WHAT VERDUN MEANS TO THE GERMAN SOLDIER.

Drugged by ether the German soldier is still being buried in hundreds of thousands against the French lines round Verdun. Whole regiments are being almost annihilated by the French guns, but still the Crown Prince orders fresh attacks. It is slaughter, not sacrifice, the German soldier has to face. In the top picture are seen only a few of the thousands wounded in the fighting waiting to go back to Germany. Below is a photograph, taken during the battle, of the smashed village of Donaumont. To gain even a footing in the Rocks' Wood the German leaders have sent 25,000 to certain destruction.
CLERICAL ODDS ON WAR'S ENDING BY AUTUMN.


WHY HE IS SO CONFIDENT.

Dean Inge's confidence in his opinion that the war will be over by Christmas recently prompted him to the declaration that if he were a betting man he would lay two to one on that eventuality. The Daily Sketch has discovered another reverend gentleman who would be ready to offer more favourable odds—if he were a betting man. This is the Rev. F. C. Spurr, of Regents Park Chapel. He would be inclined to offer two to one that the war will be over before the leaves fall," as he expressed it to the Daily Sketch.

Some time ago, at the invitation of the Army and Navy Board, Mr. Spurr visited the Western front with the object of writing a book on the work of chaplains in khaki.

No Prophectic Power.

"The wager I suggest," the reverend gentleman went on to explain, "is not based upon any official information. I don't make any claims to prophetic power, and I don't regard myself as a prophet," he said. "But it seems to me, looking at all the evidence before me, that the great majority of the army will be home again long before the leaves fall." This is the opinion I have formed after taking, as I have been able to do, a good view of the whole situation. The recent victory in Russia, the coming collapse of Turkey, the fact that Germany is shooting her last bolt on the West, and particularly the change of tone on the part of the military men to Germany—all these things make it pretty clear that the end is approaching." He was a nurse at the Military Hospital, and the medical treatment of wounded men, particularly the British, is rapidly advancing. He is the opinion I have formed after taking, as I have been able to do, a good view of the whole situation. The recent victory in Russia, the coming collapse of Turkey, the fact that Germany is shooting her last bolt on the West, and particularly the change of tone on the part of the military men to Germany—all these things make it pretty clear that the end is approaching.

BANKING FAMILY'S WAR DINNER.

Interesting Gathering Of Relatives Who Came From Many Parts.

The private banking house of Hoare, of Fleet Street, and one of the oldest and largest in London, was the scene on Saturday of a pleasant and friendly family reunion during the war.

There were eight in all at the table.

Major G. S. Hoare, of the Wessex (Hants Regt.), a captain in the Army, and the brother of the late Mr. A. S. Hoare, of the South-Eastern Banking Corporation, and the father of the late Lieut. A. H. Hoare, another brother, back from France, and Miss Catherine Hoare, the daughter of the late Mr. A. S. Hoare, and Miss Patricia Hoare, the daughter of the late Mr. A. S. Hoare.

GAVE HIS LIFE FOR HIS MEN.

2nd Lieutenant Philipps, of the Royal Rifle Corps, who was killed in action in Belgium during the war, had been an efficient and popular soldier, and his complete silence was a shock to his comrades, who had always looked up to him as a leader.

"I expect I shall be able to hold my own against the enemy," he said, "but if I fall in the face of him I expect I shall be able to hold my own against the enemy."

Yet in dry official language the story is told.

One of the most interesting and touching phases of the war is the story of the troops who have been awarded the Victoria Cross for their bravery.

The Victoria Cross is a decoration which consists of a gold medal with a lion and the name of the recipient and the date of the action for which it was awarded.

The medal is worn on a ribbon of blue and white.

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TRAINS BURIED IN THE SNOW.

As the result of heavy storms at the end of the war, snow lies over six feet deep in some districts of the Lothians, and many rail tracks are blocked.

