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### FIERCE GERMAN COUNTER-ATTACKS ON FRENCH AND BRITISH LINES FAILURE

Temporary Footing Obtained in British Trenches, But Enemy is Speedily Ejected—Italians Storm Austrian Positions and Russians Capture Carpathian Heights

By Canadian Press.

LONDON, Aug. 23, 3:02 p.m.—Two heavy assaults on the positions newly won by the British south of Thiepval, on the Somme front, were made last night by the Germans. They gained a footing in the British trenches, but were driven out again, the War Office announced today.

The official announcement follows: "The enemy made two determined counter-attacks last night on our new trenches south of Thiepval. By the first attack he gained a temporary footing in our trenches, but was driven out immediately. The second attack was repulsed completely. The enemy's losses in these two attempts were heavy.

"Last night there was rather more hostile artillery fire, especially in the regions of High Wood and Bazentin-Petit. "Opposite Lens we carried out a small raid successfully. On the other parts of the British front there was the usual trench warfare."

### GERMANS COUNTER-ATTACK HOTLY

Special to The Montreal Star by United Press.

PARIS, Aug. 23.—German troops made a powerful attack last night on trenches south of the Somme, south of Estrees and west of Soyecourt, which were captured on August 21. He gained a footing at some points.

The official announcement follows: "North of the Somme the enemy during the night bombarded our first lines, and our lines of communication to the north and south of Maurois. Our artillery replied energetically. The enemy did not follow up his bombardment with infantry action.

### ITALIANS STORM AUSTRIAN POSTS

By Canadian Press.

ROME, Aug. 23, via London, 2:30 p.m.—The Italians are making a strong and successful thrust at the Austrian lines in the Alpine region on the extreme northern front according to today's War Office announcement.

Italian troops have carried strong Austrian positions in the Tofana area, in the Dolomites, and in the Travenanzes valley.

The official announcement follows: "In the Astico valley on the night of August 22, the enemy shelled our positions at the bottom of the valley with great intensity, but did not develop any infantry attack. On the same night an attempt of the enemy

### RUSSIANS TAKE HUNGARIAN HEIGHTS

By Canadian Press.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 23, via London, 2:45 p.m.—The Germans resumed the offensive yesterday south of Brody, where the Russians are attempting to approach Lemberg from the northeast. The War Office statement today says the Germans were repulsed. The Russians captured two heights on the Hungarian front. The announcement follows:

"In the region south of Krevs (southeast of Vilna) the enemy on Tuesday night launched a gas attack, which was repulsed with heavy losses.

"More than 100 bombs were dropped by enemy aeroplanes on the railway station at Manevich. "In the region of the Sereth, south of Brody, the enemy resumed the offensive at some points. His at-

### AUSTRIAN OFFICIAL REPORT

By Canadian Press.

BERLIN, Aug. 23, via wireless to Sayville.—Despite their determined attacks in many sections of the front in Volhynia, Galicia, and the Carpathian regions the Russians have been unable to gain any ground from the Austro-Hungarian front. The Austrian official statement of August 22, the statement follows:

"Front of Archduke Charles Franz-Josef: Near Zasko (southwest of Kocoma on the Bystritsa and in the district of Tartas Pass several Russian attacks were repulsed. Southwest of Zielona, in the Carpathians west of Delatyn during successful engagements we captured 100 prisoners and two machine guns.

"Front of Field-Marshal von Hindenburg: In the sector of Torpelnik-Plenik the enemy resumed his attacks against General von Boehm-Ernold's army. Aside from a small trench, over which an engagement is still in progress, all the positions are

### Wife of Vice-Consul for Russia Dead

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THE MONTREAL STAR OFFICE, 17 Cockspur street, London, Aug. 23.—The death has occurred at Sandstead, Surrey, of Charlotte Lydia Knapp, nee Dunn, wife of Osmond Capel Knapp, vice-consul for Russia.

The engagement is announced of A. B. Roberts, of the E.A.M.C. of Bankton, and Dorothy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vandy-Hardy, of Beckenham, Kent, and granddaughter of the late Alfred Hardy of Bayne Hall, Essex. WINDERMERE.

### JOINS FLYING CORPS

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THE MONTREAL STAR OFFICE, 17 Cockspur street, London, Aug. 23.—Arthur Cyril Davis, of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, son of the late Edwin Charles Davis of Calcutta, of the 25th Canadian Battalion, has been gazetted an officer in the Royal Flying Corps. WINDERMERE.

### LIEUT. SHERRAN FLYER.

By Canadian Associated Press.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Lieut. P. C. Sherran, of the 25th Canadian Battalion, has been gazetted Military Flying Officer.

### German Steamer Captured, Taken to Finnish Port

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 23, via London, 4:04 p.m.—The capture of the German steamer Desterro, of 2,543 tons gross, with a cargo of iron ore, off Hernosand, Sweden, on the Gulf of Bothnia is officially announced. She was taken into Raumo, Finland.

### PRESIDENT PLANS TO MEET DEMAND FOR HIGHER RATES

Urges Immediate Action on Bill to Enlarge Commerce Commission

### RAILROADS LIKELY TO ASK FOR RISE

This Would Offset Possible Yielding on Eight-Hour Day

Special to The Montreal Star by United Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Following an hour's discussion between President Wilson and Senator Newlands and Mr. Adamson, chairman of the Senate and House Interstate Commerce committees respectively, it became known today the President had urged immediate action by the Senate on the Bill passed by the House providing for an increase in the membership of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The full number of railway presidents met at 11 o'clock to hear reports from the sub-committee of eight, and the committee of three who called on the President last night. Neither committee, it was said, was prepared to report decision on an acceptable plan.

"One thing is sure," said one member of the smaller committee. "We do not desire to buck up against the President on this matter. We want to find a compromise. We represent property worth \$12,000,000,000, and must protect it."

"For the reason we are striving earnestly to work out a plan that will serve this purpose and at the same time meet the demands of the President."

He declared positively there would be no action by individual roads, without agreement by all.

### FOR RATE HEARINGS.

It is believed the President's action is based on the desire to afford the most rapid hearings possible on the request for increased rates, anticipated in case the roads concede the President's plan for an eight-hour day.

Still holding out against acceptance of the eight-hour day, the railway heads do not exhibit the belligerence or defiance that was noticeable when President Wilson first announced this plan for settling the question.

Some even are talking among themselves of agreeing to the eight-hour day and jettisoning the concession take care of themselves. "Let the result be on the President's head," they say. These, however, include few of the presidents of the biggest railway systems.

The latter are working hard to avoid making the concession. They held their fire until the night of last night and were at it again in the hot haze of early morning today.

### SEEK COUNTER-PROPOSAL.

The object of their efforts is a tangible counter-proposal that will embody something of the brotherhood's demand, and yet save the situation for the railroads. They face the fact that failing to find such a counter-proposal, they can expect only strong insistence from the White House that they accede fully to the President's own plan.

The great opposition to accepting the eight-hour day proposal comes from the Western chiefs. They claim that not only the manufacturers but the agricultural communities in their country are against the principle of the eight-hour day as it applies to railroads, that shippers will not stand for rate increases, and that they will find plenty of public support in case they order a strike to yield.

Strike talk broke out again among the Railroad Brotherhood men today. Thomas Donovan, the Boston and Albany chairman, proposed at the morning session that the Brotherhood chairman return to their homes, leaving the four heads here to arrange a strike. His effort, however, was crushed.

### SHERBROOKE POLICE ARE NOT ON STRIKE

SHERBROOKE, Aug. 23.—There is no strike of the city police. Six of them have left work in the last ten days, but their places have been filled by other men. The men asked for an increase of \$10 a week, but the police committee refused the request. Big wages paid in munition shops are responsible for men leaving.

### PREMIER HON. COLONEL.

KENTVILLE, N.S., Aug. 23.—Premier Borden has accepted the honorary colonelcy of the 55th Battalion of the Nova Scotia Highland Brigade.

### TURK WILL SEND ARMY TO BALKANS

One Division Will Join Bulgars, Another Watch Roumania

### AUSTRIA IS ALSO ASKED FOR HELP

Allies Strongly on Offensive With Powerful Forces

Special Star Cable by United Press. LONDON, Aug. 23.—A great battle of nations with the troops of nearly every European belligerent involved is gradually developing in the Balkans as the fighting along the 150-mile front increases in fury.

Turkey is sending reinforcements into Bulgaria, according to an Athens despatch today. At least one division of Turkish soldiers is en route to join the Bulgars in the attack on the Allied lines, while another division will be so placed as to threaten Roumania, should that country decide to enter the war on the side of the Allies.

Austria will be asked to send a few detachments to the Greek border to join the Bulgars, Germans and Turks in resisting the combined attacks of French, English, Russians, Italians, Serbians and Montenegrins. In no engagement of modern history have the armies of so many nations been in clash along one battlefield.

BERLIN FEELING UNEASY.

Forced to yield advanced positions, on one wing, under the first Bulgarian attacks, the Allies have relinquished their lines and are now strongly on the offensive in the Vardar valley northwest of Salonika. On the Vardar, the Bulgars have scored their slight advances by reason of their numerical superiority, but Anglo-French artillery and the stubborn resistance of the Serbs has considerably checked the momentum of the advancing forces.

South of Debar Hissar, the Bulgars progressed four miles, taking small Greek villages but were abruptly halted by Allied artillery.

All press detachments from Roumania bear evidence of close censorship, but from indirect sources it is reported that the fighting in the Balkans has caused a profound impression in Bucharest.

The latest news from Berlin indicates some feeling of uneasiness in the German capital. But despite warlike reports brought to London in a roundabout manner, many persons well informed on the Balkan situation do not believe that Roumania will enter the war at least until the Allies have advanced up the Vardar Valley and have scored decisive gains against the Bulgarians.

It has been known here for several weeks that the French sources the most rapid mobilization and in readiness for instant service, but there has been no other positive evidence of military movements.

ALBANIAN FORCE STRENGTHENED.

By Canadian Press.

BERLIN, Aug. 23, via Sayville, wireless.—The Austro-Hungarian troops in Albania have been reinforced recently, according to official information from Vienna which was given out today by the Overseas News Agency.

This statement was made to counteract a report from French sources that the Austro-Hungarian troops had been withdrawn and that in consequence there was famine in Albania and widespread agitation. Equally untrue, it was said, are assertions that rebellions have broken out in Montenegro.

For several months the Austro-Hungarian authorities have had in operation a well regulated administration which distributes food and enforces hygienic safeguards," the statement says.

"Relief work on a large scale has been undertaken, and an epidemic was stopped before it could spread. The population is calm and satisfied."

### Socialist Nominees Opens Fight Monday

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—The Socialist party plans to carry its Presidential fight into practically every county in the United States, through the circulation of 20,000,000 leaflets weekly, Allan L. Benson, Presidential nominee, announced today.

Benson will open a campaign in a speech at Hagerstown, Md., next Monday. He will tour the east and Middle West for several weeks, reaching as far West as St. Louis, where he will speak on Sept. 16.

On Oct. 1, he will start on a tour of the Pacific Coast and western States. He plans to spend a week in Oklahoma, which the Socialists believe they have a chance of carrying.

### VETERAN SKIPPER DEAD.

GRANBY, Aug. 23.—Captain C. C. Bullock died this morning after an illness of three days. He was well known in the travelling public, having been in command of the Lady of the Lake on Lake Memphremagog between Magog and Newport, Vt., for over thirty years. He was born in Georgetown in 1837.

