

## VETERAN OF '70 SAW HOW 4,000 GERMANS FELL

Rescued by American Girl  
Truck Driver, Sees Fate  
Slaughtered.

PARIS, March 30.—Yesterday and today trainloads of refugees from the battle area have been reaching the Northern Railway Station. To one like the writer who witnessed the arrival of refugees in 1914 the difference is startling. There are the same weary elders, the same crying children, and the same pitiful bundles, but the spirit of the whole crowd is utterly different. Then all was despair and panic; now every one is confident and almost cheerful despite the fact that many already had lived nearly three years under the German yoke and have now seen their homes pass for a second time into the hands of the invader.

What a Veteran Said.

A veteran of 1870 said: "I left my farm near Ham on Saturday. In 1914 I declined to run away, but after three years' experience of the Germans I decided sooner to die en route than to fall into their power again. But the journey was nothing like what I expected. Five miles from Ham on the road to Guiscard I met an auto truck driven by an American, who took me to Guiscard that night, where I was fed and slept comfortably in a bed. Next morning another truck, driven by an American girl, took us to Noyon. I was rather nervous being driven by a woman, but she handled the heavy machine like a real professional.

"At Noyon we found the French troops, and knew everything would be all right. I saw from a hill near the town what our seventy-fives did to the advancing Germans. It was terrible. The enemy were in wide column, fully a brigade strong. The shells simply tore them to pieces. Though it was broad daylight, the head of the column disappeared in a cloud of smoke broken by vivid flashes. When the firing ceased, the shattered remnants of the enemy were in full retreat and the ground was covered with bodies. An officer beside me said the Germans must have lost 4,000 men at that one point—besides having the brigade utterly hors de combat.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL GIVES PROGRAM AT HAGERSTOWN

HAGERSTOWN, March 30.—An Easter program will be given at the Christian Sunday school Sunday morning and also exercises dedicating the service flag, which was recently placed in the church by the aid society.

Of 999 incorporated banks and trust companies in Indiana 573 have qualified as Agents of the First Class.

## LOYALISTS OF MILWAUKEE HOT AFTER THEIR SOCIALIST MAYOR

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 30.—The indictment of Mayor Daniel W. Hoan, the Socialist Mayor of Milwaukee, who has recently been renominated, is now being sought by the "Next of Kin," a local organization of loyalists who are determined that not only Milwaukee, but the state, shall be swept clean of sedition and treason.

The loyalists, in demanding Hoan's indictment point out that the platform upon which he has been renominated, declares, among other things, that "The American people did not want and do not want this war. They were plunged into this abyss by the treachery of the ruling class of the country—its demagogic agitators, its bought press, its sensational photoplays, and other purchasable instruments of public expression."

Wheeler P. Bloodgood, chairman of the Milwaukee county council of defense, and a leader of the Wisconsin bar, has said that Hoan's indictment by a federal grand jury is one of the chief features of the loyalists' program of action.

"I assured Mayor Hoan in the presence of witnesses," said Bloodgood, recently, "that I would have him indicted, and I assured him that he would never again be mayor of Milwaukee. I am seeking his indictment on the grounds of the Socialist platform itself to which Hoan subscribed. It declares that the people did not want war; that they do not want war and that it was forced on them by the ruling classes. The ruling classes mean only one thing in America, the president and congress. That is sedition."

"I have two boys in France. President Wilson has assured them that they shall not be attacked in the rear, as they have been in Milwaukee."

"Hundreds of next to kin to these



Mayor Daniel W. Hoan.

boys in France are now organizing to assure vigorous prosecution of the war, and I say solemnly that these men are of the quiet and determined character which will not stand for a Socialist government in Milwaukee or the state of Wisconsin. We are prepared to act. We will, for instance, act if we do not get martial law or an indictment which will prevent Hoan from being sworn in again as mayor. I hope that it will not be up to our organization—we call it so far 'the next of kin'—but if it is necessary we will not falter."

### Mrs. Cynthia Wade Laid to Rest at Riverside

CAMBRIDGE CITY, Ind., March 30.—The body of Mrs. Cynthia Wade, mother of Joe Wade of this place, who died in Indianapolis, Wednesday, was brought here for interment at Riverside, Friday afternoon. Mrs. Wade was born in Adams county, O., Jan. 22, 1834. Her husband, William Wade, died twelve years ago. She was for many years a member of the Christian church. Five daughters and one son are living: Mrs. Lydia Shipley of Anderson, Mrs. Hattie Carey of Knightstown, Mrs. Clara Foley of California, Mrs. Cleo Wisner and Miss Julia Wade of Indianapolis, and Joe Wade of Cambridge City.

### GRANTED DIVORCE.

EATON, Ohio, March 30.—Gross neglect was the cause upon which Laura T. Lincoln obtained a divorce from Edola Lincoln. Common Pleas Judge A. C. Risinger granted the decree. Her maiden name of Crumbaker was restored.

### SPRING TREATMENT

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# WHICH ROAD

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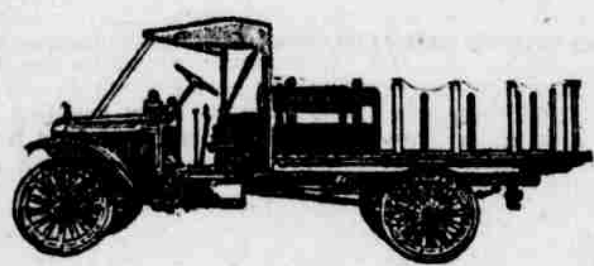
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