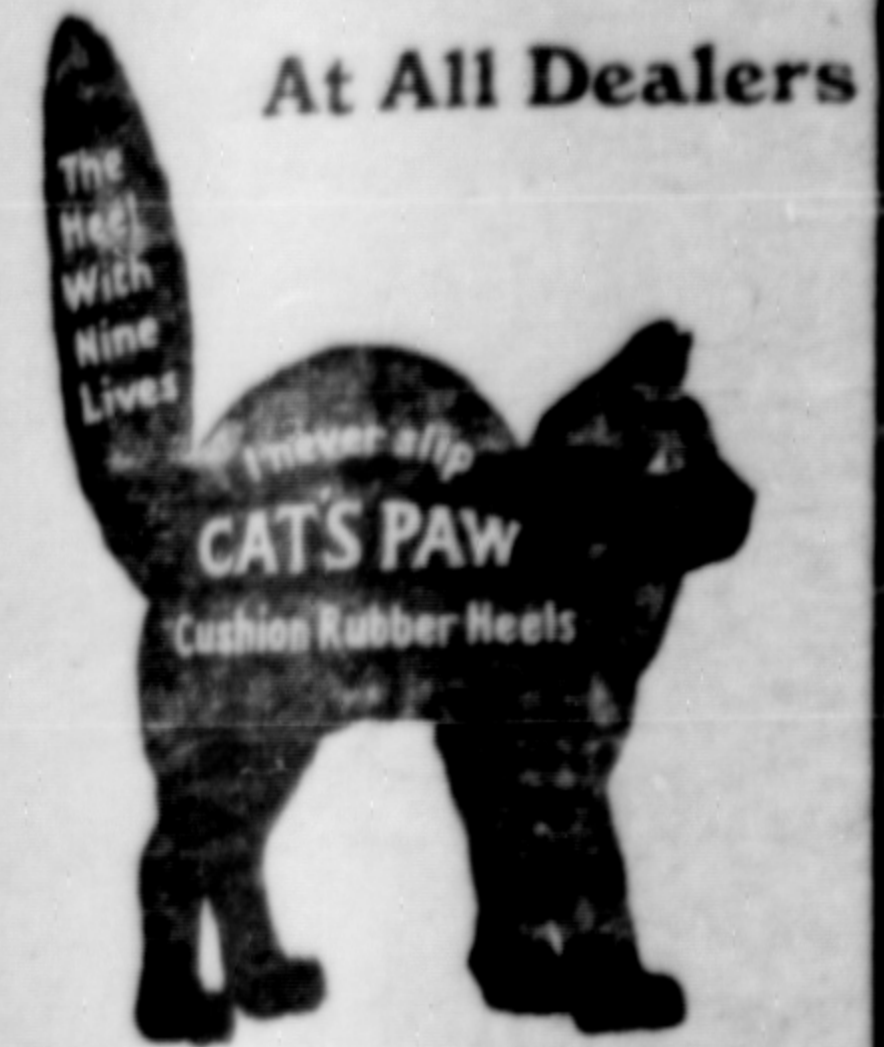


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London, Nov. 26.—That picture of dead men erect in the trenches of France, rifles in hand, eyes open, limbs set as in life, has been obliterated by the London Lancet. Correspondents at the front have sent in this story repeatedly, varying locality and details. Essentially, however, all accounts have been the same. Briefly, the victims have succumbed to a noxious gas given off by shells and have perished as they stood or sat after the manner of occupants of a castle in fairy land over which some evil spirit had cast a spell.

The Lancet in a recent issue says this cannot be so.

"That dead bodies can remain in the upright position without support from without is, of course, absurd," says the journal. But it is interesting to point out that the favorite modern explosive is tri-nitrotoluol, and this gives off incidentally a large volume of carbon monoxide gas, which when inspired produces a healthy pink and life-like appearance in the corpse. Imagination has probably filled in the picture as to these victims appearing to retain a living posture."

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Box 26—2nd Ave. and 6th St.
Box 27—O. T. P.

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THE SKILLFUL TACTICS OF THE OLD CHIEF IN APPEALING TO HIS COUNTRYMEN TO ENLIST FOR THE PRESENT WAR.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was recently a speaker at a Montreal meeting to encourage recruiting for active service. During the course of his speech he told the following incident which perhaps had not previously appeared in print:

"In 1897, I was Prime Minister, as you know, and I went to England to the Queens Jubilee. Then I passed to France, for I cannot go to England without going to France, Being Prime Minister of Canada, you understand that my name was in all the French papers. One day I received a letter signed Louise Laurier. She was a young girl, just out of convent who was writing to me to know if we were related. I answered that I hoped so. I looked into the matter and I found out that her ancestors and my ancestors came from the same department, from the Charente. We were related. Since then I always correspond with this cousin. A few years ago I went to see her with Madame Laurier. Today she is married to an artillery officer who is now at the front to defend and avenge his country. A few days ago I received from her a letter which I want to read to you.

