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INCREASING SIGNS THAT INTERNATIONAL HATRED IS DECREASING.

D. R. McLELLAN OF SHELBURNE, N.S., WAS INSTANTLY KILLED.

Rotterdam, via London, Aug. 10.—There is much talk in Holland of the possibility of opening a discussion between the belligerents on peace terms. The Courant publishes today an article from an anonymous diplomatic source urging that an immediate peace might be possible, if not easy, and recommending that the press of the neutral countries undertake the task of "mediation and reconciling and removing the errors."

The Dutch anti-war League at a meeting last week at The Hague adopted a resolution urging the Dutch government to call a conference of the neutral powers in the interest of peace, "the conference to sit until the end of the war for the purpose of preparing for and introducing mediation measures at the proper time."

The article in the Courant, which has attracted wide attention in Holland, says in part:

"Although the prospects of the Germanic powers now are better than they ever were before, they cannot hope for a settlement by battle, and therefore wiser counsels may prevail. As to the British, it is not impossible that they will ultimately listen to the voice of reason. There is no reason why the opponents should offer conditions that would only prolong the war unduly. There are increasing signs that international hatred is decreasing. In the not too distant future the peoples of Europe will demand to know how long the war is still to last."

FATALLY INJURED IN AUTOMOBILE SMASH-UP.

Neepawa, Man., Aug. 9.—G. C. Todd, manager of the Royal Trust Company, Winnipeg, was fatally injured in an automobile smash nine miles south of Arden this morning. Accompanied by Mrs. Todd and Mrs. Richley, Mr. Todd was on a pleasure trip to Brandon and Neepawa, and was returning home when the accident happened. Mr. Todd was taken to Neepawa Hospital, where he died of his injuries. Mrs. Todd was not fatally hurt, but is prostrated by the fatality.

WOULD-BE SUICIDE HAS BEEN RELEASED.

Chatham, Ont., Aug. 9.—George Winters, the Bothwell saw mill proprietor, who on July 15 tried to poison his three small daughters by strychnine and then commit suicide, was today released on suspended sentence by Judge Bell after relatives had given assurances that they would care for the man. The recent death of Winters' wife, coupled with business difficulties is thought to have affected his mind.

BELGIAN GOODS.

Documents for Release of Those Held Up at Rotterdam.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Documents to be used in securing the release of Belgian goods held up at Rotterdam because of the British Order-in-Council, were forwarded to Ambassador Page in London today for presentation to the British Government. With invoices and bills of sale were sent proof that the shipments are of bona-fide Belgian production, and that their exportation will in no way benefit German interests.

Under the latest British regulations, Belgian exports via Rotterdam will be released only on such proof and financial settlement through London. Much of the material involved is nursery stock and florists supplies of Belgium growth.

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BRITISH AND FRENCH FORCES
CAPTURE SEVERAL TRENCHES
IN NEIGHBORHOOD OF HOOGE

Recent German Gains Have Been Nullified By Activity Of General French—Teutons Have Occupied Praga On The Eastern Front—Berlin Reports Big Enveloping Movement Against Grand Duke's Armies—British Submarine Sinks Turkish Battleship

London, Aug. 9.—While the Austro-German armies made fresh progress today in their campaign against the Russians the conflict on the western front took on new impetus when Sir John French, commander-in-chief of the British expeditionary force, reported a fierce artillery engagement in which British and French forces captured trenches at Hooze along a front of 1,200 yards.

The occupation of Praga, reported by Berlin, brings to a dramatic climax the first phase of the drive at the Polish capital and the region of eastern Poland of which Warsaw is the dominating centre. Praga is essentially a part of the capital with great railway stations on the roads running to Petrograd and Moscow. Few details have been received of Grand Duke Nicholas' final stand at Praga but the indications are that the withdrawal of the Russians became imperative in order to escape from the German lines gradually drawing together in their rear.

Warsaw now is the apex of a vast letter V, the arms of which are the river Narew on the north and the Vistula on the south. The German lines spread along these rivers are contracting gradually as the armies in the north and those in the south approach each other. The strip of territory across which the Russians may withdraw to safer positions now is hardly more than thirty miles across.

Besides this enveloping movement immediately to the east of Warsaw, Berlin reports a steady hammering at the great Russian fortresses of Kovno and Lomza, the chief significance of which is their proximity to the lines of railway communications to Petrograd. Novo Georgievsk is the only place west of Warsaw at which a Russian garrison remains and its fall seems imminent.

The attitude of the Poles towards the new German regime is arousing deep interest as the occupation of Warsaw unites for the first time three branches of the Poles heretofore divided among Russia, Germany and Austria. Under the Russian regime Poland has been a hotbed of disorder and it remains to be seen whether control of this occupied territory will be as difficult a problem for Germany as it has been for Russia.

The official report from Berlin characterized the operations around Hooze as "a battle" but Sir John French's later report shows them to have been another trench fight preceded by a severe artillery exchange and resulting in the recapture by the British of nearly a mile of trenches previously taken by the Germans. This has served to divert public attention temporarily from the magnitude of the German sweep in the eastern field but operations in the west still lack general significance.

The commander of another British submarine, whose name has not yet been disclosed, was reported today to have distinguished himself by sinking the Turkish battleship Kheyr-Ed-Din Barbarossa.

GERMANS CONTEND
RUSSIANS DID NOT
DESTROY CROPS

POWERS OF NORTH
AND SOUTH TO
STUDY MEXICO

BERLIN SAYS FARMERS DISOBEYED ORDERS AND EVERYTHING IS ROSY.

PAN-AMERICAN CONFERENCE TO DEAL WITH MEXICAN SITUATION.

Berlin, Aug. 9.—via wireless to Sayville.—The Overseas News Agency gives out for transmission abroad by wireless telegraphy the following item:

"Reports from the front in Poland say the Russian announcement that farm crops were devastated and that the Russians left a desert behind them is greatly exaggerated. The farmers disobeyed orders to destroy their crops and a full harvest of rye, wheat and oats is being brought in with the assistance of the German soldiers. Only the villages were destroyed."

WHEAT CUTTING BEGINS IN WEST.

Brandon, Man., August 9.—Wheat cutting commenced today, the first being harvested on the Government experimental farm.

NORWEGIAN STEAMER TAKEN INTO PORT.

London, Aug. 6.—(Delayed by censor) —Announcement was made this evening that the Norwegian steamer Talisman has been taken into port.

The steamer Talisman left New York on July 17th, for Kirkwall, Scotland, and Gottenburg, Sweden. The delayed despatch as given above does not state the port into which the steamer was taken.

MR. CASGRAIN GIVES GIFT TO THE 69TH.

Montreal, Aug. 9.—Hon. T. Chase Casgrain, Postmaster-General, telegraphed to Lieut.-Col. Dansereau today that he and Mrs. Casgrain were uniting in a gift of \$500 for the regimental fund of the 69th Regiment.

BULGARIA NOT
PLEGDED TO ANY
NATION AS YET

NEGOTIATIONS WITH TURKEY APPARENTLY AT A STANDSTILL.

London, Aug. 19.—A protocol signed between Turkey and Bulgaria regarding the Dedeağatch railway leaves Bulgaria unpledged as to her attitude in the European war, according to a despatch to the Times from Sofia under date of August 2nd. Bulgaria the correspondent declares, is determined not to allow her hands to be tied.

The protocol is said to transfer to Bulgaria all Turkish territory west of the Maritza river. The occasion is made by Turkey in the hope of thus establishing friendly relations with a neighbor whose attitude is considered of the greatest importance. Although the protocol is said to have been signed discussion of the final details has brought up several obstacles and negotiations are now apparently at a standstill. The Bulgarians are reported to be demanding further concessions which the Turks are unwilling to yield in the face of Russia's reverses.

The Maritza is the principal river in European Turkey.

PRINTER'S UNION
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SIXTY-FIRST ANNUAL CONVENTION OF INTERNATIONAL TYPOGRAPHERS.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 9.—Resolutions urging the warring nations of Europe to conclude an honorable and lasting peace and praising the course of President Wilson in handling foreign complications were adopted today at the sixty-first annual convention of the International Typographical Union. Copies of the resolutions were forwarded to Washington.

W. A. Snyder, vice-president of the general committee on arrangements, said the gross earnings of the members of the union during the year ending May 13th, 1915, were \$91,155,285, an increase of \$104,493 over the previous year.

The Weather

Toronto, Aug. 9.—Showers have been fairly general today in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, and they have also occurred locally from Lake Ontario to the Ottawa Valley. The weather continues fine and very warm in the west.

	Min.	Max.
Vancouver	54	78
Kamloops	58	86
Regina	55	95
Battleford	64	92
Calgary	50	86
Medicine Hat	64	92
Moose Jaw	56	94
Winnipeg	54	88
Port Arthur	54	78
London	58	76
Toronto	58	76
Ottawa	58	72
Montreal	62	74
Quebec	56	62
St. John	56	62
Halifax	56	88

Forecasts.

Lakes and Georgian Bay: Light winds; fine and warm.

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence: Generally fine and warm.

Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf, North Shore and Maritime Provinces: Moderate winds, occasional showers.

Lake Superior Districts: Light winds; fine and warm.

All west: Thunderstorms in a few localities, but generally fine and very warm.

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 3rd September, 1915, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week on the rural mail delivery route "Three Rivers No. 1," to begin from the Postmaster-General's pleasure.

Printed notices, containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Three Rivers and Pointe du Lac, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

S. TANNER GREEN,
Post Office Inspector,
Post Office Inspector's Office,
Quebec, 2nd August, 1915.
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MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 10th September, 1915, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week on the rural mail delivery route, "Louisville No. 2," to begin from the Postmaster-General's pleasure.

Printed notices, containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Louisville, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

S. TANNER GREEN,
Post Office Inspector,
Post Office Inspector's Office,
Quebec, 3rd August, 1915.
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Printed notices, containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of St. Elzear de Beauce, Grenier and Lussier, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

S. TANNER GREEN,
Post Office Inspector,
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Quebec, 2nd August, 1915.
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Printed notices, containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of St. Felicien, Elie, Riviere au Dore, Notre Dame de la Dore and Ste. Famille de Demeules, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

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Printed notices, containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Mont Joli and Ste. Flavie, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

S. TANNER GREEN,
Post Office Inspector,
Post Office Inspector's Office,
Quebec, 2nd August, 1915.
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THE QUEBEC BANK.

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND.
Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the current quarter, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this City and at its Branches on and after Wednesday, the first day of September next, to Shareholders of record on the 10th August next.

By order of the Board,
B. B. STEVENSON,
General Manager,
Quebec, 20th July, 1915.

20,000 JEWS ARE WITH BRITISH ARMY

FIVE THOUSAND OTHERS RECRUITED—10 PER CENT OF JEWISH POPULATION ENLISTED.

Louidon, Aug. 9.—(Correspondence)—The prominent part the English Jew is playing in the European war was vividly impressed this week upon the return from the battlefields in France of Chief Rabbi Joseph Herman Hertz and the Rev. Michael Adler, Senior Chaplain of the Jewish soldiers in the field. They found that out of an aggregate of 220,000 Jews living in the British Isles more than 20,000 are wearing the British colors at the firing line, or approximately 10 per cent. of the entire English Jewish population.

Not only this, but figures obtained at the War Office by The New York Times correspondent show that another 5,000 English Jews are in the recruiting ranks, putting the total of Jews enlisted under the British flag at considerably over 25,000.

From the battlefields come stirring tales of heroism of the Jewish soldiers. Chief Rabbi Hertz and Senior Chaplain Adler heard many of them from Field Marshal Sir John French and his subordinates. The Field Marshal paying the highest tribute to the daring, courage and patriotism of the Jewish fighters, said: "None of the British soldiers has shown more bravery or more skill."

When the call to arms was sounded last summer among the first to respond were the British Jews. Ever since that time there has been unflinching zeal among the Jews to enlist, get to the front as quickly as possible and fight the enemy that menaces Great Britain. The spirit that has actuated the British Jews was explained to The New York Times by the Rev. S. Lipson, Chaplain of the soldiers at home, who has worked with Chaplain Adler in religious activity since the war started. The Rev. Mr. Lipson has the rank of Captain, and like the Senior Chaplain, wears khaki.

"It is easy to explain why the Jews in Great Britain have flocked to the defense of the British flag," said Mr. Lipson. "The Jews have the greatest love for Great Britain. They are proud to be citizens of this powerful Empire. Ever since they came to England they have had all the rights and privileges of the Empire, and have lived the lives of freemen."

"To the British Jew there has been opened up in England the widest opportunity for development. Great Britain has encouraged it, and as the Jew has grown up here he has formed an attachment for the country, that nothing could wipe out."

"At heart the Jew is intensely patriotic and loyal. The British Empire has brought out the best that is in him, and it is only natural that in this time of dark stress for the Empire the Jew should be found willing to give up his life for his country. He goes into the war to fight to the last for the preservation of the British Empire, and it matters not a jot to him that he may have to die for it. No, he regards it as a privilege to sacrifice his life if England may live."

"When the war began many Jews, in the rush to enlist, neglected to put themselves down as of the Jewish faith. Their names were filled in upon the forms as of the Church of England. That has caused some confusion up to now as to the actual number of Jews enlisted under the colors of Great Britain."

"Part of my work and that of the Senior Chaplain has been to straighten this tangle out so that we may know exactly how many Jews are in the field or enlisted as recruits, so they may have religious ceremony from their own ministry. Now we have it practically cleared up and we find that more than 20,000 Jews are in the field, and many thousands in the recruiting camps."

The Rev. Mr. Lipson spoke with enthusiasm of the attitude of the War Office toward the Jewish soldier.

"The War Office has been most careful to conserve, wherever possible, all the religious requirements of the Jews," he said. "One magnificent thing the office has done is to arrange for the Jewish soldiers, wherever it can be done, to return from the firing line for the Passover and for the Feast of Weeks. Furlough has been granted by the hundreds for these observances."

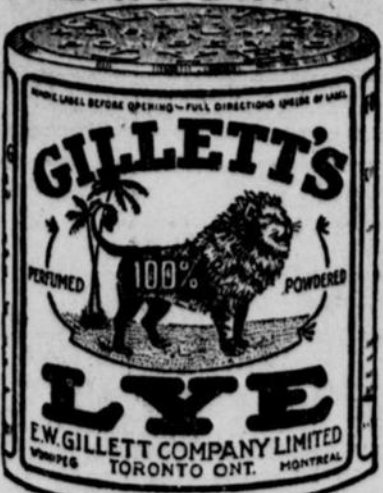
"I suggested to the War Office that it would be highly appreciated by the community and by the Jewish officers and men if the soldiers were permitted to arrive home at 6 o'clock for the special Seder Service on the eve of Passover. This was readily granted and a special order was issued throughout all the commands by the War Office making the suggestion effective."