A train which left Kirkby Stephen, Cumbria, for London today, and the railway east of Kirkby Stephen was closed to traffic yesterday. A military train was also buried in the snow near Harrow.

TURNING SALONIKA INTO A BALKAN GIBRALTAR.

C. CHURCHILL'S RETURN.

Motor Trip To The Coast Ends His Eventful "Leave." 

INTERVIEW WITH THE PREMIER.

ColoneL W. CHURCHILL has returned to France. He left London yesterday. He was not among the small crowd of officers and the larger crowd of "Tommies" that filled the only boat train which left Charing Cross for Folkestone.

The story was the idea of avoiding the crowd at the station, or perhaps it was the promise of the first-spring-like day that induced him to enter to Folkestone. He left his house in Croxley Road shortly before noon, and accompanied by Mrs. Churchill and two friends, he went by car to the place of embarkation.

On Saturday Colonel Churchill called at No. 10, Downing-street, and had an interview with the Prime Minister. What transpired at that interview will doubtless govern Winston's future attitude.

THE KING AND QUEEN AMONG LIMBLESS WARRIORS.

Shakes And Military Salutes With Artificial Hands And Arms,

Many hussars distinguished by their visit of the King and Queen to the Queen Mary Hospital for limbless soldiers and nurses at Rotherham on Saturday—an institution which is solving almost insurmountable things towards equipping some of our front men with artificial limbs that will help them to make another start in life.

100 per week are being successfully employed.

Those who have already been treated.

While waiting for treatment.

The pledge to the married men is to be postponed for a period the calling up of married men summoned to the colours in 1918, as the King and Queen, who were present at the presentation of the Royal Lincolnshire Fusiliers, to whom 23 were presented, have expressed their regret that the Government to deal drastically with large groups. Sheffield, for home defence.

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MAN WHO CAUSED A COLONEL.

By Captain F. D. E. Hoare, of the Royal Horse Artillery, to discuss the Germans trench and unwarped capture a German colonel, a captain and five privates, and bring them back as prisoners to the British lines! Yet this has actually happened in real life! A British Torrey has done it. This is what the Gazette says about him:

"The King and Queen are to be present at the opening of the new hospital for limbless soldiers."

This is stated with the full authority of the King and Queen, whose names are printed under the by-lined heading, "The King and Queen are to be present at the opening of the new hospital for limbless soldiers." The King and Queen are to be present at the opening of the new hospital for limbless soldiers."

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ANOTHER GERMAN "ROAD TO PARIS"

Threat From The Aisne Upon The City Of Rheims.

FRENCH HOLD FORT VAUX.

Complete Failure Of All Attacks On Verdun.

The Verdun battle is exhausting itself in Heavy offensives through Champagne, which already exposed the untruthfulness of losses.

The number of prisoners and amount of booty taken are expected to be much greater than the official claim to have captured Fort Vaux, a series of fruitless offensives, leading only to the loss of life.

In the region to the north of Verdun no infantry action occurred during the day.

The bombardment was rather violent on both sides, leading only to the loss of life.

FRENCH HEAVY ARTILLERY RAGES ENEMY BATTERIES.

Heavy artillery shelled enemy trenches in the vicinity of the Fair Hill and Grenier in the region west of Lochnagar.

On the Pan de l'Asle (Isaac) we wrecked the hostile trenches in the region of Senonnes.

The German official news reports that a German aero-plane, which formed part of the series in Thienhurst, is the eighth aero-plane brought down. But these fell in our lines and two in the German lines.

It is about 150 miles west of Paris.

ATTACK NEAR RHEMS.

The feature of the week-end news is that the enemy is readying a new point on the Aisne, north-west of Rheims.

As the maps show, this is about 150 miles west of Paris.

The objective of this attack, if it is to be developed in strength, is the city of Rheims, which is important for the French communications through Champagne, and is about 80 miles from Paris.

No apprehensions need be felt lest the enemy should seize this or any other road to Paris.

