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## TELLS OF RESCUE FROM "AUDACIOUS"

ANOTHER OLYMPIC PAS-  
SENGER CORROBORATES  
STORY OF THE SINKING

St. Catharines, Ont., Nov. 30.—Mrs. J. A. MacSloy, of this city, who was a passenger on the Olympic, has written home telling of the rescue by this liner of the crew of the British Dreadnought Audacious.

The battleship, she states, had been at gun practice with five others, when it struck a mine. The others, following Admiralty orders, steamed away, least it should be a submarine attack. She tells of the struggle of the rescuers to reach and save the eight hundred men of the Audacious, every one being brought safely aboard the Olympic, except one petty officer, who was crushed between the ship and the lifeboat and killed outright, his body being brought on board and buried that night. Next day the rescued men were taken by several torpedo boat destroyers.

"I must say," writes Mrs. MacSloy "I never say such discipline in my life, and that was their salvation."

## SKEL-STUCK COLLIER

REPORTED STILL AFLOAT  
Paris, Dec. 1.—A despatch to the Havas Agency from Pecamp says that the British collier Primo, which was attacked off Havre by the German submarine U-21 a few days ago, was not sunk although twenty launch boats were used to burn her hull. The Primo has been spotted floating on the coast and the boats have been sent to bring her in.

## DANISH STEAMER

SUNK BY MINE.

London, Dec. 1.—1.57 a. m.—The Danish steamer Mary, of Fosberg, was sunk by a mine in the North Sea Sunday. Her crew of fourteen took to two boats, one of which was picked up by the steamer Juno and landed at Grimshy last night. The other boat, containing the Mary's chief officer and six men, is still missing.

The steamer Mary was a vessel of 580 tons. She was built in 1890 and was owned by the Danish Steamship Company.

## THANKS TO CANADA FROM ENGLAND

COLONIAL SECRETARY SENDS  
GRATEFUL MESSAGE TO  
CANADIAN GOVERNMENT

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—The following cablegram has been received by the government from the Colonial Secretary, Hon. L. Harcourt:

"I am about to lay before parliament further correspondence regarding the munificent gifts which have so far been offered from various parts of the Empire and before doing so I desire on behalf of His Majesty's Government again to express their deep gratitude to all who have so generously and in such diverse ways both publicly and privately contributed to the requirements of His Majesty's Government and their allies for purposes of alleviating the distress caused by the war and bringing it to a successful issue.

## QUIET ST. ANDREW'S DAY IN MONTREAL

CELEBRATED IN SUBDUED  
FASHION OWING TO GREAT  
WAR IN PROGRESS

Montreal, Nov. 30.—St. Andrew's Day in Montreal was marked in subdued fashion, owing to the shadow of the great war which is hanging over the British Empire. So far as Montreal is concerned, there was no ball this year or other official celebration, though the customary messages of greetings were exchanged. One such came from the members of the local St. Andrew's Society now at Salisbury Plain with the Canadian contingent.

## PROTESTS TO U.S. RE BOMBARDMENT

ARMENIENES BOARD OF  
TRADE STATES WOMEN AND  
CHILDREN KILLED.

Amsterdam, Nov. 30.—via London, 7.15 p. m.—The Tijds states that the Chamber of Commerce of Armenienses has sent to the American consul at Dunkirk, with a request that he forward it to Washington, a protest against the bombardment by the Germans of Armenienses. The protest declares that several women and children have been killed, that houses have been set on fire and that the city is not being used for military purposes by the Allies, not a single soldier being there.

## MUNICIPALITIES TO DROP OPTION

Six Manitoba Municipalities Enjoined  
By Court Against Measure

Winnipeg, Nov. 30.—There are now six Manitoba municipalities which have been enjoined by the Court of King's Bench against submitting a local option by-laws to popular vote at the December elections. Another municipality has dropped its local option by-laws by consent, and writs have been taken out on behalf of the liquor interests against the by-laws of half a dozen more municipalities. Sifton, Rockwood, Pilot Mound, Victoria, Woodlands and Napinka are the municipalities whose by-laws have been quashed by consent. It is expected that several of the other municipalities whose by-laws will be challenged will drop out by consent also, seeing that the grounds of objection against them have already been held valid in the previous cases.

The injunctions were granted because the requirements of the local option law with respect to the affidavit witnessing the signatures of the petition were not complied with.

# RUSSIAN RIGHT WING IS SAID TO HAVE OUTFLANKED GERMAN LEFT, TAKING MANY TRENCHES

Fighting Continues Briskly In Poland But News From Both Fronts Is Scarce---German Critics Think Time Is Ripe For Resumption Of Active Operations Against Russians  
---King George Has Left For The Front---French Issue Yellow Book---Fighting In France Resolves Itself Into Outpost Affairs

Amsterdam, via London, Dec. 1, 3.40 a.m.—The Handelsblad correspondent says:

"A big battle is raging between the Yser and the Lys. One hundred and twenty thousand Germans have been sent to Ypres to make a final attempt to capture the town. The garrisons in Flanders have been reduced to a minimum to provide troops to prevent the Allies advancing on Zonnebeke and Langemarck."

London, Nov. 30.—Another day of the crucial battle between the Russians and the German allies in Poland has passed without news of a decisive result. The Berlin official statement tonight says there is nothing of importance to report from Poland, while the Russian government rests upon its warning against over optimism.

The facts, as gleaned from various messages of correspondents, appear to be that three semi-independent engagements are progressing between Thorn on the north, and Cracow on the south, in which both combatants have achieved local successes, without a distinct victory for either arms.

Some of the British military experts believe that Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's forces have been split into three units, one of which certainly is almost completely enveloped, while the Russians have driven a wedge between the German army and its Austrian ally in the region of Cracow. They declare that the Germans have consistently underestimated the qualities of their Muscovite opponents and have opposed them with a body composed almost wholly of second line troops, but are now rushing heavy reinforcements from the western line to avert a Polish Sedan. They express the opinion that the issue depends on whether these arrive in time.

Berlin reports the failure of the Russian attack on the fortifications east of Darkehmen in East Prussia, with heavy losses, while unofficial messages from Petrograd describe an important Russian gain and the capture of ten miles of trenches to the north-east of Lodz.

Advices from Holland report that railway traffic, newspapers and posts in the Brussels region are entirely suspended, it is presumed for the purpose of suppressing news of a movement of German troops to the eastward.

The only development of the day in the western theatre was the renewal of the British naval bombardment of the German base at Zeebrugge.

England was surprised at the announcement that King George had left last night on a visit to the headquarters of the British forces in France, where he is certain of an enthusiastic reception from the soldiers.

This was the fortieth birthday of Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, and the papers, except a few of those antagonistic to him, pay a tribute to his remarkable career. The seventieth birthday of the Queen Mother Alexandra will be celebrated tomorrow.

The Dutch papers say that the Germans have imposed an indemnity of 35,000,000 francs (\$7,000,000) monthly on Belgium for the duration of the war for the maintenance of the troops, and, in addition, 375,000,000 francs (\$75,000,000), as a war levy for violations of neutrality.

Luxemburg reports that the Germans have paid a substantial sum for damages resulting from their occupation of the Grand Duchy.

## FOSSES SURROUND INDIAN CONVICTS

CAPTURE OF THE MEN WHO  
MURDERED TURNKEY IS  
EXPECTED SOON.

Pembroke, Ont., Nov. 30.—Peter White Duck, Anthony Jocko, the two Indians who murdered Turnkey Robert Coxford, and seriously wounded Jafer William Brown here last night, have been rounded up by posses near Golden Lake, the Indian reserve, and their capture is hourly expected. Sheriff Morris received word tonight from W. H. Williams, K.C., and Magistrate J. Stewart, the leaders of the armed posses which left Pembroke last night that the desperadoes had been surrounded in a small bush. A strict guard is being kept on the wooded area and the Indians will likely be taken in the morning.

## SWEDISH STEAMER SEIZED AS PRIZE.

London, Dec. 1—2.25 a.m.—The Swedish steamer Fridland, which sailed from New York, October 28th, for Copenhagen and arrived at Kirkwall, Scotland, November 10th, has been brought into Shields as a prize.

## NORWEGIAN BOAT TAKEN TO HALIFAX

SUSPICION IS THAT SHE HAS  
CONTRABAND OF WAR ON  
BOARD.

Halifax, N.S., Nov. 30.—In charge of a prize crew from one of the British cruisers on duty in the Atlantic, the Norwegian steamer Sandefjord was brought into Halifax harbor today. There is a suspicion that the steamer has contraband of war on board. She was bound from New York for Copenhagen, when held up by the British cruiser, a prize crew placed aboard and ordered to Halifax.

The cargo will be discharged and searched here. She registers 6,026 tons, was chartered by the Gans Steamship Company, and has a big general cargo. It is supposed that she has silk for airships among her cargo. The steamer will be docked tomorrow.

Kenora, Ont., November 30.—Ernest Boyd, who was found guilty on the 21st of the murder of an Assyrian peddler at Edrans, on January 15th, was sentenced to death by Mr. Justice Curran, at the Assize Court this afternoon. Boyd will be hanged March 5th, 1915.

## OFFICIAL

### FRENCH STATEMENT.

Paris, Nov. 30.—11.40 p. m.—The following official communication was issued tonight:

"There is nothing of importance to report beyond some attacks from the enemy to the north of Arras, which were without result."

### RUSSIAN STATEMENT.

Petrograd, Nov. 30.—The following official communication was issued from General Headquarters tonight:

"Stubborn engagements continue in the direction of Lodz. An attempt by the Germans to advance in the region of Rzeszow has been repulsed with great losses to the Germans."

"On the rest of the front, along the left bank of the Vistula, an artillery engagement took place on Nov. 29."

"The Russian troops, after a fight lasting ten days, captured on Nov. 28 the Austrian positions which protected the passes in the Carpathians, extending fifty versts (about 33 miles), from Keneczna, which is situated north of Bartfeld, as far as Szuklo, situated south of Mezo Laborcz. The Russians in this district captured cannons, machine guns and many prisoners."

"During the first half of November, we captured in all 50,000 Austro-Hungarian soldiers and 600 officers."

"At Plock (Poland), the Russian troops seized four ships laden with machine guns and munitions."

"In East Prussia, minor engagements continue. No Turkish warship has been seen in the Black Sea since Nov. 21."

### GERMAN STEAMER

#### INTERNED AT CORONEL

Lima, Peru, Nov. 30.—The German steamer Memphis has arrived in Coronel and will be detained until the end of the war.

The steamer Memphis belongs to the Kosmos Line. According to available shipping records, she left Punta Arenas Nov. 20, but her destination is not given in any of them.

## The Weather

Toronto, Nov. 30.—The weather is very mild from the Great Lakes to the Maritime Provinces, accompanied by rain over Ontario and moderately cold in the Western Provinces.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Dawson, 10 below, 8 below; Victoria, 38-46; Vancouver, 36-46; Kamloops, 26-38; Battleford, 26-28; Prince Albert, 26-32; Calgary, 12-32; Medicine Hat, 18-28; Regina, 18-21; Edmonton, 20-24; Winnipeg, 24-26; Port Arthur, 36-50; Parry Sound, 38-48; London, 45-52; Toronto, 42-49; Kingston, 40-52; Ottawa, 28-42; Montreal, 28-46; Quebec, 20-40; St. John, 34-48; Halifax, 22-52.

### Forecasts:

Lower Lakes, Georgian Bay, Ottawa, Upper and Lower St. Lawrence Valleys: Moderate to fresh winds; Gulf and the Maritime Provinces: mostly southerly, mild and showery. Moderate to fresh south-westerly to southerly winds, mild and becoming showery, chiefly towards evening and at night.

Lake Superior District: Moderate to fresh variable winds, occasional showers.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan: Fair and colder.

Alberta: Mostly fair and moderately cold with some light local snowfalls or flurries.

## WAR SUMMARY

If any marked successes have been attained on any of the various fields of battle the war chancelleries of the belligerent powers have refrained from making known this fact to the public through their usual official communications.

Except that fighting continues briskly in Poland and that there has been another resultless attack on Arras in the west, there is a paucity of news from the fronts.

Unofficial advices from Petrograd assert that the Russians in Poland have captured ten miles of German trenches between Glovno and Sobota, north-east of Lodz, and in addition six hundred prisoners, seven guns and many wounded. The capture of these trenches, it is asserted, strengthens the Russian right wing, which it is declared, already has outflanked the German left and brought the Russian advance nearer Strykow, where a battle is raging.

Berlin declares there is nothing important to report from Poland. A wireless despatch from the German Capital, however, quotes military critics as saying that the time is ripe for a resumption of active operations against the Russians which were temporarily hindered by the advance of Russian reinforcements. It adds that the Austrians are co-operating farther south with the Germans and that there have been Austrian advances in Serbia.

King George has gone to France to visit the British expeditionary forces' headquarters.

The French Government in a Yellow Book again outlines, but more completely than previously, the causes for the European conflict. It deals with events beginning with the Austrian ultimatum to Serbia to the actual commencement of hostilities by all the states of the Triple Entente and the Teutonic Allies.

In another official statement issued at Paris, the French Government reviews the general situation in the western arena from Nov. 21 to 27, and describes the terrific German assault with explosive and incendiary shells on the Belgian town of Ypres, which, it declares, was marked for destruction "on the day when the German Emperor was obliged to give up hope of entering it."

The Cathedral, the belfry and the market buildings, says the French account, were destroyed and the main square of the city was transformed into a heap of ruins.

This report announces that from a material and moral standpoint, the French position from the sea to the Lys River is excellent and declares that the German artillery attacks along the line were intermittent and lack spirit.

In a report from British headquarters on the continent covering operations from Nov. 23 to Nov. 25, the British official observer says that since the enemy has desisted from his attacks in force, the fighting has resolved itself into a competition of sniping and small affairs on the outposts all along the line, where positions are contested with rifles, hand grenades, bombs, mortars and mines. He chronicles numerous British successes and declares that no little part of these have been due to the ample quantity and excellent quality of the food. No soldiers in the field, he says, have ever been so well fed.

The Berlin Press Bureau says the Sultan of Turkey has received pledge of allegiance from Egyptian notables.

Emperor William has conferred the Order of Merit on General Mackensen for the successes achieved by his armies in Poland.

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We offer 10 per cent. discount during this Sale on FINE CHINA, CUT GLASS, STATUARY, LAMPS, BRASS GOODS, VASES, SILVERWARE, BRIC-A-BAC, ETC.

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#### A HUNDRED YEARS AGO TODAY

##### More Troops for America

An embarkation for America of about 3,000 troops is on the point of taking place: under Maj. Gen. Keane. It is generally understood that these troops form what may be termed, the advance guard of the main army that will proceed to the same destination, under Lieut. Gen. Lord Hill. The regiments of the line which are to compose the above force will embark at Plymouth where other battalions are awaiting them, all will go on board immediately that the ships from Portsmouth appear off that port. The force assembled at Portsmouth is a mixed one, composed of Dragoons, Artillery, Rocket Brigade and Sappers and Miners, also a Medical Staff. The mountain guns to accompany the Brigade have been practised on Southsea Common and are found to be most admirably calculated for the service which they are destined.