"The lack of provision of kosher food has been a point raised by some of the Jewish soldiers. While the War Office cannot make any such provision to the Jews in camp, there is no reason why it cannot be done privately by friends. We have word from one camp that all the tinned food is labelled 'Kosher' and is eaten by Christians and Jews alike. We are inquiring into the mysterious reason for the label being put on the tins and may be able to tell of it later on."

While on the firing line, Chief Rabbi Hertz and the Rev. Mr. Adler found that the Jewish rabbis who have enlisted with the army have organized the Jewish soldiery into groups for religious observance, so that each camp has its own service. Besides this, prayer books have been sent in from London, so that every Jewish soldier has one.

One striking feature of Jewish en-

GILLETT'S LYE EATS DIRT



PERSONAL

Mr. Jno. Allsop of Halifax, N.S., is at the Chateau.

Mr. E. W. Hunt of Boston, Mass., is a guest at the Chateau Frontenac.

Miss Maye Myler Cleary, of Sillery, has left for a month's vacation to St. James, N.B., and Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fackney are spending a few days in Montreal, guests at the Queen's Hotel.

Mrs. Charles E. Gingras, of New York, has returned to her home after spending a week with relatives.

The following are registered at the St. Louis Hotel: Mrs. A. M. Thomas of Farmington, Me.; R. O. Hogg, Portland, Me.; Helen O. Thomas, Farmington, Me.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Doogan, Springfield, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Marsh, Granby, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cherry, Rochester, N.Y.; Chas. E. McGuinness, Hoozick, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wyman, Little Falls, N.Y.; J. B. H. Ash, New York; H. H. Livingstone, Montreal; Mrs. Roger, Miss G. Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Tellier, and Miss Tellier, all of Sherbrooke, Que.; J. Kennedy, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. L. H. Bastien, Buffalo, N.Y.; Chas. E. Fox and wife, New York; F. E. Joyal, Haverhill, Mass.; F. P. Doyle, Montreal.

Late arrivals at the Chateau: E. W. Hunt, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clarke, New York; Charles A. Sullivan, Montreal; J. E. Howitt, Guelph; H. L. Fulmer, Guelph; P. L. Davies, Montreal; Jno. Allsop, Halifax; P. Portee, Halifax; R. P. Kernan, Baie St. Paul; Mr. and Mrs. F. Bowen, Cleveland, O.; Hugh H. McLean, J. C. Grant, Montreal; M. J. Stack, Montreal; L. Leger, Lachine; T. H. Decary, Montreal; E. B. Conroy, Norfolk; R. R. Lumby, Montreal; C. Cornell, Montreal; R. B. Stewart, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. H. Laurie, New York; Mrs. Anes B. Greig, London, Eng.; Miss V. S. Greig, London, Eng.; E. W. Charlton, Montreal; Major G. H. Hughes and wife, Valcartier; Dr. L. D. Reckett, Princeton, N. J.; Miss Eliza Reckett, Princeton, N. J.; P. C. Reckett, Troy, N.Y.; U. S. A.; Mrs. P. C. Reckett, Troy, N.Y.; U. S. A.; Miss Jeannette Whitcomb, New York; Miss Ely Renshaw, Toronto, Ont.; T. J. McCaffrey, Montreal; J. M. Mahoney, Hamilton, Ont.; P. L. Mahoney, Memphis, Tenn.; William H. Sullivan, Newport, R. I.; W. Fraser, Montreal; Walter Wilson, Montreal; A. L. H. Jones, Montreal; E. L. Liebert, N. Y. City.

It is noted that the son of almost every Anglo-Jewish minister of military age has joined either as an officer or in the ranks. The Rev. Nehemiah Goldston had one son in the ranks who was killed within the last three weeks in Flanders, another of his sons is an officer. Lieutenant S. M. Adler, son of the Senior Jewish Chaplain, is another soldier on the firing line. Lieut. Leonard H. Stern, recently killed in action, was the son of the Rev. J. F. Stern.

Jewish officers in the field also have come from prominent London Jewish families such as the Rothschilds, Montfiores, Cohens, Henriques and Beddingtons. In one of the Beddington families nine grandsons are at the front. Lionel de Rothschild is a Major, Baron Alexis de Ginsburg has fallen in the war. Lt. Frank Alexander de Pass, killed in action, was a V.C.

Hundreds of Jewish women are serving as Red Cross nurses, on the battlefields and in the hospitals here. The keen interest manifested by Jews of the highest rank, aside from those whose sons have enlisted, is reflected in the participation of Lord Reading, the Lord Chief Justice of England, and of the Postmaster-General, Herbert Samuel, in the work of getting recruits.

A HIGH PRICE PER ACRE.

Hon. Sir William Mulock has never posed as an authority on art, but he enjoys pictures and stories about artists. He is responsible for a story concerning the late owner of very beautiful wooded estate of nearly a hundred acres in the north part of Toronto. A few years ago a Canadian artist painted a picture from a scene in this sylvan wilderness and asked the owner of the estate what he thought about buying it to hang in his home.

"How much do you want for it?" asked the owner.

The artist mentioned the price—a good one.

"Poh!" said the owner. "Quite impossible, sir! Why that's more than I paid for the whole estate when I came here."

THE REAL TROUBLE.

Husband—You spend altogether too much money. Wife—Not at all! The trouble is you don't make enough.—Boston Transcript.

OFFICIAL

BRITISH STATEMENT.

London, Aug. 9.—Sir John French, commander in chief of the British forces in France, reports that the lost trenches at Hooze, east of Ypres, in Belgium, have been retaken by the British troops and that they have advanced on a front of 1,200 yards. The statement of Field Marshal French says:

"Since my communication of August 1st the artillery on both sides has been active north and east of Ypres. In these exchanges the advantage has been with us."

"This morning after a successful artillery bombardment, in which the French on our left co-operated effectively, we attacked the trenches at Hooze captured by the enemy on July 30. These were all retaken, and following up this success we made further progress north and west of Hooze, extending the front of the trenches captured to 1,200 yards."

"During this fighting our artillery shelled a German train at Langemarck (five miles north-east of Ypres) derailing and setting fire to five trucks."

"The captures reported amounted to three officers and 124 men of other ranks and two machine guns."

FRENCH STATEMENT.

Paris, Aug. 9.—The following official communication was issued tonight:

"The day has been comparatively quiet on the whole front. In Artois, between the Somme and the Oise, and in the valley of the Aisne some artillery fighting has been reported and Rheims again has been bombarded."

"In the Argonne near the Fontaine-Aux-Charmes, the enemy attempted to capture our positions, but they were repulsed everywhere."

"In the Vosges there was only artillery firing. This morning an air squadron consisting of 32 bombing aeroplanes, conveyed by some scout speed planes, sallied forth to bombard the station and factories of Saarebruecken (north-east of Metz). The atmospheric conditions were not favorable, the valleys being concealed under fog and the sky cloudy."

"Notwithstanding the difficulties attending the proper steering of the aircraft, 28 aeroplanes reached their goal and dropped 164 shells of various calibre. The speed planes meanwhile were keeping away the German aviators who were attempting to cut off the squadron from its base."

"Many fires were observed in the territory shelled."

RUSSIAN STATEMENT.

Petrograd, Aug. 9, via London, Aug. 10.—The War Office tonight made public the following official communication:

"South of the Dvina Stryd our troops pressed the enemy in the direction of Friederikstad (south-east of Riga) and in the sector above Schoenberg (south of Friederikstad). In the district north-east of Viljomer (north-east of Kovno) the German advance guards were dislodged sustaining heavy losses in some of the villages."

"Sunday night the enemy renewed his attacks on the fortifications of Kovno. Our positions during the course of the day underwent an intense artillery bombardment by the enemy which included the use of his heaviest calibre guns and his attacks against our advanced positions were of an extremely desperate character."

According to the latest reports received, the German assault against the western front of Kovno last night was everywhere repulsed with enormous losses to them. Our artillery responds energetically to the enemy's fire."

"Near Ossotewz and in the region of Jedwabno there has been violent firing."

"On the left bank of the Narew Sunday there was isolated fighting, particularly in the direction of Lomza, the section north of Lomza and the Ostrov road."

"In the other regions and on the right bank of the middle Vistula there have been no important actions."

"On the roads to Vladova, as well as on the Bug, the Zlota Lipa and Dniester rivers the situation is unchanged."

"Sunday a German fleet consisting of 9 battleships, 12 cruisers and a large number of torpedo boat destroyers made persistent attacks at the entrance of the Gulf of Riga but everywhere were repulsed. Our sea-planes, throwing bombs, contributed to our success. A cruiser

Let's see what history says:

Away Back The Stone Age man held a pebble in his mouth for moisture and to prevent thirst. Forlorn makeshift of an arid land. Roots and herbs served better where plant life existed.

Between Times Early Spanish explorers found the Aztecs used "chicle"—wholesome, pleasant and agreeably chewy—welcome relief from tropical heat.

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and two torpedo boat destroyers of the enemy were damaged by our mines."

Petrograd, Aug. 9, via London, Aug. 10.—An official explanation of the attack of the German fleet on Riga is given out tonight, follows:

"The Gulf of Riga would allow the Germans to give powerful aid to their army now occupying the western coast of the Gulf. With the object of penetrating the gulf the fleet appeared Sunday off Dirben channel, which is the only practicable way for large ships to enter. The enemy made three attacks with the object of breaking the mine barrier protected by our fleet."

"Our seaplanes and warships co-operated to repel the enemy. The Germans did not succeed in passing our defenses. Three of his ships were damaged by mines near Dirben. None of our ships were lost."

ITALIAN STATEMENT.

Rome, via Paris, Aug. 9.—The following official statement was issued tonight at the headquarters of the Italian General Staff:

"On the upper Comelico (Cadore) our troops established themselves solidly on Cimo Undici."

"In Carnia one of our detachments defending Cavallo Pass between Preikofel and Val Grande attacked the Austrian trenches opposite on the morning of the 7th and drove out the occupants. At nightfall the enemy in force attempted to recover this position but was repulsed with heavy losses."

TRUE, BUT MISLEADING.

"Dick hugged me last night before I had the faintest idea of what he was about."

"And what did you do?"

"Why, of course I was instantly up in arms about it."—Baltimore American.

ECONOMY.

"What! You are eating crabs just at the time they are most expensive?"

"Yes, I always have bad luck. When they are cheap I have no money."—Munich Fliegende Blatter.

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C. P. STEAMSHIPS, LIMITED, HAS BEEN ORGANIZED—E. M. BOSWORTH IS PRESIDENT OF NEW CONCERN—DIVIDENDS ARE DECLARED.

Montreal, Aug. 9.—The C. P. R. Company is taking over the Allan Line steamship business, beginning the first day of October, this year, a new corporation having been organized in Montreal today for this purpose under the name of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Limited. Mr. Bosworth, vice-president of the C. P. R. Company, is the president of the newly formed Canadian Pacific Steamships, Limited, and Mr. H. Maitland Kersey is to be the managing director, with his office in London, Eng. The new company is to take over all the ocean steamships now operated by the C. P. R. Company and the Allan Line, and the head office will be in Montreal.

Messrs. G. M. Bosworth, I. G. Ogden, E. W. Beatty, K.C., vice-president of the C.P.R. Company, and F. E. Meredith, were the directors in attendance at the organization meeting today.

At the meeting today dividends of two per cent. on preference stock for half year and two and one-half per cent. on common stock for the quarter ended June 30th last, were declared.

Result for the fiscal year to June 30th last, were:

Gross earnings from railway lines and steamship lines . . . \$98,855,210.00
Working expenses . . . 65,290,582.00
Net earnings from railway lines and steamship lines . . . 33,574,628.00
Deduct fixed charges . . . 10,446,510.00
Surplus . . . 23,128,118.00
Deduct contribution to pension fund . . . 125,000.00
Deduct net earnings of Pacific Coast steamships, commercial telegraph and news department, transferred to special income account . . . 1,494,152.00
Net revenue from railway earnings available for dividends . . . 21,508,956.00
After payment of all dividends declared for year the surplus from railway earnings is . . . 89,915.00
Special income for the year . . . 10,969,332.00
(Being \$2,381,461 dollars in excess of the previous year).

WEEKLY CROP REPORT.

Regina, Sask., Aug. 9.—The special weekly report on crop conditions, based on telegrams received from all parts of the province, is issued today by the Department of Agriculture. With a continuance of warm weather cutting should be general by the 21st of August. From the south-west exceptionally good reports have come in, and the wheat heads are stated to be larger than usual in that part. Further damage by hail is reported, and in some districts where hay can be obtained, a satisfactory supply of good hay is being saved. In other districts oats sheaves will be used as hay. Hot weather is now general throughout the province.

DEMAND MORE WAGES.

Bridgeport, Conn., Aug. 9.—A demand for an increase in wages for machinists employed on Government work at the plant of the Lake Torpedo Boat Company, was made today by J. J. Keppeler, vice-president of the International organization. This demand according to labor representatives is in addition to the eight-hour work day already in effect at the plant and is to bring the standard rate up to 45 cents per hour, the prevailing wage.

It is also said that demands were made for increased pay on officials of the American and British company where similar working conditions are said to exist.

JAPANESE CABINET

Tokio, Aug. 10.—It is officially announced that the cabinet formed Sunday with Count Shigenobu Okuma as Premier will remain unchanged, except that Katsundo Minoura has been definitely decided on as the Minister of Communications.

CONSERVATIVE M.P.
NOT RESPONSIBLEDEWITT FOSTER DENIES HE
APPOINTED AGENTS TO
PURCHASE HORSES.

Kentville, N.S., August 9.—A specific denial by A. Dewitt Foster, M.P. for King's County, whose name has been associated with Nova Scotia horse deals, that he was in any way responsible for the appointment of the agents, Todd C. Woodworth, F. W. Keever, and W. P. McKay, who bought horses for which he paid, or the veterinaries who inspected them, was elicited by John Thompson, K.C., War Contract Commission counsel, at its session here today. Mr. Foster took the stand and contended, on oath, that Woodworth and Keever were appointed by Colonel Neal, remount officer, Ottawa, and produced the copy of a letter to him to this effect. The original letter, Mr. Foster said, was a circular authorizing him to appoint agents and inspectors, but contained a notice added by Col. Neal, that Woodworth had been appointed by him (the Colonel). The original letter was before the Public Accounts Committee at Ottawa and was given to the reporters there. Mr. Foster had not seen it since. He had agreed, after Col. Neal had refused at first to buy horses in Nova Scotia, when 800 horses were required quickly, to act as paymaster only for the buying, done in his province, provided he got no remuneration. He produced a copy of his letter to Col. Neal to this effect.

