

# DONALD BLY DIED SATURDAY

Donald H. Bly, aged 27 years, died in the service of his country at Ft. Monroe, Va., on last Saturday. The body arrived in Hendersonville Monday afternoon and interment was made immediately in Oakdale cemetery. Dr. McPheeters conducted the ceremony at the cemetery, no other services being held owing to the orders against public gatherings.

Radio Sergeant Bly was one of the boys leaving Hendersonville more than a year ago with the 6th company for Ft. Caswell. He was soon promoted to corporal and was to have joined those going to France with the 7th Anti-Aircraft Co., but when it was learned that he had knowledge of wireless telegraphy he was sent to Fortress Monroe for instruction in this branch of service and only a few days ago was promoted to the office of radio sergeant. He led a class of 120 persons in the examination.

Sgt. Bly died of complications following an attack of influenza. He wrote his people on Wednesday of last week, telling of his illness and a few minutes after reading his letter his parents received a telegram informing them of his death.

Donald was a young man of attractive and worthy qualities and his untimely death brings sorrow to his many friends.

He is survived by a brother, Frank, who is in France, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bly, of Hendersonville.

Donald is understood to be the first of the original 6th company to lose his life from any cause.

In this connection it is interesting to note that many of those who left here with him are now seeing service at the front and reports were received this week to the effect that the boys were in the thick of the fighting.

## HORSE SHOE FAIR FOR RED CROSS POSTPONED.

Owing to the epidemic of influenza the Horse Shoe community fair to have been held on October 13 for the benefit of the Red Cross has been postponed indefinitely.

Your Money Should Not Be Neutral; Enlist It In the Fourth Loan.

## LANCE READ DIES OF INFLUENZA; BRIEF ILLNESS.

Lance Read, aged 20 years, died at his home in Hendersonville Wednesday morning.

Lance had been attending Christ school at Arden and came home last week suffering from influenza. On Wednesday morning he appeared to be doing well and death overtook him without the knowledge of his people. They thought he was sleeping and resting well but upon examination it was found that he was dead.

Interment will be made in Oakdale cemetery Thursday.

Surviving are the mother and two brothers.

Lance was well and favorably known in the city. He was not big and strong in stature but he had a big heart and his friendly greetings will be missed by his many friends.

## LIEUT. WM. OATES, GERMAN PRISONER, WRITES PARENTS.

Lieut. Wm. Oates, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Oates, of Hendersonville, writes from a German prison that he is "very well treated."

There was anxious suspense for a few days when Lieut. Oates was reported missing. It was feared that he had been killed. Later reports stated that he was a prisoner in the hands of the Germans.

Lieut. Oates' parents have recently had communication with him.

## Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Most Reliable.

After many years' experience in the use of it and other cough medicines, there are many who prefer Chamberlain's to any other. Mrs. A. C. Kirstein, Greenville, Ills., writes, "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used in my mother's home and mine for years, and we always found it a quick cure for colds and bronchial troubles. We find it to be the most reliable cough medicine we have used."

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## TURKS PERISH IN LARGE NUMBERS; FINANCES ALSO BAD

Constantinople, Sept. 20.—In his budget speech in the Ottoman parliament on February 21 last, Djavid Bey, the Turkish Minister of Finance, gave some remarkable figures on the authority of the director general of the Ottoman public debt.

"At Berlin," he said, "the rise in price of the principal articles of prime necessity has averaged 124 per cent., at Vienna 178 per cent., and at Constantinople 1970 per cent." In the light of the official announcement, it is not surprising to hear neutrals who have been working Turkey compute that a quarter of the population of the empire has perished already during the war by casualties, massacre, starvation or disease. In other countries this might shake the government, but the committee of the union of progress is not so easily shaken. Women, we are told, have brought their children to the municipal authorities at Constantinople crying, "Take them, we cannot feed them ourselves."