Notwithstanding the peace negotiations still in progress at Ghent, the British Government do not seem to expect a speedy peace in North America hence the despatch of reinforcements to the theatre of hostilities. The reason of this despatch of further reinforcements is no doubt owing to the report which appeared in the morning Chronicle of London that—towards the close of the commercial business yesterday a report obtained general circulation that the negotiations at Ghent were not only broken off, but broken up, and that Lord Gambier had left Ghent and had even arrived at London, nothing is said about the American commissioners.

**CLUB WILL ABANDON SALARIED SCOUTS**  
Cincinnati, O., Nov. 29.—Holding that the employment of regular salary scouts to ascertain the playing qualities of men in the minor leagues was overdone to such an extent that it was now worthless, the board of directors of the Cincinnati National League club has decided to do away with all salaried scouts for next season. It is the intention of the club to have men who occupy responsible positions in various minor leagues to look after their interests in regard to drafting of young players.

#### THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

##### Quebec and Canadian Canals

The Hon. Mr. Pope very explicitly expressed the policy of the government respecting the canals in a speech delivered 30 years ago. Mr. Pope said: "The Canals must be so enlarged, as to give a uniform draft to tide water. Then the St. Lawrence route will be able to assert itself and its supremacy over all other rivals. A steamer of 2,000 tons will be able to carry wheat from Chicago, Duluth or Thunder Bay to the lower end of Lake Erie for three cents a bushel, and a boat of 1,000 tons will carry it thence to Quebec for at most four cents more. If Montreal desires to remain the port of exchange she must provide the facilities. It is simple nonsense to keep open a ship channel which the general business of the country does not need. When the government has so perfected the lake and river navigation that lake vessels can meet ocean vessels it will have done its whole duty. Grain may then be cheaply carried to Quebec and goods may be cheaply carried inland from Quebec. If the business men of Montreal can remove the port of exchange from the spot pointed out by nature, which is Quebec, well and good; we have not a word to say against it. But when the business men of Montreal affirm that the government should spend an enormous sum to enable them to violate a natural law with impunity the time for protest has come.

#### NEW GOVERNOR OF BELGIUM

##### Germany Makes Changes in Belgium and Turkey Officials

Berlin, via Rome, Nov. 29.—Field Marshal Baron von Der Goltz has been relieved from his position as military governor of the portions of Belgium under German control and attached for the remainder of the war to the entourage of the Sultan of Turkey.  
General Freiherr von Bissing has been nominated as successor to Gen. von Der Goltz as military governor of Belgium.  
According to a despatch from Constantinople to the Frankfurter Zeitung



#### Santa Claus Has His Stock of Toys Seized By His Captors

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I am a prisoner in the hands of the enemy at — (name erased by the censors). I am very downhearted at seeing my beautiful load of toys seized, and it grieves me bitterly to see the toys intended for my little friends in Quebec become the playthings of the soldiers who have captured me. But it is a good thing that they are so much taken up with inspecting the contents of my bag as I have had a chance to write this message and slip it under the seat of my sleigh. While their backs are turned I am going to send my reindeer flying with the message, but I am afraid to try to escape just now as I would surely be killed. For the sake of the children I hope to get away soon.

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## FRENCH MINISTRY ISSUES BOOK ON CAUSES OF WAR

REPORT COVERS 216 PAGES, REVIEWS SITUATION,  
CONVINCINGLY PLACING RESPONSIBILITY ON  
THE KAISER.

Paris, Nov. 30.—The French Ministry of Foreign Affairs today made public a Yellow Book bearing on the present war. This French volume is much more complete than the publication of this nature given out up to the present time by other governments.

The French report has 216 pages and comprises no fewer than 160 documents. It is devoted primarily to a recital of the delivery of the Austrian note to Serbia (July 23rd, 1914), and which preceded the declaration of war by Germany on Russia, (Aug. 1, 1914), and on France (Aug. 3rd, 1914). It is brought to a close by the reproduction of the declaration of the Triple Entente powers that Great Britain, Russia and France would not conclude peace separately.

The French diplomatic documents in this book are divided in chapters in order to distinguish the preliminaries from the principal phases of the European crisis. The first chapter is entitled "Preface" (1913), and is devoted to the remoter regions and the deeper causes of the present conflict. An extract of the Yellow Book, given out officially in Paris, reads as follows:

### Suspected Germany in 1913.

"It was first in the spring of 1913 that we noted this colossal and expensive military effort which alone can explain the desire to impose the Germanic superiority and hegemony upon the powers of the Triple Entente. When France responded to this means of defence by the drafting of the law of three years service in the army, this measure of defence was denounced in official circles in Berlin as a 'provocation which should not be tolerated.'

"In April of 1913, a secret and official German report defined 'The objective and the means of the national policy' as follows: Convince the people of the necessity of an offensive war against France; prepare uprisings in Russia and in North Africa; provide for, in case of hostilities, the immediate absorption of Belgium and Holland.

"These are the ideas extolled in this report such is the program that shortly after, we saw the Germans endeavor to put into operation.

"We declare that Emperor Wilhelm who, up to that time had posed as a champion of peace, admitted in the course of a conversation with the King of Belgium that he had finally come to share the ideas of his military advisers. He had placed himself among the partisans of a war which he thought would not be long delayed, and the overpowering success of which seemed to him certain. Public opinion, in its turn, permitted itself to be won over by the passions of the military party and came to consider the affair of Agadir as a defeat for Germany. It regarded the existence of a strong France as a danger to Germany, and the breaking out of a European war as the only remedy for all difficulties and all uncertainties.

"These bellicose dispositions constituted a permanent danger for the peace of Europe.

"From a perusal of the six other chapters of the Yellow Book, which are devoted to the diplomatic negotiations carried on in the month of July, there is to be deducted, and supported by evidence, the following impressions: That the combination between Austria and Germany had decided upon war, and that on four successive occasions this combination endeavored to precipitate war by violent proceedings, the purpose of which was to prevent, or to insure the failure, of all efforts at conciliation. The first of these proceedings was the Austrian ultimatum to Serbia (July 24), which was the origin of this conflict. In spite of the fact that the Belgrade government offered, for the prosecution of the assassins of the Austrian Archduke, every facility compatible with its dignity, the cabinet of Vienna summoned the government at Belgrade not only to disavow all complicity with the crime of Sarajevo, but furthermore, to permit foreign functionaries to seek the authors of this crime on Serbian territory.

### Austria Hasty.

"Vienna gave Serbia only two days to accept integrally these draconian conditions. In spite of the fact that M. von Jagow, the German Minister of Foreign Affairs, claimed to be in ignorance of the contents of this note (which was nevertheless known to the President of the Bavarian Council, Germany immediately and without restriction united herself with her ally. The German ambassador came to the Quai d'Orsay, (the French Foreign Office in Paris), and endeavored to carry through a proposal which he represented as being peaceful, but which in reality was threatening. He declared that the conflict should remain 'localized' and that

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## NOT ONE CANADIAN SENT BACK FROM SALISBURY PLAINS

MINISTER OF MILITIA ADVISED 38 MISFITS ARE FOREIGNERS

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—Major-General Hughes has received advices that not one of the thirty-eight "misfits" sent back to Canada from the Canadian division at Salisbury Plain is a Canadian citizen born or naturalized. The men being returned are of German or Austrian origin, many of them crossing from the United States to enlist.

General Hughes has appointed Mr. Clive Phillips Wooley, the poet and writer, a special service officer at Victoria, B.C. He is the father of Capt. Wooley, who was on the Aboukir when she sank in the North Sea.

## GERMANY HAS PAID FOR DAMAGE DONE

LUXEMBURG STATED TO HAVE RECEIVED \$250,000 TO COVER CROPS LOST

Luxemburg, Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, via London, Nov. 30.—The newspaper Wort announces officially that Germany thus far has paid to Luxembourg 1,280,000 francs, (\$250,000) for damage done to the fields and crops by transport of the German troops, and 311,000 francs, (\$62,200) for the use of roads and the damage done to streets and buildings.

## REFUSED TO SIT WITH A NON-COM.

AUSTRIAN PRISONER IN SARNIA, ONT., MUCH HUMILIATED.

Sarnia, Ont., Nov. 30.—An Austrian taken from a Grand Trunk train here as a suspect refused to sit with a sergeant of the local regiment who took him in charge, declaring indignantly that he was a regular officer of high standing in the Austrian army and that it would be beneath his dignity for him to sit with a non-commissioned officer. The man was obliged to comply however.

## NEW YORK COTTON EXCHANGE EXPANDS

HAS DECIDED TO RESCIND CERTAIN RESTRICTIONS IN FORCE.

New York, Nov. 30.—The Board of Managers of the New York Cotton Exchange announced, after a special meeting today, that it had decided to rescind various restrictions, resolutions and suggestions made necessary to meet the emergencies which arose while the Exchange was closed. A return to normal trading conditions made such measures unnecessary, it was said.

## KAISER GONE TO EAST AGAIN.

Berlin, Nov. 29, via Amsterdam and London.—It was announced at military headquarters today that Emperor William was now with the German army in the east.

A despatch from Berlin last week said that Emperor William was soon to go to the German Capital and would remain there for some time. Previously his presence was reported on several occasions with the German armies in the west and in the east.

## ENEMY WEARING HIMSELF OUT IN PARTIAL ATTACKS

PARIS REVIEWS OPERATIONS FROM NOVEMBER 21 TO THE 27TH INCLUSIVE.

Paris, Nov. 30.—The following official statement was issued here tonight:

"A few details about what has occurred on the front from Nov. 21 to Nov. 27 inclusive: The general situation has not materially changed in that period. The enemy has worn himself out in partial attacks, without result. Our counter attacks have inflicted on him heavy losses and have brought some gain to ourselves.

"From the sea to the Lys, the attacks of the enemy have been very intermittent. On the 23rd, the 24th and the 25th the German artillery in general has remained silent.

"The old and magnificent city of Ypres has been condemned to death on the day when the German Emperor was obliged to give up all hope of entering it. The batteries not being sufficient for that work of destruction, the enemy took to Houthen an armored train on the 22nd and 23rd under the guidance of a captive balloon.

"This train kept up an incessant fire of explosive and incendiary shells. The Cathedral, belfry and the market buildings successively collapsed. On the evening of the 23rd, the main square of the city was nothing more than a heap of ruins.

"The firing was kept up continually in order to prevent the city from being captured, but our sappers worked under the shells and succeeded in rescuing many of the inhabitants, the city records and a few pictures in the Museum.

"On the 24th and 25th we succeeded, to the south of Dixmude, in gaining a foothold on the left bank of the Yser. In spite of the enemy's fire, our troops held the ground without difficulty.

"Further to the south a French army corps advanced 200 metres all along its front and held its ground. The shells of the German artillery sometimes don't burst properly. Our infantry, in comparison with the infantry of the enemy, are very spirited. They captured on the 25th, before Festober, three machine guns, a light howitzer, 160 men and three officers.

"To sum up, our material and moral situation from the sea to the Lys is very good. From the Lys to the Oise, the enemy has not shown on this part of the front greater activity than on the northern section. There was no attack by the infantry. The attacks by the artillery were very intermittent and were lacking spirit. Our artillery during that week maintained its advantage.

"On the 22nd our heavy guns near La Bassée silenced completely the fire of the German batteries. On the 24th, in the same region, the result was the same. On the 25th, we destroyed, after our aeroplanes had given us the range, two machine guns. "Our infantry has gained brilliant results. It is to be noted that every advance it makes is at once definitely secured by the establishment of entrenchments. At Lievin, on the 21st, our infantry brought to a head an audacious operation which had been prepared by sapping. Our troops invaded a German trench, killed 200 of its occupants and installed themselves in the trench, after having burned, in front of it, two artillery observation stands.

"With reference to the district from the Oise to the Vosges—it is in this section that the enemy, in his statements, claims to have given proofs of the greatest activity and to have gained most of his success. In reality he has been a little more active than in other sections, except that he never engaged more than one battalion at a time. As regards the results, he obtained none. On the contrary, our artillery made substantial gains.

"Some of the infantry actions are interesting to note. On the 22d, by a magnificent defence, we maintained all our positions in the Argonne, as well as at Aux Eparges, against four exceedingly fierce attacks. Also, on the 25th, on all other points, it was we who made progress.

"On the 21st, to the south of Four-De-Paris, we made an advance: on the 24th, one of 500 metres near Berry-Au-Bac; another the same day to the east of Rheims and in the forest of Bolant, and on the 25th still another near Souain.

"In Upper Alsace and in the Vosges our Alpine infantry has assumed a remarkable ascendancy over the enemy. When they are confronted by the 'Black Devils,' the Germans don't leave their trenches. We have taken from them all those that were impeding us.

"In this region, as also in the vicinity of St. Michel, our heavy artillery has made nearly impossible the victualling of the enemy."

## BRITISH DESTROYER DAMAGED IN COLLISION.

London, (Sunday) Nov. 29.—1.40 a.m.—Delayed in transmission—A British destroyer arrived at the River Tees last night, badly damaged in the stern as the result of a collision with a trawler in the North Sea.

## WILL CANADA HELP US? IS CRY OF STARVING BELGIANS

American Commission Asks England to Sell Canada's Gift of Flour for Belgians.

### BELGIANS DESPERATE.

People Becoming Sullen and Danger Is That They Will Precipitate a Riot.

(Special to The Chronicle.)

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 30.—The Morning Chronicle has received the following cable from Mr. Crowell, its special staff correspondent at Rotterdam:

Rotterdam, Nov. 30.—Will Canada help us? This is the pathetic cry which meets me everywhere, as I have gone up and down the lines of the starving and homeless Belgians.

The American commission have exhausted sources of good supplies. They cannot obtain food in Holland or in England for immediate needs.

Another flight of Belgians toward Holland has begun, the panic-stricken people are streaming across the frontier into the border towns, which already were over-run with wandering refugees. The distress is great, and the situation has become so acute that the American commission has asked the British government to sell to it the Canadian gift of flour which is now in England and is immediately available for distribution among the starving Belgians.

The Belgian people driven to desperation, are becoming sullen, are arming themselves with any weapon upon which they can lay hands. The danger is that they will precipitate a riot, and that will bring upon them military reprisals by the Prussian tyrants which are too awful to contemplate.

The needs are urgent. The American commission estimates that it will require five million dollars a month for the next eight months to feed the millions of Belgians who are even now feeling the effects of want.

It is heart breaking as I go to and fro among these poor people to hear their despairing appeal, "Will Canada help us?"—and yet not despairing to me, for I believe my country will hearken to the cry of distress, and out of the generosity of their hearts will promptly send succor and relief.

Never in history has there been such an imperative call to the humanity of the world.

## GIVE PEACE PRIZE TO BELGIAN POOR

SCANDINAVIAN PRESS URGES PROPOSAL TO DONATE THE NOBEL PRIZE

Copenhagen, via London, Nov. 30.—The Scandinavian press greatly favors the proposal to donate the Nobel Peace Prize to the Belgian refugees. The newspapers say that this would be in accordance with the ideas of Dr. Alfred B. Nobel, and that the money would thus be devoted to a thoroughly neutral object.

## WIRELESS TOWER IN CARIBBEAN SEA

BELIEVED TO BE PART OF A PLANT OF A BELLIGERENT NATION.

Boston, Nov. 30.—A tall tower which they believed to be a part of a wireless plant set up by one of the belligerent nations was sighted on Toro Cay, an isolated spot in the Caribbean Sea, by officers of the steamer San Jose, they reported upon the arrival of their vessel today. Captain McKinnon of the steamer said the structure, which appeared to be of steel frames, was a new one.