Altogether 428 horses were bought in Nova Scotia for which remount department checks calling for \$72,994 were issued by Mr. Foster, an average of \$170.50 a horse.

Col. Neal is at present at the front, but it was stated his evidence on the appointment of buyers and inspectors will be secured in some way.

The witnesses today also included a number of farmers who had sold horses to W. P. McKay which were inspected by Dr. Chipman, veterinarian.

Many of the horses acquired were over ten years old, the official age limit being eight, while some were over fifteen. A horse belonging to Roy Chute, Spersmer, had to be assisted up when it laid down, while several cases of spavined steeds were sworn to. One witness, W. Shepherd, Kentville, swore he received \$160 from McKay, whereas his signed receipt was for \$175. The average price paid, according to today's evidence, was around \$165. Each witness swore that Mr. Foster was not present when horses were bought by McKay, and stated that no rake-off had been paid to anybody.

I.O.O.F. ANNUAL SESSION.

Stratford, Ont., Aug. 9.—The City Hall tonight was the scene of a public reception to the delegates to the annual session of the Grand Bodies of the I.O.O.F. in Ontario. F. R. Blewett, K.C., of this city, Past Grand Master, was chairman and addresses of welcome were delivered by Mayor Barnsdale and others. Replies were made by Miss Linda Clarke, of Cornwall, president of the Rebekah Assembly of Ontario; W. J. Graham, of Toronto, Grand Patriarch of the Grand Encampment; Brigadier-General Dr. G. M. Hermoniston, of Toronto, Hon. W. H. Hoyle, and Senator Derbyshire, of Brockville, a Past Grand Master of the I.O.O.F. The convention will continue all week.

SUCCESSFUL RECRUITING
CAMPAIGN IN TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 9.—Toronto's recruiting campaign is going on with a good swing. It is estimated that fully 200,000 persons were present at the meeting held tonight in Riverdale Park, under the auspices of the Toronto Recruiting League, when the massed bands of ten regiments discoursed patriotic music. A large number of recruits were secured.

TORONTO'S EXAMPLE.

Toronto, Aug. 9.—Toronto City Council this afternoon approved the raising of debenture of \$2,020,660, of which half a million is to be devoted to patriotic purposes, and \$1,666,666 for schools and sites.

ITALIAN IS KILLED.

St. Catharines, Ont., Aug. 9.—An Italian, Camilo Airillo, was killed today at the stone crushing plant near Merriton. He was working around the shaft and got caught in the belt-

UNITY OF CREEDS
AND PARTIES, PLEA
OF T. C. CASGRAINPostmaster-General of Dominion
Parliament Delivers Patriotic
Address at Great Mass
Meeting.RECOUNTS PART PLAYED
BY PROVINCE OF QUEBECCanada With Empire Until
War Is Won, He Tells
Audience.

(Regina Province.)

In simple but impressive language the Hon. Chase Casgrain, postmaster-general of Canada, conveyed to the citizens of Regina a message from the province of Quebec outlining the part the French-Canadians have played in the war and their share in contributing to the ultimate success of the British arms. His speech was not a lengthy one, but proved of absorbing interest to the immense audience and in the course of his remarks made a stirring appeal for a cessation of all political hostilities for the duration of the war.

The post office clock was just striking the hour of nine when the postmaster-general was introduced by His Honor, Lieutenant-Governor Brown. The occasion, said Mr. Casgrain, was not a celebration, but a meeting of citizens called together to express a firm determination that the war will be carried on until a final and complete victory crowns the arms of the Allies.

Brings Message from Quebec.

In announcing that he had brought a message from the people of Quebec the speaker said: "I come to you to say that from all parts of Canada, from the north and the south, from the east and the west, as well as from Quebec, from all the races which contribute to the make-up of this great nation, from all classes and creeds there is one cry and one determination and that is that we will see this thing through."

"The object of this meeting and of similar gatherings throughout the Dominion today is to take stock of the happenings of the past year, to find out whether we have done our duty and whether there still remains anything for us to do."

Enlarging upon this topic, Mr. Casgrain outlined the situation as it exists in the various arenas of the war in Europe today. He pointed out the share which Canadians were doing in the prosecution of the war and outlined what he considered to be the duty of all Canadian citizens in hastening the victory of the British cause and the conclusion of a lasting peace.

Are We Downhearted? No.

"We have not made much headway against the enemy," said Mr. Casgrain, "but," he asked, "does that mean we are downhearted? Not at all. This meeting is a proof that there is abroad among us a spirit of firm hope and lasting determination that the war will be pursued and that there will be no laying down of arms until peace has been concluded with glory and honor."

In reply to the question, "Have we done our duty?" Mr. Casgrain went on to say that this was not a military question and was found in unprepared for a gigantic struggle, unprepared in equipment, in enlistment, in men and in arms. Nevertheless, Canada demonstrated a tremendous spectacle to the world when in six short months she was able to send over the seas 25,000 good Canadians who went to fight the battles of justice against barbarism, the fight of might against right. This was not all that Canada had done for there were 75,000 Canadians under arms, "and," he continued, "let me say for the Government of the Dominion that everything required of the government to enable Canada to do its duty in men or in money will be done by the government."

This promise was followed by an appeal to all politicians for a political truce for the remainder of the war. "If ever there is a time," said the Cabinet Minister, "that politicians should lay down their political weapons and declare a truce, that time is now. To be effective, he declared with convincing emphasis, the truce must be a real one and observed not only by political leaders, but by their followers and adherents as well and everyone must be dominated by a determination that Canada shall do its duty to the Empire."

What Quebec Has Done.

Focusing his next remarks upon the achievement of his own home province, the province of Quebec, Mr. Casgrain stated that the French-Canadians in that section of the Dominion had contributed 2,500 of the first contingent of 35,000. "Another regiment," he added, "is ready to go, a fourth regiment is enlisted and a fourth is enlisting. I am not saying this because any doubt has ever existed as to the loyalty of the people of Quebec, but simply to show you

U.S. WILL PLAY
OUT LONE HAND
WITH BRITAINSWEDISH PROPOSITION SO
FAR HAS BROUGHT NO RE-
SULTS.

Washington, Aug. 9.—The United States will continue to act alone in reprobations to Great Britain regarding neutral trade. It was learned tonight that negotiations begun by the Swedish legation here to secure American co-operation in proposed concerted action of neutrals to protest against the British Orders-in-Council insofar as they work hardship on neutral commerce, have brought no results.

RUSSIANS SWEEP
GERMANS CLEAR
OF RIGA REGIONWHOLE REGION FOR 25 MILES
HAS BEEN CLEARED OF EN-
EMY.

London, Aug. 10.—Although the Russian official communication telling of the repulse of a German naval attack on the Gulf of Riga arrived in London too late for comment by them all the morning newspapers lay emphasis on what they assert is Russia's improved situation in the Riga district. The Russian position throughout the Baltic province is described by the newspapers as firm.

"The Russians," says the Morning Post, Petrograd correspondent "are forcing a vigorous aggressive and the Germans have been swept clear from the Riga region."

In a despatch dealing in a similar manner with the Riga sector, the Times Petrograd correspondent says: "The Riga position has been relieved by Russian successes south of the town and the whole region for 25 miles from Riga has been cleared of the enemy."

SEVERE STORM DOES
DAMAGE AT BROCKVILLE

Brockville, Ont., Aug. 9.—A combination of rain, hail and electricity wrought destruction in Brockville and surrounding district this afternoon in one of the most severe storms of the year. The farming district for a wide area, according to reports coming in, was laid waste. Whole fields of corn and grain were cut down by the hail, driven by a terrific gale, and the volume of rain devastated what escaped the hail. It is difficult to estimate the damage, but the loss to the farmers will run into the thousands.

In Brockville the storm was in the nature of a cloudburst, rivers of water flooding the streets and thoroughfares to an extent that business was practically suspended for a couple of hours. Storm sewers were unable to carry off the flow and the water backed up into stores and dwellings causing great damage. Lightning struck and set fire to the spire of the First Presbyterian Church, besides ripping off the slate and damaging the structure generally. The rain extinguished the blaze in a few minutes. Many other places were hit, but the damage was slight.

CITY HALL STAFF OF
LONDON GIVES GUN

London, Ont., Aug. 9.—The London City Hall staff at a meeting this afternoon decided to raise \$1,000 among themselves for the purchase of a Lewis machine gun for the Canadian troops.

That every part of this great country is doing its duty."

Turning towards the Lieutenant-Governor and the clergy upon the platform, the speaker declared that in his opinion the feature of the meeting was the union upon the platform of the chief magistrate of state and the dignitaries of the church. It was an imposing spectacle and one which bound him still more closely to his friend the Bishop of Regina and in his affections to the Church of which he was a member.

To Celebrate Victory.

The minister concluded a memorable speech with an expression of hope and belief that the next assembly would be gathered together not for the purpose which had inspired that meeting but to celebrate a great victory and in appealing for more recruits stated that while he had been unable to enlist himself, he had done the next best thing, and that was to sacrifice a handsome salary to work for the government, and he was prepared to do the utmost in his power to further the war and bring it to a successful conclusion.

Mr. Casgrain was listened to with great attention by the big crowd assembled. His speech was frequently interrupted by loud applause and upon resuming his seat he was accorded a great ovation.

BELGIANS REFUSE
TO AID MUNITIONS
WORK OF ENEMYPROTEST SENT TO HAGUE
CONCERNING THREATS OF
GERMAN COMMANDER.

Paris, Aug. 9.—A report of the Belgian committee investigating violations of international law, issued here today by the Belgian legation, is devoted to instances of alleged violations by the Germans of article 52 of the fourth Hague convention governing the laws and customs of land warfare.

Examples cited cover alleged German attempts, first, by offering wages as high as 20 marks (about \$5) a day, and finally by force, to compel Belgian civilians to work in arsenals, on railways used for military purposes and in wire factories. The report gives details of alleged violations at Luttre, Malines and Swevedhem and quotes the text of an order declared to have been signed by Lieut.-General Count von Westarff, the German commander at Ghent, dated in that city June 10, in part as follows: "The attitude of certain factories which under the pretext of patriotism, relying on the Hague convention, refuse to work for the German army, proves that among the population there is an inclination to raise difficulties for the administration of the German army. In this connection I inform you that I will suppress such manoeuvres by all means in my power."

TRADE STEADY
DESPITE BLOCKADECOMMENT ON REPORT OF
LONDON BOARD OF TRADE
FOR HALF YEAR.

London, Aug. 10.—Attention is called by the Morning Post to the fact that the report of the Board of Trade for the half year ending July 30 shows that the decrease in the value of imports to Great Britain from Germany, Austria, France and Belgium is almost exactly counter balanced by the increase in imports from the United States.

"It would appear therefore in spite of everything that has happened," says the Post, "that the United States is doing remarkably well as a result of this war."

The Post points out also that an improvement in ocean trade began in February, the month the German submarine blockade was initiated and has recovered steadily ever since.

A NEW FIELD COOKER.

Canadian Device Has Attracted Interest
of Military Experts.

The type of field service cooking apparatus used by the 19th and 20th Battalions and other units of the Canadian expeditionary force, is attracting great attention among military men. The cooking stove and firebox are supported on the axle of the truck. They are made of best quality 10-gauge steel plates, riveted together and strongly braced by heavy angle steel; the side walls double jacketed with an air space. The body contains four cooking vessels, each with a capacity of 15 Imperial gallons, two for coffee and two for stew. The fire box is of heavy cast iron, easily removable and locked into position, and suitable for burning soft coal, hard coal, coke, wood, straw, etc. The flues in the body are so designed that two of the cooking vessels can be heated independent of the other two, so that two can be boiled violently, while two are merely simmering, and the fire will travel under all the vessels. The fire doors, clean-out doors, etc., are all made of heavy steel strongly reinforced, with suitable latches and hinges, all made of forged iron, and all doors are so constructed that they can be locked shut during transportation. The four cooking vessels are each constructed of one piece of seamless, soft, sheet steel drawn into shape and reinforced at the upper edge by a heavy, reinforced rod circle. The vessels are then re-tinned inside and out, and are readily removable from the body of the apparatus. The cooking vessels can be filled with ice water, and burning ordinary soft wood, can be brought to a violent boil in 40 minutes. Two horses are hitched to the apparatus by the standard English Quick Release harness. The weight is 1,800 pounds, and the machine is properly balanced to be as easy as possible on the horses.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.

Liverpool: Philadelphia, New York.
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HIS SPECIALTY.

"Hobbs grumbles when the weather is hot, and grumbles when it is cold." "Isn't there anything he likes?" "Yes, to grumble!"

MACHINE GUN FUND

The Chronicle Machine Gun Fund list was closed yesterday afternoon. At the time of closing the total had mounted to \$30,427.28. This, however, includes a thousand dollars subscribed by Messrs. C. G. Dunn, C. W. S. Dunn and A. J. Messervey, which sum will be set apart to purchase a gun for the 57th Battalion.

Another gun was subscribed by the executive, officers and employees of the Quebec Railway, Light, Heat and Power Company, the collection among the various branches resulting as follows:—

Donation from the Executive Officers and Employees of the
Quebec Railway, Light, Heat and Power Company.

Quebec Railway Building	\$374.22
City Division	251.05
Power Division	140.43
Gas Division	86.33
Canadian Electric Light Co.	52.87
Montmorency Division	52.10
Kent House	43.00

Total \$1,000.00

Another notable contribution came from the Ross Rifle employees, who donated almost the equivalent of a gun amongst them and would undoubtedly have raised the round thousand if the fund had not been closed yesterday.

The thousand dollars given by Miss Dunn has already been sent to Ottawa, but the Militia Department has agreed that the gun purchased therefor shall be applied to the Second Battalion.

The subscription credited to "M. S. Turner" should have read from "Mrs. A. J. Turner."

