisfied as to the expediency of this reform, they are prepared to create and make effective the necessary machinery.

### SUPERWHEAT, BURBANK'S LATEST WAR WEAPON

He Develops Valuable New Varieties to Fight Kaiser William.

Santa Rosa, Cal., Oct. 25.—Luther Burbank is fighting the kaiser with the hoe. While he will reveal nothing he admitted yesterday that new and tremendously valuable varieties of food plants are nearing a stage where they can be given to the public.

Superwheat of greatly increased yield has formed Mr. Burbank's first results from his war experiments. He has growing in his fields another wheat far richer in gluten than anything now grown, and he is still working on new varieties.

To develop corn which will give greater food values he has gone back to the original rusty corn of the Mexicans and by combining it with the best of the modern types hopes to develop a product with the best qualities of each.

Loquats, apples, peaches, nectarines, plums and grapes are drawing his attention as being worthy of development in the food crisis.

Mr. Burbank has seen an opportunity to help fill the demand for meat through improving forage crops, so as to make each acre of pasture produce more food and support more beef and mutton. To that end he is working with foliage crops of many varieties.

### A Piece of Good Fortune.

In these days of high prices it is refreshing to find one article of nationwide demand that will not cost more than it did last year, and yet will be more valuable than it has ever been.

The Youth's Companion subscription price, \$2.00, will not be increased. The 52 issues of 1918 will be packed full of the best stories by the most popular writers. The editorial page, the boys' page, girls' page, family page and all the departments will bring a vast amount of cheer, good entertainment and information for every reader in the family circle.

By special arrangement new subscribers for The Companion can also have McCall's Magazine—the fashion authority—for 1918, both publications for only \$2.25.

This two-at-one-price offer includes:  
1. The Youth's Companion—52 issues in 1918.  
2. All remaining 1917 issues of The Companion free.  
3. The Companion home calendar for 1918.  
4. McCall's Magazine—12 fashion numbers in 1918.

All for only \$2.25. The Youth's Companion, Commonwealth Ave., Boston, Mass.—adv.

### WATERBURY.

Miss Ruby O. Kellett of Waterbury enrolled last week as a student at the Albany Business college.

## Only 3 Days Left

New England must and will, we believe, do her glorious part in this common effort to free the world from hateful autocracy and murderous militarism. But unless you

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you will not have a part with your friends and neighbors. How will you feel then?

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Boys & Girls THRIVE

on the easily digested wheat and barley food

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"There's a Reason"

## Young Women

Are Told How to Find Relief from Pain.

Nashua, N. H.—"I am nineteen years old and every month for two years I had such pains that I would often faint and have to leave school. I had such pain I did not know what to do with myself and tried so many remedies that were of no use. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the newspapers and decided to try it, and that is how I found relief from pain and feel so much better than I used to. When I hear of any girl suffering as I did I tell them how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me."—DELINA MARTIN, 29 Bowers Street, Nashua, N. H.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and is, therefore,

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