## MONTREAL TRAMWAYS FRANCHISE APPLICATION.

Montreal, Nov. 30.—At a general meeting called by the Council of the Montreal Board of Trade this afternoon to discuss the question of the Montreal Tramways Company's application to the City Council for a renewal of franchise for forty years, a resolution was passed in favor of settling the question as speedily as possible.

## CANADA'S SECOND OVERSEAS FORCE TO BE EFFICIENT

GENERAL LESSARD HAS SET A HIGH STANDARD FOR RECRUITS

Toronto, Nov. 30.—Gen. Lessard has set a high standard for the men of the second contingent. Twenty-two men were dismissed from the camp today. Of these three were released because they had failed to secure the consent of their parents; two were "let out" owing to misdemeanors; eleven were found to be medically unfit and six were banished as "undesirable."

The commanding officer has appointed Col. J. T. Fotheringham, of the Headquarters Staff and Lieut. J. A. Amyot, Provincial Analyst, to investigate the whole question of food allowance and determine whether it is suitable and ample for the needs of the men undergoing strenuous physical exercise.

The officers to command the different branches of the Army Service Corps, at the Exhibition will be: Divisional Ammunition Park, Col. G. F. C. Pouchette, Winnipeg; Lieut. A. H. Ellis, Ottawa; Lieut. R. Hargreaves, Vancouver, divisional supply column; Major E. A. Harris, Quebec; Capt. J. G. Parmelee, Ottawa; Lieut. C. K. Graham, Ottawa; Lieut. C. S. McKinnon, Montreal; Lieut. C. E. Hild, Ottawa; Field Bakery, Lieut. William Black, Toronto; Field Butchery, Lieut. N. J. McLean, Toronto; Railway Supply Detachment, Col. A. D. McRae, Vancouver. The only man taken from the permanent force is Major Harris.

## WAR TRANSFORMS PLACES TOUCHED

VILLAGES AND TOWNS DISAPPEAR THROUGH CROSS FIRE OF ARMIES.

Vitry-Le-Francois, Nov. 30.—(Correspondence). Black ruins which have just ceased smouldering, houses whose interiors have been demolished by bursting shells, leaving only the skeletons of their structures standing, others with sides blown out, still others where only a chimney stack remains erect are common sights in this portion of the tract of the armies fighting a short distance to the north. Amid the desolation, in half sheltered shacks, sit women and children and old men, uttering scarcely a word except about their husbands and fathers and sons away with the army and from whom news is rare, if it comes at all. Lack of laborers makes it almost impossible for the villagers to start any repairs. Trade is at a standstill and the common articles of domestic necessity are difficult to obtain owing to the dislocation of transport.

Only a mile or two from Vitry the villages of Erignicourt and Courdeange have virtually disappeared, except for disorderly heaps of bricks, tiles and stones which a few weeks ago were houses. The fighting around here was some of the most terrible of the war in its intensity. The fields are dotted with deep holes made by bursting German and French shells, while all about are small mounds showing the burial places of German and French soldiers interred where they fell. Even in the drainage ditches along the roads many graves were hastily made, and small crosses formed of two broken branches of trees placed over them, without name or number to indicate the occupants.

The battle in Courdeange lasted nearly three days before the Germans hurriedly departed through Vitry-Le-Francois. In the streets of the village the ground was thickly covered with corpses which were later interred by the inhabitants.

Further away from Vitry is Normee, near Fere Champenoise, Normee, before the war, possessed about 100 houses. Now there are but sixty, the rest having been blown to pieces or burned. The village passed from hand to hand several times during the German retreat to the Aisne. It is placed in a capital position for defence from any side, and the opposing forces fought desperately for its possession. In its single street, 510 German bodies were picked up on one day, as well as about 100 French dead. Everywhere near was the scene of furious combats and graves strewn all the fields, while the excellently constructed and sheltered trenches on all sides remain as they were during the battle, with pieces of exploded shells and accoutrements spread about.

Berlin, Nov. 29.—By wireless—It is said semi-officially today, that Germany would not take any diplomatic steps on account of the mobilization of the Portuguese army, and that full responsibility would be left with Portugal. Germans in that country have been advised to depart.

## AMENDMENTS TO CITY CHARTER ARE PROPOSED

QUESTION OF DORCHESTER ELECTRIC DISCUSSED  
—CITY WOULD BORROW \$700,000—COST OF PERMANENT SIDEWALKS TO TAXPAYERS.

At the special Committee to prepare amendments to the City Charter, which sat at the City Hall last night under the presidency of the newly appointed chairman, Ald. Gibsons, several important amendments were adopted.

Among them was one asking that the city be empowered to increase from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 its power of municipalizing an electric light plant. This increase, His Worship Mayor Drouin, pointed out is so that the city may be protected against a merger in the event of the company at present furnishing the City light failing to do so.

Mayor Drouin stated that he had recently communicated with the Shawinigan Falls Power Co., with a view to ascertaining whether they would be able to furnish electricity to the city and learned that the Dorchester Power Co. had already opened negotiations with the Shawinigan Power Co., and it is claimed that the latter are prepared to come to the aid of the Dorchester Co. in furnishing the desired current from their water power.

In the event of these plans not materializing, doubt is felt for the future of the Dorchester plant among members of the City Council.

### Want Power To Borrow \$700,000.

In order to pay for permanent works carried out during the last season and other contemplated improvements, the Committee embodied in its amendments to the charter a motion to be permitted to borrow the sum of \$700,000. The principal items in the list of appropriations are:

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|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Enlargement of Palais Hill                                              | \$ 37,000 |
| Dufferin Terrace                                                        | 75,000    |
| Civic Hospital                                                          | 50,000    |
| Enlargement of St. Paul St.                                             | 11,000    |
| Paving St. Paul St.                                                     | 16,000    |
| Subscription Patriotic Fund                                             | 20,000    |
| Floating Debt Belvedere                                                 |           |
| Ward                                                                    | 105,000   |
| Completion of Bridges and approaches                                    | 50,000    |
| Bickell's Bridge                                                        | 125,000   |
| Paving, Waterworks, Permanent works in St. Malo and other parts of City | 100,000   |
| Permanent Sidewalks                                                     | 50,000    |
| Total                                                                   | \$614,300 |

### Infraction of City By-Laws.

For infraction of City By-Laws power will be asked the Legislature to be permitted to impose a fine not exceeding \$100 or imprisonment of three months instead of only being permitted to fine to the extent of \$40 or two months as is the case as present.

### False Fire Alarms.

For the serious offence of ringing false alarms authority is asked for the Recorder that he may impose a fine not exceeding \$200 or make the sentence six months imprisonment without the option of a fine, the Recorder to use his own discretion.

### Trotting on City Bridges.

As there is and has been some doubt on the part of the Civic authorities as to the right of the enforcement of the by-law prohibiting trotting on city bridges or their approaches, the Committee recommended that all bridges either wholly or in part within the city limits be subject to all Civic by-laws.

### Permanent Sidewalks.

Mayor Drouin stated that it was time for the City to either reduce their share of the payment of the cost of permanent sidewalks to 25 p. c. or not shoulder any of the cost of same at all.

It was pointed out that last year the city paid 50 p. c. of a total cost of \$88,000 in this respect. The committee decided on the 25 p. c. basis. The contractor will be obliged to collect 75 p. c. of the cost from the proprietor.

### City's Borrowing Powers.

Mr. H. DesRivieres, Manager of the Bank of Montreal, St. Roch's was called before the Committee and placed a letter before the President from Sir Frederick-Williams Taylor, General Manager of the Bank, which strongly recommended the City to seek authority from the Legislature to increase the borrowing powers of the City by way of Treasury Bills from £200,000, the amount now authorized, to £500,000. Mr. DesRivieres explained that it was a most necessary step in view of the actual conditions of the money market and also made the suggestion that the form of Treasury Bills be changed. The Committee agreed to both these suggestions and amendments to the charter will be asked. The St. Roch's manager of the Bank of Montreal also brought up the question of the interest that the City will have to pay on its securities in future. Although the matter was discussed no decision was reached and he question was left over till Parliament meets.

### Right to Sell Milk

The right to refuse cattle dealers permission of selling milk in the city will also be asked the Legislature. Permission will also be asked to

## GERMAN CRITICS THINK TIME IS RIPE FOR ACTION

RUSSIANS MUST BE SUPPRESSED AND DECISION IN WEST APPROACHING

Berlin, Nov. 30.—(By wireless to London, 7:40 p.m.)—The situation at the end of the past week shows, in the opinion of military critics, that the time is ripe for the resumption of active operations against the Russians which temporarily were hindered by the advance of Russian reinforcements in Northern Poland. The German successes, the critics contend definitely have removed the danger of any invasion of the German provinces.

Further south the Austrians are co-operating to good effect and the Austrian advance into Serbia affords a reasonable ground for believing that the campaign there soon will be brought to a successful conclusion and thus release troops for action elsewhere. An observer who has just returned from Serbia, expresses the opinion that the Serbians are "at the end of their tether."

In the western arena of the war, the situation is not so clear as it is in the east, but reports continue to show that the enemy's attacks have been repulsed. The Germans, it is announced, are gaining ground and thus gradually nearing a final decision.

force proprietors to build a certain distance from the direct tributaries from which the city's water supply comes and also to prevent canoeing and boating on the St. Charles River above the locks. At present those owning ground along the bank of the river in Loretteville and elsewhere are allowed the privilege of boating.

### Civic Employees' Right to Vote

Ald. Verret proposed a few amendments. Among them was that civic employees be permitted to vote in civic elections and not be restricted alone to provincial elections. That section of the city charter dealing with the question involved, he proposed to strike out.

Regarding the emergency clause in the city charter which provided for 5 per cent of the city's revenue being held as reserve it was decided to reduce the amount to 2 per cent.

### Dividing Limoilou Ward

Ald. Galibois made an important suggestion to the effect that Limoilou Ward be divided in two, and this was accepted. The new representative of Limoilou proposed that, as the ward is one of the largest in the city, with 1100 property owners and 1331 voters the division should be made. It was not necessary, he pointed out, that Limoilou Ward as it is today, should have more than one representative in the Council. He suggested that the ward divisions be called Limoilou and Lairet. Mayor Drouin was in favor of the division being made at Third Avenue, leading from Dorchester Bridge.



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# HE WAS A PROPHET.

Five years ago, Robert Blatchford, the leading Socialist writer of Great Britain, wrote a series of articles in the London Daily Mail, intended to rouse the British public to the danger of the German menace. In the light of recent events, these articles make interesting retrospective reading and stamp their author as a man of almost uncanny prophetic powers.

In one of them he said: "The German people have no control over the German policy. They cannot prevent a war when once their rulers have decided upon war. They do not know the game their rulers are playing. They would be plunged into war before they were aware of the danger, and once in their own soldiers would suppress any attempt at interference."

In the same article he says: "The German theory of warfare fits it as a bludgeon fits the hand of a footpad. 'Full steam ahead' in the motto for the German navy; 'Forward' is the motto for the army. Go straight for the enemy and smash him. Never mind the cost. We have plenty of men. We can afford heavy losses, but we must win."

"Another article on 'Soldiering or Slavery' contains this sentence: 'The army should be put under the direction of one man, and the man is Lord Kitchener. To him should be left also the arrangement of the plans of organization and mobilization. That is what Lord Kitchener was born for, and it would be a pity to waste him.'"

## WHERE GERMANY HAS ALREADY LOST.

One of the most influential of the United States publications, Collier's Weekly, is not at all diffident about its condemnation of German war methods. It rightly takes the stand that the mailed fist is lifted not against Great Britain, France, Russia and others of the allied nations, but against all humanity. In the current issue, Collier's publishes the following editorial:

"To Professor Munsterberg, Dr. Bernhard Dernburg, Count von Bernstorff, and others:

"You have circulated a great deal of printed matter explaining your views on the war in all its phases. You seem particularly anxious to impress it upon us that Germany is strong in resources, that her business is going forward, that her banks have ample funds, that food and all other supplies are on hand there in great abundance. These being so, why is Germany robbing Belgium? This little country has been stamped flat by the Kaiser's troops. Trade and industry of all sorts are utterly at an end, the whole apparatus of commerce by which food and other necessities are distributed is broken up. And yet the all-powerful German army levies on these miserable and helpless victims for money, clothing, provisions—some \$500,000 per week is taken from Brussels alone. Imagine an armed man standing over a terrorized group of cripples, old folks, and children, and taking from them what little they have against the winter and taking it for his own use. That is what is going on in Belgium, and it is not war."

"Your Kaiser has a thousand times proclaimed himself as one of those to whom, in Ruskin's words, the Bible is a captain's order to be heard and obeyed at their peril. He preaches sermons and has much to say of faith and religion. And yet it is because of him that these haggard fugitives flee in pain, that nameless babies are born and die with their mothers by the side of the road. He has plunged all these people into a living hell. And then, instead of succoring them, the orders go out which mean that their want is to be made more cruel, their despair more hopeless. Is there no court foretold to tell him what has been foretold to those who oppress the fatherless and the afflicted? This is one verse: 'For the Lord will plead their cause, and spoil the soul of them that spoil them.'"

"It matters not if your country is strong, indeed, at home. In Belgium your Germany is already lost.

"In view of the loose talk that one hears concerning peace and war, some words spoken by M. Leon Bourgeois in the French Senate in 1907, on the occasion of the second Hague conference, have pointed application. M. Bourgeois has been a Minister of France more than once, even Prime Minister, he is recognized as a capable historian. He said in 1907: For us, resolute partisans of arbitration and of peace, disarmament is a consequence and not a preparation. To make disarmament possible, the first requisite is that each party shall feel its rights secure. Security of rights is

## A VETERAN WHO WAS WITH LORD ROBERTS

Laid Low With Rheumatism—But Cured By "Fruit-a-tives"

Chatham, Ont., April 3rd, 1913.

"I am a veteran of the Crimean war and the Indian Mutiny, volunteering from the Royal Artillery into the Royal Engineers, and served under Lord Roberts during the Indian Mutiny, and am a pensioner of the British Government. Fierce hand-to-hand fighting and continual exposure left me a great sufferer from Rheumatism, so much so that my legs swelled up, making it impossible for me to walk. "Fruit-a-tives" They cured me of both the Rheumatism and Constipation. In my regular employment, I walk thirty miles a day and enjoy perfect health."

GEORGE WALKER.

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what must be organized as a beginning. Only behind that rampart can the nations disarm. One of the first principles here is the protection of the weak; the rights of a Belgium, for instance. That is why the action of Germany in Belgium was more than an unfortunate treatment of a smaller nation, but struck at the very foundations of national equity, and tended to undo the progress of the generations. That, also, is why the defeat of Germany is an utter necessity if we are to develop a real civilization beyond more than narrowly national lines—if the ideal of world peace, or even European peace, is ever to be realized."

## BELGIUM TO BRITAIN.

The following stirring and pathetic declaration to the British people on the events of the last few weeks was published in English in most of the Belgian newspapers:

"We feel it incumbent to tell you a word in your own language which we trust will reach the innermost of your noble hearts.

"It is the word which every Belgian has on his lips in these dark times.

"It is the expression of the most heartfelt thanks.

"Thanks from nation to nation, from people to people, from man to man.