"WE TOOK 26,000 FRENCH PRISONERS."

More Tall Stories In The Berlin Official News.

German Official News.

Via AMSTERDAM, March 12.

North-east of Neufchateau is a small town which was completely destroyed some months and occupied the city.

In the sector west of the Meuse the enemy under-bodies the French in mass attacks against our new positions on the heights west of the river.

In the Western Plain fighting activity is at a standstill.

The number of prisoners and amount of booty officially claimed, is at least twice the losses of the French, as when the Germans said they had captured another 150,000 men and unwounded prisoners, 200 guns among them 15 of heavy caliber and 50 machine-guns.

The final list of the passengers at present total 26,000 men,

In the afternoon, the train was released for the journey to London.

The enemy artillery also brought down an aeroplane in our lines, near Bemboke, in a series of offensives by the specially entered mercenary.

INVASION OF MEXICO BEGUN.

American War Secretary Says Expedition Is A "Defensive One."

WASHINGTON, Saturday.

Several newspapers announce that a positive invasion of Mexico has begun under Brigadier-General York, for early this morning.

If this is true it seems impossible that the War Department is keeping this for strategic reasons.

It is announced officially that three regiments of cavalry have been ordered to the border immediately to serve under General Funston. It is probable that these will replace part of the cavalry now going forward.

The passengers and others on board.

ATTACK ON THE AISNE DEVELOPS.

Artillery Activity The Prelude To The Expected Battle.

North of the Aisne the artillery duel has been very active in the region of the Bois du Buiten, south of the town of Vaux.

On the left bank of the Meuse there was a bombardment of considerable violence in the region of Berlijn.

On the right bank a small German aero-plane was dropped from the slope of the Fair Hill—was easily repelled.

The bombardment continues violent east of the Meuse and in the region of the Fort Vaux, where the enemy since the day before yesterday has been able to reach the plateau commanded by the fort.

In the Western afternoon the German aero-plane preparation the Germans took from us in the course of an attack a small trench near the Aisne road north of St. Eloi.

LIVELY WORK ON BRITISH FRONT.

British Official News.

GERMANY, Homebodies, France.

The enemy spong four minutes and twenty-three seconds, Redoubt, and grenades firing ceased.

Very few casualties and very little damage to our trenches.

All the Allies are still talking about Loos and Bois-Grenier were shelled.

Heavy artillery bombardments by both sides about Ypres.

GERMAN SEAPLANE CHASED OFF NORTH FORELAND.

Enemy Raider Intercepted By British Aeroplanes.

was making for land.

The German machine, which was making for land, went seaward again.

MERCANTILE AUXILIARY SUNK BY MINE.

14 Casualties In Naval Mishap Off The East Coast.

From the Admiralty.

H.M. mercantile fleet auxiliary Fauvette (Lieut.-Commander Henry J. T. Wilson, R.N.R.), has struck a mine off the East Coast.

The casualties were as follows:—

2 officers.

5 men.

A list of the men of the Fauvette reported to have been saved, issued by the Admiralty last night, contains 47 names, of which 30 are members of the specially entered mercenary.

5 a.m. Edition.

NEW RUSSIAN SUCCESS IN PERSIA.

Another Town Captured On The Road To Bagdad.

BLACK SEA FIGHT.

Torpedo-Boat Blown Up By Enemy Submarine Off Varna.

Yet another town on the road to Bagdad has been captured by the Russians.

In addition to the report of the success in Persia the Russian official news says:

On the Black Sea on Thursday two of our torpedo-boats, while patrolling the coast near Varna, were attacked by enemy submarines.

The torpedo-boat Lieutenant Pustchin was blown up.

Part of the crew was rescued by the other torpedo-boat.

RUMANIA COMING TO DECISION.

30,000 Workmen Constructing Trenches Along The Danube.