### ST. JOHN AIDS FIRE SUFFERERS.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Aug. 23.—The City Council of St. John has voted \$1,500 for relief of sufferers in the recent Ontario forest fires.

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## Change of Officers

At the last meeting of the Longshoremen, Aug. 20th, Adolph Robert was elected business manager and C. Bullock elected secretary and treasurer.

## BEGIN PROBE OF EXECUTION OF 3 UNTRIED REBELS

By Canadian Press. DUBLIN, Aug. 23.—An inquiry into the shooting without trial of three men during the rebellion in Ireland last spring was opened today in the Four Courts. The men shot were F. Sheehy Skeffington, Fred McIntyre and Thomas Dickson. The men were put to death at the orders of Capt. Bowen-Colthurst, who was court-martialed and found guilty, but insane.

Lord Stamfordham, private secretary to King George of England, is an old soldier, having fought in the Zulu war of 1879-78.

## BRITISH CASUALTIES.

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- THE MONTREAL STAR OFFICE, 17 Cockspur street, London, Aug. 23.—Today's casualties consist of sixty-six officers, of whom thirteen are dead, and 4,975 men, of whom 701 are dead.
- The chief regiments suffering are the Australian Infantry, Cameronians, Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry, Gloucesters, North Highlanders and Bedford's.
- Capt. W. M. Benton of the Manchester Regiment, died of wounds on Aug. 17. He was formerly an army Chaplain, but he resigned his Chaplaincy and became a combatant officer and expert sniper, because he found that he could not otherwise visit the men in the trenches. He was fatally wounded while attempting to rescue wounded men who were crawling back from the German trenches.
- WINDERMERE.

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HORRIBLE STATE OF THINGS HERE TOLD BY BERLIN

German People Informed Government is Busy Shooting Malcontents

"BAD HARVEST" MAKES DISSATISFACTION

Editors Cannot Understand How Canada Continues in Empire

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THE MONTREAL STAR OFFICE, 17 Cockspur street, London, Aug. 23.—Canadian news, for some occult reason, looms up largely in German papers which have recently reached London.

Generally the editors signify Teutonic sorrow that the Dominion should continue to remain a part of the Empire and send troops and munitions against the Germans.

Sometimes they attempt to show that Canada is not united in the fight against the Hun. An example of the latter is a quotation on the front page of the Kolnische Zeitung, at the top of the most important column, from the Le Nationalist, which is described as a "Montreal organ of the French-Canadian Opposition."

Of some of the sentiments which appear in the Canadian press I give a literal translation for comparison with the French original. It is headed, "Canadian Opinion on the Jutland Battle," and opens with the statement that neither Germany nor England can prove that the enemy sustained a crushing defeat, and adds that after the British Admiralty had allowed the Germans, by being first in the field with a report, to create a moral impression unfavorable for England, the Admiralty "contented itself with declaring that it has every reason to believe that this and that German ship had been sunk."

GERMAN COMMENT.—The lines following are, "which does not sound very convincing and does not suffice to convert what, even according to English calculations, was probably a German success into an English sea victory."

"There is no reason why the English statement that the Germans lost the Seydlitz should be more probable than the German reports that the English lost the Warpiet."

Lower down the column is: "Even on the face of the furnished news supplied by the British Admiralty, the battle was a German success, and, therefore, an English failure."

"For the moment Britain remains the Mistress of the Seas, despite the humiliating damage to her prestige. What will happen if events repeat themselves once or twice it will be very hard to say. Nothing can be counted as absolutely certain, not even Britain's supremacy."

Practically all the German daily papers have republished what purported to be an interview with a prominent Canadian in London by the Hamburger Fremdenblatt. The Frankfurter Zeitung heads it "Ireland and Canada."

TERRIBLE CONDITIONS HERE.—Among other things, the report says:

"In the coast towns of Ireland collisions between the people and the military are an almost daily occurrence. Numerous Irishmen have settled in Detroit and other places along the Canadian frontier, but the American Government has now forbidden any further settlement of Irishmen in the frontier districts."

"The Canadian Government makes every anti-British manifestation a penal offence and a special court of justice has been established in Montreal for the purpose. Between the 16th and 20th of June more than twenty persons were shot on account of alleged anti-British acts. A bad harvest helps to increase dissatisfaction through the Dominion."

The Kolnische Zeitung and several other papers add two other interesting news items in a paragraph: "A conspiracy set on foot for aiming at rebellion, and headed by a proclamation of independence for Canada and Ireland has been discovered in Montreal."

"Reports from Western Canada show that rust is prevalent through all the wheat provinces and the crop will barely suffice for the needs of the Dominion itself."

It is interesting to see ourselves as others see us and to learn "the real" news of the Dominion through the German press bureau.

ROLAND HILL.

GOVERNMENT AGAIN ATTACKED BY IRISH

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Leaders among the Irish Radicals attacked the Government's policy toward Ireland again yesterday during a debate in the House of Commons.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.—GALT, Ont., Aug. 22.—Taking refuge from a thunderstorm in the "Old Log Cabin" club house in Hespeler yesterday afternoon, Wallace Dennison, aged 19, was instantly killed when the building was struck by lightning.

THESE ARE ST. DENIS DAYS

1916

BRITISH MAKE ADVANCE ON THE WESTERN FRONT

Between Martinpuich and Bazentin They Take Hun Trenches

RUSSIANS PROGRESS AGAINST THE TURKS

Grand Duke Again Successfully Forcing His Way

Special Star Cable.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The British line north of the Somme, nibbling its way north, is now less than half a mile from Thiepval and less than a quarter of a mile from Martinpuich. The capture of these pivotal points in the German second position will bring to a successful end the first phase of the British offensive.

General Haig is advancing northward along three roads. One force is closing on Thiepval on the extreme left of the Picardy front; a second is pushing north from the Pozieres, aiming at Couzeville; the third is moving toward Martinpuich along the line north of Bazentin.

In all three sectors yesterday the British forces made progress. In the Pozieres sector they extended their gains, bringing the line close to Thiepval. In the Pozieres sector they advanced on a front of half a mile. Between Bazentin and Martinpuich they took 100 yards more of German trenches.

A furious battle is in progress for Guillemont, near the junction point of the French and British lines. Despite a steady rain of shells, the Germans are clinging to the village, resisting strong British efforts. Berlin admits the British succeeded in winning a hold on the village.

BRITISH OFFICIAL REPORT

LONDON, August 23.—The British have made a further advance between Martinpuich and Bazentin, where they captured 100 yards of German trenches according to the official statement issued by the War Office last night.

The text of the statement follows: "Between Martinpuich and Bazentin we gained a further hundred yards of enemy trenches. South of Guillemont we carried out a successful enterprise in the enemy's lines and captured one of his machine guns. Hostile artillery was quieter today along our front."

"As a result of yesterday's operations south of Thiepval and near the French and British lines. Further north on the British front there is nothing to report except considerable hostile artillery activity at Bazentin, Couzeville and south of the Ypres-Comines canal."

FRENCH FRONT UNCHANGED.

PARIS, via London, August 23.—The situation on the French front is unchanged according to the official statement issued by the War Office last night.

The text of the statement follows: "An artillery duel is in progress on both flanks of the Somme and at Fleury in the Verdun sector. A success of Maupas resulted in the capture of some prisoners. We repulsed a bombing attack on one of our works in the Vaux-Chapitre Wood."

ADVANCE IN THE CAUCASUS.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—It is remarked that while the latest Russian official communications report the situation of the western front is unchanged, the German and Austrian communications show the British fighting is going on along the front of Field-Marshal von Hindenburg, and Archduke Charles Francis.

An interesting feature of the Russian communications is the statement that the Grand Duke Nicholas is once again pressing his offensive in the Caucasus. For the last two days Petrograd has emphasized the fighting around Diarbekir but no important change in the situation has occurred as yet.

BATTLE FOR POSITION.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The statement made by the German Commander-in-Chief in the Somme in a recent interview to the effect that at the beginning of the British offensive he was obliged to place batteries at every eight hundred yards of the line of defence, whereas he was now able to concentrate batteries at intervals of every one hundred yards, has attracted attention at the British headquarters in France. Reuters correspondent at British headquarters telegraphs under Sunday's date:

"This may possibly be true, for it is certain that the Germans have hurried up every available gun. But the German commander is in an infinitely worse position in regard to being able to replace his artillery effectively than at the beginning of the British offensive. The value of the larger proportion of guns in the field can only be measured by the ability to use them successfully. When we talk about fighting for position the phrase means primarily gun positions. The ponderous process of creeping forward is always going on, which means that the German artillery must

SAFE FROM SHRAPNEL AND AIR BOMB



British soldiers on a "day off" from the fighting line. These dugouts, to the rear, are cunningly hidden in a side hill from view of spying Hun airmen.

TAKING OF THIEPVAL RIDGE WILD DRAMA OF SCREAMING SHELLS

(Continued from page 1)

By Canadian Press.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 23, via London, Aug. 23, 4:30 a.m.—The artillery commander drew his patent curtain of fire and never in all the seven weeks of the Somme battle has the correspondent witnessed anything equal to the "show," as the officers call it, in the taking of one of the spurs of Thiepval ridge yesterday afternoon.

Ever since July 1, when the British failed in their effort to storm it, Thiepval ridge has glared at the British, who had kept hammering it with gunfire.

The Germans need to set the same store by it as they did by the heights of Ginchy and Guillemont on their other flank.

In front of the position conquered yesterday the British infantry has been decimated by machine gun fire on July 1. The trenches were just as strong as then, with deep dugouts, the results of two years' building. Prisoners taken early in

the offensive said the British never could obtain a foothold on that ridge. Those taken yesterday who had been at Verdun said they suffered nothing there at all equivalent to the deluge of British shells, and that it was impossible for human beings to endure such torpedoes.

On a thousand yard front, both the first German line and the support trench were taken. One pair of eyes could not see more detail than the correspondent saw yesterday. The British and German engaged were outlined as clearly as a play around the second base could be seen from a grandstand. A home company of the National Guard, doing skirmish drill in camp, could not be more distinct when seen from the side line. It was the very fineness of the air that the bare ground was cut with the slash of a new British trench and beyond that, across an area of dead grass and wavy maize, was the first-line German trench.

CAPSULES OF CONCENTRATED HELL

A Niagara rush of whistling screams from capsules of concentrated hell tore through the air and began bursting over it.

Their flashes hugged it in an infernal ecstasy, sweeping it with myriads of bullets and fragments, shooting forked tongues of death into its burrows. The show was a head and escape being hit and bit more than once was as hopeless as to stand up in a thick hailstorm without being hit by an icy pellet.

Some Germans who had trusted in flight rather than sticking to a dug-out, when the first dash of projectiles came, were seen to scurry toward the open away from this swath of destruction.

Now, out of the British trench appeared a row of khaki tinted must rooms, the steel helmets the British soldiers wear, then their heads and shoulders appeared out of the trench. Each German had

DIDN'T WAIT TO BE BOMBED OUT

One after another, as though they were crawling to the top of stairs, heads and shoulders appeared out of the trench. Each German had

be always slowly withdrawing or courting destruction. As an artillery officer put it to me, the time is rapidly approaching when the German gunners from Beaumont Hamel to Bapaume must choose between Scilla and Charybdis. They must either stop and be knocked out or get out for we are fighting a great winning battle of position.

GERMANS AT TRIESTE.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The Germans intend to convert Trieste into a second Verdun, wires the Geneva correspondent of the London Daily Express today. Sixty-eight expert German military engineers have arrived at Trieste, and are overhauling the entire defences within ten miles of the city.