"During these unspeakable trials which our poor little country has had to put up with for the last two months, your people of Great Britain and Ireland, have remained our hope and our trust.

"If we have not despaired during this hurricane of fire and blood it is because we have never forgotten that you are watching over us and that you will never permit our destruction.

"Even at this dark moment, when the final result of this gigantic strife of the civilized world against the returning barbarism might leave doubts, we may pluck up new courage with the unshakable conviction that Great Britain and Ireland will never permit the yoke to be put on our dear motherland, even if all that remains of that motherland, would be a smoking heap of ruins.

"It was the confidence in British diplomacy to that enlightened generous diplomacy that free and independent Belgium is indebted for its existence and for eighty years of peaceful progress.

"But who on our side could have surmised at the beginning of this war, that the work of the British statesmen would have taken root so deeply in the hearts of the British nation, that your government, read friends, acting towards Belgium as they did, were at unison with the sentiments of your people.

"The greatest need has conceived the mightiest, the widest altruism the world has ever had the privilege to witness.

"The entire Belgian people feels rivetted to your nation through eternal ties of blood.

"All ours who came to you have found a brother and a sister there, and now many of you have taken upon themselves with a light mind and a warm heart the duties of parents for poor orphans who have lost father or mother—nay both—in this terrible war?

"To how many have you not restored the belief in righteousness and generosity during these black nights of despair? And have you not sent thousands and thousands of your best to us? Your soldiers, chivalrous and undaunted in battle, spilling their blood of their own free will by our side and along with our French allies for the holy cause of free civilization? Your doctors, doctors and nurses coming mostly from the highest classes of society as administering angels amongst the horrors of war.

"This is what we wanted to tell you, in your tongue, friends, of Great Britain and Ireland, so that it may penetrate into the innermost of your hearts."

## PRESS COMMENT.

In vain have the missionaries of German culture labored to cast their spell over the world at large. They have been abroad since the war began, and in many countries have made unsparing use of their great resources and their potent arts, but they cannot stay the process of disillusionment. Germany long imposed upon the world. She was accepted at her own estimate. Her neighbors yielded her the respect due to a nation of high honor. They regarded her as worthy of the trust she held in common with themselves for the upholding of civilization. They were even disposed to admit her claims to be foremost in leadership along certain lines of world progress. Her culture was not questioned. The war has exposed her, and has opened the eyes of her neighbors. It has rubbed off the veneer of her culture, and reveals her as a barbarian of quite Scythian viciousness. The time is at hand when the scales will fall from the eyes of the German people themselves and they will see in its true character the system their war lord has built up. When the German war machine loses prestige with the German people, what a downfall there will be! As long as the army was a thing of pomp and splendor, and passed for an invincible host, the German people rendered homage to it. When they beheld it falling back upon their soil before advancing armies, a mere wreck of its former greatness, they will be filled rather with resentment against it than with compassion for it. The result of militarism will then have come home to them. The flower of their country's manhood will have been sacrificed, their trade and industry ruined, and their national greatness exploded. The most abused and unforgiving victims of Kaiserism will be the Kaiser's own subjects. As the reverse of war becomes greater, the troubles at home will increase, and a political revolution is not unlikely to be an early sequel of the war machine's failure. It already begins to appear to the German people that none but the maddest of leaders would have brought their country into a war with so many and so powerful adversaries—Mail and Empire.

HENRI BOURASSA TO SPEAK IN OTTAWA.

Nationalist Leader Will Be Pleased if People Want Him.

Ottawa, Nov. 29.—Definite decision was reached this afternoon by a mixed committee of French and English citizens to extend an invitation to Henri Bourassa, the Nationalist leader, to deliver an address here on his return from a tour of the New England States. Mr. Bourassa wrote he would be glad to come if the people of Ottawa still wanted to hear him, and the committee has engaged a theatre for the occasion. The date will be named later.

TURKS SEQUESTERED CHRISTIAN HOUSES.

Paris, Nov. 30.—1.20 a.m.—The Havas correspondent at Athens says: "According to news received here, the Turkish government has decided to sequester all religious establishments in Palestine belonging to Great Britain, France and Russia."

INSURING GOOD DIGESTION

IMPORTANCE OF PREVENTING FOOD FERMENTATION IN STOMACH.

Good digestion usually means good health. So long as the stomach does its work properly disease can find no lodgment in the human system; the liver, kidneys and intestines will perform their work perfectly and remain in perfect health; but permit anything to interfere with the proper digestion of food, an unending train of troubles is set in motion. About the only thing that will upset the stomach and interfere with digestion is an excess of acid, usually caused by food fermentation. Food fermentation is due to chemical action in the food itself. This fermentation causes the formation of gas, or wind, as well as acid, resulting in the unnatural distention of the stomach and the burning by the acid of the delicate lining of the stomach.

Medicine and tonics cannot relieve this condition—they usually make it worse. The fermentation and acid are to blame and these must be overcome and prevented by taking a meal a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia in a little cold water. Physicians recommend bisurated magnesia especially because it stops and prevents fermentation of food and neutralizes the acid instantly, making it bland and harmless, without irritating the stomach in any way. Get a little bisurated magnesia from your druggist and try it the next time your food ferments and upsets your stomach. Note how quickly the acid is neutralized and how soon you forget that you have such a thing as a stomach.

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## SUPERIOR COURT

Roberval, No. 575

MARIE-LOUISE PERRON, of St. Felicien, wife common as property of Adelard Tremblay, duly authorized to ester on justice.

Plaintiff; vs. THE SAID ADELARD TREMBLAY, laborer of St. Felicien, Defendant.

An action as separate as to property has been instituted in this case the 29th of September, 1914, Roberval, 29th September, 1914, J. D. PAMPHILE VALLEE, Atty for Plaintiff, Oct.30x1m.

## NOTICE

The General Annual Meeting of the CORPORATION OF PILOTS for and below the Harbor of Quebec will be held at the Pilot's Office, 18 1-2 Dalhousie street, Thursday, December 10th, 1914, at 9.30 a.m. for the election of the Pilot Board and other business.

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## DIED.

CANTILLON — On November 28th, 1914, Mrs. P. J. Cantillon, nee Christine Bogue, aged 67 years.

Funeral to leave her late residence, No. 8 St. Eustache street, at 9.45 a.m., on Tuesday, December 1st, for St. Patrick's Church, thence to St. Patrick's Cemetery.

Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

LEVASSEUR — On November 30th, 1914, at Domaine Lairer Hospital, in his 61st year.

Funeral will take place in Riviere du Loup, Saint Francois Xavier Church, Thursday, 3rd December, at 9.30 a.m.

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## IN AND ABOUT TOWN

### LAWRENCE D'ORSAY MAKES GREAT HIT

PRESENTATION OF "EARL OF PAWTUCKET" CAPTIVATES ALL WHO SAW IT.

The peer of English dramatic comedians, Mr. Lawrence D'Orsay, the original and inimitable "Earl of Pawtucket," made his first appearance in Quebec last night when he played to one of the largest audiences that ever attended at the Auditorium theatre.

and his reception and success in Quebec are merely a repetition of those which he has received throughout England, the United States and other parts of Canada.

It was an enthusiastic audience that witnessed "The Earl of Pawtucket" last night and that greeted Mr. Lawrence D'Orsay in the title role.

At the close of the second act, when he could no longer escape the insistent applause he advanced to the footlights and addressed a few remarks to the audience.

He thanked those present for their kind reception and said that, while it was his first visit to Quebec, he hoped to renew the acquaintance of the Quebec public again in the near future.

"When I first came to Canada," said Mr. D'Orsay, "I was closely akin to royalty, but since then I wandered away and have become a 'silly ass.' When Gus Thomas told me he was writing me a play, I said, 'For goodness sake, old chap, don't make me a 'silly ass.' And he said, 'all right, D'Orsay, old boy. You shall be just yourself.'"

The prediction of Augustus Thomas assuredly came true, for Lawrence D'Orsay is nothing if he is not pre-eminently natural, and it is this pre-dominating characteristic which is so far removed from the artificial that serves to make the pervading vein of humor so wholesome and so irresistible.

In the "Earl of Pawtucket" despite the drawl, the monologue, and the typical English "heah," Lord Cardington masquerading as Montgomery Putman, there is the undercurrent which brings out the inner character of the man, and one can just picture such types, apparently simple and unsuspecting in ordinary times but very much alert when necessity demands, as is the case at the present time in England.

Mr. D'Orsay won his audience from the start, and he kept them convulsive to the last drop of the curtain. His telegram from Sarah, informing him that Sarah was better, was irresistible, and Sarah became a decided favorite, although she does not appear.

The supporting cast is fairly well balanced, and the role of Wilkins, the valet, is facetiously interpreted by Mr. Porter Warfield, who, as his master puts it, has 'great presence of mind but no delicacy.'

Miss Dora Jane Kelton, as Marriet Fardyce, alias Mrs. Montgomery Putman, is sufficiently winning to attract any Earl, while the tempestuous Jane Putman, who is Miss Josephine Deffreys, grasps all the possibilities of her role and takes due advantage of them. Miss 'Leulah' Benton, as Ella Seaford, is also very pleasing, while Mr. Louis von Weithoff, as Silas "Coopah," makes an ideal aspirant to the hand of the belligerent Jane.

It is not often that Quebecers have the opportunity of seeing such an artist as Mr. D'Orsay, and it is highly desirable that his reception in the Ancient Capital be such that he will return soon.

There seems to be a tendency on the part of some people in the audience to maintain an unceasing conversational comment on the merits of the drama. Such critics should not be too selfish, and should moderate their whippers so that people sitting about them be not disturbed.

As the Earl would say of them: "They have great presence of mind, but no delicacy."

The "Earl of Pawtucket" will be played again this evening, and on Wednesday Mr. D'Orsay will appear in his new comedy "The Rented Earl," by Salisbury Field.

### CAPTAIN H. CHASSE, WILL BE ENTERTAINED.

An entertainment in honor of Capt. H. Chasse, who is going to the front as an officer in the French-Canadian regiment, will be held next Saturday evening at the Auditorium Cafe. The entertainment will take the form of an oyster supper, and a present will be made to Capt. Chasse during the evening.

### GENEROUS DONATIONS FROM ST. MARY'S, BEAUCE.

A collection in the parish church towards a special bed in the hospital realized the sum of \$225.00. A public eucure organized for the same purpose by the young ladies of the village amounted to \$150, total \$375.00. Three thousand pounds of clothing collected from door to door, by several ladies, were shipped from St. Mary's last week for the Belgians and French.

The citizens of St. Mary's, Beauce, deserve great praise for their generosity, as about this time last year they were sadly afflicted by a disastrous fire which swept away one half the town.

### THOMAS TEAKLE, SR., LAID AT REST

LARGE NUMBER OF MOURNERS PAY LAST TRIBUTE OF RESPECT TO DECEASED.

The funeral of the late Mr. Thomas Teakle, Sr., took place yesterday afternoon, and was most numerous attended by a representative gathering.

The mournful cortege left the late residence of the deceased, on St. Augustin street, at 2.00 p.m. for St. Matthew's Church. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Alka J., Robert J., Thomas F., and William C. Teakle, sons of the deceased, and A. P. and H. Doddridge. The chief mourners were three grandsons.

In St. Matthew's, the funeral service was conducted by the Very Rev. Lennox Williams, Dean of Quebec; Very Rev. Rural Dean King, Rev. A. R. Kelley and Rev. V. E. Hobart.

The choir of the church were present and rendered the musical portion of the service in a most impressive manner. At the conclusion of the service, the remains were conveyed to Mount Hermon cemetery, where the interment took place.

A large number of vehicles containing mourners, following all that was earthly of the deceased to their last resting place.

The floral tributes of respect were numerous, filling a double carriage and included a handsome wreath from the members of The Chronicle staff.

### TRINITY CHURCH ANNUAL BANQUET

PROFESSOR COTTON DELIVERS INTERESTING ADDRESS ON "CHRISTIAN IMPERIALISM."

The basement of Trinity Church was crowded to the doors last evening on the occasion of the annual banquet of the men of the congregation, and the function was a most complete success.

Mr. W. H. Wiggs occupied the chair, and when the good things provided by the Ladies' Aid of the church had been done ample justice to, called on Mr. W. Wilkinson, the treasurer of Laymen's Missionary Committee of the church to give a resume of the financial year. By the Treasurer's report it was shown that the annual amount raised this year by Trinity Church exceeded by \$100 more than the sum allotted to it for missions.

Mr. Charles Handley then sang a solo in a most acceptable manner. Professor Cotton delivered a highly interesting address on "Christian Imperialism" and was warmly applauded.

Mr. Gordon Armour, secretary of the Y.M.C.A., favored the audience with a solo, rendered in really artistic manner.

The address of the Rev. Mr. Symonds, of Montreal, on War and Missions, was most able and learned discourse, and received the closest attention of the audience.

After a vote of thanks to all who contributed to the success of the evening's entertainment moved by Mr. F. M. Wyatt, the proceedings were brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

### QUEEN MARY THANKS MRS. SHARPLES.

The following letter has been received by Mrs. C. Sharples, from Her Majesty Queen Mary, in recognition of gifts to the troops at the front.

Devonshire House, Piccadilly.  
Nov. 10th, 1914.

The Lady in Waiting presents her compliments to Mrs. C. Sharples and is commanded by the Queen to convey to her and to those who helped her, Her Majesty's most grateful thanks for their kind contribution to the comforts of the troops. The Queen is much touched that, in this hour of need, Her Majesty should receive these tokens of sympathy and help from the Dominion, and congratulates the ladies on their good and patriotic work.

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### CAVALRY MEETING AT CHATEAU TONIGH.

ALL INTERESTED IN RE-ORGANISATION OF THE Q.O.C.H. ARE INVITED.

A meeting will be held at 8.15 o'clock at the Chateau Frontenac this evening, the object being to discuss ways and means of reorganizing the Q.O.C.H. All who are interested in cavalry work are invited to attend.

No doubt a determined effort will be made to revive this famous corps which has so splendid a record and which by a curious irony of fate lived through a hundred years only to be disbanded so shortly before the outbreak of the greatest and most momentous war in the world's history. Since 1812, when Sir G. Prevost authorized its formation it has done yeoman service for the Dominion on many occasions. At the close of the war in 1813, Major Bell and the Quebec Cavalry were thanked for steady and soldier-like conduct, while in 1824, Lord Dalhousie especially complimented the corps.

In 1828 it was presented by the Governor-in-Chief with a standard. Later, in the rebellion of 1837, it was taken into the service of the British government and saw service during the American Civil War, under Lieut. Turnbull. During the Fenian Raid of 1866 it again saw service as it also did later on in the next Fenian Raid. It also performed useful work during local riots.

In 1879 the corps received from Her Majesty, in consideration of long and meritorious service and loyalty, permission to be designated the Queen's Own Canadian Hussars.

In the South African war, the Q.O.C.H. furnished two officers and about 29 men. Lieut. Turner receiving the V.C. and D.S.O. medals for bravery and meritorious work.

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**PARTY FIGHT IN DUNDAS.**  
Winchester Springs, Ont., Nov. 30.—There will be a straight party fight to succeed the late Sir James Whitney as representative in the Legislature from Dundas county. John Campbell, Liberal, of Ormond, was nominated by the Liberals, and Irwin Hilliard, of Morrisburg, by the Conservatives, at today's nomination proceedings. The polling will take place on Monday, Dec. 7th next.