The Sofia correspondent of the Berlin Fonische Zeitung states that in the Rumanian Government, it will be expected, shortly to come to a decision in respect of Bulgaria, and that the decision will be favorable to the Entente.

The Rumanian Minister for Bulgaria is reported to have said to Sofia with instructions from his Government which it is generally considered, that he desires to decide the future relations of Bulgaria and Rumania.

The correspondent admits that Rumania is now closer than ever to the Allies—Exchange.

RUMANIANS "MASSACRED."

— MILAN, Sunday.

A telegram from the Corriere della sera from Sofia says that Rumanian soldiers have been massacred in the Danube near芜湖, and attacked and killed after they had landed and had killed thirty thousand Rumanian workmen, who are considered by the Bulgarian military circles and moves of Rumanian troops towards the Black Sea.

(Ifanin is the Rumanian railhead opposite the Bulgarian port of Sinop.)

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A telegram from Ruisskoye to-day states an agreement has been concluded between Rumania and Russia whereby the latter undertakes to allow the German vessels of Rumania to pass through Roumania, eventually providing her with the same.

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CAMPAGNNS AT A GLANCE

Varna Report.—German attacks slacken; bombardments continued. Vaux still hold by the French.

On the Aisne.—New German bombardment north-west of Rheims and south-west of Paris.

Pardise Telegraph.—Kriif, 150 miles from Bagdad.

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The Hun with the revolver (despairingly): "It's no good, sir— it's no good! We can't stop her mouth this way— it is not a mere English nurse this time!"— (Copyright by Wilt Dycus.)

Special constables from Ilford, Barking and neighbouring districts at a special church parade at Goodmayes. At St. Luke's Church, the Rev. Hector W. Londor, minister of the Year of All Saints, also is a special constable.
Four Hall Hats

At last the rawness and general beatitude of the past few days has dissipated and the spring, when young men used to fall in line, now takes part in great offensives instead, seems to have made its reappearance. Yesterday, at any rate, was quite agreeable. I ran into a red Church Parade for the first time in many months. The prevailing colour among the women was mauve, and only four men could I count wearing brown. So it was Lord Arthur Hill, tall, and grey-moustached. The non-combatants

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P. is in Piccadilly. VIOLENTLY was indisciplined full of military pomone. Why this should be so on a Sunday morning I cannot imagine, but the caps were all over the place, and their wearers there were certain men who will not take more forcibly than our more familiar friend the hobby in blue. They looked as if they would shoot at sight any recalcitrant Tommy, and glory in the deed.

Concerning Churches

San Juan's, Piccadilly, disgorged a smartly-dressed, easy-dresser crowd (Princo's is quite handy as I was passing. It has always been a fashionable church, but St. Mark's, North Audley-street, Chrish Church, Down-street, the incumbent is the witty Canon Hilliard, who has sons and daughters on the stages, the groover Chapel, and St. Paul's, King's-church. Well, those were the three that Bernard Vaughan, of course, invariably attracts huge congregations to the well-to-do farm-street or elsewhere.

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Rumors of discontent among the men of the Allied forces, especially in the case of the Portuguese non-combatants, have raised the possibility of a mutiny. The Portuguese Minister in London, who has been in touch with his Government, has indicated that he is preparing for the worst. The British Government has been informed of the situation and is taking appropriate measures to prevent any outbreak of violence. The Portuguese Minister's statement suggests that the situation is becoming increasingly serious, and that the British Government must act quickly to prevent a full-scale mutiny.

The Non-Combatants.

What a happy time there is in front of the non-Combitant Corps! Can't you imagine how Army will play with you. It is a long way ahead, and the troops of the front they will deal with their past, present and future on parades, parties, and hunger, and they behind the lines. The men and women, and their officers will be engaged in the task of organizing the rear. The man in the front.

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Americans After A Domenickino. American buyers are, I hear, after the famous painting, "Saint Catharine of Alexandria," the British-owned Domenickino, which was discovered accidentally in a French chateau some years ago.