The following subscriptions were received yesterday:—

Previously acknowledged	\$25,805.33
Mrs. C. W. T.	5.00
E. T. Nesbitt	100.00
E. Clint	1.00
Una H. Gale	5.00
Edward C. Joseph	50.00
Kenneth Joseph	50.00
Mrs. H. MacWilliam	10.00
Mrs. Geo. MacWilliam	10.00
Mrs. Alex. Chateauvert	10.00
Mrs. F. G. Scott	20.00
Jewish Subscriptions	102.50
Mrs. A. J. Forrester (Result of Cushion Raffle)	30.00
G. D.	2.00
Bank Messengers Social Association	85.00
Miss T. J. Price	20.00
I. O. O.	10.00
Executive Officers and Employees of Q. R., L. H. and P. Co.	1,000.00
Ross Rifle Employees	941.65
Alf. R. Morgan	50.00
A. E. Hooks	50.00
Mrs. A. E. Hooks	10.00
F. M. G.	10.00
W. J. M. May	50.00
Miss M. E. Dunn (to Ottawa)	1,000.00
C. G. Dunn	450.00
C. W. S. Dunn	450.00
A. J. Messervey	100.00

Total \$30,427.28

One of the letters received came from Ontario and read as follows:—

P. O. Box 264, Smith's Falls, Ont., August 9, 1915.

The Chronicle Machine Gun Fund, care Quebec Chronicle Quebec:

Dear Sir,—Enclosed please find cheque for \$50.00, to go towards the purchase of a machine gun.

As I am physically unable to enlist, I take this opportunity of helping the cause, in the only way that is open to me.

Yours truly,

KENNETH JOSEPH.

At a committee meeting held yesterday it was decided to continue to put forward every possible effort to ensure rapid delivery and purchase of the guns and some news in this direction is expected soon.

Outside of The Chronicle Fund special mention should be made of the fact that Mrs. H. Atkinson, of Levis, has contributed a gun for the use of the Battalion to which her son is attached.

The result of this campaign has been most encouraging in every respect. When the fund was first opened the intention was only to raise eight or twelve guns but the people of Quebec responded so generously that it was thought best to continue to take in subscriptions.

This splendid response shows that the city of Quebec is ready and willing to do its share to help those who are fighting so valiantly in France today.

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CALAIS AS A BASE

AGAINST ENGLAND

The London Spectator pretty effectively lays the bogey of a German invasion of England from Calais, about which so much has been heard. The Spectator does not discount the possibility of invasion, but says invasion from Calais would be a place of monumental stupidity. A section of its comment on the question follows:

"In the western theatre of the war there has been a great deal of talk about renewed German activity on a huge scale, of imperative orders by the Kaiser to take Calais without delay, of vast movements of troops, and of huge guns intended when Calais is taken to bombard Dover and cover the invasion of England by aluminum boats. What special virtue there is in aluminum for this purpose does not appear. We can understand that aluminum was a very proper metal out of which to construct boats meant to be dragged across the Syrian Desert in order to facilitate the passage of the Suez Canal. It is, however, difficult to believe that even Germans would have recourse to aluminum craft for transporting sixty or seventy thousand troops and their munitions.

"We dealt with the Calais bogey last week, but we may point out again here that if the Germans were to be so mad after they had taken Calais as to attempt their base for invasion, we should be benefited, not injured, thereby. Surprise is the only element in a scheme for invasion which need cause us any great anxiety. But a surprise is indefinitely more easy to manage from Emden than from Calais. It is very difficult to know, hour by hour, or even day by day, what is going on at a place so remote as Emden, a place with which our destroyers and other light craft cannot get in touch, and also one which is too distant for our aircraft to fly over. If, however, the Germans were working from Calais we should always know exactly what they were doing and exactly when to expect them. There could be no concealment of German designs there, whether for vessels of wood, of iron or of aluminum.

"As a matter of fact, the harbor facilities are so bad at Calais as to forbid its use as a base; but let us assume that by some miracle this defect can be got over, or that a phalanx of Germans can be turned on to dig a new port in the sands when the town is captured. In that case, however, the Germans would soon find that their boasted proximity to Dover had two sides to it, and that if they could throw shells from the shore on to us, we could throw shells on to them from Dover, or, better still, from mid-Channel on moving platforms. The advantage would certainly be on the side of those who not only had the command of the sea, but were not attempting to make a vast sea movement which would offer the greatest target ever known in naval warfare. The naval phalanx, when it does come, should prove very difficult to miss."

THE BADGE OF INFAMY.

While German arms are gaining the semblance of success in the east, the internal feeling of dissatisfaction is finding voice more generally throughout the country. Declarations against the continuance of the war are finding their way into more of their publications in spite of the apparently victorious course of their arms. The German Humanity League has issued the most outspoken denunciation of the war yet published. It says:

"For nearly a year a devastating conflict has shattered our homes, darkened our lives, robbed us of our bravest sons, and set the whole civilized world against us. Our Government has by foul corruption deceived the Turkish nation and compassed its ruin.

"Let us look facts plainly in the face. No State coveted our land or menaced German integrity. Our ships were free to sail and welcomed in every ocean. Our citizens enjoyed fullest civil rights in all parts of the world. Our industrial output found a ready market in every quarter of the globe. Commerce was increased year by year.

"Everywhere the German flag was respected. Today it is the badge of infamy."

All the Germans apparently are not war-crazy. The trouble is that those who entertain sentiments such as those expressed above are still under the domineering power of the military class.

A LIBERAL TRIBUTE.

In view of the obdurate attitude of a section of the Liberal press against the Borden government, and the blank refusal of such papers to give

any credit to the Administration at any time or under any circumstances, it is pleasing to note some honorable exceptions. The Free Press at Ottawa, which is the chief opposition paper of the Capital and a journal whose fidelity to its party cannot be questioned, gives cordial praise to Sir Robert Borden for the strong measures he has adopted to ensure honest dealings in the matter of all government contracts. Commenting on the appointment of the Davidson Commission by the Borden government, and the excellent work it has done, the Free Press says:

"But more important than these results is the warning which has been given to avaricious dealers that they cannot offend and enjoy immunity. The commercial community of Canada knows that in the matter of war supplies the Government must be fairly dealt with or punishment will follow."

A single testimonial of this character from such a source outweighs volumes of carping and partizan misrepresentation from organs incapable of seeing anything evil in their own party, or anything meritorious in an administration controlled by their political opponents.

THE TAPESTRY OF HISTORY.

One of the small side effects of the war should be to stimulate interest in the classics commonly encountered by school boys. There has been a modern battle on the Plain of Troy, where Homer's heroes fought with the sun-light flashing on their golden armor. And the purple sea on which lie today the thundering monsters of the modern navies, is Poseidon's windy kingdom, the very same sea over which the curved ships of the Achaeans sailed to the sack of Troy. Bright-helmed Achilles and the whole buccaneering company of Homer's tale fought with ring of bronze and with singing arrows all over the aged hills which have witnessed lately the unromantic explosion and flame of modern battle. The far-ascending aeroplanes, the modern war-eagles, have sailed over the hill where Priam's many-towered cities stood. Machine guns have snarled across rivers with names that sprinkle the head's pages and whose waters have known the hate of battle since the first legends were written.

Nothing has changed except man and his cities since Troy was sacked nine times and rebuilt as often.

The fig trees, the shaggy-coated cypresses, the brown goats, the olives, are the same now as when Demeter taught Triptolemus how to sow the plain, and to reap the first wheat harvest, and the wine-dark sea is the same as when men worshipped the sea-god on the shore and the black ships of much-enduring Odysseus, the wanderer, fled over the hollow backs of the waves.

PRESS COMMENT.

"From the very first day of the war, the British fleet gained such absolute control of the ocean roads, and so evident a naval superiority, that the public has come to take things for granted. We must not lose sight of the advantage we gained by this uncontested superiority."—Le Temps, Paris.

Returning soldiers complain that, while they are handsomely treated in Great Britain, they are shabbily treated in the Dominion. This complaint should be investigated by the Dominion government, which should take charge of every soldier who is invalided home and see that he is properly treated. Nothing in Canada is too good for these men who have risked their lives in battle. Many of them are permanently incapacitated and all are suffering from serious injuries or illness. They have made great sacrifices while we have stayed at home undergoing no privation. There should be a regular department in operation that would act as hosts of invalided soldiers from the moment they leave the British hospitals and that should treat them like princes of the royal blood until they are transferred to their families or friends at their final destinations. The best is not too good for our Canadians who have offered their lives in the trenches.—Calgary Telegram.

The fall of Warsaw gives renewed point and emphasis to the question, what is Germany's objective in the vigorous campaign she is now prosecuting against Russia? Manifestly she does not hope to follow up her record successes in Poland by an attempt to conquer the Russian Empire, with its enormous stretches of territory, its imperfect systems of communication and its widely scattered population of 170,000,000 people. It is obvious that the calculation that she could safely send a couple of million fighting men into the Eastern and South-eastern war-belts without fearing the effect that these heavy drafts

of men would have on her position in the West, was not falsely made. The outside world has been mystified by the failure of the British and French to take advantage of the Russian diversion to inaugurate a powerful and vigorous offensive in Flanders. Whatever the secret of this may be, it would appear that it is no mystery to the Germans. They probably know what it is that is staying the initiation of a Franco-British drive, at the present juncture, and acted on that knowledge when deciding to stiffen their offensive against Russia. It seems not unlikely that the German objective in the Russian campaign is to baffle the attempt to force the Dardanelles, or at least to render the handling of Constantinople and its approaches by the Allies a dangerous and precarious undertaking. If the Russians can be paralyzed for the time being, a southern Germanic sweep in an attempt to save the Turkish empire from falling into the power of the Allies, would appear to be a natural and rational development of the Eastern situation. While it is true that the neutral Balkans stand in the way, that difficulty may be met by a Germanic attempt to treat the Balkan states as Belgium was treated. Such an attempt would cut the gordian knot with which Bulgaria and Rumania have been struggling, in short order. If Germany is convinced that these states are likely to side with the Allies at all events, nothing is more likely than that she will take time by the forelock, and ignore a neutrality which she is certain will only be of short duration in any case. There are two possible obstacles to the success of such a plan. The Balkans may cast their lot in with Britain and France before the southern sweep becomes an imminent menace, and the Russian "come back" may develop more quickly than the Teutonic allies anticipate. In any case, it looks as if the final line-up of the Balkan states cannot be much longer delayed.—Sydney Post.

ADMIRE GREAT CANADIAN HOTEL.

The Canadian representative of one of the largest Publishing Houses on the American Continent has written to Mr. Angus Gordon, Manager of the "Chateau Laurier", Ottawa, on the subject of Canadian Hotels, as follows:—

"It happened to be the writer's work to play around the country," says this correspondent, "and I will say frankly that I have never had any more enjoyable time or any more wonderful surroundings than I had at your 'Chateau Laurier'."

THE MAN AND THE OFFICE.

His Honor George William Brown, of Saskatchewan, is usually to the front when it comes to a public piece of work for which there is no sort of pay. The latest public courtesy from the Lieutenant-Governor of Saskatchewan is the presentation by himself of a portrait of himself to the province. The portrait was done in England by Sir Hubert von Kerkhomer, whose portraits are known in this country mainly through the pages of art magazines. It was done in 1914, the last painting done by von Kerkhomer, who considered it the best portrait he had ever painted. It is done in the grand manner, with plenty of that impressive detail which captivates the average imagination. It may be supposed that the artist painted the office along with the man. But Hon. Mr. Brown calculates that he was not so far astray on the man either. So impressed was the artist with his picture of the man and the office, that he had a special frame designed and built under his own supervision, before the picture was sent out.

The picture now hangs in the Legislative Buildings, Saskatchewan, and is probably the finest portrait on view anywhere in Regina. The practice of putting up oil paintings and statues of public men is only just beginning in that country, but is making some very hopeful headway, of which this portrait of the Lieutenant-Governor is one of the best examples. His Honor deserves to be allowed to do these little things for his country; for he has the interest of his country at heart—and especially the province of Saskatchewan, where he has been a successful lawyer, rancher, and administrator for many years. Most of our Canadian Lieutenant-Governors are pretty public-spirited citizens. Hon. Brown is one of the best of them. And his portrait will become one of the landmarks of Saskatchewan.—Canadian Courier.

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DIED.

PENNEY—Accidentally drowned at Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Frank Penney, aged 22 years, second son of Robert B. Penney, of Loretteville. The funeral will leave his father's residence on Wednesday, the 11th instant, at 10.30 a.m. for Valcartier Church and Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

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IN AND ABOUT TOWN

BIG FIRE AT THE ISLAND OF ORLEANS

BLAZE COULD BE SEEN PLAINLY FROM CITY LAST NIGHT.

Between nine and ten o'clock last night a large blaze was plainly seen from many points in this city raging on the heights of the Island of Orleans.

The exact location of the blaze could not be ascertained, however, as there is no telegraphic or telephonic communication between the City and the Island after 8 p.m.

There were many conjectures and many rumors current concerning the fire. One report stated it was the Church which was ablaze another that it was one of the large summer mansions on the crest of the hill while still another gave the scene of the fire as a large barn.

Up to an early hour this morning no definite information had reached the city.

Citizens manifested a lively interest in the holocaust and many viewed the fire from the Terrace and other points until the flames had spent their fury and the building was reduced to ruins.

CITY EMPLOYEE

DIES AT LORETTE.

Michel Cote, Inspector of St. Charles River, Passed Away Suddenly.

Just as he was leaving his canoe after making an inspection of the St. Charles River, Michel Cote, employed by the City, died suddenly on Saturday.

The deceased who resided in this city is survived by a widow and two children, Miss Yvonne Cote and Mr. Oscar Cote, accountant at the Dominion Arsenal.

SMALL BLAZE ON

ST. STANISLAS STREET.

A small fire occurred in the upper portion of the house occupied by the Misses Collins, on St. Stanislas street, yesterday. The firemen promptly extinguished the blaze with the use of chemical liquids.

SAMPLES OF DRESSES FOR SCHOOL

La Renaissance store at 314 St. John St., are advertising today in another column, that they have received 100 samples of new fall wash dresses for children from 2 to 16 years, which they are offering at the cost of manufacture from 75c. to \$1.75.

BOY INJURED IN

RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.

The eight-year-old son of Mr. Hector Menard, a plumber, of No. 121, Burton street, is a patient at the Hotel Dieu Hospital as a result of having been injured in a runaway accident on Champlain street yesterday afternoon. The little fellow's father was loading an express cart and the boy was sitting on the seat when the horses taking fright at a Transcontinental engine, bolted. The lad fell off the vehicle and received rather serious injuries about the head. Inquiries at the Hotel Dieu Hospital last night elicited the information that the boy's condition was very favorable.