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### Quebec Garrison Club

The annual Sale of Newspapers and Magazines will be held in the Coffee Room on Wednesday Evening, 2nd December, at half-past eight o'clock.

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### POULTRY ASSOCIATION ELECTS OFFICERS.

At the annual meeting of the Quebec Poultry Association, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Patron: Sir Lomer Gouin.  
Vice-Patrons: Hon. J. E. Caron and Hon. Richard Turner.

Hon. President: Mr. Victor Chateaufort.

Hon. Vice-Presidents: Messrs. R. Campbell and V. Boswell.

President: Mr. P. Doddridge.

Vice-Presidents: Messrs. C. M. Hodgking and Walter J. Ray.

Secretary: Mr. J. A. Leclerc.

Committee: Major J. A. Panet, Messrs. A. E. Pfeiffer, M. Raymond, A. Dupuis, J. Mountain, N. Richard, Robt. Marchant, K. Jack.

Superintendent: Mr. Thos. Brown.  
Judge: Mr. Victor Fortier, of the Experimental Farm.

### WILL COLLECT FOR LA GUIGNOLEE

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS  
WILL COLLECT ON XMAS  
EVE AS IN PAST.

At a general meeting of the Commercial Travellers Association held here on Saturday, it was decided that the collection for the Guignolee should be made on Christmas Eve as in past years.

The officers elected are as follows:  
President: Joseph Levesque.  
Treasurer: Jules Lanouette.

Joint Secretaries: P. J. Paradis and George Van Felson.

Chiefs of Wards:

Roger Godin ..... Notre Dame  
Delphis Fontaine ..... St. Roch

J. A. Bussiers ..... St. Sauveur  
Ed Belanger ..... St. Jean Baptiste

Jos. Jacques ..... Jacques Cartier  
Sam Fleury ..... St. Malo

Louis Rueiland ..... Domaine Lairer  
Oscar Hedon ..... Limoilou

J. N. Rochon ..... Montcalmville

### FRENCH MINISTRY ISSUES BOOK ON CAUSES OF WAR

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any intervention on the part of a third power would result in 'incalculable consequences.' This was tantamount to letting it be understood that Austria should have every liberty to crush Serbia and that Germany would have recourse to arms to prevent Russia from succoring Serbia.

"Confronted with this situation, the first thought of the powers forming the Triple Entente was to gain time to examine the conflict with greater care, and if possible to render it less acute. The powers, therefore, asked that Vienna extend the period of delay allowed Serbia for her answer. Then Austria became fearful that she would be left without a pretext of war, and she endeavored to ward off this danger by another expedient. She declined or avoided the request for an extension and declared insufficient the Serbian answer, which was given to her in good time and which admitted and accepted her principal demands.

"Austria thereupon ordered her Minister at Belgrade to leave the Serbian capital (July 26), and diplomatic relations with Serbia were severed.

"With this development, the situation became considerably aggravated. The powers of the Triple Entente, however, still endeavored to bring about a settlement. In the meantime, Mr. von Schoen, the German ambassador in Paris, came to the Quai d'Orsay and demanded that France exert her influence on Russia in a peaceful sense; but he refused to exert similar peaceful influence at Vienna.

The report then goes on to show how England tried to avoid a crisis, through mediation of the Austro-Serb difficulty by the four powers not directly interested therein. France and Russia accepted this proposal, but Germany refused. The powers of the Triple Entente did not, however, give up all hope and Sir Edward Grey, British Foreign Secretary, started a new project for four-sided mediation, in which Russia joined at the demand of France. Germany, however, evaded this.

The French report shows how the Triple Entente in many other instances, endeavored to avoid the conflict. Germany balking every effort.

In conclusion the French report says:

"France, moved by a deep love of peace, exhausted every means of conciliation at her command. The successive violations of the neutrality of Luxembourg and of Belgium, and the invasion of her own territory were necessary before she decided to draw the sword to defend her very life."

### PRESENTATION.

A number of friends of Mr. B. E. Leclerc gathered at his residence, St. Valier street, Sunday evening, on the occasion of his twenty-ninth birthday, and presented him with an oil painting. An address was read by Mr. Jos. Tardif. The evening was pleasantly spent by the large gathering.

### JUNIOR BAR OF QUEBEC.

In the report of the election of officers of the Junior Bar of Quebec, published in yesterday's issue of The Chronicle, the name of A. Falardeau was unintentionally omitted.

The officers are:

President: Hector Laferte.  
Vice-President: C. G. Power.

Secretary: Louis A. Pouliot.  
Asst.-Secretary: A. Falardeau.

Treasurer: Valmore de Billy.



## CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR

Toys For The Little Ones  
Presents For Young and Old  
Gifts for Everybody  
Please Those Who Are Dear To You

We are inaugurating Our Special Toy Department this week and shall continue it until the first of January. Our superb assortment this year will, as in the past, surpass everything else in the city.

We advise you to come and make your choice right away, for once any line is sold out it cannot be replaced.

If it is your wish we shall keep the articles you choose aside and shall deliver them at your request.

Here are a few suggestions for presents which will prove as useful as they are agreeable.

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CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2721, of 1913. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Francois Xavier Hamel, heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Clerk, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2774, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. J. V. Bourget, heretofore of the City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Checker, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2911, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Joseph White, heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Clerk, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2769, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Azaire Bourret, heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Milk Inspector, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2828, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Joseph A. Berthiaume, heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Clerk, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2700, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Joseph Bernard Peters et al. The Defendants, Dame Adelaide Peters, wife of John M. Russell and John M. Russell, are ordered to appear within one month, dating from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2704, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Joseph Bergum, heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Currier and Merchant, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2750, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. A. Lucien Dupont, heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Assistant Manager, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2750, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Charles Alain, Junior, heretofore of the City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Clerk, Defendant.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2777, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Alexandre Brulotte, heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Machinist, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2878, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Wilfrid Lafrance, heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Laborer, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2728, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Louis Casault, accountant, the Misses Marie Henriette Casault, Milbuge Casault, Lucie Casault and Louis Amelie Casault, Spinners, all heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Defendants.

Defendants are ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2841, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. William Boyd, heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Dyer, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 112, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Delina Raillargeon, heretofore of the City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, widow of Francois Xavier Beaudoin, Boarding House Keeper, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 190, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Jacques Villeneuve, heretofore of the City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Carter, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 3077, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Alex. Moore, heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Clerk, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 572, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Charles Alain, Junior, heretofore of the City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Clerk, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 572, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Francois Chamberland heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Lunch-room Tenant, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

## Latest Sporting News

### FOOTBALL CLUBS RESENT CRITICISM

WON'T CEASE PLAY UNLESS OTHER OUTDOOR AND IN-DOOR SPORTS DO LIKEWISE

London, Nov. 30.—Delegates representing London's eleven professional football clubs today adopted resolutions denouncing the newspaper agitation against football as "unscrupulous, unwarrantable, undignified and wholly opposed to English tradition, and an abuse of the liberty of the press."

The resolution declares, however, that they are prepared to close their grounds simultaneously with the closing of the race courses, golf links, theatres and picture-palaces.

### ST. PATRICK'S WON FROM C. P. R.

St. Patrick's bowlers put on the highest score they have yet rolled when they defeated the C. P. R. bowlers two games out of three on the Quebec Alleys last evening. The C. P. R. men fell down badly on the last string only rallying a total of 535. Kirkwood was high man on the night's play with 441 while "Billy" Mulrooney who replaced Ashton rolled 422. The scores:

| St. Patrick's.   |     |             |
|------------------|-----|-------------|
| O'Sullivan       | 112 | 125 113—350 |
| H. Ladden        | 131 | 181 155—467 |
| Mulrooney        | 144 | 149 129—422 |
| Walker           | 113 | 122 108—343 |
| Kirkwood         | 139 | 156 140—435 |
| 639 733 601—1973 |     |             |

| C. P. R.         |     |             |
|------------------|-----|-------------|
| Masse            | 137 | 138 112—387 |
| H. Lemieux       | 149 | 114 97—360  |
| U. Lemieux       | 108 | 164 99—371  |
| Chailfour        | 147 | 104 116—367 |
| Giguere          | 102 | 108 111—321 |
| 643 628 535—1806 |     |             |

### BOWLING CHALLENGE.

St. Patrick's Bowling Club hereby challenge the Victoria Bowling Club to a friendly match, as soon as an open date can be secured.

W. O'SULLIVAN, Captain.



CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 3307, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Louis Silberman, et al. Defendant.

Solomon Silberman, one of the Defendants, is ordered to appear within one month, dating from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2857, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Edward Edmonds, heretofore of the City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Telegrapher, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2711, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. P. E. Charron, heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Clerk, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2756, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Francois Chamberland heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Lunch-room Tenant, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

CANADA. ) In the Record-Province of Quebec.) er's Court of the District of Quebec.) City of Quebec. No. 2756, of 1914. The City of Quebec, Plaintiff;

vs. Francois Chamberland heretofore of our City of Quebec, in the District of Quebec, Lunch-room Tenant, Defendant.

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month from the last publication of this notice. Quebec, 14th November, 1914. EDWARD FOLEY, Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the City of Quebec.

### WANDERERS GET A GRAND MERE MAN

STEPHENS HAS SIGNED UP—  
OTTAWA PLAYERS ARE IN LINE

Montreal, Nov. 30.—That there will be no scarcity of defence players in the Wanderer Hockey Club this season is now assured. Stephens, who played a year ago with Grand Mere, champions of the Inter-Provincial Hockey Association, has signed to play with the local club. Stephens divided the honors last winter with Dave Ritchie on the Grand Mere defence, and is equally as brilliant a player. He has plenty of speed and is a good shot. Both Stephens and Ritchie were developed as hockey players by Bob Meldrum and have made good in fast company. They were both offered terms by National Hockey Association Clubs a year ago but refused so as not to weaken the Grand Mere team in their effort to lift the Allan Cup.

Smith Due Today  
Donald Smith who figured in all of the games played by the Canadiens a year ago has not yet signed his contract with the Canadiens, but will likely come to terms shortly.

### OTTAWA PLAYERS IN LINE

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—The first members of the Ottawa Hockey team to sign up for the coming season are Clint Benedict and Morace Merrill. Broadbent, Duford and Gerard have received their contracts, but are holding out for more money. They will have another conference with the club officers.

It appears that in some cases the Ottawas reduced the salaries, but attached a condition, providing for bonuses according to the positions, in which they finished in the league race. By winning the championship the Ottawa players will all get more than they received last year; by finishing second they would equal the 1914 agreements, and by finishing third they would just be about ten per cent behind.

Merrill and Benedict were quick to see the co-operative advantages, but Broadbent, Duford and Gerard are said to have held out for a straight salary. A contract has not yet been rendered Lesueur and it is not known what the Ottawas intend to do as Sammy Lichtenhein refused to make a trade or to purchase the veteran goaler. A ruling has not yet been received in Skeer Rohan's case and the Ottawas are not in a position to give him a contract. Nothing has been done as regards Fred Lake, but he is going to Toronto today and will have an interview with Manager Murphy. He wants to play here, and he thinks he can convince the Ottawas that they made a mistake in letting him out last year.

### ALL PLAYERS SIGNED

Vancouver, B.C., Nov. 30.—Officials of the Pacific Coast Hockey clubs announce that they have secured their full complement of players and the stage is all set for the first match of the season on December 8, with Vancouver at Portland.

The line-up of the teams follows:  
Vancouver: Goal, Lehman; defence, Griffith, Cook or Seaborn; forwards, Mallen, Taylor, Neighbor, Mackay, Matz, Box.

Victoria: Goal, Lindsay; defence, L. Patrick, Genge; forwards, Poulin, Small, Dunderdale, Kerr, Rowe, Fleming and Morris.

Portland: Goal, Mitchell; defence, Johnson, Tobin; forwards, Throop, Oatman, Harris and H. Rochon.

### POITRAS BOWLERS BEAT MARSH CO.

The Poitras Ptg. Co., defeated the bowlers from the Wm. A. Marsh Co., last night in two strings out of three and in doing so ran up some pretty fair scores. Ad. Poitras and J. Poitras were high men for the winners while Larochelle with 457 led the loser's scorers. The teams and score:

| Wm. A. Marsh, Co. |     |             |
|-------------------|-----|-------------|
| Larochelle        | 152 | 139 166—457 |
| Drolet            | 108 | 118 119—345 |
| Moroney           | 136 | 109 122—367 |
| Dery              | 135 | 99 144—378  |
| Mercier           | 116 | 150 173—439 |
| 647 615 724—1976  |     |             |

| J. A. Poitras Ptg. Co. |     |             |
|------------------------|-----|-------------|
| J. Poitras             | 105 | 180 180—465 |
| Benoit                 | 110 | 148 144—402 |
| Fortune                | 116 | 142 157—415 |
| Piche                  | 120 | 125 147—392 |
| Ad. Poitras            | 162 | 137 178—477 |
| 613 732 806—2151       |     |             |

### CALLAHAN BEATS WHITE.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 30.—Frankie Callahan, of New York, was given a decision over Jack White, of Chicago, at the end of an eight round bout here tonight. The men are light-weights.

### KID WILLIAMS WINS.

Philadelphia, Nov. 30.—Kid Williams the bantamweight champion, gave Young Diggins of Philadelphia such a bad beating here tonight that the referee stopped the fight in the third round. Diggins stood up well under the hammering Williams gave him until the third round when he was twice floored by a rain of blows.

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## GERMANY PLACES ITSELF ON LEVEL WITH BARBARIANS

MR. WILLIAMSON, M.A., DE-  
LIVERS ELOQUENT AD-  
DRESS AT CANADIAN CLUB.

At the Canadian Club luncheon in the Chateau yesterday, the guest of the day was Mr. J. Williamson, M.A. (Oxon) of Montreal, who addressed the large gathering on the subject "The Great War; Its Deeper Issues; A Conflict of Ideals." The learned speaker was introduced by Mr. Alf. Whitehead, President of the Canadian Club, who had beside him at the table of honor, the Rev. Dr. Love, Ald. L. A. Cannon, and Hon. Judge McCorkill. Among those present were Mr. Nap. Lavoie, Mr. Morin, Provincial Auditor; Mr. Miller, Sec. Cath. Comm. Council Pub. Inst., Rev. Mr. Martin, Mr. Andrew Joseph, Belgian Consul; Rev. Archdeacon Balfour, Dr. J. M. Harper, Mr. Dobell, Ald. Geo. Gibsons, Mr. W. H. Wiggs, Mr. W. C. Hains, Mr. J. Burstall, Mr. Machin, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. W. Morton Massey, Mr. Stewart, and others.

Mr. Williamson dealt with his subject in a masterly manner and his convincing delivery held the attention of his hearers throughout his discourse and evoked a spirited outburst of applause at its conclusion. Mr. Justice McCorkill moved a hearty vote of thanks to the speaker when the address was concluded.

### The Address.

Mr. Williamson opened his remarks by stating that behind the occasion of the moment and the immediate political interests involved the present is essentially a war between two ideals of civilization, between two whole sets of fundamental axioms and principles of human society, which can never be reconciled.

