

SOLDIERS QUITE FRIENDLY

Frenchmen and Germans Quite Neighborly Outside of Battle.

HAVE JOILY TARGET SHOTS

Trenches Are So Close Together That Competitors Have Nice Visits—Achieve Division of Rabbits Shot.

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)
THE HAGUE, Dec. 2.—When a battle is not in progress the best of feeling appears to exist between the French and German soldiers, who for two months have faced one another in the long line between Neuport and Belfort.

So close are the camps to each other that it is possible for the two forces to exchange words. They indulge in good natured contests, such as shooting at spade targets, with no intention of hitting anyone, and competition for hares which run between the lines.

A French soldier writes of these amusements:

"A target is painted on a spade and moved through our trench in such a way that it shows about two feet above the ground. The Germans shoot at it. With a stick we indicate the results of their fire and when one hits the bull's-eye, he is rewarded with the waving of a French flag."

"There is another sort of target practice, which is very popular. The region around us is full of cabbage fields and the cabbage fields are full of hares and rabbits. These hares sometimes cross our own private meadow. Immediately both trenches are all alive. Long sounding volleys follow the poor little beast. He takes a graceful somersault, throws his ears up in the air and falls a martyr to Europe's militarism."

Time to Divide Spoils.

"Then comes the time to divide our spoils. If Brer Rabbit expires on the German half the custom of the country prescribes that a German may leave the trenches and get the prize. That day the German came dwellers eat 'hasenbraten.' If the animal dies on our side we delegate a man to fetch him and we eat 'lievre farci.' But if he should die near inconsiderately right on the line then there is trouble. We both wish to eat the animal while a hot fire is opened and we run the risk of being killed by friend as well as by enemy."

"The other day we did not know on which side of the line a hare had died. We looked out of our trenches and the Germans fired. The Germans peeped around the corner and we fired. Finally a shout of 'abstention' took the matter in hand. A loud German voice called out 'tobacco.' We thought that the proposal was fair. One of our men showed the Germans three packages of cigarettes. Then he climbed out of the trench and walked to the dead hare. He deposited his cigarettes and took the hare. Then he returned. The German came and took the tobacco. Five minutes later the Germans were smoking and we were preparing our stew."

The camps frequently entertain each other with singing. And perhaps a few moments later the efforts of both sides will turn to whistling bullets about one another's heads.

LES HIBOUX GIVE ANNUAL BANQUET AT HOTEL ROME

The Les Hiboux gave their eighth annual banquet at the Hotel Rome on Saturday evening. Howard Granden, of the senior members, held the chair of toastmaster. Paul Flotow gave a welcome to the alumni. Charles Perriego, George Grimes and Robert Thompson also responded to toasts. The banquet was in charge of Kenyon Smith, Walter Chamberlain and Thomson Wakely. Those present were:

Robert Loomis
George Grimes
Vergil Rector
Leo McShane
Richard Jones
Raymond White
Robert Durkin
Harold Gifford
Harold Hart
Arthur Kloppe
Morton Wakely
Robert Wood
Isaac Carpenter, Jr.
Guy Wood
Lester Kloppe
Richard Fayre
David Hervey
Harvey Nelson
Paul Flotow
Kenyon Smith
Charles Perriego
Howard Granden
Walter Chamberlain
Burton Howard
Robert Buckingham
Bernie Holmquist
Edward Chamberlain
Richard Peters
Obert Booth

FOURTH ANNUAL BANQUET IS GIVEN BY THE "T. K.'S"

The Trails Kaleka gave the fourth annual banquet at the Henshaw on Saturday evening. A large number of the alumni was present. The banquet was in charge of Clayton Nichols, Frank Campbell and Donald Shepard. Those present were:

Ralph Campbell
Parry Simms
Fred Bultho
Herman Kohst
Walter Jones
Roy Porter
S. M. Nichols
John Drexel
Robert Edwards
Wallace Shepard
Mahmud Berry
Ellsworth Meier
Herbert Davis
Russell Larmon
Donald Hall
Harry Menold

WILL OF JOHN A. DEMPSTER LEAVES ESTATE TO FAMILY

The will of the late John A. Dempster, department commander of the Nebraska Grand Army of the Republic, filed for probate, bequeaths all of his real estate in Douglas county to his wife, Mary E. Dempster, for life and after her death to his five children.