Germany considers Trieste one of her chief trade outlets to the Orient. It is stated that a German General will shortly be sent to take command of the Austrian forces in this sector. The Italians are only thirteen miles from Trieste, but will encounter formidable resistance. Heavy artillery from Vienna and the Tyrol has been rushed to Trieste, as well as all available reinforcements.

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BRITAIN HAS NOW COMPLETE SYSTEM OF AIR DEFENCES

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Major Baird, representative of the Aerial Board in the House of Commons, saying in the House last night to criticisms in the press during the recent Zeppelin raids, announced that since the war began the Entente Allies had accounted for thirty-five Zeppelins.

"There have been thirty-four raids on England," said Major Baird, "in ten of which no casualties were suffered, while in the remainder the number of killed was 334 civilians and 50 military men. Nobody can say that these casualties, deplorable as they are, will have any influence on the conduct of the war, provided the honorable members of the House do not give utterance to such ill-chosen statements as have been made in the House of Commons tonight."

"Members of the House of Commons ought to be leaders of the people. They should encourage the people—not create panic. Lord French has a very complete system of air defence, and it is being improved daily, while the British flying corps has a record superior to any other nation's."

One figure alone holds the stage for a fraction of a minute there in that lifeless space around them. Tall and bold, a German officer stands upon the edge of a communication trench and looks around.

Now British helmets rise from the German first line and start on with another charge of the German support trench. They will clean up any Germans lying in shell craters, on the way. They grow dim with distance, and in the fading light, but they get there.

They have the support trench, British wounded, and that bunch of jumping German prisoners coming toward the British rear as fast as they can be enveloped in shell bursts.

The German outbreak of fire is not being laid on the old first line British trench area, which explains why all the prisoners taken do not reach the collection stations alive.

"They will have a good meal over in the camp by that clump of trees tonight," said the General, "and they will be under fire for the last time in this war."

Walking with them were the British wounded, and that bunch of jumping German prisoners coming toward the British rear as fast as they can be enveloped in shell bursts.

ON CASUALTY LIST

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BRITAIN HAS NOW COMPLETE SYSTEM OF AIR DEFENCES

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Major Baird, representative of the Aerial Board in the House of Commons, saying in the House last night to criticisms in the press during the recent Zeppelin raids, announced that since the war began the Entente Allies had accounted for thirty-five Zeppelins.

"There have been thirty-four raids on England," said Major Baird, "in ten of which no casualties were suffered, while in the remainder the number of killed was 334 civilians and 50 military men. Nobody can say that these casualties, deplorable as they are, will have any influence on the conduct of the war, provided the honorable members of the House do not give utterance to such ill-chosen statements as have been made in the House of Commons tonight."

"Members of the House of Commons ought to be leaders of the people. They should encourage the people—not create panic. Lord French has a very complete system of air defence, and it is being improved daily, while the British flying corps has a record superior to any other nation's."

One figure alone holds the stage for a fraction of a minute there in that lifeless space around them. Tall and bold, a German officer stands upon the edge of a communication trench and looks around.

Now British helmets rise from the German first line and start on with another charge of the German support trench. They will clean up any Germans lying in shell craters, on the way. They grow dim with distance, and in the fading light, but they get there.

They have the support trench, British wounded, and that bunch of jumping German prisoners coming toward the British rear as fast as they can be enveloped in shell bursts.

The German outbreak of fire is not being laid on the old first line British trench area, which explains why all the prisoners taken do not reach the collection stations alive.

"They will have a good meal over in the camp by that clump of trees tonight," said the General, "and they will be under fire for the last time in this war."

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HARD FIGHT YET, FORMER PREMIER VIVIANI ASSERTS

By Canadian Press. PARIS, Aug. 23.—A difficult and prolonged struggle before the war is ended was prophesied by former Premier Viviani, who is Minister of Justice in the present Cabinet. In an address before the General Council of the Department of Justice, held at Givet, he said:

"Although victory is certain, it will require hard and prolonged efforts to break through the military and prevent recurrence of its crimes. There can be no peace before the attainment of victory, before adequate reparation is made and before justice triumphs."

In an address before the General Council of the Department of Justice, held at Givet, he said:

"The French will not submit to the peace of the German Emperor, who boasted he would force his adversaries to accept peace on bended knees. They will accept only such a peace as assures them legitimate reparations, as well as their independence and security, and they will yearn patiently all sacrifices in order that, in conjunction with the efforts of their faithful Allies, such a peace may be imposed."

GEN. MACDOUGALL A MAJOR-GENERAL

OTTAWA, Aug. 23.—Gen. C. J. MacDougall, commanding the forces of Sherbrooke, has been made a major-general.

The rank of brigadier-general has been conferred on Col. Sir Henry Palliser of Toronto, and Col. E. N. Rutland, D.O.C., at Winnipeg.

When their motors fail expert aviators by gliding can advance about four miles in a descent of a mile.

GERMAN LIE RENAILED.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The following was given out here officially yesterday:

"Probably it is unnecessary to say that the statement already contradicted and repeated today in an official Berlin message that a British destroyer was sunk and a British battleship was damaged last Saturday, is wholly without foundation."

Advertisement for Bryson's Superfatted Skin Soap, featuring a list of products and prices, including 'We Give You With Each Cake A CERTIFICATE guaranteeing BRYSON'S SUPERFATTED SKIN SOAP 3 Cakes for 40c', 'Toilet Water Specials', 'Sundries', 'Toilet Water Specials', 'Talcums', 'CIGAR SPECIALS', and 'Bryson's Limited'.



REFEREES PATRIOTIC MATCH-FATE AFTER BALL PLAYERS

YESTERDAY'S WINNER... PUT SPEND THRIF... OUT OF PLATE RACE

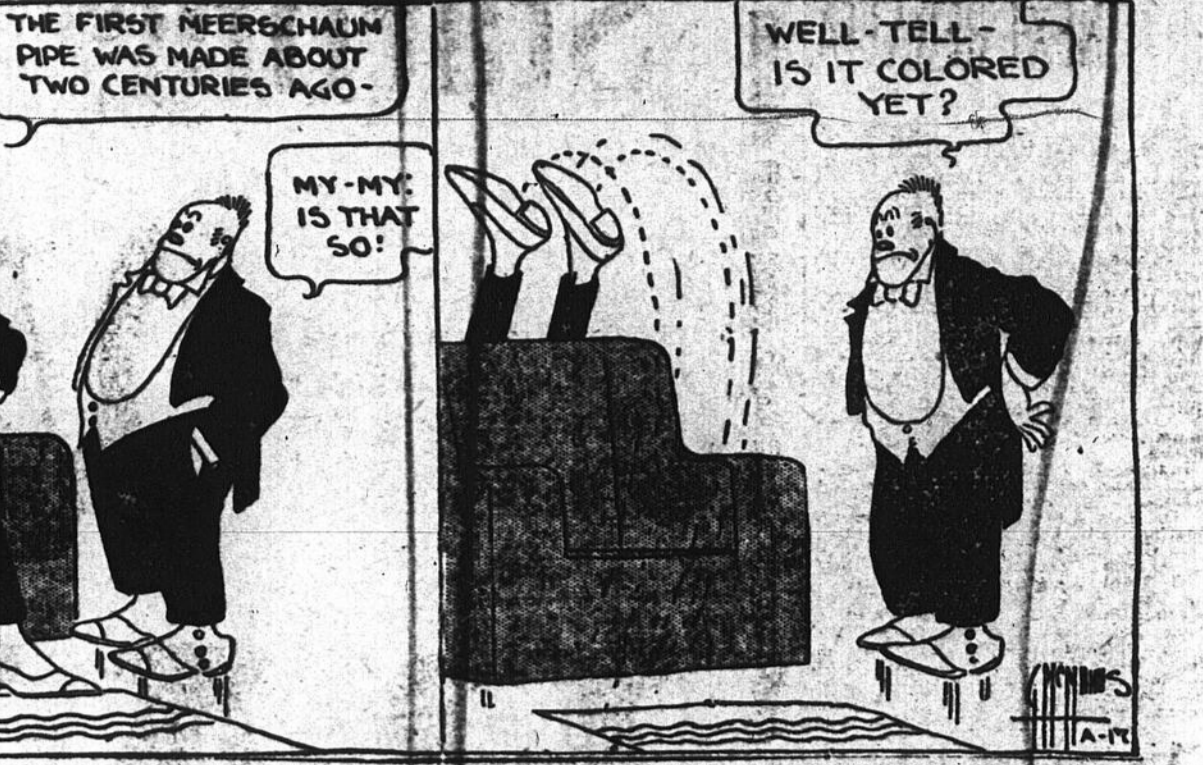
Bringing Up Father



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By George McManus



Lady Spendthrift, Norman McFarlane's horse, which was entered for the King's Plate... won the race.

MANY HORSES FOR THE HOCHELAGA HANDICAP SEPT. 2

The two-year-olds that have been named in the Hochelaga handicap, to be decided at the autumn meeting of the Montreal Jockey Club...

HARRY SMITH



One of the referees National-Ottawa patriotic lacrosse match on Saturday next.

CORNWALL AND SHAMROCK MAN REFEREES AUG. 26

John Denny and Harry Smith Will Have Charge of Patriotic Match on National Grounds for Benefit 150th Battalion

President Eddie St. Pere of the N.L.U. has named John Denny of Cornwall and Harry Smith of the Shamrocks to handle Saturday's match on the National grounds...

JOHN DENNEY



One of the referees for Saturday's patriotic lacrosse match on the National grounds.

CRESCENT AND STAR EVENLY MATCH FOR BIG MATCH

With Crescents and Stars meeting in the feature game next week-end at Delorimier Park, in the City League series, the result will go a long way towards deciding the championship of the local organization.

P.Q.F.A. REFUSED TO REMIT PENALTY ALREADY IMPOSED

The chief item of business, that night at the P.Q.F.A. was an appeal from the Lachine Club in reference to the suspension of Stafford and Trainer Smith.

EXCELLENCE BOXING AT VALCARTIER CAMP THESE DAYS

Last Friday evening the whole of Valcartier camp was afire with excitement at the opening of the boxing season under the directorship of Sgt. Gregory.

FATE PURSUES AMATEUR BALL PLAYERS—FOUR INJURE LEGS WITHIN FEW DAYS

Fate pursues amateur ball players. Within the last week or ten days not less than four amateur ball players have broken or severely injured their legs playing ball in this vicinity.

BATTALION HONOR AT STAKE

To the vast crowd present, both Nelson and Hamilton were like two panes of the crowd realizing that the fight was between the 14th and 18th Battalions, and every man recognized that the supremacy of the camp, so far as boxing was concerned, was at stake.

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Turf notes

Judge Murphy of Windsor had a good time at the Ottawa meeting. George Phillips has been asked to put a price on the contract he holds on the clever apprentice, Bonhomme.

Royals Let Victory Slip Out of Their Hands Yesterday

Though Royals led up to the end of the second inning in their game with the Newark Indians yesterday, the errors of Howley and Wagner were the cause of victory slipping from their grasp, and they lost by 6 to 1.

Grays Will Have New Pitcher to Play Against the Royals

PROVIDENCE, R.I., Aug. 22.—The Providence Internationals will secure the Boston Nationals' pitcher, a young catcher, from the Boston Nationals, if waivers asked on the player are obtained.

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ROSS RISH SLICE advertisement with image of a slice of cake.

WHITE HORSE Scotch Whisky advertisement with image of a bottle.