Writing of Germany before the war Prof. Cramb asks "that we should seek to probe the most secret motives of its action, those deep convictions which mould the history of the nation." That is easy. For in the writings of the philosophers, historians, and leading teachers of modern Germany the far-reaching ends it has in view and the fundamental axioms and principles of its policy stand clearly revealed to the whole world.

Let me call your attention briefly to some of these leading ideas and principles.

### Germany's Growth.

Within the last half century Germany has had a phenomenal material development. Under the leadership of Prussia the modern German Empire has been founded. Its trade and commerce throughout the world have advanced by leaps and bounds. Material

wealth has grown apace and luxury on a scale hitherto undreamed of. The evil spirit of materialism seems to have entered into and possessed the nation. And all this is reflected in the works of its most influential teachers. The struggle for existence, we are told, is in the life of nations the basis of all healthy development. The law of the stronger holds good everywhere. In the human race it is a persistent struggle for possession, power and sovereignty. Might is the supreme right.

The whole movement of civilization from the semi-animal cavemen upwards, is reversed; and men are brought back to the level of the pure animal condition of a war of each against all his neighbors, from which it began.

That the state as such, therefore, is bound by no ethical laws is no new discovery of modern Germans. But it has been reserved for them to give it the most cynical expression it has yet received.

### The State's Supremacy.

Acts of the state, as it is claimed, cannot be pledged by the standard of individual morality. No one stands above the state; it is sovereign and must itself decide as to its own interests. No community of nations, therefore, is possible. No fixed principles for the guidance of international affairs can be laid down. There is no such thing as international right; only power and expediency are to be considered.

Twenty-three centuries ago Aristotle reached a lofty conception of the end of the state. It exists, he says, not merely for the sake of life, but of a good life to all its citizens.

The end or purpose of human society is to afford the means by which alone its members can realize all the capacities of their nature as rational beings—an end the profound significance of which is still far from being realized in municipal or national life.

In the idea of the great Roman Empire, too, there was something noble and inspiring—that of a universal empire under a system of laws the outcome of the most enlightened reason and conscience of men. Christianity brought a still higher conception, in its vision of the nations of the world in an organization of humanity on a basis of brotherhood—a visible kingdom of God upon the earth, with freedom, justice, righteousness as its watchwords and foundations. But in the conception of the dominant school of thought in Germany, there is a reversion to the lowest conception of all—that of power merely. The end of the state is power, and its highest duty is to increase that power by any means.

On this theory, small or weak nations have no right to exist. They are merely the prey of stronger neighbors. That the weak nation is to have the same right to live as the powerful and vigorous nation is absurd. "The whole idea represents a presumptuous encroachment on the natural laws of development which can only lead to the most disastrous consequences for humanity in general."

And so, forsooth, Holland and Bel-

gium e.g., simply because they are small, are to be swallowed, their land and cities laid waste, and their existence as independent states blotted out by more powerful and unscrupulous neighbors, who covet their territory.

But it may be asked how much does modern civilization owe to the small states of the past? For the higher life and thought of the world as expressed in terms of its literature, art, science, philosophy and religion, it may indeed be said that nearly all that is best in it has come from such small states.

With the possible exception of the Roman Empire, which contributed as its share to the common stock, its system of universal law, the great states of the world, and certainly the great military empires, have done little in comparison. To mention only two, both small and politically insignificant, how much poorer would be the world's higher life today have been, if Palestine and Athens had never existed?

On such terms the most solemn treaties between states have only a qualified value; they are always made with a mental reservation; they may be torn in pieces on the first favorable opportunity. Nay, they are sometimes to be made with the deliberate intention of creating new points of friction between the makers. Treaties and courts of arbitration, too, in the interests of peace may well engage the attention of full-minded old gentlemen influenced by a sickly kind of sentimentalism. They are quite useless and positively detrimental to aspiring states.

It is quite true there is as yet no complete system of international law and no executive of the community of nations. But the world is slowly moving towards such a goal. Much of the established science and philosophy does not yet commend itself equally to all the world. But we do not, therefore, despair of progress; for nations are not all on the same level of intellectual or moral development.

After all there is such a thing as the enlightened conscience and reason of mankind. In the long run this is the most powerful force in human life, before whose judgment, bar even the representative of the mightiest brute force and most perfect military machine in the world must stand.

### Civilized Warfare.

To modern civilized nations war, with its appalling waste of human life and material resources, the unspeakable horrors of the battlefield, the wholesale ruin and destruction and suffering that make its path, is the greatest of evils.

It has other elements no doubt. In defence of country or freedom, it appeals to some of the noblest instincts of men. It calls for devotion and self-sacrifice to a larger whole. It makes heroes of commonplace souls. It drives away the froth that tends to gather on the surface of life. It brings men back to the stern realities and the eternal things that alone are of consequence. With an awful flagellation it burns up the mountain heaps of rubbish that are always accumulating.

But, when all is said, war between nations professing to be civilized is justly felt to be wholly irrational and a monstrous evil. It is a confession that appeals to reason and conscience are in vain. It is, therefore, to be resorted to only in extremity when all else has failed, and even after a great sacrifice has been made for peace. But in terms that make him shudder the reader of the leading exponents of German policy and principles is coolly told that war is to be deliberately adopted as a means of policy on every favorable occasion.

War is not a curse but the greatest factor in furthering culture and power, in which a true civilized nation finds the highest expression of its strength and vitality.

Wars, therefore, are an unqualified necessity, justifiable from every point of view, and the efforts to abolish them are foolish, absolutely immoral and unworthy of the human race. "God will see to it," one of their great historians is quoted as saying, "that war always remains as a drastic medicine for the human race. It is the duty, therefore, of a statesman to decide political conflicts resolutely by war, wherever there is a fair prospect of success. It may even become his duty deliberately to bring about a war. The Germans have a great and urgent duty towards civilization to perform. They can only fulfil it by the sword, for the German Empire is based wholly on war."

### Prussia's Principles.

Now these ideals and principles are not merely subjects of academic interest. They have been deliberately adopted as fundamental axioms and principles from the foundation of the kingdom of Prussia to the present day.

In recent times their great high priest and prophet was Prince Bismarck. And the spirit and methods of Bismarck are still active in a wider sphere. Intoxicated by success loftier ambition has now risen before the mind of the German people. It is no longer of German unity they dream but of domination in Europe and a world-wide empire to be won by similar means.

At intervals from the time of Philip of Spain to that of Napoleon a century ago, Britain has fought to maintain a balance of power, as it is called, in Europe, so that no one power should dominate the continent or subdue the smaller states.

Once more, however, this cardinal principle of British policy is challenged. "It is opposed to our weightiest interests," it is urged by modern Germans. The German nation is entitled not only to "a place in the sun" but to a share in the sovereignty of the world far beyond its present limits. At all costs, therefore, colonies must be had in many places suitable for European settlement. And as Germany did not enter the race till after the partition of the globe what they now wish must be fought for at any

cost. "World-power or downfall" is the motto.

To this end Holland and Belgium must be absorbed. For naval and military purposes these states are among the most important strategic points in Europe. They must therefore be occupied. Once for all France must be got out of the way, in a war to the knife in which she must be so completely crushed that she can never again cross the path of Germany, and her position as a great power must be annihilated. And all this by way of preparation for the day of reckoning with England. For she is the one power that blocks the way to the realization of these far-reaching schemes.

The British Empire owns one-fifth of the land surface of the globe. But its day is done we are told; it is now in the stage of senile decay. It is a thing of mere patience, with no real life, or energy, or power. Its doom, therefore, is certain; there is no room for it in a world governed only by valor and the will to power as embodied, e.g., in that child of destiny, the German Empire of today.

Such are some of the leading ideas which underlie the aims and policy of modern Germany. They have possessed all classes of society. There is no attempt to disguise them; they are clearly revealed in all their naked brutality. The present war indeed is but a new move in the game for the high states for the mastery of Europe and the world, for which they are so desperately playing. The ghastly ugliness of the whole is revolting. The audacity of the aim, the indifference to the rights of others, the disregard of the common conventions of morality, the use of any means, however base—all this comes as an outrage upon the moral sentiment of the civilized world.

It is the Prussian ideal which has been imposed upon the German people. It is a purely military ideal—of a nation of soldiers trained for war as the chief end of life and governed by a military autocracy who rule with a rod of iron and whose will is law.

Such an ideal has some elements of value. It seeks the highest efficiency in every department of state, though it is not alone in this. Its army is ever ready for war. By thorough training and discipline and attention to their economic wants it tries to secure the highest type of citizen. It sternly inculcates a sense of duty and devotion to the welfare of the state, which other nations might do well to copy. But yet such an ideal is repugnant to the whole spirit of our time.

It is anti-democratic. The idea of freedom is treated with contempt. The masses of men exist to benefit the few, to be guided and ruled, not by law as the expression of the conscience and reason of men, in obeying which they are free, but by the will and caprice of their superiors.

"The Germans," says Buelow "has always done his greatest work under strong, steady and firm guidance. The Germans have never excelled in political capabilities. Their fighting has always been their strongest point."

If so, perhaps the reason may be just this very want of freedom and the fact that so much drill by the sergeant and policeman has reduced them to the level of mere parts of a machine, and not the members of a living organism.

### Hostility to Freedom

Hostile to individual freedom this ideal has no place for the autonomy of subject states. Its ambition is boundless. It dreams of a Germany expanding into a world-wide empire greater than any that has yet been seen. Its vast territory will stretch from the North Sea across Central Europe, through the rich countries of Asia Minor to the Persian Gulf and thence to India of which in due time it will take possession; and it will have colonies scattered over the globe.

For this, and nothing less, is the goal to which with clear vision and absolute fixity of purpose all the efforts of the leaders of modern Germany are directed.

It is, however, of subject nations and of power that it thinks. To dream therefore, of such an empire is to imagine a vain thing. No such military empire has ever stood or can stand the stress of time. It contains the seeds of decay within itself.

Think, for example, of the German treatment of its present subject races—Poles, French, Slavs—and see how impossible is this Prussian ideal. It seeks to Germanize its subject races and to destroy, therefore, every vestige of their ancient freedom, their language, religion, institutions, laws and nationality. Yet, all their persistent efforts notwithstanding, they have miserably failed, or they have succeeded only in arousing feelings of undying hatred and revenge.

Now compare all this with the ideal of the British Empire today. World-wide empires in the past have risen, for a time endured, and perished; and the reasons of decay are obvious. The British Empire, too, when its work is done and its contribution made to the larger life of humanity, may go the way of all the rest. But whether this be so or not, whether some day—in the far off years it may be hoped—its existence may be merged in something higher and better for the world, one thing at least is certain. No world-wide empire can be built on force, or held together by a ring of armies. . . . To endure, it must stand on the eternal foundations of freedom, equal justice, righteousness and the supremacy of law, and not merely the will of an insolent, military autocracy like that of Germany.

### German Culture

Much has recently been heard of German culture and the divine mission of Germany to spread its new gospel through the world. But here a sharp distinction must be made. The free spirit of the older German culture is not so much national as human. The words of its great poets and philosophers, like all great literature, belong not to Germany alone,

but to the world. But the spirit of the prevailing culture is national, not universal. It is of the earth, earthly; it expresses only the evil spirit of materialism and brute force.

Moreover, as represented in the present-day prophets of "blood and iron" its teaching is by no means new. It has long since been cast aside by nations claiming to be civilized. In its aim and principle it belongs to the very lowest type of man.

For a parallel, for example, to the recent wanton destruction of the City and University of Louvain you must go back 1400 years to the like fate that befell the ancient City of Alexandria and its world-famed library, when, according to the story of the priceless treasures of the carving of antiquity it contained were burned to ashes by the Caliph Omar and his devouring hordes of Mohammedans.

While the sickening, nameless horrors which have just occurred in Belgium are surely only to be matched by the vilest things done to the Armenians and their other Christian subjects by the unspeakable Turks and their typical representative, the late Sultan "Abdul the Damned"—a worthy ally of the German Kaiser.

### "Might is Right"

Finally, it may be asked: What relations are possible with a power like this? It regards might as the only right, and the state as outside all the received conventions of morality. It holds weak states in contempt as prey to be devoured. The most solemn Treaty obligations are but "a scrap of paper" to be torn to shreds at its convenience. It denies the possibility of international law in any form. It looks upon war as an instrument of policy; and deliberate lying, cunning, deceit and trickery as lawful means to secure its ends.

It is no use to plead that the state is non-moral. That is to degrade it to the level of some horrible monstrosity, and not as a really, an embodiment of reason. In this sense too, the state is an abstraction; while in the last analysis it consists of individuals, responsible for their conduct of public as of private affairs. And a statesman in his dealings with statesmen of another country—the Great Frederick and Bismarck notwithstanding—has no more right to resort to such means than he would have in the intercourse of private life.

Surely, therefore, a nation whose leaders should not only use, but defend the use of means such as these to secure such predatory ends, thereby puts itself outside of the community of civilized nations and on a level with the lowest barbarians.

In the region of the spirit it seems to turn things upside down. It is as if Germany laid claim to a system of morality all its own, in which humanity, as a whole, had no share.

### Germany Never Wrong

And the claim has been arrogantly made in set terms. "Germany," we are told, "stands as the supreme arbiter of her own methods, which in time of war must be dictated to the world. She owes no explanations to any one. There is nothing for her to justify, nothing to explain away."

By the same token they might just as reasonably claim to cut away from the axioms of mathematics and the laws of physics hitherto universally received and adopt a brand new set of their own.

Their whole system of political ethics, therefore, is their own. Whether higher or lower than that professed by the other leading nations of the world, it is different at least. They have nothing in common. They stand for two ideals of national life and civilization which contradict and exclude each other.

### Issues of War

Tremendous issues, therefore, are at stake in the present conflict. In his ruthless challenge to the world William II has done more than challenge Russia, France and England to a struggle for the mastery of Europe. National honor, the defence of Treaty obligations, the right of small states to enjoy their freedom, the very existence of the British Empire itself and the freedom of every great self-governing Dominion within it—all these are directly involved.

But there is more still. Blinded by overweening vanity and with an insolent contempt for the opinion or the interests of others, the German Kaiser has thrown down the gauntlet to the whole civilized world. And in such a struggle there is no room for neutrality on the part of any nation. He has attacked the foundations of all that is best in the social order and civilization of the world for two thousand years.

No such terrible portent has appeared to disturb the general peace since the 14th century, when Europe was invaded, its civilization threatened with ruin, and its people with slavery by the infamous Ottoman Turks, the terror and the curse of the lands in which they settled, ever since. And, this German Peril, far more ominous for the western world than any Russian or Yellow Peril that yet threatens it, must be met with a spirit and determination more resolute than its own. It must be fought to a finish, so that at any cost the whole hateful system of military domination it seeks to establish may be crushed once for all, never again to raise its head among nations of free men to terrorize the world.

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A license to cut timber on a tract not exceeding twenty-five square miles in extent may be acquired only at public auction. A rental of \$5.00 per square mile, per annum is charged on all timber berths excepting those situated west of Yale in the Province of British Columbia on which the rental is at the rate of 5 cents per acre. In addition to rental, dues are charged on the timber cut at the rates set out in section 30 of the regulations.

Permits may be granted in the Province of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, to owners of portable saw mills, to cut over a definitely described tract of land not exceeding one square mile in extent, on payment of dues at the rate of 50c. per thousand feet, B.M., and of a fee at the rate of \$10.00 per square mile for each permit.