Cessac, near Douelle, Lot.

"Dear Sir Wilfrid,—I want to say how deeply touched France was when she heard of the generous move of Canada and how grateful I am to you for having helped with all your influence. My husband is now fighting at the frontier and perhaps it will be through the help of one of your men, that I may see him back, safe and sound. Alas how far off this day is, how uncertain, and how cruel the hours that we live we poor women, left behind and who can do nothing save thinking ceaselessly of those whom we love and who are fighting in this horrible war. With all my energy I want to hope and I want to convince myself that he will come back, but how hard it is.

All Gone.

"Four weeks ago today I left hastily for Toulouse, on receipt of a wire from my husband stating that he was recalled from Camp du Larzac where he was with his command (three batteries of artillery). I rejoined him on Thursday, at Toulouse, from where he left the following Sunday to go to Agen, where his regiment was mobilizing. I followed him there and on the 7th at six p.m. I saw them leave. I was on the station platform when the train pulled out. All were happy, full of confidence and full of spirit, but the hours that I have lived then can never be forgotten. Since then I have had a little news, but always after a long wait.

"I have my men well in hand, he says; I am happy and full of hope. May God help us, keep him and bring him back to me, safe and sound. But this news is already a few days old. They have been fighting on the Belgian frontier for the last five days and I have heard nothing.

"France will never forget the generosity of our Canadian brothers. Let them all be thanked. We are confident in victory but this is a terrible struggle and the material and moral support of our Canadian brothers is a great help and a great comfort to us in this hour of sorrow. We thank you for it, dear Sir Wilfrid, and no Frenchmen will ever forget it, in my house less anywhere else.

"My husband, my cousins, my relatives, are all at the front. I am alone in the country with my mother. Tell Lady Laurier that I want her to pray so that our victory may be rapid, complete, so that I may have no tears to shed. My husband is my life and I cannot imagine life without him. I wanted to wire you at once to thank you from the bottom of my heart, but my telegram could not go.

"Give your Canadians the thanks of a French woman, and believe, Sir Wilfrid, in the gratitude and the deep affection of your French relative.

(Sgd.) 'LOUISE BERGON.'

A Moral Help.

"You see, by this letter," continued Sir Wilfrid, "what help Canadian soldiers may give to France, material and moral. The material help is not very large but it is not to be despised, no matter how small. As to the moral help, it is enormous. When the German Emperor sees the troops of Canada, New Zealand, South Africa and Australia shedding of their own free will their blood for the Empire, he will learn at his expense that the strength which binds empires is not a brutal strength, but that it is founded on liberty and the respect of the rights of nations."

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RECRUITING IN BRITAIN IS STILL NOT SATISFACTORY

ASSOCIATED PRESS SAYS YOUNG MEN IN GREAT INDUSTRIAL CENTRES ARE HOLDING BACK FROM SERVICE—CONSCRIPTION MAY COME.

Manchester, Eng., Nov. 25.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—Recruiting throughout the north of England is proceeding slowly and the newspapers of Manchester and Liverpool are outspoken in their discussion of the subject. Within the last four days Manchester, with a population of about 600,000, supplied only 400 recruits through fifty recruiting depots.

Reports from Liverpool show that recruiting is even slower there.

A Boy Scout band has been parading the streets for days in an effort to stir up the young men, but without effect.

Football games draw large crowds. Theatres are filled with men of military age. But apparently they are not moved by Lord Kitchener's call for more men. It is believed that the suppression of real war news and absence of explanation for the need of such an enormous army are the chief causes.

In discussing the situation, the Manchester News says:

Shadow of Conscription.

"The shadow of conscription, with all its inherent evils and its serious industrial handicap, looms over the country. The ever-widening war is likely to be prolonged. Should this be the case all the men that the army advisers have asked for will be needed. They are not being obtained, however. When Manchester can send only 400 a day to reinforce our army it becomes obvious that something will have to be done to set a better pace.

"Higher separation allowance for wives and children and new grants to their dependents are helping to increase the response to the country's call. The reduction of the standard of height of five feet three inches should give a further stimulus. If this does not meet the case, new temptations must be offered. Otherwise compulsion faces young men, who for various reasons are holding back."

Ireland Not Responding.

In Ireland recruiting is slower than in the north of England because it is complicated with the bitter political strife, which has

subsidized only partially as a result of the war. Party leaders have exerted every effort to hasten Irish recruiting but without the results hoped for.

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