Farms in other counties in Nebraska are divided among Mr. Dempster's children. His Knight Templar uniform is given to his son, John H. Dempster.

Tommy's Joke.
His name was Tommy, and he came home from school looking so down in the mouth that mother asked him severely what was the matter.

"Out of his little trousers pocket he fished a note from the teacher which said: 'Tommy has been a very naughty boy.' Please have a serious talk with him."

"What did you do?" asked mother.
"Nothing," sobbed Tommy. "She asked a question, and I was the only one who could answer it."

"I'm," murmured mother. "What was the question?"
"Who put the dead mouse in her desk drawer?" answered Tommy.—Philadelphia Record.

Nebraska

PERU COMMERCIAL CLUB WILL ENTERTAIN LEGISLATORS

PERU, Neb., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The Peru Commercial club will give a banquet to members of the legislature from this section of Nebraska, Wednesday evening. A number of leading senators and representatives and prominent men from other parts of the state have also been invited. H. C. Richmond of Omaha has promised to be present, as has State Superintendent elect A. O. Thomas. The plan is to have these people see Peru and its outlook as it really is; also to see the normal needs at first hand.

The Knights of Pythias lodge had quite a revival the last week. It has added about a dozen members lately. Last week it had an excellent banquet at which eighty people were present.

Fletcher Neal and Miss Orrel Forsyth were united in marriage Thursday noon by Rev. C. A. Carman of the Baptist church. Mr. Neal has lived here all his life, as has Miss Forsyth.

NORMAN GETS HIGHEST VOTE FOR POSTMASTER

OXFORD, Neb., Dec. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—In the democratic primary for reelection to Congressman-elect Shallenberger, T. O. Norman received seventy-one votes, C. L. Anderson, twenty and L. W. Daniels, eighteen, for postmaster here.

HYMENEAL

GLENWOOD, Ia., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—Walter C. Magshall and Miss Beale Dill were married by Rev. Fred Long of the local Congregational church, Christmas evening, at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. J. L. Bellatti. Mrs. Marshall has been for several years a teacher in the Glenwood schools, and her place will be difficult to fill. Mr. Marshall is one of Glenwood's best known business men. They left for the west on a honeymoon trip and on their return will be at home here.

News Notes from West Point.
WEST POINT, Neb., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The West Point Milling company today shipped 100 sacks of flour, the donation of the citizens of West Point, to Belgian sufferers.

News has reached the city of the marriage at Pierce, Neb., of Otto Prawitz and Miss Alice Ayers, which occurred Wednesday morning at that place. The newly married pair will make their home on the Prawitz farm, north of West Point.

Henry Rasmus, a young farmer of this vicinity, was married to Mrs. Isabella Belter of the east side, by County Judge Dewald at his office Friday afternoon. The bride is the widow of the late Charles Belter. They will live on their farm in Cumming township.

Marriage licenses have been issued during the week to the following: Anton Stieren and Miss Mary Rolf, Henry Rasmus and Miss Isabella Belter.

Mulet Fight in Crawford.
DENISON, Ia., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The Crawford county board of supervisors, having completed a canvass of the names from the mulet law suit petition which was presented, will convene on Monday for the purpose of hearing arguments from the attorneys of the wet and dry sides and determining action. The drys have absolute confidence that while the board, made up of a majority of men favorable to the continuance of the saloons, may decide to give that side the benefit of a doubt, that the district court and supreme court will decide that the petition is faulty in many ways. With the failure of the present petition the saloons have one year yet to run under their old permit.

Notes from Tecumseh.
TECUMSEH, Neb., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—Miss Daisy Minner and Howard Lawrence, well known young people of this city, were married here Friday. They have gone to Oklahoma on a wedding trip, but will continue to reside in Tecumseh.