Any occupant of a homestead (quarter-section) having no timber of his own suitable for the purpose may, provided he has not previously been granted free allowance of timber, obtain a free permit to cut the quantity of building and fencing timber set out in Section 30 of the regulations.

W. W. CORY, Deputy Minister of the Interior.

## SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may, instead of a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta, Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

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Item "C" Cash Register, 350.00

Item "D" McCaskey Account, 125.00

Item "E" Book debts, 1,800.00

Item "F" Sundries, for repairs, 35.56

Item "G" Balance of lease to April 30th, 1915.

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SAVING NEWS

OCEAN NAVIGATION

NEARING A CLOSE

ONLY A FEW STEAMERS REMAIN TO LEAVE FOR SEA THIS SEASON.

With the mild weather which now prevails it is probable that all the ocean steamers now in Montreal will be able to reach this port before heavy ice forms up the river.

Steamers Manchester Shipper, the Monmouth and Comberholme passed here on their way to sea yesterday.

Steamer Georgic left Montreal yesterday, and is due here today.

The following steamers are still in Montreal, but will probably leave there for sea by the end of the week: Englishman, Bengore Head, Glendene, Manchester Spinner and Appin.

Steamer W. H. Dwyer from the upper lakes, is on her way to Quebec with a cargo of coal. After discharging cargo, she is intended to leave for up the river again. She will most likely be the last vessel to leave for up the river this season.

FREIGHTS AND CHARTERS.

New York, Nov. 30—Steamer chartering was restricted to some extent by the excessive rates demanded by owners for December boats. Freight offered steadily, but tonnage was scarce and difficult to secure. Quotations to Liverpool, 6d Glasgow, 8½d; London, Bristol and Hull, 7d; picked ports large tonnage, 4s 3d; cotton to Liverpool, per 100 lbs. 60c.

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SIGNAL SERVICE REPORT.

Quebec, Nov. 30, 1914.

Father Point, 157: Cloudy, west; out at 9:30 p.m. yesterday Kendal Castel.

Metis Beach to Cape Race, Nfld., Cloudy, variable winds.

Montreal to Quebec.

Longue Pointe to Bridge Station: Cloudy, calm.

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(Standard Time, 75th Meridian.)

Dec. A.M. P.M.

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Wednesday 2 5:56 5:52

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Friday 4 7:04 6:57

Saturday 5 7:36 7:30

Sunday 6 8:08 8:07

Moon Phases:

Full Moon, Wednesday, December 2nd, at 121 p.m.

RECORDER'S COURT.

Seven prisoners who appeared before His Honor Recorder Dery yesterday, charged with drunkenness, were condemned to fines ranging from \$5 and costs or eight days jail, to \$10 and costs or one month.

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Judgments by Honorable Justice Malouin:

L'Assurances des Industries vs. Latour & Dupuis, and Godbout, plaintiff in continuance of suit—Judgment for \$78.50, with interest from the service of the action and cost of the action as taken.

L'Assurances des Industries vs. Beaulieu, and Godbout, plaintiff in reprise d'instance—Judgment for \$180.56, with interest and costs.

L'Assurances des Industries vs. Girard, and the same plaintiff in reprise d'instance—Judgment for \$166.50, with interest and costs.

L'Assurances des Industries vs. Ferland, and the same plaintiff in reprise d'instance—Judgment for \$166.50, with interest and costs.

By the Prothonotary:

Webster & Sons vs. Gauvreau—Judgment against defendant for \$223.67, interest and costs.

Morin vs. Jacques and al, and The Louis Gauthier Co., Ltd., P. S.—Judgment against the garnishee according to its declaration, with costs against defendant Gagnon.

Lavoie vs. Dionne—According to his judicial confession, judgment against defendant for \$675.00 and costs.

Cote vs. Schriber—Defendant is condemned to pay plaintiff \$354.18, interest and costs.

Turgeon vs. Lauzon—Judgment in plaintiff's favor for \$318.18, interest and costs.

Paquet and al vs. Landry—Judgment against defendant for \$410.00, interest and costs.

In The Court of Review.

Vezina vs. Tremblay—Reversed with costs.

Standard Bedstead Co. vs. Grand Trunk Railway Co. Reversed with costs. Hon. Justice Lemieux dissenting.

Pelletier vs. Hudon—Confirmed with costs.

Veilleux vs. Gagnon and al—Confirmed with costs.

Morneau vs. Belanger—Confirmed with costs.

Fortier vs. B. & A. Asbestos Co.—Confirmed with costs.

Langlais vs. Dionne—Confirmed with costs.

Fraser vs. O'Brien and al—Confirmed with costs.

Page vs. Canadian Northern Quebec Railway—Confirmed with costs.

Justice Dorion dissenting as to the amount of damages awarded to plaintiff.

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Prices are: 50c, 75c and \$1.00 for evening performances, and 25c, 50c and 75c for the matinee.

Get Houses of Good Class

Long before the press men arrive at a new station the houses of the better class—and that really means little in Galicia—are divided among them by the quartermaster and his assistants, who merely notify the landlord of the coming of his "guests" and then chalk the following legend upon the main door of the house: "One officer, war press department," or two as the case may be. The same is written on the door of the room which the correspondent is to occupy and further ceremony there is not when the press-department arrives.

The principal building of the town where the press quarters are now located, are the church and the school. There are a dozen or so of indifferently paved streets, flanked by one-story buildings. Today, at least, with not a cloud in the sky, the place presents a rather picturesque, if not attractive spectacle. The red tile roofs appear warm in a sun that is not warm and the whitewashed exterior forms an excellent background for the field gray or "pike-green" of the Austro-Hungarian uniforms and the red trousers of the press quarter dragoons. The costumes of the peasants supply additional color. The women mostly wear gaudily colored skirts and shawls, and the men trousers and coats that remind one of Spain. To this must be added the sombre black dress of the Jews and the rags of the poorer peasants.

DEATH OF RIVER CAPTAIN.

Cornwall, Ont., Nov. 30.—Captain Oliver Gillespie, one of the best known river captains from Montreal to Toronto, passed away at the residence of his son-in-law, P. E. Campbell, here last night, aged 87 years.

## HOW WAR WRITERS LIVE IN GALICIA

### DETAILED PICTURE OF PRESS HEADQUARTERS IN GALICIA

(Correspondence of the Associated Press)

Austro-Hungarian General Field Headquarters, Press Department, Galicia Front, Nov. 7.—Dragoons in red trousers and blue tunics were in the act of serving soup to those seated at three long tables in the main hall of the casino of a small Galician town. There was a general hubbub of conversation and a smell of roasting mutton under the low-beaming ceiling, mingling with the odor of cigarette and coffee.

From the head of the centre table came sharp raps of a fork against a glass, and simultaneously an officer rose. The equivalent of the word "order" was shouted in several of the 10 languages spoken in Austro-Hungary, and silence ensued.

"Gentlemen," said the officer, as he pulled a typewritten sheet out of his breast pocket, "there is no news today but I will read you the various official communiques. Before doing that I will say that there may be some news this afternoon and that the party of photographers and artists now at the front is expected back today; should have been here yesterday, in fact. As soon as this party is back others of you gentlemen will go to the front. The official communiques from Berlin say:—

With the military situation in Galicia, Poland, Belgium, France, various parts of Turkey and other spots on the map sufficiently clear, the Dragoons filled the last of the tin plates with soup, and the midday meal of the press quarters of the Austro-Hungarian Army in Galicia was in full progress. That night there was a similar meal and next morning a breakfast of coffee and rolls was served. During the day the correspondents were taken to the nearby military headquarters and a full 24 hours of life in one of the modern, well-regulated and carefully supervised press quarters at the front had passed.

Press Department a Large Affair

The press department of the Austro-Hungarian army in Galicia is a large establishment. It exists for the purpose of taking care of about 35 Austro-Hungarian newspaper men, working in about 10 languages: several Germans, four American correspondents, among them a woman; one Dane, one Italian, a Swiss, and a Turk who is about to make his appearance. About a dozen officers and three score men are in charge of the institution. There are a number of telegraphers and two field post-offices—the department in fact, is no small matter. To it belongs about 20 vehicles for the transportation of the correspondents and others, and a like number of army transport wagons. Automobiles are scarce at present, because the hard going over the Galician roads during the recent rainy weather has made their retirement to the repair shop imperative.

Has Own Medical Staff

Last, but not by any means least, there is the medical staff of the press department, consisting of a physician, a veterinary and several other trained attendants. There is no doubt that the press department is a well-organized and thoroughly efficient institution—down to the understanding that those who belong to it agree to comply with military law or suffer the consequences.

The little Galician town where the press quarters are at present located never saw so much excitement in all of its previous existence. On the market place stand the vehicles, carriages in front and escort wagons in the rear. Busy dragoons of the reserve keep on shoeing horses, loading and unloading wagons with hay and straw, and when not occupied with this spend their time warming their hands over the fire. Meanwhile the correspondents make themselves comfortable in their billeted quarters.

Get Houses of Good Class

Long before the press men arrive at a new station the houses of the better class—and that really means little in Galicia—are divided among them by the quartermaster and his assistants, who merely notify the landlord of the coming of his "guests" and then chalk the following legend upon the main door of the house: "One officer, war press department," or two as the case may be. The same is written on the door of the room which the correspondent is to occupy and further ceremony there is not when the press-department arrives.

The principal building of the town where the press quarters are now located, are the church and the school. There are a dozen or so of indifferently paved streets, flanked by one-story buildings. Today, at least, with not a cloud in the sky, the place presents a rather picturesque, if not attractive spectacle. The red tile roofs appear warm in a sun that is not warm and the whitewashed exterior forms an excellent background for the field gray or "pike-green" of the Austro-Hungarian uniforms and the red trousers of the press quarter dragoons. The costumes of the peasants supply additional color. The women mostly wear gaudily colored skirts and shawls, and the men trousers and coats that remind one of Spain. To this must be added the sombre black dress of the Jews and the rags of the poorer peasants.

DEATH OF RIVER CAPTAIN.

Cornwall, Ont., Nov. 30.—Captain Oliver Gillespie, one of the best known river captains from Montreal to Toronto, passed away at the residence of his son-in-law, P. E. Campbell, here last night, aged 87 years.

## Coughed for 10 Years

Mrs. J. O. Barnard, of Lindville, Alta., says: "For ten years I was troubled with a very bad cough, particularly at night. I tried every remedy after remedy but could get no relief until I tried PEPs. These pleasant little pastilles quickly stopped the irritation and ended my cough."

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SUPERIOR COURT

No. 1178.

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LONDON  
Sicilian ..... Thursday, Dec. 31st  
Corinthian ..... Thursday, Jan. 14th  
1915  
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GLASGOW  
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New Triple-screw Turbine, 15,500 Tons  
Transylvania, Sat. Dec. 19, 10 A.M.  
New Twin-screw Geared Turbine, 15,000 Tons  
LUSITANIA, Wed. Dec. 30, 10 A.M.  
MEDITERRANEAN SERVICE  
Azores, Gibraltar, Naples, Patras  
Perugia, Tunes, Dec. 29, noon.  
Carpathia ..... Tuesday, Jan. 5, noon  
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Or Local Agents.

**FRENCH LINE**  
Compagnie Generale trans-Atlantique  
"POSTAL SERVICE"  
Sailings from N.Y. to HAVRE  
ROCHAMBEAU ..... Dec. 12, 3 p.m.  
LA TOURNAINE ..... Dec. 19, 3 p.m.  
CHICAGO ..... Dec. 26, 3 p.m.  
ROCHAMBEAU ..... Jan. 9, 3 p.m.  
FOR INFORMATION APPLY  
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Aug. 20, 1914.

**CUNARD LINE**  
CANADIAN SERVICE  
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CHRISTMAS  
SAILINGS FROM HALIFAX  
Franconia ..... Nov. 29th after 1 A.M.  
Orduna ..... Dec. 10th after 1 A.M.  
Transylvania ..... Dec. 17th after 1 A.M.  
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\*S. S. GLENSTRAE ..... About Dec. 8  
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**NOTICE**  
The Annual Meeting of the Share-  
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P. J. EGAN,  
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Nov. 26, 1914

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**COMMERCIAL NEWS**  
NEW YORK MARKET.  
(Canadian Press.)

The first full session of dealings in  
bonds on the Stock Exchange under  
the limitations fixed by the authori-  
ties of that institution passed off to-  
day without untoward incidents. Trading  
suggested extreme caution at all  
times, but the movement was broader  
than on Saturday.

Altogether about eighty issues cha-  
nged hands, with a marked prepon-  
derance of substantial declines, the  
losses in some instances extending  
to as much as seven points in inactive  
bonds. On the other hand, a few  
gains of nominal proportions were  
registered, mainly in local tractions  
and some industrials and specialties  
whose business has derived some bene-  
fit from the foreign war.

In its chief essentials, the market  
was accepted as a natural one under  
existing circumstances. There was no  
concerted movement to sell and in the  
early dealings some issues were not  
obtainable at minimum prices. This  
resulted in higher bids. Mercantile  
Marine bonds, which started off with  
a slight recovery from last Saturday's  
spectacular decline, soon fell back on  
what appeared to be speculative sell-  
ing. New Haven 6's were reported to  
have been sold by institutions.

Regular quotations for call and time  
loans were resumed on the Exchange.  
The opening rate for call money was  
five per cent, but the abundant sup-  
ply soon caused a fall to 4½, closing  
at 4½. Time loans up to six months  
were negotiated at 4½ per cent, and  
a number of 5 per cent. contracts ex-  
piring tomorrow were renewed on the  
first named basis.

Some foreign sales were submitted  
to the committee in charge of all  
offerings and it was understood that  
they were approved. Total sales of  
the session amounted to \$1,358,000 par  
value, which was considerably under  
the normal.

Issues which sustained the great-  
est losses included Northern Pacific  
3's, Southern Pacific Refundings,  
Westinghouse Electric 5's, Central  
Pacific 4's, Chicago, Rock Island and  
Pacific Railway 5's, Kansas City  
Southern 3's, Chicago and Alton  
3½'s, Oregon Short Line 6's, East  
Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia 5's,  
Central of New Jersey, 5's, Southern  
Pacific Terminal 4's, Georgia Central  
5's and Lorillard 7's.

#### THE TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto—Quotations are as fol-  
lows:

Wheat, Ontario, No. 2 winter, \$1.12  
to \$1.14 outside. Manitoba, No. 1,  
north, \$1.22½; No. 2, north, \$1.20;  
No. 3, \$1.14½.

Oats—Canada, western, No. 2,  
58c; No. 3, Canada, western, 55c;  
at lake ports for immediate shipment.  
Ontario, No. 2, white, 49c to 50c out-  
side. No. 3, white, 51c to 52c out-  
side, on track, Toronto.

Corn—American, No. 2, yel., 71c,  
on track, Toronto.  
Peas—No. 2, \$1.70 to \$1.75.  
Barley—65c to 68c outside for malt-  
ing.

Buckwheat—73c to 75c shipping  
points.

Flour—Manitoba, listed quotations  
at Toronto are: First patents, \$6.60;  
Ontario, winter, 90 per cent. patents,  
\$4.40 to \$4.50 seaboard.

Millfeed—Manitoba bran, \$23 to \$25  
per ton; shorts, \$27 per ton on track,  
Toronto.