BAZAAR FOR KHAKI

CLUB AT VALCARTIER.

A most successful bazaar was held at the residence of the Misses Bella and Ethel Jones, in the town of Fraserville, in aid of the Khaki Club at Valcartier, the generosity of the Misses Jones was unbounded. They secured a waiter and other help from Quebec, besides giving any amount of beautiful needlework.

The sum of \$250 was realized, which Mrs. Montfort Joseph, as vice-regent of the Stadacona chapter, D.O.E., will hand to the Regent, Mrs. McLimont, as the chapter donation, as the idea had originated in Mrs. Joseph, and the results promised by the Misses Jones in town. Sincere thanks are due to the residents of St. Patrick's, Cacouna, Portage, Fraserville and the Point, who responded so generously, also to the Rev. Mr. Harding for contributions.

"JIM THE PENMAN A STRONG

FEATURE.

Grand Allee Gardens Have Other Good Plays for This Week.

Last night's performance of "Jim the Penman," was all that could be desired. It is a very strong feature and "John Mason" who plays the roll of "Jim," excels himself. Paramount pictures are certainly the class of pictures that appeal to the desirable class of patrons everywhere. Today, when competition in the exhibiting branch of this industry is more severe than it has ever been it is necessary that managers exert the greatest care in the selection of programs. Don't miss "After the Ball" (6) reels on Wednesday and Thursday, also Chaplin, Friday and Saturday. Myrtle Steadman in "Wild Olive" is another picture that the public cannot afford to miss.

IMPORTANT

Dr. Wm. Clark (foot specialist) of New York has opened an office at 47 Claire Fontaine St., for the scientific treatment of all foot troubles. Appointments can be made by phoning 3920. Aug. 6xfri-mon-wedx3.

BYE-ELECTION IN JACQUES CARTIER

SEAT MADE VACANT BY RESIGNATION OF ALD. GARANT STILL UNFILLED.

The names of Hon. C. F. Delage, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, Mr. J. A. Scott and Mr. Alfred Marois, shoe manufacturer are mentioned in municipal circles as likely candidates to fill seat No. 1 of Jacques Cartier Ward made vacant by the resignation of Ald. Garant who was appointed to a position in the civic services.

No date has yet been fixed for the municipal by-election in Jacques Cartier Ward, and Mayor Drouin has intimated that he is prepared to set a date for the election if asked to do so.

As to the likely candidates cited above, a press representative mentioned them to Mayor Drouin as rumored aspirants for the seat. His Worship said that it was the first he had heard of it, but that any of the gentlemen mentioned would prove a valuable acquisition to civic representation in the Council.

Correspondence

QUEBEC'S GOOD (?) ROADS.

Editor, Chronicle:—

Dear Sir,—Your evening contemporary goes into an ecstasy of admiration over the excellence of Quebec's new Roads and flings bouquets at the feet of the Hon. J. A. Tessier, the Provincial Minister of Roads, for his efforts in that great enterprise.

The writer has no fault to find with judicious economic or well-earned praise, but if he were to judge from the following well balanced letter which appeared recently in the Montreal Daily Mail he would conclude that all is not so rosy as the Hon. Mr. Tessier's eulogist would have us believe.

The Macadam Roads built by the neighboring municipalities a few years ago are crumbling away just as the writer in the Mail very well describes the King Edward Highway, and if not repaired they will in a few years be as bad as the Turnpike Trust's castaways.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

What King Edward Highway Needs.

To the Editor of The Daily Mail:

The question of road maintenance and road construction, in keeping with modern traffic conditions, has brought a new set of problems to the attention of road engineers. Perhaps the greatest of these problems is the question of the proper surfacing of roads used for automobile traffic.

The writer in a former letter pointed out that the King Edward Highway was greatly in need of a permanent bituminous binder, in order to maintain this road in a fit condition for traffic. The writer also stated that ordinary water bound macadam was an old time-worn method of construction.

In view of these remarks the following statements which were made by Colonel William H. Sohler, chairman of the Massachusetts Highway Commission, who is one of the greatest authorities in the United States upon highway construction and highway maintenance, are therefore of a special interest.

Colonel Sohler states: "Our roads, both gravel and macadam, were rapidly torn up by automobiles and deposited in dust over the country." This was the experience of the State of Massachusetts away back in 1907, and from that date Massachusetts began to use bituminous materials as a surface coat.

Colonel Sohler further stated: "Today nine-tenths of all our state highways that have not been resurfaced have been coated and kept coated with some bituminous material, and have been constantly patched."

The King Edward Highway was completed in 1913, six years after the commonwealth of Massachusetts had discarded as impracticable the old macadam typed road, and the province of Quebec has needlessly repeated the costly experience of Massachusetts.

Colonel Sohler also stated: "We used asphalt with the belief that their use was economical and necessary on any roads that are used by more than fifty automobiles per day." The number of automobiles that used the King Edward Highway during the year 1914, averaged seventy cars per day, twenty cars per day in excess of what the road was constructed to carry. No wonder the King Edward Highway has literally been crumbling to pieces!

The writer cites these remarks of Colonel Sohler as establishing, beyond dispute, the immediate need of placing a substantial dust proof binder of a bituminous character upon the King Edward Highway, commensurate with its heavy traffic, for this is and will be for many years to come the greatest and most important highway in the province of Quebec, linking up as it does the great metropolis of Canada with the vast trunk line systems of the United States.

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The Duffin-Redcay Troupe, Playing at the Auditorium, are Real Wonders—Chaplin Next Week

The seems to be no limit to the audacity of the acrobats of our days and the turn presented by the Duffin-Redcay Troupe at the Auditorium fully justifies this assertion. The feats accomplished by these artists are really wonderful.

These aerial artists, the Duffin-Redcay Troupe, are working wonders with the audiences that could never have imagined that human beings would even try such feats as are regularly accomplished at every performance by these unequalled acrobats of the trapeze. The twisted somersault, double somersault and triple somersault seem to be just as easy to them as a mere "pirouette" would be to the ordinary acrobat. The "Canayan", as he calls himself, is very good at comedy and keeps the audience laughing during the whole performance that lasts fully ten minutes and does not seem five.

"Les Kelions", with their circus tent and the big ticket seller announcing all that is going to take place after the big show are quite a novelty in vaudeville. The lady who does contortion work has a very able way of presenting the number and the hand and head balancing feats are nearly and elegantly done.

Mario and Trevette, Italian singers, had a great success at the two first shows, especially with the song from "Pagliacci", which the tenor renders with great success.

Danny White is the cleverest little dancer one can wish to see and it is no wonder he gets so much encouragement from the public. Little Alright, the Japanese balancer, does entirely new stunts and his ability soon made him a great favorite with the audience.

Chaplin Featured Next Week.

In "Tillie's Punctured Romance" in six reels, Charles Chaplin plays the best part he has ever been shown in and Marie Dressler, another big star, has the best part of the ladies in the play. Do not miss that film.

"THE STAIN" IS A WONDERFUL FILM.

His Honor the Lieut.-Governor and Madame LeBlanc saw it Last Night at the Olympia.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Madame LeBlanc were in the audience at the Olympia Theatre last night and they both enjoyed the splendid presentation of "The Stain", this great feature the management had booked a good many weeks in advance. The most thrilling scenes are presented with great realism in which every detail has been looked for and scrupulously presented. The court house scene is certainly one of the most sensational offered by any photoplay yet produced and the whole story is one where the mother's love and the husband's villainy are constantly in opposition to one another. Stars of the screen have filled the parts and this also accounts for the great success of the film which is always in demand by the largest picture house.

The Comedy "Just Tramps" proved a very amusing picture and the whole audience seemed to breathe easier after seeing such enjoyable scenes passing before their eyes to make them again happy after pitying the poor woman whose fate, in "The Stain" is much appealing to kind hearted people.

Pathe Gazette is just as interesting as ever and the important events illustrated are certainly of the kind the audiences like to hear or read about.

This same programme will be presented again today and tomorrow, with "Who Pays?", the Olympia has billed another feature "House Divided", that should draw big crowds. "Small Denizens of Seashore" is the name of the comedy on the programme with Pathe News and "Paris and its beautiful Parks".

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Latest Sporting News

HUME STOPPED LAVIGNE IN FIFTH

MONTREALER DEFEATED QUEBEC BOY WHO EXPERIENCED FIRST KNOCK-OUT.

"Curley" Hume of Montreal knocked out "Knockout" Lavigne of Quebec in the fifth round of a scheduled ten round bout last night.

Hume led in every round and punished the Quebecer severely. Lavigne made a tremendous effort to stay the limit but the experience and ring generalship of the Montreal boy was too much for him. A right swing to the jaw and a left hook to the stomach sent Lavigne down and out, but the gong rang when nine seconds had been tolled off. Lavigne, however, was unable to come up when the bell sounded for the sixth round and Hume was the winner.

Lavigne, who is a newcomer in the fighting game had a long string of knockouts to his credit and this was the first defeat meted out to him. Hume weighed 128 lbs., while Lavigne's weight was announced as 138. Tommy Buck knocked out Kid Burns in the third round and St. Pierre had things his own way with young Simms until the sixth when the latter's seconds threw up the sponge.

MARSANS CASE IS JOKE OF BASEBALL

CUBAN GETS \$4,000 PER YEAR THOUGH HE IS NOT PLAYING.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—The reopening of a raid by the Federal on clubs in organized baseball gives room for wonder if there will be any more cases like that of Armando Marsans, the Cuban outfielder, who jumped the Cincinnati Reds to the St. Louis Cardinals last season.

Marsans has not played a lick of baseball since a year ago last June, when he made the leap. He was enjoined from playing with St. Louis and his case was continued in court.

But Marsans' salary goes on just the same. If the court finally awards him to St. Louis, that club will have to pay him. The Reds were compelled to put up a bond of \$1,350 to cover his salary, and the Reds will have to pay it if he is awarded to Cincinnati.

Marsans is at his home in Havana, Cuba, running his cigar factory. In the meantime the Reds are in last place and the St. Louis Cardinals are losing games through lack of the hitting punch Marsans would give them.

Marsans was a big favorite in Cincinnati and he would pack the park if he was to appear there now.

Marsans is allowed to loaf at a salary in the neighborhood of \$4,000 a year. When the Reds opened their raids in the winter of 1914 the Reds sent a man all the way to Cuba to sign Marsans and he was allowed to name his own figures. He said when he jumped that he signed with the St. Louis Cardinals for \$12,000 for the three seasons.

The Marsans case is easily the joke of baseball, and the joke is on the fellows who will have to pay his salary.

UMPIRE QUIGLEY MEETS WITH ACCIDENT

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Umpire E. C. Quigley was seriously injured this afternoon by an explosion of gas in the stove of the ticket office at the National League Park. He was inflating his breast protector when the accident occurred. He was badly burned and was taken unconscious to a nearby hospital.

The patient recovered consciousness later and it was stated that his injuries were not serious. Hank O'Day, reappointed an umpire yesterday umpired the game alone today.

DECATHLON AT PANAMA-PACIFIC.

San Francisco, Aug. 9.—Sixteen athletes struggled today for four and a half hours in the first five events of the decathlon, which is being decided at the Panama-Pacific Exposition stadium.

The events contested were the 100 meter dash, high jump, broad jump, putting sixteen pound shot, and 400 meter flat race.

According to unofficial figures the following is the standing of the first eight men:

A. N. Richards, Illinois A.C., 4005.23; C. A. Brundage, Chicago A.A., 3588.78; John Jacobs, Okalahoma University, 3571.36; H. Goelitz, Chicago, A.A., 3425.40; A. H. Hutchinson, Illinois A.C., 3317.79; Fred Thompson, Los Angeles A.C., 3243.48; D. F. Ahearn, Illinois A.C., 3223.45; Chester Fee, Multnomah A.C., Portland, 1221.36.

None of the decathlon Olympic records were approached.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Walter Thayer and Ralph Burdick won the western championship tennis doubles at Lake Forest today. They defeated Alexander Squair and Heath Byford, 4-6; 6-1; 6-3; 9-7.

MISS DIRECTED WINS THE FEATURE

OUTSIDER CAPTURES RAILWAY STAKE IN GRAND RAPIDS HARNESS RACES.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Aug. 9.—The feature event of the Grand Circuit harness races this afternoon the 2:14 trot for the Grand Rapids Railway Stake of \$3,000, furnished the biggest surprise in the winner, Miss Directed, an outsider. Mirthful, a heavily played favorite, won only one heat, the third, while Lettie Lee, also heavily played to win, came in for third money.

The Matron Stake for 3-year-olds, was won in straight heats by General Todd.

Adbell M., another outsider, finished the winner in the 2:10 trot after four great heats. Ideal weather conditions prevailed.

Summary:

2:14 Trot, Grand Rapids Railway Stake, \$3,000, 3 in 5:

Miss Directed, b.m., by Direct Well, (McDevitt) 1 1 5 1
Mirthful, b. m., by Star of Patchen, (Murphy) 3 2 1 4
Lettie Lee, b.m., (White) 2 5 3 3
Todd Temple, b.g., (Snow) 5 3 2 6
Laramie Lad, b.m., (McDonald) 4 6 4 2
The Guide, b.h., (Geers) 6 4 6 5
Time, 2:05 1-2; 2:06 1-2; 2:08; 2:07 1-2.

Three-year-old Pace, Matron Stake, \$1,260:

General Todd, b.c., by George Todd, (Rea) 1 1
Miss Harris M., b.f., (McDonald) 2 2
Sad Thoughts, b.c., (Cox) 3 3
Peter Worthy, g.c., (McCarr) dis.
Time, 2:08.

2:10 Trot, Purse \$1,000, 2 in 3:

Adbell M., b.h., by Moko, (McDonald) 6 1 3 1
Guy Nella, b.m., (Geers) 2 8 1 2
Lulu Lumine, b.m., (Murphy) 5 6 3
Lizzie Brown, b.m., (Valentine) 3 3 2 ro.
Lou Jennings, b.m., (Brennan) 8 2 5 ro.
Albaloma, b.g., (Quinn) 5 6 4 ro.
The Sombro Bell, b.m., (Serrell) 7 7 dr.
Grand Marshall, bl. g., (Snow) 4 dr.
Time, 2:06 1-4; 2:08 3-4; 2:07 1-2; 2:10.

BASEBALL

American League.