So Suitable?

One hears strange things about War Office appointments. I was told recently of a failure engineer who was being advertised for, and thought that with his credentials he might get a post. But they said that they couldn't think of anything for him. The reason given is the superior inferiority of greenery.

Winston Back To The Front.

Winston has gone back to the front, so states the English press. He mend his way to London’s in their boots, and they are up against the stiffest pro-

The Authors And The Acting.

Bunrally Bevan, whose portrait is here for you, to look at, has done nothing better than to conclude his interview with the question that he was asked whether he had ever lost an election. "Don't ask me," was his reply. "There are good boys and bad boys, and I'm a good boy.

Dramatic Literature.

I'm not going to forgive or remember praise or blame unless anybody can prove that "Kultur At Home," is. I think, the most interesting play now upon the boards. It is a play which deals with the idea of socialism and its effect on society. The dramatic literature the war has caused, although several dramas of greater fame have vanished, such as "The War Play," "The Golden Virgin Goddess,"" and "The Will of the People," is not necessarily dead. It is a play which deals with the idea of socialism and its effect on society. The dramatic literature the war has caused, although several dramas of greater fame have vanished, such as "The War Play," "The Golden Virgin Goddess,"" and "The Will of the People," is not necessarily dead. It is a play which deals with the idea of socialism and its effect on society. The dramatic literature the war has caused, although several dramas of greater fame have vanished, such as "The War Play," "The Golden Virgin Goddess,"" and "The Will of the People," is not necessarily dead. It is a play which deals with the idea of socialism and its effect on society. The dramatic literature the war has caused, although several dramas of greater fame have vanished, such as "The War Play," "The Golden Virgin Goddess,"" and "The Will of the People," is not necessarily dead. It is a play which deals with the idea of socialism and its effect on society. The dramatic literature the war has caused, although several dramas of greater fame have vanished, such as "The War Play," "The Golden Virgin Goddess,"" and "The Will of the People," is not necessarily dead. It is a play which deals with the idea of socialism and its effect on society. The dramatic literature the war has caused, although several dramas of greater fame have vanished, such as "The War Play," "The Golden Virgin Goddess,"" and "The Will of the People," is not necessarily dead. It is a play which deals with the idea of socialism and its effect on society. The dramatic literature the war has caused, although several dramas of greater fame have vanished, such as "The War Play," "The Golden Virgin Goddess,"" and "The Will of the People," is not necessarily dead."
British nurses with the Eastern Mediterranean Force watching a quiet game of cards. The Red Cross sister is a real good pal to Tommy.—(Official Photo.)

KILLED IN THE VAN.

Left to right: Martin Ricci, Dolly Holmes-Gore, Marianne Caldwell, A. E. George, Malcolm Cherry, and Rosalie Toller. Scenes from the latest war-play, "Kultur at Home," by Rudolf Besier and Mrs. John Spottiswoode, produced at the Court Theatre by Otho Stuart on Saturday. It deals with the marriage of a young Englishwoman with a German lieutenant.

ON CHANGE AT SALONIKA.

An Indian soldier at Salonika exchanges money with a Greek labourer. With beat, the currency rates.—(Official Photograph.)

JACK AT PRAYER IN A DOCKYARD CHURCH.

Having no naval chaplain aboard their ship the bluejackets attend Sunday service at a dockyard church, whose walls bear many tributes to naval heroes of the past.

"Kultur At Home."

Rosalie Toller as the English girl, and Malcolm Cherry as her Prussian soldier husband.

A RE-UNION WAR DINNER.

Major Hoare, Captain Hoare, and Lieut. Hoare of Fleet-street, who celebrated a happy re-union. Story on news page.

HARROW

Lieut.-Col. E. Fremantle take a look.

ADMIRALS

Vice-Admiral de Robeck Fremantle take a look.

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CHILDREN GIVE A LEAD TO CABINET.