# THE STAR'S HOME MAGAZINE PAGE

## LITTLE STORIES for Bedtime

T. W. Burgess

### LONGLEGS CALLS RATTLES A THIEF.

(Copyright, 1916, by T. W. Burgess.)  
The reckless tongue is quite the worst of all the things I know. So watch your tongue and guard your tongues.

And let your tongue be slow. A quick tongue is apt to be a reckless tongue, and a reckless tongue is one that says things without stopping to think if they be true or of what harm they may do by being repeated. The tongues of some people seem to be reckless all the time. Gossip tongues almost always are reckless when their owners lose their tempers. It was this way with the tongue of Longlegs the Heron that beautiful summer day. Longlegs lost his temper and then he said things which he would not have said if he had stopped to think.

You see Longlegs was very hungry and he had waited patiently for a long, long time for his area. You know Longlegs is a fisherman, and he is one of those who wait for their meals to come to them instead of going after them. Little Longlegs is a fisherman, but he is the other kind. He is such a famous swimmer that he can chase and catch fish. Longlegs isn't a swimmer at all, so he has to wait for the fish to swim near enough to where he is standing for him to catch one by darting his long neck downward like lightning and snapping up the fish in his great beak-like bill.

So on this particular morning when Longlegs had waited and waited so patiently and at last a school of minnows had come swimming in almost within reach it had been more than he could stand to have Rattles the Kingfisher suddenly catch down and seize the very biggest, fattest minnow which Longlegs had counted as surely his, at the same time frightening away all the other minnows.

"You're a thief!" he screamed at Rattles. "You're a robber! That was my fish!"

Rattles the Kingfisher chuckled. It wasn't a pleasant chuckle to hear because Rattles hasn't a pleasant voice in fact it is a very unpleasant voice. He didn't reply at once because he was too busy swallowing that big, fat minnow. He had to gulp and gasp to get it down. But at last it was down and he looked across at Longlegs and chuckled again.

"If it was yours why didn't you catch it?" he asked. "I didn't even know you were over there. Not that it would have made any difference." He added with another hard chuckle, "For fish belong to whoever can catch them, and that fat minnow didn't belong to you because you hadn't caught it."

"I did too!" retorted Longlegs and his voice was as harsh as Rattles' voice. "I was just going to catch it when you swooped down like a thief. I tell you, I'm going to tell everybody that you're a thief. You stole my breakfast!"

Rattles chuckled again. You see, having that big fat minnow in his stomach he simply couldn't lose his temper. You know, Longlegs is a very largely a matter of an empty or a full stomach. The stomach of Longlegs was empty and so his temper was very, very bad. The stomach of Rattles was full, and so his temper was very, very good.

"Go ahead," he said, "tell everybody that you are a thief, long-necked, cross-grained, hot-tempered, long-legged fellow who swears for his meals to come to him instead of going after them. Everybody knows



Rattles the Kingfisher Chuckled.

that I never stole anything in my life, and everybody knows you are just what I have said you are. It is true I haven't many friends, but it is just as true that you haven't either. It is easy enough to call names, and I guess I can do that as well as you can. So go ahead. Calling me a thief doesn't make me one, and you know as well as I do that that minnow didn't belong to anybody until it was caught. Just to say you for losing your temper, I'm going to stay right here by the Smiling Pool, and you ought to know if you don't that I can beat you fishing every time. If you'll take my advice you'll go over to the Big River. You'll fill your stomach sooner there, and then you'll feel better."

Longlegs opened his mouth for an angry retort, then closed it without saying a word. He knew that what Rattles said was true, and to tell the truth he was a wee bit ashamed. Finally he spread his big wings and flapped away in the direction of the Big River. Rattles the Kingfisher chuckled noisily. Then he fixed his bright eyes on the Smiling Pool to watch for minnows.

Next Story: Why Rattles the Kingfisher is Left Alone.

### DO YOU UNDERSTAND?

What is a sure key to the confidence of the other person? Some people invariably win that confidence; others seldom do. A little girl of nine was telling her mother with great enthusiasm how much she liked a certain friend who was past seventy years of age. In spite of the difference in ages, there was a deep, warm bond between them. "Why is it you like her so much?" the mother asked. "Well, mother, there are a great many reasons," was the little girl's reply; "but one thing is, she's the understandingest person I ever met. She did not need to say more. The older friend had put herself in the nine-year-old's place, thought her thoughts, and then, without talking down to her, made her feel that they, too, had common interests and could talk together as equals.

"Now, Harry," said the teacher, "our ears enable us to hear. Now, can you tell me what our eyes are for?"

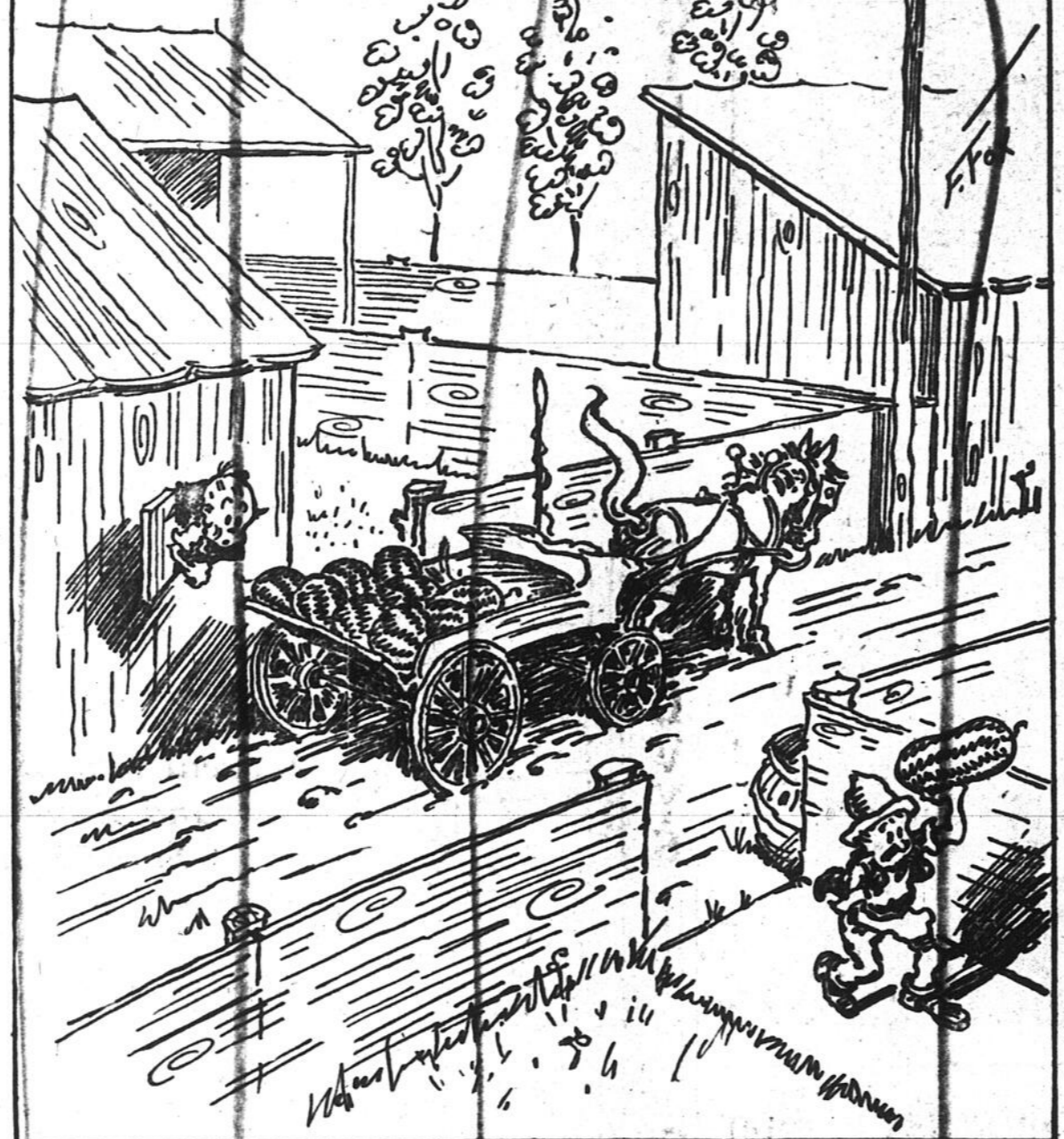
"To look with," answered Harry. "And the nose," continued the teacher, "what is it for?"

"For spectacles to rest on when we get old," was the logical reply.

Mamma—But didn't your conscience tell you that you were doing wrong?"

Little Betty—Yes, mamma. But you told me I shouldn't believe all I heard.

## What's in a Name? —By FONTAINE FOX (Copyright, 1916)



You can't call it swiping when the watermelon man stops the wagon right in front of your coal shed window.

## ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENCE

Those who live on amid our homes to dwell, Have earned the higher lessons that endure. The gallant Private learns to practice his horsemanship obscure. His heart beats high as one for whom. A mighty music solemnly, what time. The oratorio of the canonade. Rolls through the hills sublime. Yet his the dangerous posts that few can mark. The crimson death, the dread unerring aim. The fatal ball that whizzes through the dark. The just—recorded name—The faithful following of the flag till day. The duty that brings no nation's praise. The Arm Nesciri of some grim and grey. A Kempis of the ranks. These are the things our commonwealth to guard. The patient strength that is too proud to press. The duty done for duty not reward. The lofty littleness. And they of greater state who never turned. Taking their path of duty high and higher. What do we deem, that they, too, may have learned. For that baptismal fire? Not that the only end beneath the sun. Is to break every sea a trading lake. And all our splendid English history. Voluminous mistake. They who marched up the bluffs last story week. Some of them, ere they reached the mountains crown. The wind of battle breathing on their cheek. Suddenly laid them down. Like sleepers—not like those whose whose race is run—My dad was telling me that at one time there was an article running in an English paper on "What Class of People are the Happiest?" that is, the working class, society, etc. Father says you could not believe the interesting letters they received. Of course they must give good reasons. I thought, dear Miss Currier, that this may be of interest to you.

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"TUTOR" AND "PUZZLED." Your questions are legal, and will be answered in Notes and Queries.

BOOK AGENCY. Please tell me has Longlegs Bros., Bible Truth Dept., of East Thirtieth Street, New York, any depot or agency in Montreal for the sale of their books? And oblige.

READER. Ans.—Not that I know of.

"IRISH LOVE SONG." Will you kindly publish the song, "Irish Love Song," by Alma Gluck. You would please a

CONSTANT READER. Ans.—I think you must mean the Irish Love Song, written by Margaret Lange, sung by Alma Gluck. If so it is to be purchased at any music store.

"TAKES HIS GLASS." Will you please give me your opinion on the following subject. Should a nice girl of a good family marry a young man, who occasionally takes his glass. He is very good hearted and nice looking, and I feel that I cannot give him up.

"A DEVOTED ONE." Ans.—If he is a confirmed drunkard or a girl runs considerable risk in marrying him. If it is just that he is not a teetotaler, but occasionally takes a drink, you must make up your own mind on the subject.

A GOOD SUGGESTION. I wrote you some time ago for a little advice. Now I am going to try to make a little suggestion.

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## THE OLD GARDENER SAYS

Peonies may be set out or transplanted any time within the next two months, but it is a good plan to do the work early, unless the weather happens to be very dry. It is wise to divide all large clumps in the garden, but peonies require division less often than most other perennials. If the "amateur" is buying new plants, it will be worth his while to invest in some of the single varieties.