(Yesterday's Results):

At Washington:—
Detroit 5 Washington . . . 3
(13 innings).

At Philadelphia:—
Chicago 8 Philadelphia . . . 4

At Boston:—
St. Louis 0 Boston 2
(Second game postponed).

At New York:—
Cleveland 1 New York . . . 1
(Called in seventh).

(Second game postponed).

American League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	62	34	.646
Detroit	62	39	.614
Chicago	60	40	.600
Washington	53	48	.525
New York	47	48	.495
St. Louis	39	60	.394
Cleveland	37	59	.385
Philadelphia	34	66	.340

National League.

(Yesterday's results.)

At St. Louis:—
Boston 6 St. Louis . . . 2

At Cincinnati:—
Philadelphia 4 Cincinnati . . . 5
(12 innings).

At Chicago:—
Brooklyn 13 Chicago . . . 0

At Pittsburgh:—
Pittsburgh-New York postponed.

National League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	53	45	.541
Brooklyn	54	47	.535
New York	49	47	.510
Chicago	50	49	.510
Boston	51	50	.505
Pittsburgh	49	49	.500
St. Louis	42	55	.471
Cincinnati	42	56	.429

Federal League.

Yesterday's Results:

At Brooklyn:—
Chicago 2 Brooklyn . . . 1

At Baltimore:—
St. Louis 3 Baltimore . . . 0

At Buffalo:—
Buffalo 6 Pittsburgh . . . 3

At Newark:—
(First Game):
Newark 4 Kansas City . . . 0
(Second Game):
Kansas City 2 Newark . . . 4

Federal League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	57	43	.570
Newark	56	44	.560
Kansas City	56	45	.554
Pittsburgh	54	46	.540

Sporting Notes

The Emmets and St. Patrick's have called practices for the Esplanade this evening.

Laval and Patricia meet next Sunday while Emmets line up for the third time against C. B. Twice, on former occasions the C. B.'s have been too much for the Patriots but this time, the Emmets with visions of lost chances for the championship are determined that the Khaki-Clad Club shall go down.

President Bruneau of the City League stated that his umpires must be upheld in their decisions and that he will stand behind them in their rulings, so long as the rules of the league and of baseball are correctly interpreted.

(Now that the game is over and there is an opportunity to think over matters in cold blood, surely the Patricians must realize that nothing was gained by walking off the field before the 1500 odd spectators. That they had no other catcher is no excuse to offer the people who had come to see two ball games. Any one is a catcher when there is no one else. Lizotte has caught Laurin before, not like Miller, we admit, but with the team playing ball as they were, there was a reasonable chance of winning the game. If a man is ruled off in hockey, off he goes. It doesn't matter if he is the goalkeeper or the star forward, his place is filled by another. If the umpire's decision was contrary to the rules, why did they not play out the game under protest? What can a league do with a protest by a team which has failed to comply with the very vital rule of baseball "that the umpire's decision on all plays is final" and "that any team refusing to continue the game, loses such contest by the score of 9-0." Was it not better, we ask to make the best of it, no matter how hard or bitter a pill it was to swallow, and finish the game without Miller, taking a sporting chance of winning on the field and if under protest having an additional chance of fighting it out in the committee room?)

The Exploits of Big Dan:—A photoplay in five reels.—Part one: Dan is invited to take a sail on the river and accepts. Part two: Dan and his five friends embark off the shores of the St. Lawrence and the craft dances merrily over the waves. Part Three: A strong easterly gale tossed the boat roughly and Dan is placed in the how to keep her head down. Part Four: Darkness overtakes the party and S.O.S. calls are sent out without avail. Land is sighted and the vessel is steered over the breakers to the shore. Part Five: The night being too dark and the wind and waves too high, the party decides to walk home in their wet clothes. Dan finally arrives at the old homestead after covering six miles and is wildly greeted by his family. (Closeup of Dan showing map of course taken by boat). The end. "The exploits of Big Dan are shown at all the theatres in Silly, Stokane and other large cities of the world."

Napoleons, reinforced by Jocks and Nelson, handed out a big defeat to C. B. in an exhibition game in Levis, the score being 17-0. C. B., however, were away off color and made little or no serious effort to stay in the game.

Popular Pastime, No. 170.—Going out for a sail and having to walk back home.

St. Louis	54	46	.540
Brooklyn	47	58	.448
Buffalo	46	59	.438
Baltimore	36	64	.360

International League.

Yesterday's Results:

At Providence:—
Richmond 6 Providence . . . 3

At Toronto:—
Rochester 0 Toronto 4

At Montreal:—
Buffalo 0 Montreal 2
(No others scheduled).

International League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Providence	60	32	.652
Buffalo	55	35	.611
Montreal	52	45	.536
Harrisburg	46	46	.500
Rochester	41	51	.446
Toronto	42	52	.446
Richmond	42	54	.438
Jersey City	35	58	.376

Canadian League.

Yesterday's Results:

At London:—
London 6 Hamilton . . . 0

At Brantford:—
(First Game):
Brantford 1 Ottawa 0
(Second Game):
Brantford 4 Ottawa 2

At St. Thomas:—
(First Game):
St. Thomas 3 Guelph 2
(Second Game):
St. Thomas 2 Guelph 3

McLOUGHLIN WON AGAIN.

Seabright, N.J., Aug. 9.—Maurice E. McLoughlin, the Pacific coast tennis expert, played here today on the turf of the Seabright Lawn Tennis and Cricket Club in the quest for the Achilles Cup. McLoughlin won his first contest by beating L. E. Mahan, of the West Side Tennis Club, 6-4; 6-1. R. N. Williams, 2nd, the rival of McLoughlin, is the holder of the Achilles Challenge Cup and will defend in the final.

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Ottawa, Aug. 9.—(Casualty list issued at midnight).

Fifth Battalion.
Previously reported wounded, now missing: Allan Murray, Scotland.
Archibald L. Paterson, Scotland.

Seventh Battalion.
Previously reported wounded, now dead according to German list, no particulars given: Arthur Leacock, England.

Previously reported missing, now dead according to German list, no particulars given: Alfred Gilbert Siwell, England.

Previously reported prisoner and wounded, at Giessen, now according to German list died July 9 and buried at Siegen, cause not stated: Robert Milne, Scotland.

Eighth Battalion.
Previously reported missing now officially prisoner at Giessen: Charles Victor Combe, England.

Previously reported missing, now according to German list dead, no particulars given: Frederick Waterhouse, (formerly 11th), Ireland.

Thirteenth Battalion.
Previously reported missing, now according to German list prisoner: Albert Edward Cheval, No. 33 St. George street, Montreal.

Fourteenth Battalion.
Killed in action August 2nd: August (Suberville), France.

Fifteenth Battalion.
Wounded: William Edward Hilleche, (formerly remount depot, Pleasant Harbor, Halifax County, N. S., (wounded in left arm and hip).

Previously reported missing, now unofficially prisoner at Giessen: John Robertson, Scotland.

Suffering from shock July 31st: Christopher B. Coates, England.

Forty-First Battalion.
Previously reported missing, now unofficially prisoner at Giessen: William Scott, South Wales.

Princess Patricia's.
Missing May 8th: Arthur Paxton, (formerly 28th), Scotland.

Wounded and missing May 8th: Daniel Scott, Ireland.

Previously reported missing, now unofficially prisoner at Giessen: William Scott, South Wales.

Lord Strathcona Horse.
Wounded: Robert G. Watson, Creemore Post Office, Ont., (gunshot in head).

Lance-Corp. William Carmichael Aynsley, Nicola, B. C., (gunshot in foot).

Third Field Artillery Brigade.
Wounded: Gunner William Falias, England.

Riches either serve or govern the possessor.—Horace.

SIR JOHN SIMON WON FAME EARLY

BRITISH HOME SECRETARY IS
THE BABY OF THE CABINET.

Hardly any barrister in Great Britain has attained such a high distinction at so early an age as Sir John Simon, the Home Secretary, in the new British Cabinet, who had represented the Crown in most of the sensational cases tried at the Old Bailey, and who, at the age of forty-one is Home Secretary in the British Coalition Government.

When he was appointed Solicitor-General, in 1910, Sir John was only thirty-seven years of age, and such was his reputation in the legal world that at that time he held retainers from almost every railway company in the country—a unique record.

Three years later he stepped into the place of Attorney-General, and thus became head of the English Bar, a proud position won, in the way Englishmen like to see honors won, by sheer ability and hard work; for Sir John Simon is the son of a Congregational minister, and owes nothing to birth and influence.

Sir John, however, holds a somewhat humorous view of his profession, judging by the remarks he made when entertained a few months ago by the Manchester Law Students' Society.

Although, on account of his taciturnity, Sir John has often been referred to by his friends as "Silent Simon," the description only partly fits, for when the use of the tongue is necessary, Sir John can use it with wonderful effect.

He was induced, too, one occasion, to recall some reminiscence of his youthful days. "My first political recollection," he remarked, "is of something that occurred—I think it was in 1878—when I was a very small boy going to a dame's school at Moss Side, Manchester. I remember well going out of the gate of the little house where my father lived then, and as I went out, carrying my satchel to school, one of his friends came running down the street waving a newspaper, and shouting something to my father. I think it was about one of the first speeches Mr. Gladstone made in the early days of his Midlothian campaign, and I heard my mother calling me back because I was wearing a blue tie. I can see her little figure running upstairs and running down again with a red ribbon, which she tied around my neck."

In the House there is no more popular man than Sir John Simon. He enjoys the liking of both sides in politics which is not always possible to a politician of such keen intellect



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and high debating powers as himself. He has never been known to lose his temper, and the fact that in one great trial in which he appeared the jury after five days were as closely interested in the details of the case as they were in the opening day was striking testimony to his power of holding attention.

DOG MOURNS FOR WILDING.

To the list of strange pets kept by British soldiers in the trenches must now be added the favorite dog, Sammy, of A. F. Wilding, the tennis player. Wilding's friends in London, knew the little Irish terrier well, for it was the inseparable companion of the great tennis player.

Wilding, it seems, was killed in his dugout, buried alive by a "Jack Johnson," which pitched into the trench in which he was on duty. The London correspondent of the Nottingham Guardian says that a private letter from the front mentions that Sammy went about the trenches whining for Wilding long after the worst was known. The dog will be well looked after, for the soldiers love these pets of the trenches.

CHICAGO UNIVERSITY WON.

San Francisco, Aug. 9.—The one mile relay championship of the Amateur Athletic Union at the Panama-Pacific Exposition, was won today by the University of Chicago. Second, Boston Athletic Association. Third, Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce. Time, 3:28 3-5.

Four-men teams competed.

IN ONE LESSON.

He—Your sister said she couldn't dance.
She—Well, can she?
"Yes," I made her. We hadn't been on the floor a minute when I stepped on her foot. You just ought to have seen her."—Yonkers Statesman.

ONTARIO LEADS IN GOLD OUTPUT

IN THIS PRODUCTION SHE IS
AHEAD OF THE OTHER
PROVINCES.

In the report of the Bureau of Mines for Ontario for the year ended October 31st last the interesting fact is brought out that among the provinces of Canada, including the Yukon Territory, Ontario today has the largest gold output. In gold figures it means that Ontario produced in gold last year \$5,529,767; British Columbia, \$5,177,343; Yukon Territory, \$5,125,396. The margin of lead is small, but it is pleasing when one recalls the celebrated Klondike rush of the late nineties.

The report itself presents a carefully prepared statistical review of mining development in Ontario from the year 1891, when the Bureau was established. In a little over twenty years the mineral output has increased from \$4,705,673 to \$53,232,311 in 1913, which is the record so far, while for 1914 the value of the mineral output was \$46,295,959. About 1901 the phenomenal growth started, when the mines produced metals to the value of \$11,831,086, and in 1906 the total reached \$22,388,383.

In 1891 only fifteen mineral substances were produced in the Province; today there are thirty-two. While the Cobalt camp is thought to have passed its zenith (climatic is the word the metallurgists use), Porcupine has become an established camp of the low-grade type with the result in gold above noted.

According to the officials of the Department, the mining industry of Ontario seems to have stood the strain of the war well. While the production in 1914 fell off \$6,936,352 from that of the previous year, that was largely due to the decline of the Cobalt camp, although a few mines actually shut down when the price of silver fell. The total metallic production last year was \$33,345,291, and non-metallic \$12,950,291, making a total of \$46,295,959. Of this amount \$15,284,701 was distributed in wages to some 20,530 employees.

After a year's trial the law providing an eight-hour day for underground miners has proved satisfactory, and the Minister of Mines, Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, looks to the future with great confidence.

MIMICKING DEATH.

Sarah Bernhardt's fondness for playing death scenes (you remember her habit of sleeping in a coffin), made her an object of terror to the ex-Sultan Abdul Hamid. When the great actress visited Constantinople years ago Abdul refused absolutely to see her or witness her playing, declaring that he had no wish to come in contact with a woman who could mimic death to such perfection.—London Chronicle.

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RACING AT ERIE.

Races Are Run Over a Slow Track.

Port Erie, Ont., Aug. 9.—Rains of yesterday left the course in a muddy condition, and the races were run over a slow track today. Scratches were numerous on this account. The card was an ordinary one.

Summary.

First race, maiden, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Margery, 96, Hirst, 18.70, \$8.20, \$5.00, won; Mame W., 96, Morys, \$8.60, \$5.40, second; Uncle Will, 104, Acton, \$6.80, third. Time, 1:04 3-5. McLeland, Galeswinthe, Bernin, Pride of Greenway, Semper Stalwart also ran.

Second race, handicap, 3-year-olds and up, foaled in Canada, 6 furlongs—Slipper Day, 118, Smyth, \$4.00, \$2.40, won; Marion Gaiety, 96, Acton, \$6.80, \$2.60, second; Moss Fox, 115, Gold-

stein, \$2.20, third. Time, 1:17. Dark Rosaleen, Lady Curzon, Prince Plis-thorpe also ran. *Coupled.

Third race, 2-year-olds, 5 1-2 furlongs—Port Light, 110, Goldstein, \$3.80, \$3.00, \$2.60, won; Tar Brush, 113, Copper, \$4.80, \$5.30, second; Milestone, 110, Warrington, \$3.10, third. Time, 1:11 3-5. Beauty Shop, Boneros, First, Lucky R., Prohibition also ran.