While the Government are preaching economy—and in many of their departments still wasting material—children are being taught to prevent waste. These London County Council scholars are using up stumps of pencils by placing them in paper holders they have been taught to make.

At a Croydon school the children make their own practical economy suggestions. Many good resolutions appear on the blackboard.

CHILDREN KEEP THE HOME FIRES BURNING BY ACTING AS CARTERS.

Acting-Corporal J. Ellingham, 5th Rifle Brigade, a Northampton man, is also among the new D.C.M.'s. By rapid fire and constantly changing his position he fooled the Germans into thinking a trench was strongly occupied, whereas it was only held by four men.

Sergeant H. Powell, 7th London Regiment, another D.C.M., during the battle of Loos laid 400 yards of wire under heavy fire.

Lance-Cpl. H. W. Moore, Gloucester Territorials, won the D.C.M. by fighting his way with his fists to deliver a message.

THE ‘GHOST’ IN THE DUG-OUT.

Corporal F. G. Cousin, D.C.M., Royal Engineers, of Durham. He won the medal for entering a German dug-out unarmed, and capturing a colonel, a captain, and five Hun privates. So unexpected was his appearance that they thought he was a ghost.
Caine's new play, "The Phony Hand."
TO MAKE AT HOME:

**Daily Sketch Pattern 1,020—a little girl's frock.**

A picturesque yet simple and practical little frock for a girl of from 0 to 6 years is the subject of *Daily Sketch* Pattern 1,020. While it would look well in woolen materials, velvet or silk, the little frock is equally suitable for washing fabrics, so that the pattern is especially valuable one at this season, when the home dressmaker must start well ahead with the clothes for warmer weather.

Exclusively designed for the *Daily Sketch*, the pattern is obtainable only from the Pattern Department, *Daily Sketch*, London, E.C., price 6d., or 7d. post free. Applicants should ask for Pattern 1,020.

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**How to Treat your Hair and Complexion.**

**A Few Simple Beauty Hints.**

By Mdlle. GABY DESLYS, the well-known Parisian Actress.

You ask me for a few hints on the treatment of the hair and complexion. Well, the less treatment you give the skin the better. I do not believe much in massage, but a little cream to the face is necessary to counteract the effects of wind or sun. What cream would I recommend? Well, I advise you to use a little mercerized wax every night and again in the morning after washing the face. Rub it gently into the skin, then wipe off any superfluous wax and dust a little herringbone over the face. You will find that this will be the only "treatment" necessary and will keep your face fresh and youthful-looking all your life. The mercerized wax removes all the dead water skin, so that you have always a fair, fresh complexion like a girl.

For the hair, the first and most important thing is a good shampoo. Never use anything inferior to wash the hair with. Get some good strollax from your chemist and use a transparentful of hot water. Then rinse the hair well and it will look bright and glossy.

When the hair is inclined to fall out more than it should, and is always good to use during the spring and autumn. Then the hair needs a little—what do you call it?—stimulant, and for this I would advise you to get a packet of boraxine and make up a little strong solution, then rub this into the roots and it will not only stop the fall, but make your hair grow long and thick.

**Blackheads Fly Away.**

**Instantaneous Remedy for Blackheads, Greasy Skin, and Enlarged Pores.**

A practically instantaneous remedy for blackheads, greasy skins and enlarged pores, recently discovered, is now coming into general use in the boudoir. It is very simple, harmless and pleasant. Drop a styptic tablet, obtained at the chemists, in a tumbler full of hot water. After the effervescence has subsided bathe the face in few times at intervals of four or five days to ensure the permanence of the result.