## ECONOMY CORNER

### A FAMOUS CHEF'S SALADS.

Salad forms a part of every dinner and of almost every luncheon; indeed, a summer luncheon is often "farfais" de peonies, which for late even suppers the salad is equally indispensable. But how to vary them and make them attractive is another story.

Jules Biron, chef of the Hotel Martiniq, has through the courtesy of the Hotel Martiniq management especially prepared two delicious salads to give the Sunday Sun. These are of notable value because Jules Biron is famed for his culinary work, having a gold medal and two silver cups as awards for it, and having taken first prize for his exhibit at the exposition of the Societe Culinaire in New York last winter. At the time his exhibit was a fully set dinner table with the foods of the menu prepared for service. This is the prize menu:

- Essence de Tomate, Excelsior, Ajouillettes de Saumon, Moderne, Ris-de-Veaux Grace, Renaissance, Farfais de Peonies, Gelée, Poularde Truffe, Boite a Croche, Salades des Fruits, Tropical, Glaces Riviera.

The recipe for the "Salades des Fruits, Tropical" of this menu is given herewith, and the consommé (Essence de Tomate, Excelsior), may be mentioned as it is delightful for warm weather. It was made from the clear essence of tomatoes, jellied, and through it were frozen tiny stars cut from the white of eggs hard boiled. And here one may quote M. Biron, who directs that any egg hard boiled for use as ornament shall be cooled only ten minutes, "as longer while than this," M. Biron says, "causes the yolk to turn black."

Here are the recipes for the salads: Chicken Salade Reçence—This recipe will be sufficient for four persons. Have a young tender chicken boiled and allow to cool thoroughly; remove the breast and cut into small square pieces. Take four fresh artichoke bottoms and cut into small pieces. Season with French dressing and mayonnaise. A small head of cauliflower is then to be cut into small pieces and placed around the edge of the salad bowl, and a further decoration is formed with green peas and artichoke in diamond shapes. This salad is not served on lettuce.

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## Gouraud's Oriental Cream

Glass that partly white complexion so much desired by the women of fashion.

At Drugists and Department Stores.

## Fashions For Today

Two exceptionally smart fall blouses are illustrated in the sketch. The upper is a suit blouse, employing satin and chiffon or Georgette crepe. Satin and lace may be used, if preferred, and the blouse may be in one color, or two contrasting or blending shades. The semi-draped bolero and the upper section of the sleeves are of satin, while the "bloused" part of the garment, the lower section of the sleeves, and the prettily flaring and very becoming collar are developed from the sheer material.

To make this blouse one and a half yards of satin thirty-six inches wide and a yard and a quarter of Georgette the same width will be required. The back of the waist has an opening in the satin jacket a trifle lower than the front, but sufficient to give a glimpse of the sheer under-blowse.

The lower of the two blouses is a very much confidence is expressed in a possibly strong Vogue for waists that are designed to be worn over the skirt instead of underneath it. This type of blouse has a very decided tendency to increase the waist line in silhouette, and few women find such an arrangement desirable or becoming.

Very few short sleeves will be in evidence in the showing of next season blouses. The majority are full length, some are three-quarter length and a very few just cover the elbows.

Collars may be high, low, or conventional. The high effects are generally most strongly approved by designers of high-priced waists, and collars that are high in the back and low in the front are well thought of.

That is in short, thin strips; season with French dressing and a small pinch of paprika; decorate with solid circles of truffes, chicken and tongue. This salad is not served on lettuce.

Salade Paquerotte — Take lima beans, peas, carrots cut en julienne, cauliflower, white turnips, in about equal parts and season to taste with French dressing. Place on heart of lettuce leaves to serve. When lima beans are not in season substitute any other fresh vegetable.



Two Smart Autumn Blouses.

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By MAY MANTON

9165 (With Basting Line and Additional Seam Allowance) Princess Slip, 34 to 44 bust.

The princess slip is a garment much in demand just now. It is really perfect to wear under fashionable gowns and this pattern can be used as a simple undergarment or for the slip of silk to be worn beneath transparent materials. Here, it is made of white lawn with a flounce of embroidery. The slip can be cut full length finished plain or with any preferred trimming or with the flounce arranged over it, or it can be cut off and joined to flounce if a thicker material is used. The plain slip is pretty with a succession of narrow ruffles arranged over the lower edge in place of the flounce. Satin with ruffles of net makes a very pretty effect and a useful slip for wear beneath almost any handsome gown.

For the medium size will be needed, 5 1/2 yards of material 22 inch wide with 4 yards of embroidery 18 inches wide for the flounce. The slip is 3 yards and 1 inch in width at the lower edge.

The pattern No. 2165 is cut in sizes from 34 to 44 inches bust measure. It will be mailed to any address by the Fashion Department of this paper, on receipt of 15 cents.



## DAILY STAR PATTERN COUPON

The price of each pattern is 15c. Pattern readers must call at the Star Branch, 9165 Basing Line and Addison Avenue, Montreal, P. Q., or at the Star Branch, 9165 Basing Line and Addison Avenue, New York, and take a week or ten days, for which readers should allow.

For Ladies give Bust Measurement. For Misses and Children, give age only. For Short Give Waist Measurement.

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FEW WERE ACQUAINTED. The representatives of these nations numbered about fifty, each accompanied by a number of advisers...

THE MATTERS DISCUSSED. First, the action of the Allies in respect of the treatment of the enemy during the continuance of the war...

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AMUSING FIGURES FROM THE GERMANS

BERLIN, Aug. 23, via London, Aug. 23.—The German Admiralty issued today a statement asserting that the losses of the British and French navies in line-of-battle ships and cruisers to August 1, comprised seventy-two vessels, with a total displacement of 48,050 tons...

READY FOR JAIL SAY YOUNG WOMEN

Appearing in the Recorder's Court yesterday on a charge of vagrancy, Jeanne and Louise Simard, who had been found earlier wandering in LaSalle street, expressed themselves willing to go to jail...

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FIRST MEETING OF CONTROLLERS WITH TRAMWAYS

Joint Conferences Decided Upon Every Tuesday and Thursday DRILL PROBE TO OPEN TOMORROW

The first meeting of the joint conference of the City of Montreal and the Montreal Tramways Company for the negotiation of a satisfactory settlement of the tramway question, was held yesterday afternoon...

ALLEGATIONS OF GRAFT AND EXORBITANT PRICES—MANY WITNESSES

The investigation will be conducted by the mayor, and the city attorneys. The probe is to find out who was responsible for alleged reiterated efforts to pass in disguise before the board orders for the purchase of a number of second hand drills at an exorbitant price...

UPHOLD BOARD'S DIGNITY

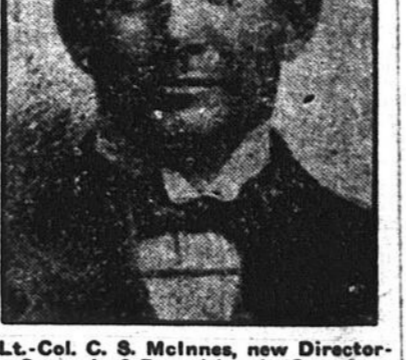
The idea of having a committee of aldermen to make suggestions in the name of the council, was set aside on the demonstrations of Controller Aney, who stated that he wanted to uphold the dignity of the board, whose duty and business it was to look into franchises and contracts of the kind...

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St. Helen's School. Residential School for Girls. The term begins Sept. 12th. The train leaves Victoria, B.C. for Cowanston, N.S. at 9:25 A.M. on Saturday afternoon...

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Lt.-Col. C. S. McInnes, new Director-General of Recruiting in Canada. The investigation will be conducted by the mayor, and the city attorneys. The probe is to find out who was responsible for alleged reiterated efforts to pass in disguise before the board orders for the purchase of a number of second hand drills at an exorbitant price...

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1916.

THE WAR.

THE DRIVE FROM SALONIKA.

THE news from the Balkans continues, on the whole, to be favorable, in spite of reported checks administered to the extreme ends of the Allied line. We have as yet no means of knowing just how extensive or severe these checks may be. We are, for the moment, safe in assuming that they are not of the first importance, and late morning despatches maintain that enemy drives against our wings have been halted. It is probable that what has happened is, in most instances, merely the holding up of detachments sent forward to seize as much ground as possible in advance of the general attack. That such preliminary sallies should be arrested comes as a matter of course. Berlin evidently hopes that General Sarrail's flank may be turned by an energetic drive southward against the Serbian forces, but the strength of the combined armies under his command render the success of this movement more than doubtful.

Where we are making gains is, however, at the point where, we may be sure, we set out to make them—at the centre of the line. There our forces have made a most satisfactory beginning of the task of blasting a way up the Vardar valley, the main highway into Macedonia from the south, and along which runs the only railway from Nish to Salonika. Important heights west of the Vardar river have been seized and held, and thus an advanced base for further operations established. The fighting up the Vardar is, however, bound to be most severe and most costly. In places the so-called valley narrows to a mere rocky gorge, and the enemy forces under the skilled eye of German military engineers will, it is certain, have made the utmost of the opportunity afforded them by a year's delay to strengthen numerous naturally strong positions among the mountains. Short of a complete collapse of the Bulgarian defensive, upon which we have no right to count at the present time, we will have to face as bitter and sustained fighting in the Balkans as on any of the other fronts. Nish is, of course, our objective, and with the capture of that city communication between Berlin and Constantinople would be cut off and Turkey most effectually isolated. But it is a long way to Nish, and we will have to fight for every mile of it.

ON THE WESTERN FRONT.

The fighting on the western front has been devoid of outstanding incident for some time, and our gains are being measured in yards instead of miles. There is, however, no ground for discouragement in this. We are fighting against wonderful efficiency backed up by a year of preparation and over unfavorable ground. From the line held a month ago to that of today the ground rises steadily. The usual, far immediate objective on the north of the present line of action, is almost two hundred feet higher than La Boisselle, the starting point of the attack upon it. What this means to a force advancing in the face of high explosive and a constant stream of machine gun fire can readily be imagined. Similarly Clercy, on the out-kirts of which the French made important gains yesterday, dominates the terrain in front of it for some distance beyond the river and canal. In spite of this both the British and French lines are advancing steadily, and it is only a question of time until the summit of the Thiop-

val-Courcellette-Martinpuich ridge is in our hands. From that line to Bapaume—the capture of which would imperil the whole German enclave between that place and Arras, and might conceivably compel a retirement—the ground slopes downward and we will reap the full advantage of an artillery superiority which alone has made our recent advance possible.

We need look for no startling gains or sudden German collapses, however. We are going to win our way through because we are going to kill a great many Germans, who cannot as formerly, be replaced by levies drawn from other parts. Our greatest guarantee of success is to be found in the enemy's casualty lists.

IN ASIA MINOR.

The completely contradictory character of the Russian and German official despatches from the eastern front precludes comment on the situation there until confirmation of one or the other is available. The Austrians claim to have driven back Russian attacks through the Carpathian passes with considerable loss. The latter's despatches assert, on the other hand, that the "situation is unchanged on all fronts" and this is probably a fair summing up of the events of the last twenty-four hours. Minor Austrian successes west of Jablonica are to be looked for, as it was announced yesterday that the Austrians had received considerable reinforcements here and these may continue until the Russian commander can bring all his heavy artillery to bear and employ his reserves from Kolomea.