There have been raids on provision shops, a riot or two, and such a flow of desertion from the army in the Anatolian provinces that the mountains are full of armed desperadoes and traveling is hardly possible for civilians.

But famine, desertions and brigandage are immemorial institutions in Turkey, and a mere accentuation of these phenomena of state life does not cause a Turkish government undue alarm. The reported unrest among the younger military officers is more serious; that was the way the revolution started in 1908; but the committee is wiser in its generation than Abdul-Hamid, and is raising its younger colleague's pay. After all, the interests of the whole Turkish official class are at the bottom identical and there is so much plunder to give away. The committee of Union and Progress is an organization created by Salonica-Jewish brains for securing Turkish officialdom the maximum profit from the lands and peoples it rules and during the war there has been profiteering, as Djavid phrased it in another passage of his speech, "of disquieting and fantastic kind." When supplies began to run short each committee politician appeared as controller of some necessity of life.

## All-Round Plundering

It is true that, even in Turkey, thieves fall out. For instance, when the late minister of education was found to be pocketing £7500,000 assigned to him by the ministry of war

for the orphans of fallen soldiers, he had to go; and his counter-demand on Enver Pasha for the publication of accounts (a demand with which Enver was no more capable of complying with than he) did not improve the war minister's position. In fact, Talaat Pasha, who as grand vizier represents the will of the executive committee of the committee of Union and Progress, found it politic to stimulate a fictitious opposition to Enver in parliament, as a gentle hint that this speculation, too, had better be veiled more efficiently from the public eye. But the speculations go on, and the balances of Enver and his rivals mount up in neutral banks. Nor is the boom confined to leaders. The plundering of the Armenians and Greeks, the inflation of the paper currency and the credit produced by the purchases of the central powers have brought illusory capital into the hands of the whole Turkish governing class, and there has been a fever of company promoting, especially in the Anatolian provincial towns.

## LETTER FROM MARION WALKER.

Friends of Marion L. Walker, who until he entered the service last spring was a clerk for the Bland Hardware company, will be interested in the following extract from a letter from France to the editor of The Hustler relative to his army work:

The three delights of a soldier are mail, mess call and pay day. I am still well and getting along nicely. I am now on duty in the forward area on one of the big fronts. I like the work of the Military Police over here very much. Am glad I was assigned to that branch of the service. Over fifty per cent of the boys in my Company are from North Carolina, the remainder are from South Carolina and Tennessee.

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### Domestic

Many men were killed and scores of others injured in a tremendous explosion at the plant of the T. A. Gillespie shell loading company at Morgan, near Perth Amboy, N. J. The explosion shook the countryside for miles around, and many citizens were panic-stricken and fled from their homes like wild cattle.

Capt. Gardner Green, prominent Alabamian, company C, 167th infantry, Rainbow division, has been killed in action in France. He was killed September 12 at the battle of St. Mihiel. He had previously been gassed, recovered and returned to the fighting line.

The total subscriptions to the fourth Liberty Loan amounted to \$628,506,000 on October 3. Secretary McAdoo says that bond sales must average \$315,000,000 a day for the nineteen working days from that time, if the goal is to be reached.

Twenty-six men, all from Cleveland, Ohio, are known to have been killed and several injured when a Pennsylvania flyer, from Columbus and Cleveland, ran through a crowd of workmen at the Interstate Engineering plant at Bedford, Ohio, as they were boarding a workmen's special train to go to their homes after working.

A report compiled by Internal Revenue Officer D. J. Gant, of Atlanta, Ga., gives 188 as the number of distilleries destroyed by agents working under his direction during the month of September. With those taken during July and August this makes a total of 545 illicit distilleries, destroyed in the Atlanta revenue agent's division. Revenue officers expect to be unusually active during the months of October and November as an unusual good corn crop is reported in the principal blockade whisky sections, which it is believed was planted with the view of converting it into whisky.

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## Mrs. Smith Recommends Chamberlain's Tablets.

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