During the last week or two five cases for divorce have been filed in the Johnson county district court. They are: Joseph Thompson against Daniel C. Thompson, Dora Weber against Dr. Weber, Dora M. Buehler against Frederick Buehler, Mary A. Pierce against Rufus Pierce and Frances Berghahn against William C. Berghahn.

Rogers-Gahagen.
FAIRBURY, Neb., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—A quiet December wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Griffith, northeast of Fairbury, Thursday night when the latter's sister, Miss Lela Gahagen, was married to Frank Rogers. Rev. S. J. Megaw of the Presbyterian church officiated and the ceremony was witnessed by immediate friends and relatives of the contracting parties. The groom is the youngest son of Mrs. J. W. Rogers and has resided here for the last eleven years. The bride is a Jefferson county school teacher and a daughter of Byron Gahagen of Denver. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers will go to housekeeping on a farm north of Fairbury.

Big Fire at Schleswig.
DENISON, Ia., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—Three of the leading business buildings of Schleswig, Ia., were burned to the ground on Christmas night. The fire was discovered at 2 in the morning. Owing to intense cold the water works were frozen up and, thus, unavailable. The buildings were at the north end of the town, including property owned by Jargon Schroneder and the general merchandise stock of Albert Stoltenberg, which was a total loss. The total damage was some \$50,000.

Table Book Notes.
TABLE ROCK, Neb., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The body of Fred Barker, a pioneer of this county, who recently died at his home at Upton, Wyo., was brought here for burial. He was about 60 years old. The stockholders of the Pawnee County Fair association has elected the following officers: W. T. Parkinson, president; Frank Vertlake, vice president; C. A. Schappel, secretary; Frank L. Bennett, treasurer; directors, F. A. Barton, Titus Davis, William Lech, W. M. Pyle, D. E. Wherry and W. W. Wolford.

Coronast Disease in Jefferson.
FAIRBURY, Neb., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The dreaded coronast disease has reached Jefferson county and a number of farmers living in Richland precinct, north of Fairbury, six miles, have experienced heavy losses. Henry Robinson, a prosperous farmer, in that neighborhood, lost four valuable horses suddenly from the ravages of the coronast disease.

Nebraska

SEVENTY-EIGHT OF THEM HAVE HAD NO PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE.

REPUBLICANS ARE IN CONTROL

Practical Certainty that Justin Barry of Linn County Will Be Chosen Speaker of Lower Chamber.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
DES MOINES, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—Of the 108 members of the Iowa house that will meet within two weeks, seventy-eight of them have had no previous legislative experience. This is perhaps the largest proportion of entirely new members on record in the history of the members of the last legislature did not seek re-election, others failed in the primary; the chief reason for the large mortality being the storm, which was stirred up by some special interests, when the excellent legislation of the last session was being enacted. One of the greatest causes of trouble for the old members was the passage of the highway law, which at first was very unpopular, because of misrepresentation of its purposes, but which could not now be repealed.

Of the members of the house there is an actual majority who class themselves as farmers. The republicans, on the other hand, are in a minority, but by reason of having more than two-thirds of the membership, are somewhat poorly equipped for floor leadership. It is almost certain that Justin Barry of Linn county, will be selected as speaker of the house. He is quiet and conservative and has never been very active in politics. But the leadership of important committees is another matter of great importance the solution of which is not clear.

In the senate there are nearly three-fourths of the members, who have had legislative experience in other sessions; and the senate is more likely to be conservative on almost every possible question.

It is expected that the members will begin to arrive in Des Moines early next week for various conferences.

Governor at Work on Message.
Governor Clarke has been at work, at least 40 hours, on his first message to the legislature, which must be ready by about January 1. He covered such a large field of legislative business that he will need but to repeat his former recommendations and make a few additions shown by experience to be advisable. He will not need to recommend again in such positive terms for the long agitated and much needed capitol grounds extension; but can report on actual progress made in accord with the plans laid and adopted by the last legislature.

DEATH RECORD.

Arthur S. Ferrell.
EDGEWATER, S. D., Dec. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Arthur S. Ferrell, president and manager of the Hill City Lumber company and county commissioner of Fall River county, died at his ranch a mile out of Edgewater shortly before noon today. He had been ill for some weeks. The funeral will be held here Monday. He was well known in business and political circles in this part of the state.