**Grey Hair—Home Remedy.**

**An old-fashioned Recipe restores Youthful Appearance.**

There are plenty of reasons why grey hair is not desirable and plenty of reasons why hair dyes should not be used. But, on the other hand, there is no reason why you should have grey hair if you do not want it. To turn the hair back to a natural colour is really a very simple matter. One has only to get from the chemist two ounces of concentrate of tannin and mix it with climbing wort. Apply to the hair with a small sponge for a few nights and the greyness will gradually disappear. This liquid is not sticky or greasy and does not injure the hair in any way. It has been used for generations with most satisfactory results by those who have known the formula.

**To Kill Roots of Superfluous Hair.**

**The most Effective Formula ever Discovered.**

Women annoyed with disagreeing growths of hair to the objectionable hair growth. The recommended treatment is designed not only to instantly remove the hair, but also to actually kill the roots so that the growth will not return. About an ounce of pheminol, obtainable from the chemist, should be sufficient.

**Good News For Fat People.**

**Something New In Obesity Cures.**

A London chemist says: "The latest method of reducing obesity is caused by their action, and convenient than all previous methods. It consists merely in eating clynol berries. The fat person who wants to reduce without the usual rigid diet, exercise, sweating baths, etc., now puts a few of these little brown berries in his or her pocket and eats three or four each day. Clynol berries not only eliminate fat from the body, but also correct the tendency, which is usually constitutional, to create fatty tissue. No discomfort is caused by their action, in fact, except for the loss of superfluous fat, and the feeling of "fitness" so created, you would not be aware that these little berries were doing their work. Local enquiry shows that clynol berries are not very well known in England, but the demand is increasing daily, and any chemist can quickly supply them if specially requested to do so."—Advt.

**"Saved a lot of anxiety."**

D.E. Fly, Palamum District, India, July 22nd, 1913.

Mrs. W. WOODWARD & Co., Chemists, Chaucer St., Nottingham.

Dear Sirs,—By mere chance I came to know the value of Woodward's Gripe Water. I have given it to my baby from its infancy, and I assure you it has saved me a lot of anxiety. It is excellent for immediate relief in griping pain, etc., and is also a very good preventive.

She now hearing two years of age, the Gripe Water, as it has proved such a valuable friend, and I can only put down her easy feeding due to the Gripe Water. You may insert this, as I would wish the public to know its value.

Yours faithfully, Mrs. W. WALLACE.

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Brentford (Browns, Gordon, Pfeffer) 1, Crayford Common Arnolds 2,1.

Chelsea (J. Thompson, T. Stroton, 11, L. G. Hall, 11) 2, Crystal Palace (Hayden, Martin, Locket, 11, Slipp, 11) 1, Whetstone 1.

Crystal Palace 1, Crystal Palace 2.

Crawley (A. Robinson, G. Allen, 11) 1, Crystal Palace 1.

Gateshead (W. St. John, 11) 1, W. H. Prisoners 2,4.

Huddersfield Town (Huddle, 11, Ellis) 1, Yorks (Bradley) 2,1.

Leicester (Pimstone, Walton, H. White) 1.

Leyton 1, Leyton 1.

Mansfield 1, Mansfield 1.

Mortimore 1, Morton 1.

Norwich 1, Norwich 1.

Pimstone 1, Pimstone 1.

Reading 2, Reading 1.

Sheffield United (W. Sheppard, 11, R. H. A. 1, Granby) 1, E. and E. 1.

Stoke 0, Stoke 0.

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Swinton 1, Huddersfield 4.

Wengers 1, Ubexford 2.

WEST MIDLAND SECTION.

Albion 1, Albion 1.

Birmingham 1, Birmingham 1.

Blackburn 1, Blackburn 1.

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Bolton 1, Bolton 1.

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Wolverhampton 1, Wolverhampton 1.

SOUTH MIDLAND SECTION.

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Charnwood 1, Charnwood 1.

Derby 1, Derby 1.

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"Sheila! Sheila! Where have you been?"

"At the green lighted room, dear Meg," said Sheila in a bewildered voice as she ran into the arms of her mother in a strange room.

"You! My dear! You've been to the green lighted room!"

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