#### COTTON MARKETS.

New York, Nov. 30—Closing bids:  
Dec., 7.24c; Jan., 7.37c; Mar., 7.51c;  
May, 7.64c; July, 7.79c; Oct., 8.01c.  
Spot closed quiet. Middling uplands,  
7.65c.

Liverpool—Cotton, spot quiet;  
prices easier. American middling,  
fair, 5.38d; good middling, 4.70d; mid-  
dling, 4.41d; low middling, 3.87d;  
good ordinary, 3.18d; ordinary, 2.73d.  
The sales of the day were 6,000 bales,  
of which 500 were for speculation and  
export, and included 5,900 American.  
Receipts were 25,500 bales, including  
24,200 American. Futures opened  
quiet.

#### OILS, ETC.

London, Nov. 30—Calcutta linseed,  
November-December, 46s 6d.  
Linseed oil, 24s 3d.  
Turpentine, spirits, 35s 1½d.  
Savannah, Nov. 30—Turpentine,  
firm, 45 to 45½; sales, 868; receipts,  
247; shipments, 715; stocks, 33,140.  
Rosin, firm; sales, 578; receipts, 1,  
705; shipments, 1,524; stocks, 125,288.

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**BANK OF ENGLAND.**  
London, Nov. 30—The Bank of  
England today received £12,000 in  
bar gold and £102,000 in American  
coin.

**QUEBEC CLEARING HOUSE.**  
Clearings for month ending Nov.  
30, 1914, \$14,025,754; clearings for  
month ending Nov. 30th, 1913, \$14,  
395,724.

**BANK CLEARINGS.**  
Toronto, Nov. 30—Bank clearings  
for the month of November, 1914,  
were \$150,132,944, as compared with  
\$162,831,369 for October, 1914 and for  
November, 1913, \$186,790,061, and No-  
vember, 1912, \$195,001,245. For the  
eleven months ending today they were  
\$1,858,612,909.

Montreal, Nov. 30—Bank clearings  
for November were \$201,353,029, a  
decrease of \$42,991,745 compared with  
the corresponding month a year ago,  
and \$42,836,645 in October.

Ottawa, Nov. 30—Bank clearings of  
Ottawa banks for the month ending  
today were \$118,192,824, as compared  
with \$18,610,977 for the corresponding  
period last year.

**HOW CANADA HAS  
HELPED THE EMPIRE**  
The Efficiency of Her Transport  
Organization

When on the declaration of war the  
Canadian Government was asked by  
the Imperial Government to supervise  
the purchase and transport of com-  
miserat supplies which Canada could  
provide for the expeditionary force in  
France, the Hon. Robert Rogers,  
Minister of Public Works, was the  
minister selected to take charge of  
this responsible work. It was ob-  
vious to so practical a man as Mr.  
Rogers that the handling of such  
large orders as were in sight must be  
done by experienced transport offi-  
cials, and, among others, he con-  
sulted Sir Thomas Shanks, Presi-  
dent of the Canadian Pacific Railway.  
Sir Thomas considered it a patriotic  
duty to place at Mr. Rogers' disposal,  
without cost to the Canadian Govern-  
ment, the services of Mr. A. H. Har-  
ris, Special Traffic Representative of  
the C. P. R., together with such of  
the company's staff as Mr. Harris  
might select for purposes of admin-  
istration. As this staff eventually  
numbered nearly twenty picked men,  
the value of the offer was consider-  
able, and its acceptance by the Cana-  
dian Government had given the  
British War Office an efficient ser-  
vice and saved a large sum of money.  
Owing to Mr. Harris' initiative and  
untiring energy, aided by an efficient  
and loyal staff, a phenomenal tonnage  
has been moved to the seaboard and  
thence overseas to French ports of  
call.

The value of expert handling was  
demonstrated by the prompt charter-  
ing of vessels on a minimum charter  
rate, enabling the administration to  
maintain an average freight on oats  
during the past three months of 25  
cents per hundred lbs., and \$7.50 per  
gross ton on hay. Although, owing  
to the scarcity of tonnage, freight  
rates have risen rapidly since Sep-  
tember, five vessels have cleared from  
Montreal for a French port during  
the past ten days, the charter parties  
averaging 28 cents per 100 lbs. on oats  
and \$8.00 on hay, a saving of close on  
50 per cent on current commercial  
rates. In addition to this the C. P.  
R. has made no charge for use of its  
docks by the chartered vessels and  
has warehoused everything free—  
being helped in this generous treat-  
ment by the Allan Line, which also  
placed portions of its sheds at the  
disposal of the government. Over  
600,000 sacks have been stored in and  
passed through C. P. R. sheds, and in  
addition vast quantities of sacked  
oats were piled in the upper sections  
of the C. P. R. dock warehouses and  
subsequently loaded into chartered

vessels consigned to French ports of  
call.

The Ontario, Manitoba and Al-  
berta Governments received the same  
generous treatment in connection  
with the forwarding of their gifts.

The shipments handled by this ad-  
ministration under Mr. Harris' super-  
vision, September 1st to date, includ-  
ing flour, War Office supplies and  
French army blankets, total the enor-  
mous figure of 120,000 tons of freight,  
free of storage, lockage or steamship  
demurrage charges. The rapidity with  
which supplies went forward was  
shown in a cable from England to "go  
slow" as they were arriving too fast  
to be properly handled. In fact, a  
record has been established which it  
will take a long time to beat, and  
those concerned have come in for  
well merited congratulation.

The season of St. Lawrence naviga-  
tion having closed, War Office sup-  
plies will continue to be forwarded  
during the winter months via the  
Maritime Province ports under Mr.  
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Aug. 11, 1914, w. text. f.

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the  
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ceived at Ottawa until Noon on Fri-  
day, the 25th December, 1914, for the  
conveyance of His Majesty's Mail, on a  
proposed Contract for four years, 6  
times per week each way between La  
Malbaie and St. Simeon from the 1st  
April next.  
Printed notices containing further  
information as to conditions of pro-  
posed Contract may be seen and  
blank forms of Tender may be ob-  
tained at the Post-Offices of La Ma-  
baie, St. Simeon, Cap a l'Aigle, Mu-  
ray Bay, St. Fidele, Port au Saumon  
and Port au Peril and at the office  
of the Post-Office Inspector.  
S. TANNER GREEN,  
Post-Office Inspector.  
Post-Office Inspector's office,  
Quebec, 13th Nov., 1914.  
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Do this tonight, and by morning  
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## ST. ANDREW'S DAY

### MUTUAL GREETINGS

MESSAGES SENT AND RECEIVED BY QUEBEC ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY

Greetings from the Brethren in Quebec

"Auld Scotia and Ours"

Give ear to the cheer of the Sons of the Heather,  
 As they meet of a festal eve!  
 Give ear to the quaint in their brotherly greetings,  
 As Scotia's langsyne they retrieve!  
 The sub-soil of faith that is theirs from their forbears—  
 Their faith in fair Scotland's renown—  
 Still makes of their comradeship, Briton to Briton,  
 A stand-by to kingdom and crown;  
 Auld Scotia is theirs, but Scotland is ours,  
 As long as our Empire of nations endures.

In these days of war, while the Empire is arming,  
 The foe at its gates to defeat,  
 The tartan obeys the call of the bagpipes.  
 With the courage of old in its gait;  
 And we, Scotia's sons, while fond celebrating  
 The deeds of our forefathers' days,  
 Would blend the renown of the past and the present,  
 Our tributes of national praise:  
 The gifts of Auld Scotland, brave ever in fight,  
 Are ours to remember today with delight.

There's a thrill for us all, as our hearts beat responsive,  
 To the march of our brave kilted lads,  
 On their way to uphold Britannia's prestige,  
 And alleviate her battlefield needs:  
 Our forefathers' courage, our brothers' devotion  
 Are ours to remember tonight,  
 As we celebrate all that Scotland takes pride in,  
 While maintaining the motherland's might;  
 Hand in hand let us vaunt, in fondly review,  
 The freedom that's ours from the old and the new!

—J. M. Harper

The above was sent to the following societies: Brandon, Brantford, Brockville, Calgary, Cornwall, Edmonton, Fredericton, Glengarry, Guelph, Halifax, Hamilton, Kingston, London, Montreal, New Westminster, Ottawa, Perth, Regina, Richmond, St. Catharines, St. John, Sherbrooke, Toronto, Vancouver, Victoria, Windsor, Winnipeg in Canada; Baltimore, Boston, Charleston, Chicago, New York, Philadelphia, San Francisco, Tacoma, Washington in the United States.

Some of the greetings received are as follows:

Ottawa

"On the festival of our patron Saint the St. Andrew's Society of Ottawa send hearty greetings."

Toronto

"Here's a health to them that's awa here's a health to them that's awa, and what winna wish guid luck to our cause, may never guid luck be their fa."

Guelph, Ont.

We're proud we belong to Auld Scotland the land of the brave and the free  
 And although in the land of the Maple we adore that land o'er the sea.

St. John, N.B.

"Our Scottish lads, are like their dads Keen fighters for the right,  
 May they win fame and soon come home,  
 Proud victors in the fight."

Montreal

"We shall prove we have hearts in a cause, still of noble mind,  
 We have felt with our native land and are one with our kind."

Hamilton, Ont.

"Hame o' my youth—my fond desire,  
 Shall o'er the waters glide;  
 For aye Auld Scotland shall be free  
 Free as the swelling tide."

"I lo'e the hills o' Scotland—  
 May her thistle proudly wave  
 The emblem of our native land  
 The motto of the brave."

Kingston, Ont.

"Long may your hum hum be,  
 Fredericton, N. B.  
 "The Fredericton Society of St. Andrew's sends greetings on this, its 89th anniversary to brother Scotsmen at Quebec and join with you in honoring the day that brings together the Sons of Scotland the world o'er. 'Scots wha hae.'"

Philadelphia, Pa.

"The St. Andrew's Society of Philadelphia sends greetings to its brethren who are doing honor to Scotland and St. Andrew's today. This is the time to stand shoulder to shoulder."

Cornwall, Ont.

"Then let us pray that come it may,  
 As come it will for a that;  
 That sense an' worth o'er a' the earth,  
 May bear the gree an' a' that,  
 Its coming yet for a' that,  
 That man to man the world o'er,  
 Shall brethren be for a' that."

Albany, N.Y.

Saint Andrew's Society of Albany, N.Y., this year rounds out one hundred and eleven years of active charitable work among Scotchmen, and on this St. Andrew's Day sends the usual greetings to St. Andrew's Societies everywhere.

"But, at present our hearts are filled with sadness at the terrible sacrifices being sustained by the Mother Country, whose sons are laying down their lives in defense of the principle, hallowed by centuries and dear to every true Scottish heart, the principle of Representative Democracy. May the good Lord hasten the day when that principle will be recognized everywhere, and  
 "When man to man, the world o'er  
 Shall brethren be for a' that."

### POPULAR EXCURSION TO MONTREAL VIA C. P. R., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12TH.

As can be seen by the different advertisements displayed in the city, and in the daily papers, an excursion to Montreal is being organized over the C. P. R. for Saturday December 12th.

A special train of best first-class coaches and parlor cars will leave the C. P. R. Depot at 1.50 p.m., stopping at all stations, Lorette and La Parade inclusive. The fare from Quebec to Montreal and return will be \$3.80 for adults and \$1.90 for children. Proportionate reduced fares from other above mentioned stations. Fares from these stations will be advertised later on.

For full particulars, tickets, parlor car reservations, etc., apply to C.P.R. Offices, 30 St. John street, phones 93 and 94; 46 Dalhousie street, phone 626, and at Palais Station Ticket Office, phone 663.

### FUNERAL OF THE LATE

MRS. CHAS. A. PAQUET.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Chas. A. Paquet, wife of Ald. Paquet, of Belvedere Ward, was held this morning from her husband's residence at Mount Pleasant to the Church of Our Lady of the Wayside.

A large and representative cortege followed the remains and the chief mourners were: Ald. Chas. A. Paquet husband of the deceased; Gerard Paquet, son; J. C. Paquet, father-in-law; Rev. Andre Paquet, O.M.I., R. F. Ruphus, J. H. Paquet, J. H. Larochelle, brothers-in-law; J. E. H. Larochelle, Albert Larochelle, nephews; A. E. Michon, J. E. Rauloux and Art. Rouleau, cousins.

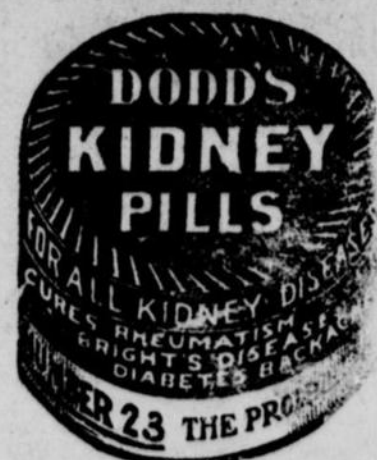
Rev. Father Andre Paquet, O.M.I., officiated at the solemn Requiem service, assisted by Rev. Fathers Lemay and Arthur, S.J., while Low Masses were celebrated at the side altars by Rev. Fathers Lalande and Waddell, S.J.

The spiritual and floral offerings were numerous and the Mayor and Aldermen sent a handsome crown.

### FUR-LINED COATS

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### Correspondence

LIGHTS AND BUOYS.

Quebec, Nov. 30, 1914.

To Editor of The Chronicle.  
 Quebec.

Dear Sir:

The Corporation of Pilots is happy to acknowledge the efficient service rendered to the navigation by the Department of Marine and Fisheries through the Superintendent of Lights and Buoys, Mr. B. J. Kaine, in sending the C.G.S. Montcalm to replace the buoy in the Channel Patch during the night of last Friday. This permitted eleven ships to pass through this narrow channel without being obliged to wait for daylight and exposed to snow storms at this period of the year.

The pilots are very grateful for this courteous action of this gentleman who granted their request and pray him to accept their thanks.

CORPORATION OF PILOTS.

#### STEAMER ARRIVALS.

Providence, November 30—Madonna, Marcellus.

Liverpool: Transylvania, New York  
 Rotterdam, 27th: Ryndam, New York.

St. Michael's, 28th: Finland, New York.

Naples, 27th: Venezia, New York.

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25 Dress Gowns, worth from \$20.00 up to \$35.00; for... \$15, \$16.50 & \$26.25

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Women's, All-Wool Navy Serge Dresses, newest models, with white cloth collar; value \$22 at... \$16.50

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Women's Fine Wool Coat Sweaters, six styles, Colors White, Black, Tan, Mauve, Grey, Sage and Navy Blue.  
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 Penman's "Guaranteed" Hosiery in Cashmere and Thread.  
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**INVITATION**—We invite the public to come and visit our stores this week. We are posting our prices for the holidays. They are interesting.

**NOTICE TO EPICURES**—Good News. Every second day we receive fresh Sealship Oysters, which we sell at... 40 Cents a Pint  
 Selected Malpeque, by the dozen, by the hundred or by the barrel at a rate of... \$8.50 a barrel

**ONE WORD TO THE LITTLE ONES**—It is under the patronage of the Infant Jesus and the Great St. Nicholas, that this sale of toys will be made at the store of

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**STYLES FOR HATS**—Despite the marked reduction already made in this department, the December Sale will be a revelation. We want to sell everything to the very last bonnet. Even the trimmings for hats must be sold too.

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