A Bruise or Cut.
Is rendered antiseptic by Bucklen's Arnica Salve, a sure remedy for sores, bruises, piles, eczema. See All druggists.—Advertisement.

Bee Want Ads Produce Results.

Notes From Omaha's Suburbs

Benson.
Arthur Vass is at home from Kansas for the holidays.
Guy Killian of Sterling, Colo., is at home for two weeks.

Miss Beale Dill has gone to Peru for the vacation from school.
Miss Elizabeth Selling spent Christmas with relatives at Wisner, Neb.

J. H. Berry is spending the holidays with relatives at Bellevue, Neb.
Mrs. J. L. Peake has returned from the Methodist hospital much improved.

Daughters were born this week in the McNeil and Luther Johnson families.
Conrad Swanson went to Rochester, Minn., last week for a surgical operation.

The Glenn Park Lutheran church held its Christmas tree program last evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Chris Feide were recent visitors at the John Aye home at Elk-horn.

Miss Lucille Wiener will visit in Fairbury and in Fairview, Neb., during the vacation.
Miss Beulah Byars, a teacher, is spending the ten days' vacation at her home in Valley.

Miss June Grove and Clara Norby are home for the holidays from Wesleyan university.
Mrs. E. Holub and children have gone to Tyndall, S. D., where they will visit her parents.

Roy Young is spending his vacation from the university at his home on Evans street.
Eller and Agnes Nissen of Aurora, Neb., are visiting their sister, Mrs. Dan Westergaard.

Dr. Mills of Omaha will preach Sunday evening at the Baptist church. Miss Jessie Moulthrop will sing.
E. A. Steiger has gone to Thayer, Mo., for a short visit at the home of his brother, George Steiger.

Leslie Hammond, a recent visitor at the J. C. Edwards home has returned to his home in Chattanooga, Okl.
The Women's club will give its annual watch party on New Year's eve at the home of Mrs. Mead at Clinton hill.

Misses Alma and Mildred Heinzelmann of Lyons have returned home from visiting at the H. Heinzelmann home in Glenn park.
A large house party is being entertained during the holiday season by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Welch at Cherrycroft farm.

Chris Lyck was presented with a gold chain and charm by the Benson Danish Brotherhood in appreciation of recent services.
Miss Margaret Fedde, domestic science teacher at the State University farm, is spending her vacation with her parents on their farm at Ames, Ia.

Benson volunteer firemen give their annual New Year's eve ball with elaborate preparations this year. Out-of-town firemen are expected to be present.

Dundee.
Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Chickerling had ten guests for Christmas dinner.
Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hart entertained at a family dinner Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sunderland had twelve guests at Christmas dinner.
Miss Lulu W. of Kearney, spent Christmas with Miss Olive Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Ramezale entertained eight guests at Christmas dinner.
Mrs. Kate Smith of Nebraska city was the guest for Christmas of her daughter, Mrs. C. R. Dodds.

Senator and Mrs. Norris Brown and their daughters are spending the holidays in Des Moines.
Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Anson entertained at a family dinner party Christmas.

Covers were laid for twelve guests at a Kensington last Saturday in honor of Mrs. F. E. Mayer of Chicago.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hart of Atkinson, Neb., were guests part of the week of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Crossman.

Miss Julia Rafferty and Miss Eva Hunt of Chicago are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beaton.
A number of affairs were given during the week for Miss Margaret Peterson, whose marriage takes place Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Westerveld entertained at dinner last Saturday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Jagers of Chicago.
A son was born last Friday to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Palmer of Sioux City, and is the first child of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Palmer.

Mrs. Henry C. Van Gleason had her usual Christmas tree celebration for those of her children that live with her grandchildren, who were here.
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Compton, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Compton and Miss Marian Compton of South seventh and W. streets, at Christmas dinner of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Crosby.

Miss Lucy Harte entertained at a mai-

NEW MEN IN IOWA HOUSE

Seventy-Eight of Them Have Had No Previous Experience.