Fourth race, handicap, three-year-olds and up, one mile—Recoil, 96, Claver, \$8.70, \$3.60, \$3.10, won; Pardon, 102, Shuttinger, \$4.20, \$3.10, second; Black Broom, 104, Cooper, \$3.70, third. Time, 1:45 1-5. The Widow Moon and Dr. Larrick also ran.

Fifth race, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 5 1-2 furlongs—Commensia, 100, McDermott, \$11.60, \$3.30, \$2.40, won; Yorkville, 108, Cooper, \$2.30, second; Zin Del, 96, Hayes, \$2.40, third. Time, 1:09 1-5. Colors, Doctor D., North-

ern Light, King K. also ran.

Sixth race, selling, 3-year-olds and up, 1 1-16 miles—Zodiac, 102, Cooper, \$9.20, \$3.10, \$2.40, won; Strathearn, 102, McDermott, \$2.80, \$2.30, second; Abbottford, 107, Smyth, \$2.50, third. Time, 1:54. Sherlock Holmes, Runway, Weyanoke also ran.

Seventh race, selling, 3-year-olds and up, 1 1-16 miles—Elitaway, 105, Mott, \$4.60, \$3.00, \$2.90, won; Harry Lauder, 107, McDermott, \$4.00, \$3.60, second; African Beau, 104, Schilling, \$7.20, third. Time, 1:53 4-5. Mabel Montgomery, Subject, Louise Travers, Wild Horse also ran.

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Increase over 1913. \$4,613,309 36
INCOME.
Cash Income from Premiums, Interest, Rents, etc. in 1914 15,052,275 24
Increase over 1913. 1,055,873 60
SURPLUS.
Surplus earned 1,676,298 34
Of which there was:
Distributed to Policyholders entitled to participate in 1914. 851,762 65
Paid as Dividends to Shareholders 37,500 00
Added to undistributed Profits 777,035 69
Total Surplus 31st December, 1914, over all liabilities and Capital 6,503,793 80
PAYMENTS TO POLICYHOLDERS.
Death Claims, Matured Endowments, Profits, etc., during 1914 6,161,287 09
Payments to Policyholders since organization \$45,546,575 00
ASSURANCES ISSUED IN CANADA.
Assurances issued and paid for in cash during 1914. 15,983,429 89
TOTAL ASSURANCES ISSUED.
Assurances issued and paid for in cash during 1914. 32,167,339 04
BUSINESS IN FORCE.
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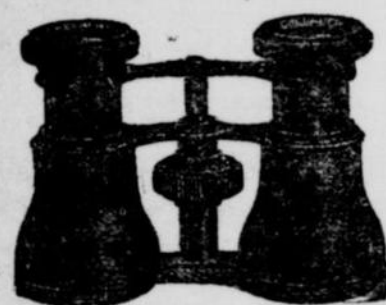
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The Allan Liner R.M.S. Pretorian, Captain William P. Hains, passed Fame Point at two o'clock yesterday afternoon inward bound and is due to arrive here about five o'clock this afternoon.

The Pretorian is carrying 104 cabin and 165 third-class passengers as well as mails and general cargo. After landing her passengers, mails and Quebec cargo she will proceed to Montreal.

NOTES.

The steam barge Acadia, with a cargo of coal, arrived here from Sydney yesterday afternoon and moored in the Basin.

The steamer Duendes and the collier Lingan passed here yesterday afternoon en route for Montreal.

The steam barge Henry B. Hall arrived down yesterday afternoon loaded with coal and moored in the Basin.

The steam barge Donacanna passed out light yesterday, bound for Sydney.

WHAT THE BRITISH**NAVY IS DOING.**

Montreal, Aug. 9.—Until the British Admiralty makes a statement as to the effect of her operations at sea against German submarines, there can be no definite conception as to how successful this warfare has been. One often finds pessimism among persons who pass the greater part of their lives on shore, as to the headway being made by Great Britain against them, but among seamen, including captains, officers and crews of various vessels coming to this port, there is evidenced an incurable optimism on the subject. It is not only their confidence in the navy as an incomparable engine for keeping the seaways clear for British trade and British bottoms, but it is because all of these men come in close touch in Great Britain with what is actually doing, because of their acquaintanceships among naval men, fishermen, pilots and others. They know what is never allowed to get into print, and tales of sunken submarines are told among those admitted to the freemasonry of the seas, which stir the blood of any who hear them.

A press representative, who asked various captains now in the port yesterday if they knew of actual instances, had heard of many British submarine successes which had never been chronicled in the press. Some captains had heard independently of the same submarine, and others told new stories altogether with circumstances and detail. What strikes one in learning of these successes are the various devices used to accomplish the ends sought. Just what submarines can do and what they must do to get any effective work done are, of course, as well known to the British Admiralty as to Von Tirpitz's department, and, some think, better known, because of that knowledge, attempts are not made to catch submarines in one way, or several ways, but in hundreds of ways, and it is the opinion of many of the captains that before another year of war has passed, German submarines will have their claws cut to the extent that their only safe method of attack will be by means of the explosive torpedo. As it is, British seamanship has caused them to waste many torpedoes. That is why they have fallen back on the shell, for two hundred or even three hundred shells would not cost as much as one torpedo.

SIGNAL SERVICE REPORT.

Quebec, August 9, 1915.

Cape Salmon, 81: Foggy, raining, west. In 2.55 p.m. Mohachfield; 10 a.m., steamer. Out 11 a.m. S. B. Carleton; Rugee and Compton at St. Simeon wharf.

Father Point, 157: Foggy northeast. In 11 a.m. Pontiac; 10 a.m., Hochelaga.

Cape Chate, 234: Foggy, calm. In 9.30 a.m. Rio Sorocaba.

Fame Point, 325: Clear, southeast. In 2 p.m., Pretorian.

Natashquan: Cascadepia left 10 p.m. yesterday for south shore.

Heath Point, 438: Cloudy, south.

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Aug. 5—Saxonia, N.Y., Liverpool and Glasgow.

10—Ryndam, N.Y., Falmouth and Rotterdam.

11—Lapland, N.Y., Liverpool and Glasgow.

12—Canopic, N.Y., Mediterranean.

13—St. Paul, N.Y., Liverpool and Glasgow.

14—Hesperian, Quebec, Liverpool and Glasgow.

15—Sicilian, N.Y., Liverpool and Glasgow.

16—Pretorian, N.Y., Liverpool and Glasgow.

17—Cymric, N.Y., Liverpool and Glasgow.

18—Tuscanian, N.Y., Liverpool and Glasgow.

19—Scandinavian, N.Y., Liverpool and Glasgow.

20—Philadelphia, N.Y., Liverpool and Glasgow.

east. In 10.15 a.m., Fremona 55 miles north.

Flat Point, 575: Foggy, east. In yesterday 12.30 p.m., Storstad; 5.30 p.m., Keyvive. Out yesterday 1.30 a.m., Lord Strathcona; 6.30 a.m., Parthenia. In Saturday 8.30 a.m., Royal Transport and Empress of Midland; 10.30 a.m., Sygna; 12.30 p.m., D. A. Gordon; 6 p.m., Acadia; 8 p.m., McKinstry. Out Saturday 10.30 a.m., Dundee; 5 p.m., Hochelaga; 8.30 p.m., Louisbourg and Coban.

Dalhousie: Syvst Jernen arrived 8 a.m.

Montreal to Quebec.

Longue Pointe, 134: Cloudy, northeast. In 9.10 a.m., Saguenay; 10.30 a.m., Tagona.

Portneuf, 31: Cloudy, northeast. Out 2.25 p.m., Sen. Derbyshire.

West of Montreal.

Cornwall, 62: Cloudy, calm. Advance, 1.40 p.m.

Galops Canal, 99: Lehigh bound east 8.45 a.m., Spalding 9.15 a.m.; Malton, 11.15 a.m.; Keybell, 12.45 p.m.; Dorothy bound west, 10.30 a.m.

Dalhousie: Cloudy, southwest. Keefe, 11.55 a.m.

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Tuesday	10	5.44	6.14
Wednesday	11	6.20	6.46
Thursday	12	6.54	7.17
Friday	13	7.27	7.49
Saturday	14	8.01	8.22
Sunday	15	8.38	8.57

Moon Phases.

New Moon, August, 10th., 5.52 p.m.

HOW GERMANY**IMPORTS MUNITIONS.**

In view of the notes now being exchanged between Great Britain and the United States with reference to the cruiser blockade of German ports it is interesting to read the article prepared by Frederick Boyd Stevenson for the Brooklyn Eagle, in which he shows that Germany has been importing more munitions than the Allies, despite the fact that Britain rules the waves, and that Germany cannot export directly a dollar's worth of goods to the United States. When Britain declared her blockade of German ports by means of a cruiser cordon there were complaints by Germany that the blockade was not effective. Simultaneously there were complaints to the effect that the rights of neutral trading powers were being infringed upon. The notes of Sir Edward Grey are supposed to cover these points.

Make Cotton Contraband.

Without attempting to enter into the legal aspects of the case, it may be asserted, upon the authority of the Eagle, that Germany is receiving more contraband munitions than is Great Britain. To the authority of the Brooklyn paper may be added the official statistics of the United States Government. Britain gets the shells. Germany gets the stuff that makes the shells. This stuff is cotton, which is necessary for the manufacture of gun cotton. It is said that Britain now contemplates making cotton contraband of war, and thus subject to seizure by the first British ship that overhauls a cargo from the United States. The British Empire offers to buy all the cotton that can be exported from the United States, but, though the American cotton growers eighteen months ago would have been willing to take what was offered for their crop, they now insist upon all the profits that war might bring. They contend, therefore, that their product shall be sold in the highest market; that Britain and Germany shall bid for it in the markets of the world, and that the highest bidder shall secure it.

Cotton as an Explosive.

According to the Brooklyn Eagle, Germany has imported more munitions of war in the past year than have the Allied powers. While Great Britain has bought shells, Germany has bought the material which makes shells. The only difference is that Britain, through her command of the seas, is able to order direct from the American manufacturer, and guarantee delivery, and Germany is obliged to buy through Holland or Sweden, or some other neutral. The neutral traders make a great profit upon their dealings with Germany, just as the American manufacturers make a great profit on their dealings with Great Britain. No distinction ought to be made between them. Holland and the United States are out for the money. They are making a greater profit by the war than any belligerent or any other neutrals. It does not matter to either of them whether Germany prospers or the Allies. It may matter to their countries, but to the individual manufacturer it does not matter at all. Their only consideration is the profit.

King Cotton.

So far as Holland and the United States are concerned, "Cotton is King." As we all know, cotton is the raw material from which 35 to 50 per cent. of the explosives are made.

Britain Should Buy Crop.

Britain has been buying shells in the United States, while Germany has been buying cotton, and cotton is the essential element of shells. Twice as much cotton has been sold to Germany in the past year as finished shells to the Allies. In other words, despite British control of the seas, Germany has been able to prolong the war by purchasing the raw materials with which she makes war, while she has protested that the United States ought not to sell these materials to her enemy. The British Government ought to make cotton contraband of war. The British Government could afford to buy the surplus cotton crop of the United States, and thus silence American

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COMMERCIAL NEWS

NEW YORK MARKET.

(Canadian Press).

New York, Aug. 9.—The demand for industrial stocks again determined the character of the market today. In the early transactions the course of prices was uncertain. A few specialties rose buoyantly but in other quarters restraint was imposed by realizing sales. The disposition to take profits was apparent throughout, but interest in the war shares was unflagging. Their sustained strength removed the chief source of doubt as to the conduct of the market and prepared the ground for a general advance. During the afternoon railroads as well as industrials responded to broad buying movements, which continued to the close. Last quotations were on a substantially higher basis. Total sales were six hundred and ninety-five thousand shares.

Steel issues again were the favorites. United States Steel was trading in heavily and touched a new high mark for the movement at 74 3/4. Among the war stocks advances in some cases were from 5 to 10 points. Motor, Tobacco and Petroleum shares developed pronounced strength. These high records were established: General Motors, 219, a rise of 15 points; Westinghouse Electric, 114 3/4 up 2-3-8; United States Industrial Alcohol, 71 3/4, up 4.

The report that war contracts amounting to more than \$200,000,000 were to be let was used to keep up the bullish interest in the war order group. Steel trade advices were optimistic. The demand is well sustained, on the part of both domestic and foreign consumers, and inquiries for railway equipment are broadening. The crop report reacted favorably on railroad shares, being better in some particulars than was expected.

Heaviness appeared in Canadian Pacific. News of the declaration of the regular dividend was not received from Montreal until after the close.

There was an unusual break in exchange rates. Exchange on London declined to 47 1/2-1, a new low record for the war period. Exchange on Paris also reached a low record at 574.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, \$2,900,000.

United States and Panama bonds advanced quarter to half on call.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

By private wire to Bruneau & Dupuis, Stock Brokers, 11, 13 and 15 Sault-au-Matlot Street, Tel. 1596.

Open High Low Close

Crucible	90	91 1/2	87 1/2	89 1/2
Am Beet Sug	55 1/2	55 1/2	54 1/2	55
Am Can Cdn	59 1/2	60 1/2	58 1/2	59
Am Car Fdy	62	63 1/2	61 1/2	62 1/2
Am Ice	24	24	23	24
Am Loco	53	55 1/2	53	54 1/2
Am S & R	80 1/2	83 1/2	80 1/2	83
Am Sug Ref	109	109	108	109
Am T & T	122 1/2	122 1/2	121 1/2	122
Ana Cop	68 1/2	69 1/2	68	68 1/2
Atchafalpa	101 1/2	102 1/2	101 1/2	102 1/2
Balt & Ohio	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Beth Steel	300	300	292	295
B R T	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Cal Petrol	15 1/2	18	15 1/2	17 1/2
C P R	149	149 1/2	147 1/2	148
Cent Leather	43 1/2	43 1/2	43	43 1/2
Ches & Ohio	42 1/2	42 1/2	42	42
Colo F & L	41 1/2	41 1/2	40 1/2	41
Erie	27	27 1/2	26 1/2	27
do 1st pfd	41 1/2	42	41 1/2	42
Gas "Con"	128 1/2	128 1/2	128	128
Gr Nor pfd	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
G N Ore	41 1/2	42	41	41 1/2
Inter Met	20 1/2	20 1/2	20	20 1/2
Lehigh Val	146 1/2	146 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2
Missouri Pac	27 1/2	27 1/2	27	27 1/2
Nat'l Lead	65 1/2	67 1/2	65	67 1/2
Nevada Cons	15	15	14 1/2	15
New Haven	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
N Y Central	90	90 1/2	89 1/2	90 1/2
Nor & West	106 1/2	106 1/2	106	106 1/2
North Pac	107 1/2	108	107	108
Penna	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Press Stl Car	59 1/2	64	58 1/2	63 1/2
Reading	151 1/2	151 1/2	150 1/2	151 1/2
Rep I & S	44 1/2	44 1/2	43 1/2	44 1/2
Rubber	48	48	47 1/2	47 1/2
St Paul	83 1/2	83 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2
South Pac	88 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
South Ry	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
do pfd	47	47	46 1/2	47
Third Ave	51 1/2	52	51 1/2	52
Utah Cop	66 1/2	67	66	66 1/2
Union Pac	130 1/2	131 1/2	130 1/2	131 1/2
U S Steel	73 1/2	74 1/2	72 1/2	74 1/2
do pfd	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Vir C C Co	35	35	34 1/2	35
Westinghouse	114 1/2	114 1/2	114	114 1/2
West Union	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2

COTTON MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 9.—Cotton futures closed steady. Closing bids: Aug. 9.08c; Oct. 9.42c; Dec. 9.71c; Jan. 9.82c; Mar. 10.04c. Spot closed quiet. Middling uplands, 9.45c. Sales, 400 bales.

