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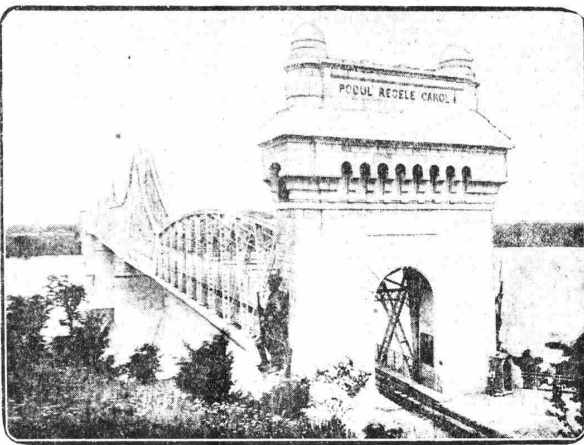
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VITAL CENTRE ON THE DANUBE.



It is declared in Geneva that fighting on the Hungarian frontier between Austrians and Rumanians is in full swing. The passage of the Danube will, doubtless, be fiercely contested. This bridge, the Royal Bridge Carol I, spans the big river and connects the two countries. It is said to be the largest bridge in the world, and it may be assumed that it will be a vital centre in future operations.

Sergeant Baizon

16th Royal Warwick writes:

B.E.F., France.

Dear Sirs,
I am truly sorry this is the first chance I have had to answer your very welcome parcel of Veda Bread. I was away from the Regiment when it came, and they kept it in the States instead of forwarding it. Fully 12 days later, I issued the bread to my Sections, three loaves per section. The Veda was quite fresh, which surprised me, as I expected it would be stale, but it was quite O.K. All here speak very well of Veda Bread, and appreciate it greatly. My Platoon thank you, and they all wish Veda Bread every second. I am, yours, etc.

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For cleaning Silver, Electro-Plate and Gold. Sold everywhere for 2/6 and 6/6.

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Send your post card to HARRISON'S NURSERY POND, 10, BARNET ROAD, HATFIELD, Herts. We will send you a free copy of our new book, 'The Garden of the Future'.

HANDSWORTH G.S. BOYS AS FRUIT PICKERS.



Upwards of thirty boys from Handsworth Grammar School, accompanied by two masters, have spent a part of their vacation picking fruit. Picture shows weighing-in. Good pickers can make 2s. 6d. a day, which pays for the holiday.

"GAZETTE" PORTRAIT GALLERY OF MISSING SOLDIERS.



1. Sergt. John Harris (1st Bn. Buffs.)
2. Pte. G. A. Davis (R. War. R.)
3. Pte. F. Wood (R. War. R.)
4. Pte. Wm. Birch (R. War. R.)
5. Pte. F. Patrick (R. War. R.)
6. Pte. W. Whiston (Lionshire Regt.)
7. Pte. W. Whiston (Worcester Regt.)
8. Sergt. W. Billers (R. War. R.)
9. Pte. W. Newbold (R. War. R.)
10. Pte. F. Lamb (R. War. R.)
11. Pte. F. Patrick (R. War. R.)
12. Pte. F. Lamb (R. War. R.)

FILM CENSORSHIP.

GOVERNMENT SCHEME WITH WOMEN ON THE BOARD.
A draft scheme has been submitted by the Home Office and is now under discussion by the film and cinema industry for the establishment of a central independent censorship under Home Office control of films.
It is suggested that no film shall be exhibited which may be objected to on the ground of its objectionable character, and that authority should be given to local licensing authorities to prohibit an exhibition before they have had an opportunity of examining it.
In cases where films have been passed by an official censorship the licensing authorities would not object. It is further suggested that women will form a well-qualified part of the Censorship Board, and it is probable that an Advisory Committee composed of local authorities, the trade, and the general public will be appointed to advise on doubtful films.

WILSON'S NEW TASK.

EFFORTS TO AVERT RAILWAY STRIKE IN AMERICA.
WASHINGTON, Tuesday.
President Wilson has definitely decided to address Congress on Tuesday or Wednesday, and will recommend legislation to avert a railway strike.
It is stated he will propose an eight-hour day, giving the railroads time to prepare for it, and also a law providing for investigation of industrial disputes on railroads, and prohibiting strikes and lockouts pending the investigation.
In addition the President is considering measures to prevent the railroads from raising their rates in case their expenses are increased, and also a law providing for the working of the railways by the Federal Government in the event of a strike taking place on 4 September.—Herald.

AN ALLEGED COINER.

MAN WITH FALSE MUSTACHE AGAIN REMANDED.
At Bow-street Police Court yesterday, Austin Campbell, aged 29, commercial traveller, Balme Park Gardens, London, was charged on remand with being in unlawful possession of galvanic batteries intended to be used for counterfeiting gold and silver coins. He was again remanded without evidence being called.
Detective-sergeant M'Hattie arrested the prisoner, who was wearing a false mustache. He was suspected of being an alien enemy, and had that his name was Charles Henderson.
It appeared that when a Birmingham mailer had refused his request to make a mound in April he took private lessons at Southend in electrotyping and the reproduction of medals, also attending at the Sheffield University.
At both cities the prisoner's landladies informed the police, who found places of Paris in his room. He was charged, Birmingham, but was brought to London.

ENEMY FOOD SUPPLIES.

More than half the Margarine sold in Great Britain comes from Holland.

The following figures, which have lately appeared in the "Daily Mail," "Morning Post," etc., show that, compared with the first six months of 1914, Holland has during the first six months of this year increased her shipments of butter, cheese, and meat to Germany by more than 3,300 tons weekly, and decreased her shipments to England by over 1,700 tons weekly. The average supply of these food-stuffs from Holland to England during the first six months of this year was less than 100 tons per week, whereas the average supply to Germany from Holland during the same period was over 4,000 tons (8,960,000 lbs.) per week, more than 1-lb. per head for the whole of the German Army.

Holland would also send her Margarine to Germany if the raw material (nuts) did not have to cross the sea where the British Fleet rules supreme. These nuts yield feeding cake for cattle, as well as oil for making Margarine. Dutch cattle fed on these cakes produce the butter, cheese and meat sent to Germany.

Why buy Dutch Margarine when you can purchase the VERY BEST

BRITISH-MADE MAYPOLE MARGARINE

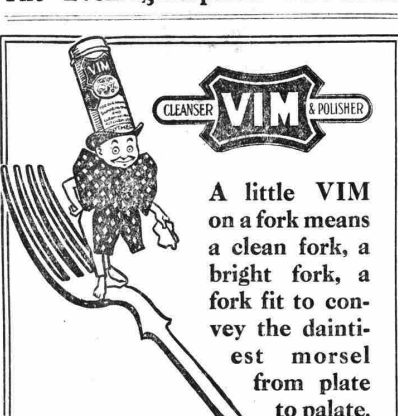
AT 7^{d.} A LB., or 1/2^{d.} DOUBLE Weight.

Demand and buy British-made Margarine, and so put pressure upon Holland to lessen her supply of butter, cheese, and meat to Germany. British flags and British fancy names for Margarine do not necessarily mean British-made. Demand guarantees from the retailers that the Margarine you buy is British-made.

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