REPUBLICANS ARE IN CONTROL

Practical Certainty that Justin Barry of Linn County Will Be Chosen Speaker of Lower Chamber.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
DES MOINES, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—Of the 108 members of the Iowa house that will meet within two weeks, seventy-eight of them have had no previous legislative experience. This is perhaps the largest proportion of entirely new members on record in the history of the members of the last legislature did not seek re-election, others failed in the primary; the chief reason for the large mortality being the storm, which was stirred up by some special interests, when the excellent legislation of the last session was being enacted. One of the greatest causes of trouble for the old members was the passage of the highway law, which at first was very unpopular, because of misrepresentation of its purposes, but which could not now be repealed.

Of the members of the house there is an actual majority who class themselves as farmers. The republicans, on the other hand, are in a minority, but by reason of having more than two-thirds of the membership, are somewhat poorly equipped for floor leadership. It is almost certain that Justin Barry of Linn county, will be selected as speaker of the house. He is quiet and conservative and has never been very active in politics. But the leadership of important committees is another matter of great importance the solution of which is not clear.

In the senate there are nearly three-fourths of the members, who have had legislative experience in other sessions; and the senate is more likely to be conservative on almost every possible question.

It is expected that the members will begin to arrive in Des Moines early next week for various conferences.

Governor at Work on Message.
Governor Clarke has been at work, at least 40 hours, on his first message to the legislature, which must be ready by about January 1. He covered such a large field of legislative business that he will need but to repeat his former recommendations and make a few additions shown by experience to be advisable. He will not need to recommend again in such positive terms for the long agitated and much needed capitol grounds extension; but can report on actual progress made in accord with the plans laid and adopted by the last legislature.

His recommendations in regard to betterment of the laws as to highway administration were enacted into law and also much of what he urged as to betterment of county government. The plan for a public utilities commission will be worked out, if possible, and a law be secured on that subject.

The State Board of Education is asking for a large addition to funds annually available for handling the work of the colleges. The Board of Control is more modest and desires but little. There will be demand for funds for some new institutions. Various departments of the state will ask for increase of funds. The problem of supplying additional funds will be one of the hardest to be tackled by the men of the legislature.

There will be very little change in the state offices the first of the year as only one new state officer comes in and he makes only partial change in the office force.

Banks Are Prosperous.
The reports of dividends by local banks made at the close of the year show they have been prosperous, dividends paid running from 8 to 15 per cent for the year. The highest dividend yet recorded was voted by the directors of the Home Savings bank. The bank duplicated its first of last year and paid 18 per cent dividends. Its earnings for the year reached 27 per cent. The stockholders received their checks in the morning mail today.

Every bank in the city paid the usual dividend. Several annual meetings have already been held, but many banks will assemble their directors next week before 1915 is formally ushered in before sending out the little engraved slips.

The Central State bank will pay 10 per cent dividends and the Iowa National is scheduled to distribute its usual 12 per cent. The Des Moines National will pay 10 per cent. The other banks also will vote dividends ranging from 8 to 12 per cent.

Study of Child Welfare.
The recommendation to the State Board of Education some time ago by Dr. MacBride, president of the state university, is being taken up by the women of the state and a concerted movement will be made to have an appropriation for the study of child welfare. Prof. Seashore, of the state university, is making a study of the question and urges that steps be taken for adding the new department. He states that there has been great progress in the sciences that bear on the welfare of the children—particularly in the line of preventive medicine, dentistry, home economics, sociology, education and psychology. It is proposed to establish at Iowa City a bureau well equipped for this work and to co-operate with the club women of the state.