But though the interest is for the moment suspended in the eastern front, Grand Duke Nicholas has once more jumped into prominence with a renewed activity in Asia Minor. For two days Petrograd has referred to heavy fighting around Diarbekir beyond Lake Van in Armenia. Obviously, in the interval while the censorship shut down on news from the Caucasus, the Grand Duke has been wasting no time, for Diarbekir is well over one hundred miles southwest of the Van country, and not two hundred and fifty miles, as the crow flies, from the Mediterranean. More important even than this is the fact that Ras el Ain, which is practically "rail head" on the northwestern section of the Baghdad Railway, is only about sixty miles away from the Russian advance guards, or well within raiding distance as the Cossack cavalry conducts raids. Speculation and prophecy as regards this war are notoriously dangerous, but it begins to look as though the brilliant Russian plan of driving a great wedge across Asia Minor from the Caspian to the Mediterranean were within measurable distance of accomplishment. The fulfilment of such a daring scheme would spell utter ruination to the Turk in Asia Minor, and would automatically and finally remove the last shred of serious danger to British power in Egypt. Undoubtedly Constantinople is casting many an anxious glance toward her "back door" these days.

EVIL FEATURES OF CIVIC GOVERNMENT.

MAYOR Church of Toronto struck the right note when he declared that one of the important keys to good government "is to secure competent heads of departments, give them free hands, let them appoint their own subordinates and hold them strictly responsible for the efficient and honest government of their departments."

Just the opposite to this condition exists in Montreal. In the ever-recurring civic investigations it is monotonously proven that heads of departments have very little to say in the personnel of their departments, and are everlastingly interfered with by aldermen and others. In the recent sewer probe the fact was made vividly clear that there had been such pull and patronage in appointments that foremen and others in official positions were glaringly incompetent. In a recent investigation the presiding Judge made the open declaration that, on account of the incompetency of heads, and owing to the manner the aldermen interfered with employees, something like forty per cent of the entire revenue was wasted. When the first Board of Control took up the reins of office it endeavored to remove various heads who were incompetent, and to lay down the rule that heads must not only have the sole right of engaging their subordinates, but be responsible for their departments as well. There was so much opposition in the City Council, however, that but very little good was accomplished. From the pernicious state of civic affairs seen today, conditions are worse than ever. There is no use blinking the fact that there will have to be most drastic changes, both in the Board of Control, the City Council and among the employees, before we have anything like satisfactory government.

There ought to be fine openings for a large number of liaison officers at Salonika.

An American ship has been fired on by a German submarine, and President Wilson has written a note about it. Is that business going to start all over again?

What is worrying the Bulgarians these days is whether it will be necessary to learn the English, French, Russian, Italian and Serbian for "surrender," or whether the old "Kamerad" method will do for the whole lot.

A party of men from Ontario are to visit this Province, with the object of getting better acquainted with it. The scheme is an excellent one and should have been adopted long ago. Its success will, of course, depend largely on the personnel of the visiting party. It usually happens that those who most need a clearer understanding and a wider insight are the very ones who cannot be persuaded to secure them by the simplest of all methods, personal investigation.

THE WORLD'S PRESS

How Far Can They Go? New York World:—Austria needs Germany's help in the defense of Trieste and would welcome it, but how can Germany take charge of the campaign in the Adriatic? In the assignment of military duties, and at the same time maintain the amiable fiction that it is at peace with its old ally, Italy? How far can diplomacy go between armed nations in getting around obvious facts?

The Hyphenates' Dilemma Springfield Republican:—This is peculiarly a year of madly conflicting interests in politics. Those voters of German origin who hailed the Hughes nomination so enthusiastically are rather staggered by the length which their candidate has gone in meeting the wishes of the woman suffragists who call for Federal action instead of State action. They dread women suffrage, especially in Ohio, Wisconsin, and Missouri, because they believe that it means prohibition, and prohibitively no doubt, enemies than the embattled German-American of the great brewery cities of Cincinnati, Milwaukee and St. Louis.

"Everything is at Stake!" Neueste Nachrichten (Munich)—Let us remember this is no ordinary rupture of ordinary life. It is the hour of destiny for our Fatherland, the hour which will influence us for centuries. We must unite in opposition to the entire world. We must all co-operate in the struggle. Any man or woman who hangs his or her head, or suffers despondency to enter in guilty mood of treason, directly that of the mother and fatherland, must admit that they have used it all too poorly. Are they even now on the road to use it better? There is not too much comfort to be drawn from the course of last night's debate. Nevertheless we decline to despair; and we think it is not paradoxical as it may seem, can perhaps be based on Mr. Duke's appointment.

Prove That Loyalty Pays London Chronicle:—The object of any sensible British Cabinet in Ireland ought to be to strengthen the loyal and sane majority among Irish Nationalists by proving that loyalty pays. After the demonstration of loyalty by the mass of Irish Catholics at the time of the Sinn Fein rising, following as it did on the splendid efforts of the Irish race on the battlefields of Gallipoli and France, the Government had a magnificent opportunity. Their best friends, among whom we venture to count ourselves, must admit that they have used it all too poorly. Are they even now on the road to use it better? There is not too much comfort to be drawn from the course of last night's debate. Nevertheless we decline to despair; and we think it is not paradoxical as it may seem, can perhaps be based on Mr. Duke's appointment.

"Mair Stir in Paris" Christian Science Monitor:—A story worth repeating is going the rounds in Paris. It relates to a certain piper in the Scots Guards who recently visited the French capital with contingents of British and Colonial troops taking part in the 14th of July celebrations. The British troops had a great reception. The piper in question, however, was thronged with enthusiastic spectators, who cheered the passing troops and pelted them with flowers. The piper in question did not say much at the time, but he thought a great deal, and finally reached a definite conclusion. On the first opportunity he made inquiries of such British friends as he could communicate with, as to the openings for a piper to a French gentleman after the war. "Mind, I canna speak much French," he said, "but I can play the pipes, and I can see there's mair stir in Paris than in Inverary."

Germany's Lost Colonies The Spectator:—Theoretically, we have no desire to annex Germany's colonies, but as a matter of fact they will have to be taken from her. Our South African fellow-subjects are not going to allow small blame to them!—the restoration of Southwest Africa or of East Africa to the hands of such bad neighbors as the Germans. The French are not likely to want to give back the Cameroons. In a word, the British are going to do it in Africa. The Australians will see to it that it ceases to fly also in New Guinea and in the Pacific generally. Again, if anyone imagines that Japan is going to assent to Kiaochow being returned to her laboring under a very strange delusion. Finally, though the British people have no territory for themselves, Germany must hand over such portions of her fleet as remains intact after the war, and with that fleet the island of Heligoland.

Shattering The Kaiser's Dream New York Sun:—The new alliance (between England, Russia and Persia), shuts Germany entirely out of Persia; so far as trade conditions are concerned, it is equal to the conquest of a colony. In other respects both Russia and Great Britain have taken advantage of the war, to strengthen their positions in this part of the East. The British are in control of the lower Mesopotamian valley and they have shown increased interest in southern Persia in their advance into eastern Turkey. The Russians occupied Ispahan and made northern Persia a base for operations. They have just opened a railway from their frontier to Tabriz and have undertaken the extension of the line to connect up through Baluchistan with the British India railway system at Peshawar. In strengthening their control of the Asiatic situation Russia and England seem determined to crush the Kaiser's hopes of expansion in Asia and of an Empire in the East.

The Progress of "Kultur" London Daily Mail:—The German outrages steadily rise in gravity and horror. We had at the outset the hideous massacres of Belgian non-combatants, the infamy of Louvain, and unspeakable crimes against women. We have had in the later months of the war the murder of the wounded, the burning of the hospitals, the rape and the infamous treatment of the French civilian population at Lille which is being systematically enslaved to minister to the conqueror's lust or toil for his profit. We had the massacre of neutrals and non-combatants in the Lusitania, and the shooting of Miss Cavell. Now a new German submarine campaign on the largest scale is imminent. The assassination of Captain Fryatt by court-martial is part of a settled, cold-blooded policy. It has been committed deliberately with the object of terrorizing the officers of our merchant service and frightening them from offering any resistance. If they can be cowed, the German argues—and he knows nothing of their character and iron-hearted courage—our food supply can be cut off and then Great Britain is undone. Kultur is supreme; the cause of liberty and civilization has for ever perished.

CHANCE MEMORY. I can't forget the lane that goes from Steyning to the Ring In summer time, and on the Down, how larks and linnets sing High in the sun. The wind comes off the sea, I never knew till now that life in old days was so fair. But now I know it in this filthy rat-infested ditch. When every shell must kill or spare, and God alone knows which. And I am made a beast of prey, and this trench is my lair! My God! I never knew till now that those days were so fair. And we meet in half an hour, and it's a silly thing. I can't forget the lane that goes from Steyning to the Ring. Philip Johnson, in London Daily News.

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PASSING HOUR

"Some time ago," said an insurance agent, "a man asked me to accompany him home, as he had some things there to be insured. When we arrived at his house he showed me 100 boxes of cigars which he wanted insured. There were a hundred cigars in each box, making 10,000 in all, which were worth, I insured the lot for \$250. A few days ago the man came to me and asked for the insurance money. 'You have had no fire at your house,' I replied. 'No, but I've smoked them,' said he, 'and according to the paper I am entitled to the money as it reads distinctly that the goods are consumed by fire money is paid on application.' As far as the technicalities were concerned, he was all right, but I could not cold about a man making a fortune by saying in a very stern manner: 'All right, sir; you'll get the money. But according to your own opinion, will you proceed at once to make a charge against your own conscience?' 'Well, I'll be hanged!' was all he said, and the room shook violently after he banged the door."

Disappearance of the German Blue Books

By Henry Dalby.

For everything under the sun, there is a use—even a blue book has its uses. The use of many things is not always apparent, and we often lose them. Since it became fashionable and profitable to exterminate vermin, a vermin appraiser many people have been worried by the idea that it must have been made for some purpose. We have killed about a million Germans, and milled about a quarter millions more, and now some of us are gravely considering whether the German fleas and fleas and other small game, may not have their legitimate uses.

The new Secretary of the Navy would be able to say proudly: I have the honor to report that the Imperial German Navy has been completely destroyed. The Imperial German Navy is short of powder we know; it has barely enough for the manufacture of currency, but what is the use of that? The Imperial German Navy is short of powder we know; it has barely enough for the manufacture of currency, but what is the use of that? The Imperial German Navy is short of powder we know; it has barely enough for the manufacture of currency, but what is the use of that?

THE STAR FILES

THIRTY YEARS AGO "Of verse writers in the United States, James Whitcomb Riley is said to make the most money, but saves very little. His income from his poetical work and his lectures is estimated at \$20,000.—From The Montreal Star, August 22, 1886.

The late James Whitcomb Riley, the Hoopster, was a most distinctly original poet. The American West ever produced. He was born at Greenfield, Hancock County, Indiana, in 1835. He received his education at the village school, but did not distinguish himself as a student. Far better than sit on the wooden school bench, pouring over the books, he would roam through the fields and woods, dreaming of watching the life and death of a dove and grove. In the opening of his work, Riley himself said: "The public desires nothing but what is absolutely natural, and so it is natural as to be fairly artless. It cannot tolerate affectation, and it takes little interest in the classical tradition. It demands simple sentiments that come direct from the heart, and the first to judge and value my work."

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West Indies! Bandsman Wanted Kitchener's Own Apply to Staff Serg't. Deersin, Bandmaster K. O. (later Bandmaster Gov. Gen's Bodyguard, Toronto) 197 Peel Street.