Liverpool.—Cotton, spot in good demand; business moderate. Prices easier. American middling, fair, 6.33d; good middling, 5.77d; middling, 5.47d; low middling, 5.01d; good ordinary, 4.61d; ordinary, 4.31d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export, and included 8,400 American. Receipts were 4,000 bales. Futures closed easy.

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New York, August, 9, 1915.—The market today has been broader and more satisfactory than for sometime past and less devoted to wild trading in some specialty favored industrial. Steel has been conspicuously strong and it is recognized that in the evident broadening of the steel trade this company must come in for a large share of prosperity.

It is a good thing to see a standard stock of this kind become once more a public favorite.

Stocks like pressed steel and Mexican petroleum have also been decidedly strong, the former on the large volume of business being handled by the company and the latter because of the prospect of straightening out of affairs in Mexico.

The market as a whole evinces an increasing public confidence that prosperity on a broad scale is rapidly developing in the country.

The government crop report today shows excellent figures and was another influence to strengthen optimistic sentiment.

Total Sales Stocks, 692,336.

Bonds \$2,928,000.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Sales (Monday Afternoon).

(From Breen & Gourdeau).

Steamships	2at 10, 25, 25, 25, 25, 25, 50 at 10 1/2, 25 at 11, 10 at 10 1/2, 75 at 11.
Shawinigan	5, 10 at 112.
General Electric	25 at 107, 60 at 106 1/2, 25 at 107, 15 at 106 1/2.
Dominion Bridge	95 at 140, 25, 25 at 140 1/2, 25 at 140 1/2, 100 at 141, 25, 25 at 140 1/2, 75, 25, 25, 10, 25, 25 at 141, 5 at 140, 30, 15 at 141.
Scotia Steel	25, 25, 50, 50, 50 at 86 1/2, 10 at 86 1/2, 5 at 86 1/2, 50, 25, 25 at 86 1/2, 25 at 87, 35 at 86 1/2, 65, 25 at 87.
Ames	45, 5 at 15 1/2, 5 at 15 1/2, 25 at 15 1/2, 15 at 16.
Canada Car	50, 20 at 106, 25 at 107.
Locomotive	25 at 52.
Lake of the Woods	1 at 135.
Lyall	5 at 28, 40, 15, 25, 3, 3 at 28, 50 at 29, 25 at 29 1/2.
Steel Corporation	100, 5, 40, 25, 115, 50, 50, 50, 25, 15, 10, 100, 25 at 40, 10 at 40 1/2, 25 at 40, 50 at 40, 25, 25, 25 at 40.
Steel Company of Canada	25, 50, 50, 75, 50, 100, 5 at 34 1/2, 50, 50, 25, 25, 25, 25, 100 at 34 1/2, 100 at 34 1/2, 50, 50, 50 at 34 1/2, 25, 25, 25, 25, 10 at 34 1/2, 10 at 34 1/2, 25, 25, 25, 25 at 34, 50 at 34 1/2, 50, 25 at 34.
Ames pfd	5, 15, 5, 5, 5 at 55.
Cottons pfd	3 at 71.
Dominion Iron pfd	3 at 95.
Dominion Textile pfd	15 at 101.
Steel Company of Canada pfd	10 at 82, 100 at 82, sellers 20 days.
Dominion Iron Bonds	\$10,000 at 87 1/2.

NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, Aug. 9.—Turpentine firm, 39 1/2; sales, 259; receipts, 206; shipments, 4,492; stocks, 21,198.

Rosin, firm; sales, 939; receipts, 90; shipments, 4,610; stocks, 580,028.

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CLOSING MARKET LETTERS.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Wheat.—Although because the southwest received more rain than was wanted over Sunday and their markets were consequently higher, both on that account and further unsettled weather was forecasted, our market tended to follow the northwest which was depressed on account of improved crop conditions and satisfactory weather. The trade was inclined to caution, awaiting appearance of the Government report.

Corn.—Favorable weather and material increase in local receipts caused a rush of selling early in the day. Commission houses have, however, been fair buyers on resting orders and at the early decline the market held firm. Those who have seen the crop in the surplus states, believe that the Government figures over-estimate the improvement and that the yield at harvest will be considerably lower than estimated today.

Oats were very easy early in the day because improved weather permitted the resumption of threshing with a consequent prospect of a larger movement. A reduction in the condition of crop since July 1st of 2.3 is believed by those who have been in close touch with conditions in the country to be too small and the amount of damage done by recent storms and high water.

Grain quotations today were as follows:

Wheat: Open. High. Low. Close.

Sept ... 107 1/2 107 1/2 106 1/2 106 1/2

Dec ... 108 1/2 108 1/2 106 1/2 107 1/2 asked

Corn:

Sept ... 74 1/2 74 1/2 73 1/2 74 1/2 bid

Dec ... 63 1/2 63 1/2 63 1/2 63 1/2 bid

Oats:

Sept ... 39 1/2 39 1/2 38 1/2 38 1/2

Dec ... 39 1/2 40 39 1/2 39 1/2

New York, Aug. 9.—The stock market was strong today although trading was in considerably reduced volume compared with recent sessions. The war stocks continue to command a prominent place among these issues, some of which scored further advances. Crucible Steel, for example, which opened with an over-holiday gain of 2 1/2 points, added an additional advance of 3 1/2 points, although realizing sales resulted in the loss of about two points from the high at the close of business. There was little or no snap to the market, at any time during the entire session, this being due in part to the inclination to await announcement of dividend action by the Canadian Pacific Railway directors today and publication of the United States Steel Corporation unfilled steel tonnage figures due tomorrow. Final sales were all higher, and the tone to the general market denoted underlying strength.

Sales: Stocks, 692,336; bonds, \$2,928,000.

THE TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto — Quotations are as follows:—

Wheat, Ontario No. 2 winter, \$1.10 outside, according to location. Manitoba, No. 1, north, \$1.39 1/2; No. 2, north, \$1.37 1/2; No. 3, north, \$1.33 1/2.

Oats — Canada western, No. 2, 63c

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A HUNDRED YEARS AGO TODAY

The Rebel Chief.

At this time thirty years ago, the
late of Louis Riel, the chief rebel in
our Northwest, and whose trial and
sentence at Regina has created so
much newspaper controversy and who
it has been stated renounced the
Catholic religion for some other form
of his own. We are now informed
that he still preserves a tranquil be-
haviour, and occupies his time in al-
ternately writing and praying. We
are also informed that

Riel Recants.

This information reaches us from
Winnipeg to the effect that he has
retracted his declarations against the
Church of Rome, which he made dur-
ing the course of the rebellion, and
has once more submitted himself to
its authority. He signed a written
retraction, which Rev. Father Fortier
of St. Boniface Cathedral brought
down with him to Regina yesterday,
a more formal and lengthy retraction,
which he is to submit to the Rev.
Father Tourmond, of St. Antoine.

Le Chien d'Or.

It is an everyday question with
strangers in Quebec: What is the
meaning of the legend of the Golden
Dog.
Sir James Lemoine in these col-
umns thirty years ago says: "Capt.
Knox on entering the city after the
capitulation on the 18th September,
took a note of this yet unexplained
inscription, and inserted it in full in
his journal of the siege. Knox calls it
the "mysterious inscription."

SUPERSTITION NOW

A GERMAN ALLY

It is said that among the schemes
by which Germany is trying to weak-
en the strength of the Allies is that
of circulating among the superstitious
population of Italy the rumor that
her leaders are possessed of "the evil
eye." The King himself, General Can-
dorna, General Caneva, General d'An-
tonio and Premier Salandra are said
to be thus accursed. It is not plain
that this conspiracy has had any dis-
astrous effects upon the Italian cam-
paign, but, knowing the character of
the Italian people, and being aware
that in the past superstition has played
a great part in Italian affairs, and
in even recent years has threatened to
wreck Governments, Germany has
thought it wise not to neglect the
chance of making trouble in Italy.

Theory of the Evil Eye.

Writing in the New York Sun, F.
Cunliffe Owen, who appears to have
acquired a notable stock of lore upon
the subject of the evil eye, explains
that when once the suspicion of hav-
ing this affliction is fastened upon a
man it is impossible for him to clear
himself. It is by no means necessary
that he should be a malignant per-
son or possess an eye of sinister or
even peculiar appearance. He may,
indeed, be a most benevolent person
who would not for the world cause
harm to anyone else. Yet if he has
the evil eye disaster will follow him
and prayers will not avail. This be-
lief on the part of those who are
superstitious fits in well with the Ger-
man campaign, for it would be ab-
surd to ask the most ignorant of
Italian peasants to believe that his
King, the Premier of his country, and
the leading Italian generals would de-
signedly bring disaster upon Italy.
The German agents insinuate, how-
ever, that the curse of the evil eye
having descended upon them, they
are powerful to avert its results.

How to Avoid the Curse.

The evil eye superstition is thou-
sands of years old, and some refer-
ence to it is to be found in the Old
Testament. Those who cling to it be-
lieve that one having the evil eye will
bring misfortune upon anyone upon
whom he glances for even a moment.
It is said that even to this day in
Italy the streets will instantly clear
if the rumor spreads that the pos-
sessor of an evil eye is approaching.
People rush into side streets, up al-
leys, into stores and buildings, and if
they can escape by no other means
will cover their faces with their
hands to avoid the glance that is be-
lieved to be more deadly than a pes-
tilence there are, of course, charms
that are supposed to neutralize the
powers of an evil eye, such, for in-
stance, as a little piece of coral
shaped like a fork. If one happens
to be without the coral he can im-

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Girl (tearfully): "I've let five go. I
suppose you'll have to have the sixth!"
A grocer was sanding his sugar
the other day with his errand boy's
help.
The errand boy, lifting a scoopful
of sand, asked:
"The usual proportion, sir?"
"No, Joseph, of course not," the boss
replied sternly.
"The usual proportion in days like
these? Joseph, Joseph, where's your
patriotism?"
Then he sighed and added:
"Only half the usual proportion of
sand, Joseph—only half the usual
proportion, as long as our gallant
troops at the front have such need
of sand bags."
"This is certainly a modern cook-
book in every way."
"How so?"
"It says: After mixing your bread,
you can watch two reels at the 'pic-
tures' before putting it in the oven."

Some girls this news with fear may
fill.
But will they be so harsh
As say, "You kiss me not until
You've swatted your moustache?"

Nearly Upset a Government.

In quite recent years, says Mr.
Owen, the late Marquis Maurigi, a
member of the Italian Chamber of
Deputies was accredited with the
evil eye, and on one occasion when
he made a motion to effect some
minor changes in the system of mili-
tary promotion, which were opposed
by the Minister of War, so fearful
were the deputies of coming under
his baleful gaze that they deserted
the Government and supported the
Marquis. This so exasperated the
Minister of War that he resigned.
The other members of the Cabinet
wished to follow suit, and were only
dissuaded by King Humbert, who
convinced them of the trifling char-
acter of the hostile vote, and assured
them that they had on the whole the
support of the Chamber and the con-
fidence of their sovereign. In the
midst of the debate precipitated by
the Marquis' motion a speaker made
some sarcastic remarks about the
superstition of the evil eye, and com-
cluded by exclaiming, "A pest upon
those malignant influences which are
exercised to the detriment of our
country."

Not Confined to Italy.

Immediately about three-quarters
of the deputies arose, horror-stricken,
from their seats, and bolted for the
doors, fearing that the Maurigi evil
eye would blast the whole assembly.
When Italian representatives are thus
superstitious it is not to be wondered
at that the ignorant peasants remain
in the bondage of their mediaeval de-
lusions. Thus, the peasants of Mes-
sina believe that the earthquake there
was due to the evil eye possessed by
Mendi, the great Sicilian land-owner,
who is the ground landlord of a con-
siderable portion of the city. In other
countries than Italy is a belief in the
evil eye a popular superstition. It
crops out among the peasantry of
Spain, of France and of Germany,
but among the Italian peasantry it is
almost universal.
—Mail and Empire.

THE DEVIL IN FLANDERS.

In a letter just received by Hon.
T. W. McGarry, Provincial Treasur-
er, from Dr. A. E. Ross, M.P.P., for
Kingston, who is serving with the
1st Canadian Field Ambulance in
France, the situation in Flanders is
not one that excites envy. "If
there is a devil, he is now sitting on
the highest pinnacle laughing at his
work," writes the doctor, describ-
ing his experience in some recent
engagements. He applauds the gift
of a motor ambulance by Renfrew
county. "There is no better work
to be done than getting the sick and
wounded out of the firing line." He
emphasizes the need for field ambu-
lances and says that 900 sick and
wounded passed through his hospital
in one day at the battle of Ypres.

The Use of Soap

Spoils the Hair

Soap should be used very sparingly
if at all, if you want to keep your hair
looking its best. Most soaps and pre-
pared shampoos contain too much al-
kali. This dries the scalp, makes the
hair brittle, and ruins it.
The best thing for steady use is just
ordinary mulsified coconut oil (which
is pure and greaseless), and is better
than soap or anything else you can
use.
One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse
the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply
moisten the hair with water and rub it
in. It makes an abundance of rich,
creamy lather, which rinses out easily,
removing every particle of dust, dirt,
dandruff and excessive oil. The hair
dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves
the scalp soft, and the hair fine and
silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy
to manage.
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