Better Farming for Iowa.
In a paper before the quarterly conference of institutions Prof. L. W. Foreman of the state college at Ames, has outlined some of the things needful for better results on farms of Iowa. He said that the agricultural interests of the state are passing through a critical stage

in their development. The methods used by our fathers were adequate for the demands of the time, but present conditions demand modification. Originally the most essential plant food elements experienced a limited drain. The farmer originally did not expect any considerable competition, therefore the soil was not heavily drawn upon. It has been natural for the second generation to follow the methods used by their fathers. Improved machinery has cut the cost of production and lightened manual labor. He pointed out that intensive methods without addition of fertilizing materials tended to deplete soil fertility. The large cultivated areas are not sufficiently tilled, less acreage of better tilled land should be practiced. The factors of primary importance are, nitrogen, humus, lime and phosphorus. Two needs are most apparent: First, The need of better tillage on smaller tracts of cultivated lands, and the addition of more organic matter to keep up the humus supply. Second, The need of systematic cropping of all cultivated areas. Some of the benefits are: Nitrogen and humus increased, insect and weeds decreased and farm labor better distributed. No plan of rotation can in itself keep up soil fertility.

Caring for Quail in Iowa.
Elephant quail, imported into Iowa from all parts of the country, are being cared for at the state fair grounds by E. C. Hineshaw, state game warden. The first large shipment was received Thursday of this week, and other consignments are expected every few days for several weeks. The birds will be well cared for and early in the spring will be shipped to all parts of Iowa for restocking game preserves and large farms, where the quail can propagate its kind under the most favorable conditions.

RICH CARROLL LAND OWNER DIES AGED SEVENTY-TWO

CARROLL, Ia., Dec. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—M. A. Hoyt, one of the earliest settlers of Carroll and one of the largest land owners in this county, died this morning, aged 72. He had been ill about four weeks. His principal ailment was pneumonia.

Mr. Hoyt came to Carroll shortly after the town started, in 1881, and entered the hardware business, in which he laid the foundation for a fortune estimated at \$1,000,000. He owned 5,000 acres of land within a radius of thirty-five miles of Carroll.

As a private money lender he is supposed to have outstanding notes of several hundred thousand dollars. He was an over-conservative man, and never caught up with the world with electric lights, telephones or automobiles. His chief and only diversion was Masonry, being active and liberal in lodge affairs.

He survived by his widow, daughter and son.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

See Want Ads Are the Best Business Read Daily by People in Search of Advertised Opportunities.

WILL NOT SIGN PEACE APPEAL

Archbishop of Canterbury and German Chaplain Refuse Signatures.

WANT THE WAR TO A FINISH

Minister of the Gospel of English Nation Says "Only Peace Desired to Be Founded on Triumphant Demonstration."

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)
LONDON, Dec. 2.—The archbishop of Canterbury and Dr. Brydner, the German court chaplain, have refused to sign an appeal addressed to the Christian churches urging them, among other things, "seriously to keep peace before their eyes in order that bloodshed soon may cease."

The appeal has been signed by many prominent divines including Bishop Greer of New York and Bishop Tuttle of St. Louis. But, although both the Anglican prelate and the German doctor of divinity are in entire accord with the sentiments, as the correspondence just published makes plain, in devoutly hoping God may ordain that peace shall soon be restored, each is of the opinion, apparently, that the only peace to be desired is that founded on the triumphant demonstration of the righteousness of his country's cause.

The archbishop writes: "You may be certain that at the first moment when it seems to me that an opening is presented for securing a righteous and enduring peace I shall do my utmost to urge it, but I am clear that that moment, greatly as we long for it, has not yet come."

"The conflict which has been forced upon Europe (I impute no motive but merely state a fact) must, I fear, now that it has begun, proceed for the bringing to an issue the fundamental moral principles of faithfulness to a nation's obligation to its solemnly plighted word. The recognition of the moral validity of such an obligation is fundamental to the maintenance of peace and progress among the nations of the world."

Dr. Brydner takes strong exception to a paragraph of the appeal which reads: "The tangle of underlying and active causes which accumulate in the course of time, and the proximate events which led to the breaking of peace, are left to history to unravel." He declares it would be impossible for him to sign that statement. He writes:

"History will certainly show to us in a different light much that we can now see through the dark clouds of dust arising from the arena of the present struggle. But that history will show only all the clearer—as has been done already—the righteousness of our cause, upon this firm conviction of ours are founded our good conscience, our confidence and our resolution in the terrible distress of the present time. * * * If anyone is attacked on four sides and defends his life, he acts in self-defense and fulfills a Christian duty. We are in this situation."

See Want Ads Are the Best Business