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HISTORIC VILLAS COME BACK TO ITALY.

ON THE ITALIAN FRONTIER, via Paris, June 2.—The Italians, it is said, are determined to retake the Palazzo Venezia, the seat of the Austrian Embassy to the Vatican, and perhaps the most beautiful palace in Rome. The palace looks out on the great Victor Emmanuel monument. It was built in the fifteenth century and belonged to the Venetian Republic and thus fell into the hands of Austria.

The Central Guardian

IT PAYS to buy in this Province.

POWNAL CIRCUIT.—Services next Sunday 6th will be Pownal at 11 and 7. Millview at 2.30. (Communion Service.)

BUYS YACHT.—Mr. Heath Chisholm, having purchased a very fine yacht from parties in that locality, is daily expected to sail.—E.

HARTNEY HALL.—There will be no service in Hartney Hall on Friday p. m., owing to the District Meeting of the Methodist Church at Lower Montague.

ISLANDER HONORED.—The Manitoba Free Press says:—The directors of the Great West Life took action yesterday in the matter of naming a successor to the late J. H. Brock, who, from the beginning, was in charge of the affairs of this higher trust company. As a result of the deliberations, a circular letter was issued at the close of business, announcing that C. C. Ferguson, who has been with the Great West for the past eight years as actuary, had been named.

This appointment is rightly regarded in this city as a highly important one, and the Great West Life will be in receipt of congratulations from all those who are personally acquainted with the new officer. Mr. Ferguson is a thoroughly trained life insurance official, and has an intimate knowledge in particular of the Great West. He is a graduate of McGill, where he was awarded a gold medal in the class of 1900. He began his study of life insurance. Mr. Ferguson has contributed actuarial department in 1900, and remained there for seven years. He was named the actuary of the Great West Life in 1907, and has remained in that position up to the present time. He will continue to hold the position of actuary, but in addition will be in charge of the general affairs of the company. He was born in Marshfield, P. E. I., in March, 1878, and is a son of the late Senator D. Ferguson, of Prince Edward Island, who, in the years of his identification with life insurance, Mr. Ferguson has contributed a number of papers to insurance journals, which attracted wide attention. These have been on such subjects as "Some Modern Methods of Valuation," "A Pension Fund Method," and "Participating Life Annuities." He is a member of the American Institute of Actuaries, and a Fellow of the Actuarial Society. During the years of his residences here Mr. Ferguson has strongly commended himself to the prominent people who are associated with the Great West Life as directors. His manner is extremely quiet and marked by a perfect courtesy in all his dealings with the public. He is recognized as expert on all matters relating to life insurance, and has frequently been called to counsel with the directors of similar organizations. He is now honored with a high and responsible position with a company which has shown extraordinary enterprise, and will, without doubt, receive further honor in future years.

QUARTERLY MEETING.—The Fourth Quarterly meeting of the Pownal Circuit officials found the work of the year most encouraging. The full stipend is paid this year. The Circuit is independent, reaching the highest point in this respect that it has ever attained. The pastor was most cordially invited to return for a 3rd year. This he agreed to do subject to conference approval.

SPECIAL.—Fifteen packages flower and Vegetable Seeds for 25c. at Holman's. See page 138 Holman's Catalog. 1215-6-3ME31.

TURKS LOST OVER FORTY THOUSAND IN DARDANELLES

LONDON, June 1.—A prisoner captured a fortnight ago in the Dardanelles says that the Turkish losses in the defence of their positions on the Gallipoli Peninsula were at that time over forty thousand men.

This information was given out in an official statement in London to-day. The statement follows:— "Regarding the operations in the Dardanelles, Turkish prisoners recently arrived in Egypt say that the Ottoman losses in the fighting on the Gallipoli Peninsula have been terribly heavy. The Twentieth Regiment was almost annihilated, its Colonel alone of all the officers escaping death or capture. Almost equally severe were the losses borne by the Fourteenth Regiment.