Theatrical Star Speaks at Meeting to Assist Rangers. Miss Janin, of The Bird of Paradise Company, now playing at the Princess Theatre, spoke at the noon-day meeting of the Duchess of Connaught's Own Irish-Canadian Rangers on Place d'Armes Square yesterday. "So much has been said, and in so many ways," she said, "that what I can add seems very little. In my heart and in the heart of my people, there is the deepest respect for your loyalty. The whole world knows that you are loyal. You have shown it in so many ways. But the truest way is in assisting."



# CONSIDERS HEBERT AND M'DONALD WERE "THROWING BLUFF"

Witness in Drolet Street Inquiry Expresses Opinion That the Mayor and All the Controllers but Ainey Were Bluffing Over the Questions That Came Before Them

Another momentous day passed yesterday, and as a result of the Controller Hebert's startling revelations remain thus far unshaken. Witnesses may have done their best to get around, over or under, what Hebert said; they may have exhibited surprisingly convenient lapses of memory; they may have hummed and hawed; but when, under the deft cross-examining hand of N. K. Lafamme, K.C., they were brought around to such a point as to be ready to put over an answer to the categorical question, as to whether, on their oath, they could deny what Hebert said they had told him, they invariably answered in the negative.

## ON THE STAND

More confirmation of Hebert's testimony, as to the motives underlying ex-Controller McDonald's supporting of the Drolet deal was forthcoming in the examination of Rod Langlois, a newspaperman who has loomed large in local civic affairs, and who did his utmost, from the start, to block the deal. "I considered, in fact I knew, that

go to a sub-committee. The latter was to report favorably on the project. Then all council would go to vote on the matter. Then all would be arranged and the report would be declared adopted. Mr. Lafamme continued citing from the Langlois letter.

You mention a valuation of \$106,000 as the valuation of the property. What do you mean? Well, yes, I saw it, written in pencil on the report, before it was submitted to the caucus. I saw it on the table. I saw it alone. I pointed it out to the newspapermen. It was on the document recommending the purchase of the property. I could show it to you, now but I suppose it has been erased.

Witness took the report, and lifting up the corner, said he found traces of an erasure. This, he said, was the place where the note had been. "It read," said witness, "Ev. \$106,000. You saw it only once? Yes, once. Did you ever say to any one that this marginal note had been written? Yes—I said so in my examination on discovery in my case against the deal. And the next time was when you denounced the fact to the mayor in your letter? Yes.

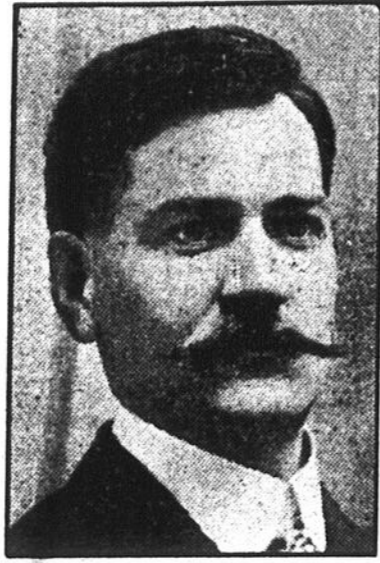
Was there ever later any question of this valuation of \$106,000? I don't know whether Ald. Lapointe made reference to it in his speech opposing the deal. Did you get the original of the mayor's reply? I could not find it. But I must have published it. Here witness looked over the files of his newspaper, Le Pays, and produced a copy of the Journal of April 17, 1915.

Mr. Lafamme here read the mayor's reply wherein His Worship replied it was incumbent upon him himself to decide when he would use his veto. "You make yourself tired and you make me tired," added the Mayor.

Did you ever speak to the mayor about the deal? Yes, he told me he had heard the same things as I and that the deal would never go through, as he would never sign it. It was a dirty deal, said the mayor, and he was as smart as I and would never fall for it. He mentioned many who were to get a rake-off.

Now tell us what happened between April 12th and 28th. There were several projects which had come before the Board. I had blocked them through speaking to certain aldermen and telling them it was a dirty deal. But this one I could not stop. But what particular reasons had you to suspect the Drolet deal?

# MORE PROMINENT FIGURES IN THE DROLET STREET ENQUIRY



George Beauvoisi, who saw Mr. Peiron about putting through the deal, Hebert says.



J. A. Chevrier, who figures in Hebert's testimony as the alleged holder of a mortgage of \$20,000 on the Drolet property, to guarantee certain aldermen their rake-off.



Raoul Grothe, a personal friend of Mayor Martin, who, Hebert alleges, also saw the Mayor on the subject.

The cabale had become most strenuous. It was almost a question of the survival of the French-Canadian race in Canada. I always saw the same coterie of aldermen, courted by the same coterie of promoters. All sorts of pressure was brought to bear on me to desist from my objections. They used to tell me it was not my business; that it was not I who was paying. That I should let things run along as they were going. I even saw Duncan McDonald and he told me: Langlois, I know that you are right in kicking against this deal but it is in the interest of the City of Montreal that it pass so I will vote for it.

Did you ever see McDonald later about it? Oh, no. I let things rest there. Mr. Lafamme here referred to the injunction proceedings which Langlois had taken; they had been blocked by the fact that the court demanded \$12,000 security. It was his father who had put up the initial \$2,500 security.

Mr. Lafamme here questioned witness about his relations with Chevrier. From May 28 till the time of these present proceedings did you get any information regarding Chevrier and his mortgage, and its connection with the Drolet deal?

Yes, direct and indirect information. Direct first. I was informed that in another deal, in which the aldermen were leery of getting their rake-off, they arranged with a third party to have a mortgage on the property. When the deal was put through the amount was collected. It was over the site of a bath.

Well, I saw Chevrier always with aldermen. Yes, one can be with aldermen and still be honest. Yes, I know, but he was spending a lot of money on them. He was financing them. Of course, he did not do everything out before my eyes. But I thought it was worth while watching. I think the results proved so.

Now, when you were stuck for the amount of the security, after seeing certain aldermen and telling them it was a dirty deal, did you see anybody else? Yes, the Citizens' Association. Yes, the Citizens' Committee. It was a Mr. Bourque or Burke. They



Eddie Lepage, who figures largely in Hebert's testimony.

hummed and hawed over it a long time. They were to do this and do that, but they ended up by doing nothing. I waited long. They were to give a reply every ten minutes; finally they said they would do nothing. They would stand for the Drolet deal, then? Yes, certainly. What did you do? Well, when I saw the supposed great puristic leaders standing with folded arms, I said it was not up to me to interest myself any further. Now, when the actual deal was finished by the vote to pay were you present? Yes. The mayor was there? Yes, he had just dropped one of his strikes. What did you see? Well, I saw that four present were simply making a bluff, that is Mar-

tin, Hebert, Cote and McDonald. Ainey, I believe, was straight. What? The mayor bluffing? Well, he is always doing that. Did any one oppose the deal? Was there any protest raised? Yes there was. They said this and that, but I didn't think they were serious. By Mr. Germain: Did McDonald ever give you any other reason? None. You saw the affidavits of McDonald? Yes. What did you think of them, and the explanations he gave of his vote? They simply made me understand what he had told me before. Well, what did you understand? Why? Just that he was making a saw off vote on the question. You saw in Hebert's letter to McDonald that Hebert promised to support McDonald on the Tramways? Yes, I saw that. Hebert and McDonald were simply bluffing each other, so as to make a saw-off.

THE HEBERT LETTER. Mr. Germain here cited proceedings instituted both against McDonald and Hebert, based on the affidavits which Hebert and McDonald had made. This was the famous Tramways franchise injunction.

You saw the Hebert letter of June 16, 1915, addressed by Hebert to Gustave Renaud, in which Hebert engaged himself to vote for Tramways in return for \$200,000. Yes. It was shown to me. I asked if the letter had been shown to Hebert? I thought it was a trick. You think so yet? Yes.

Mr. Lafamme—Here, here. My learned friend seems to like to take little jaunts in the Tramways. Mr. Germain considered the reference of witness was a propos, seeing that there was a connection between Drolet street and the Tramways. Those who favored the Drolet deal

ing it, and laughing over it. It was public property. Do you personally know anything re St. Joseph Boulevard? Judge—Ah, ah, wait a minute. What is the connection? Mr. Germain—Well, he will close the doors on that. I submit, however, that the Drolet street appropriation was rendered necessary by the St. Joseph Boulevard appropriation. Mr. Langlois—Well, your Lordship, I saw in the record an order wherein the owners of Drolet street land, previously affected their land to the city for \$150 a foot. The offer was turned down. Later the same land was bought by the city at \$4 a foot. Here the afternoon session adjourned.

I will endeavor to show that if there was any consideration figuring in the Drolet deal, it did not come from the Drolet property, but from elsewhere. Mr. Lafamme—If my learned friend thinks the highway is wide enough to accommodate a tramway on an autobus line, well I do not object. But I do say that it would be unjust to have us go into all negotiations on tramways and autobus lines, without calling these interested parties into the case. Judge—I do not desire to go outside of the limits of my commission. Read me the question put to the witness.

Mr. Germain—Tonight, I will re-read all the affidavits, and I will be in a position to say in the morning just what attitude I will take. Now, supposing all tramways and autobus lines are stalled, we will take a simple hack. Now, did you have any reason to consider there was the usual undercurrent to the election contestation? Well. A few days after the contestation of Hebert's election, I noticed that Rene Chevrier and others bought \$200,000 worth of land. Judge—What connection is there between that? After events showed. Mr. Germain—Stick to facts. What did you personally know? Oh, well, they didn't come to tell me, of course. After events showed, however, that I was right. Now, as you say you saw in a marginal note? Yes, I saw it. Was it before the report was adopted by the board or after? After. But you say it was existent before the adoption? Yes. Was it signed, this marginal note? No, it was not. Initialed? No, nothing but "Ev." "Mu." (evaluation municipale). What was it there for? Well in all purchases of land by the city, such a note is made, generally, to serve as a point de depart, for discussion. Well, you heard what Controller Hebert said about the mandamus to force the mayor to sign the report? Yes. What do you think of it? Well, I thought what Hebert said, all along, that is the mayor instigated proceedings himself. Judge—Confine yourself to facts; give us facts on which you base your opinions. Don't give us your opinions first. Well, everyone was saying it at the time. The promoters were say-

TORONTO VISITOR DROPS DEAD HERE Edward Smith, of 109 Hamilton street, Toronto, died suddenly in the Grand Union Hotel here yesterday. He was visiting Montreal in company with his daughter, Miss E. Smith. The body was taken to the morgue, where the Coroner disposed of the case as one of death due to natural causes. An inquest was also held into the death of Noble Brisebois, who died in the General Hospital Monday from the effects of injuries received in an automobile accident on August 15. "Accidental death" was the verdict returned by the Coroner's jury.

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Oscar Beauchamp sold to George Durnford, lot No. 80-56, parish of Montreal...

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The St. Lawrence Investment & Trust Company sold to Archibald McDonald lot Nos. 825-854 to 857, parish of St. Lawrence...

Joe Laurent sold to Henri Amarche, lot 8-820 St. Denis ward, measuring 50 x 100...

Mrs. J. Poutou sold to Mrs. Leopold Prudhomme, lot 44-24 St. Lawrence ward, measuring 24 x 136...

Leonde Labadie sold to Orphir Bland lot 90-18 St. Louis ward, measuring 36 x 91...

Wm. McLean sold to James S. Reaux, lot 80-20 Notre Dame de la Croix ward, measuring 20 x 100...

Jas. L. Laurier sold to Henri Larochelle, lots 16-175, 676 St. Jean ward, measuring 50 x 100...

Jas. Kelly sold to Frederic Aubin, lot 91-84 Laurier ward, measuring 300 feet, with buildings fronting on Waverley street...

J. Hector Charrette sold to Mrs. J. A. Wilson, lot 151-59 Mount Royal ward, area 5,260 feet, vacant, fronting on Boulevard avenue...

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NOON QUOTATIONS

For closing prices in Montreal and New York see later editions.

NEW YORK PRICES

Table of New York prices for various commodities including wheat, flour, and oil.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Table of Montreal stock exchange noon closing prices for various stocks.

DAYLIGHT SAVING IS DOWNED UPON BY THE FIGHTING HERE

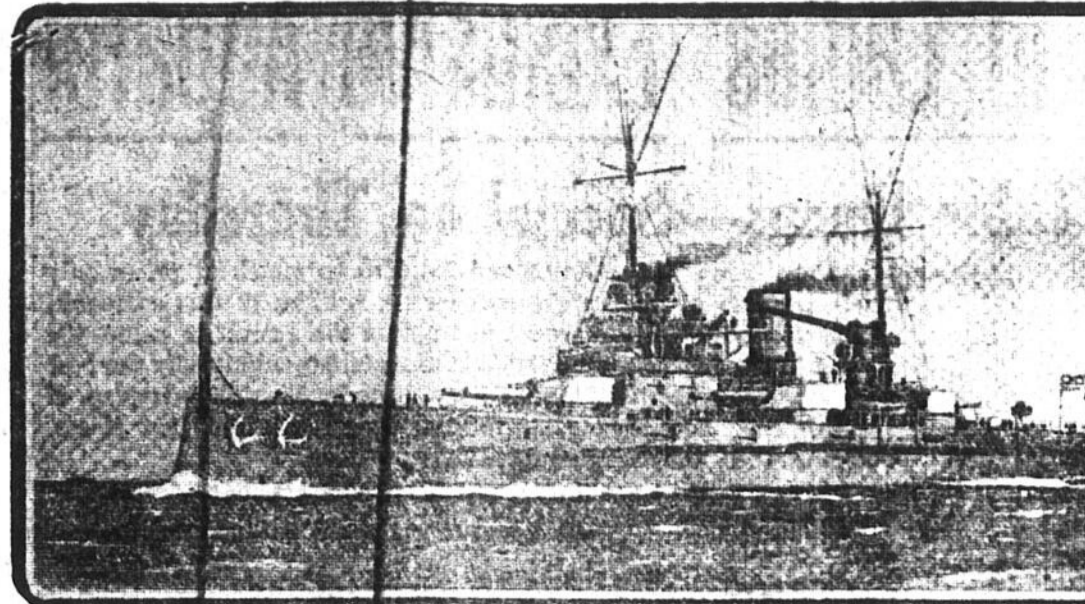
Union of Canadian Municipalities Disapproved of This Plan

CARE FOR THOSE FIGHTING BATTLES

Returned Soldiers Considered—Good Roads are Endorsed

A resolution to ask the Dominion Government to pass a law putting daylight saving into effect all over Canada, was defeated by a large majority at yesterday's session of the convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities in the City Hall.

TYPE OF GERMAN BATTLESHIP TORPEDOED



The Nassau, to whose class belonged the warship attacked by the British submarine E-23 and believed sunk.

FOUR MORE DEAD FROM INJURIES IN AETNA EXPLOSION

Local hospitals report the deaths of four more victims of the explosion at the plant of the Aetna Chemical Company in Drummondville, Que.

A FINE RECRUITING BILLBOARD



'Kitchener's Own' has been doing great recruiting work. Here is a picture of one of their big billboards, which has attracted great attention on Dominion square.

WINSTON CHURCHILL URGES PREPARATION FOR LONG CONFLICT

Declares Food Supplies and Prices Should be Put on War Basis—Recommends Chartering of All Shipping at Admiralty Rates

By Canadian Press. LONDON, Aug. 23.—On the presentation of the motion yesterday for adjournment of the House of Commons for the summer vacation, Col. Winston Churchill, formerly First Lord of the Admiralty, initiated a debate on the conduct of the war.

CAPT. H. CHISHOLM SENATOR SPROULE'S WIFE DEAD, A PRISONER

HE GOT INTO SORE TROUBLE. Graphic Story of the Fighting Told in Letter Received

The announcement of the award of the Military Cross to Capt. Hugh Chisholm, of the 1st Battalion, London Regiment, was received with great pleasure by his many friends.

AMERICAN TOWN HAS NEVER SEEN U. S. CURRENCY

Pensacola, Owned by One Man, is Financed by Company Scrip

Another remarkable instance of the power of the money market is the case of Sergeant J. Leaver, of the Bus. He sustained wounds which practically killed him, and for some time his life was in danger.

THE REMEDY

The remedy Mr. Ross proposed for all this was proportional representation. By this system, the elector placed a figure, one opposite the name of the candidate, and the number of persons to be elected by the elector was determined by the result of the division.

TWO ROMANCES ARE TOLD OF FAMOUS HYMN

Far Distant Places See the Same Strange Incident Take Place

Berkhamsted, England, has been the temporary home for months past of thousands of young men training for commissions in the Army, on Sunday evenings the Rev. Hugo Heynes, the local Baptist minister, has invited some of them to his home for 'supper and hymns,' and on a recent occasion they sang with great heartiness the late Dr. Vincent Tynms's well-known evening hymn, 'Another Sabbath ended,' in which is the stanza commencing: 'Our souls shall know no darkness, while we may look to Thee.'

ALL GAVE FRITZ SOMETHING TO REMEMBER

With a limp, a German bugle, and an Iron Cross of the First Order, a Welsh hospital full of busy optimism and pride in his regiment's honored charge in the battle of the Woods.

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MEETINGS AND DIVIDENDS

Hull Electric Company

Full Lots Odd Lots Investing Trading

Tousaw, Hart & Anderson

DISTRICT MANAGERS

Wanted by The Excelsior Life Insurance Company two or three District Managers—good contracts with renewals to experienced men.

Montreal Trust Company

INCORPORATED 1883

CAPITAL: Paid-up \$1,000,000.00; Rest \$750,000.00

DIRECTORS: Sir Herbert S. Holt, President.

142 NOTRE DAME STREET WEST.

Overseas Export Company of Canada, Limited.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under the first part of chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, known as the Copyright Act, a certain patent has been issued under the Seal of the Secretary of State in respect of the date the 11th day of August 1916, incorporating Henry J. Sproule, advocate and solicitor, as inventor, and Edward Charles Barker, promoter, and Benjamin Ferguson, student in law, of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, for the following purposes, viz:—

(a) To import, export, manufacture, buy, sell and deal in all kinds of goods, wares and merchandise.

(b) To construct, acquire, maintain, operate, use and manufacture works, machinery and appliances for the production of all the aforesaid products, and to import, manufacture, buy, sell and deal in all kinds of goods, wares and merchandise.

(c) To apply for purchase or otherwise acquire any patents, licenses, concessions and other rights in connection with the business of the company, and to use, exercise, develop or otherwise use any such rights, and to use, exercise, develop or otherwise use any such rights, and to use, exercise, develop or otherwise use any such rights.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths. Births—August 20th, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. John Cole, 2440 Waverley, a son, Canadian cotton, snow white. Reg. 90c. On sale, each, 60c.

Household Linens. SHEETS—Double bed size, all ready-made. Made of extra good quality of Canadian cotton, snow white. Reg. 90c. On sale, each, 60c.

You should have one in your kitchen. WILDER'S KITCHEN CABINET. The 23rd Railway Construction Corps, with headquarters at Valcartier, offers unique and attractive opportunities for getting to the front.

RAILWAY CORPS VERY ATTRACTIVE AS OVERSEAS UNIT. Unique Opportunities for Serving Country and Gaining Knowledge. The 23rd Railway Construction Corps, with headquarters at Valcartier, offers unique and attractive opportunities for getting to the front.

The Hamilton Co. A big opportunity to secure real bargains in Plain and Wash Goods. Novelty Summer Suits. Values up to \$35.00 for \$7.95.

Deaths in the City. PEGG—Suddenly, on August 21, John Pegg, eldest son of the late James and Mary Pegg of Rockdale, England. Funeral at 10:30 a.m. on August 22 from the late residence, 889 DesBrisailles street, (Rockdale, England, papers please copy).

Rugs, Carpets, Linoleums and Oilcloths. Why not open a charge account? If you contemplate making a Rug or Carpet purchase you can not do better than visit our Carpet Department.

Suburban Deliveries. Lachine: Tuesdays and Fridays. South Shore: From St. Lambert, at least South and Lachine on Thursdays.

Silk Sweater Coats for \$9.95. Regular \$15.00, \$17.50, \$19.50, and \$22.50 values. All imported garments in sage, blue, canary, rose and gold stripes.

Deaths in the City. OWAN—At 102 Chomedy street, Montreal, on August 22, 1916, at the age of 2 months and 22 days, Elsie Agnes, only and dearly beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cowan. Funeral private.

WILDERS LIMITED. 292 ST. CATHERINE WEST. Near Phillips Square. SCHOOL'S MONEY HANDED OVER TO B. C. PARTY FUNDS.

\$6,000 IS TAKEN FROM PACKET THE BANK HAD MAILED. Government officials are trying to find the person who took \$6,000 from a registered package which was posted in Montreal.

Give me WRIGLEY 1-2-3-4-5. Drop a nickel, please—on the counter in the little corner store—it's sold everywhere.

Deaths in the City. THOMSON—At his late residence, Hill Head Farm, Arundel, Que., after a long illness, Wm. Thomson, in his sixty-ninth year.

SPECIAL TEACHERS OFFERED \$3 A DAY. Teachers of special vacation classes for those pupils who failed to complete their last term, will be paid \$3 a day.

PACIFIST NOT JAILED. LONDON, Aug. 23.—There is no foundation for the Berlin Overseas News Agency report that Norman Angell, the pacifist, has been sentenced to prison for refusal to perform military service.

WRIGLEYS. the largest selling gum in the world. Because it benefits while it gives the longest-lasting pleasure for the price.

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HON. MR. BURRELL LEAVES FOR COAST. OTTAWA, Aug. 23.—The Hon. Martin Burrell, Minister of Agriculture, left this afternoon for British Columbia, where he will spend four or five weeks of the summer.

50 Officers' Military Caps. Slightly damaged in transit (made by Glyn & Bond in London). Sale at 2:00 P.M.

WRIGLEYS SPEARMINT. WRIGLEYS DOUBLEMINT. the largest selling gum in the world.

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DOESN'T WANT BOY TO LEAVE NEW YORK. The regulation that forbids children under sixteen years old to leave New York state for fear of spreading infantile paralysis, which has been epidemic of late, was quoted as an argument in the Superior Court yesterday.

Superior Court. District of Montreal, Province of Quebec, No. 45. In the Matter of W. T. RODDEN, Insolvent and JOHN J. ROBSON, Curator.

Chew it after every meal. Made in Canada. Write Wm. Wrigley Jr. Co., Ltd., Wrigley Building, Toronto, for the Sprightly Spearmint's funny Mother Goose book.

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Important Sale of Household Furniture, Stainway & Sons Grand Piano, Wilton and Axminster Carpets, Paintings, Etc., Etc. No. 72a St. Denis St.

Very Fine Collection of Books. THURSDAY MORNING, August 24th, at 10 O'CLOCK. M. Hicks & Co., Auctioneers.

Life and Character Reading. AUGUST 23. The planets governing this birthdate are Venus and Mercury. The sign of the birthdate is Virgo, which stands for the interior fire of the earth.

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