"The losses in officers generally have been very heavy and the gaps are being filled by naval officers and cadets from the military school. Men from every military class are now found in the same unit. "The attacks on the Krithia position early in May were mostly costly operations for the Turks. Ordered by General Von Sanders to attack with empty magazines, with bayonet only, and by night, they assaulted our column. Repeatedly they were caught by the searchlights of the Allies in close formation and terribly punished at point blank range by machine guns and rifle fire. Only 120 men could be collected out of a regiment originally 3,000 men strong. "The mountain guns of the Allies on more than one occasion caught the Turks as they were assembling at night for attack, and assisted by searchlights, they were kept for some minutes at a time under heavy rifle fire which inflicted serious losses.

MACKENZIE-KING SAYS TESTIMONY WAS DISTORTED.

NEW YORK, June 1.—The charge that Chairman Frank P. Walsh, of the United States Industrial Relations Commission, distorted testimony when he issued a statement at Kansas City seeking to make it appear that John D. Rockefeller, jun., was personally responsible for labour conditions in the Colorado coal fields, was made here to-night by W. L. Mackenzie-King, former Minister of Labour in Canada and now director of an investigation into industrial relations for the Rockefeller foundation. Mr. King quoted from the official stenographic record to substantiate his charge.

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This plan succeeded at Neuve Chapelle, when Commander-in-Chief Sir John French felt out the weak spot in the enemy's line, concentrated upon it an intensely hot artillery fire, exploded several judiciously placed mines, then flung a mass of infantry at the defenders with such success that the Germans retreated three miles. This was repeated several times since with success by the English and the French.

Thus, step by step, the Union Jack advances towards the German border, yet with greater speed the Union Jack is advancing all over Canada, where pleased citizens are availing themselves of the Guardian's Flag Offer to secure the Union Jack as fast as the post, or express or trolley can carry it to them or bring them to get it.

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80 GUNS FOR THE FRONT FROM TWO-MONTREALERS.

OTTAWA, June 1.—Offers of machine guns from Huntly Drummond and James Carruthers, of Montreal, made to the minister of militia and defence, are especially valuable at this time. These two well-known Montrealers have offered each \$100,000 for the purchase of machine guns and General Hughes has gladly accepted the offers. The \$200,000 thus available will provide from 75 to 80 guns and will help to offset the great efforts now being put forward by the Germans in this branch of fighting on the western front.

UNITED STATES WILL AID A COALITION GOVERNMENT IN MEXICO.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—President Wilson and his Cabinet to-day adopted a new policy to be pursued by the United States toward Mexico. It has for its object restoration of order and the relief of millions of non-combatants from the devastation of Mexico's military elements which have brought about conditions regarded as intolerable.

The President read to the cabinet a statement which is to be communicated to-morrow to the leaders of all Mexican factions, serving notice that unless they themselves compose the situation, some other means will be found by the United States to bring about the establishment of a stable government in the republic. The statement was approved after prolonged discussion. It will be made public to-morrow.

The specific course the United States will pursue in the event the contending factions fail to agree is not outlined in the President's statement, but the administration's present purpose is to give moral support to a coalition of the best elements in Mexico, and accord the government thereby created formal recognition. With such recognition would come an embargo on arms, permitting the constituted government to receive munitions of war to the exclusion of all other elements and factions.

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SERGEANT M. O'LEARY IS STILL ON FIRING LINE.

LONDON, June 1.—Sergt. Michael O'Leary, who won the Victoria Cross by killing eight men and capturing two trenches, a machine gun and two prisoners alone, has written to his parents, after reading obituary notices proclaiming him the bravest man in the British army. His letter says: "I see in to-day's papers that I have been killed in action. No; I am still on the firing line doing my bit for king and country. I trust God is not going to call me soon, or until I have done a bit more for my country. I came out of the last battle with only a few scratches, thank God."

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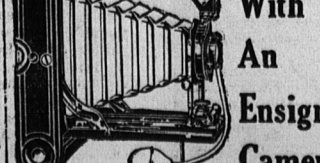
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