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HALF OF $100,000,000 WAR LOAN TO AID THE IMPERIAL CREDIT

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All Subscriptions Up to Fifty Thousand Dollars Accepted in Full.

FIFTY MILLIONS CREDIT

Imperial Treasury's Purchases of Munitions Will Be Materially Aided.

By a Staff reporter.

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 3.—Of the $110,000,000 subscribed for Canada's fifty million dollar war loan the government will accept $100,000,000 and of this amount $50,000,000 will be employed to establish a credit with the finance department for the imperial treasury to be available during the next few months for the purchase in Canada of shells, munitions and other supplies. Such a credit will not only give relief to the sterling exchange situation, but will materially assist in financing the orders already placed and procure the placing of further orders in Canada by the imperial government.

Hon. W. T. White stated today that all subscriptions of $50,000 and under will be accepted in full; subscribers other than the chartered banks will be allotted their subscriptions in full, but will be allowed to withdraw or reduce their subscriptions; and the chartered banks which offered $25,000,000 will be allowed to take such portions as they desire, but the total issue will not be allowed to go over one hundred millions.

Fair Treatment For All.

The following official statement was made by the finance minister:

"The question of the allotment of the war loan has been under careful consideration by the minister of finance. From the returns received to date it is clear that if in accordance with the announced intention of the government the subscribers for moderate amounts are favored and the issue confined to fifty million dollars, only a small fraction of the whole

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SERBIA SOON TO HAVE ANOTHER LARGE ARMY

Two Hundred Thousand Men Will Attack Enemy in Flank.

ROME, Dec. 3.—The Giornale d'Italia today prints an interview with M. Ristitch, Serbian minister to Italy, concerning a rumor that Serbia might capitulate. The minister is quoted as follows:

"I absolutely deny that there will be any capitulation, this word being unknown in Serbia. There the people either win or lie. The Serbian people and government are irrevocably determined to fight to the bitter end next to their allies. Serbia will be loyal to her last man. In a short time Serbia will have a fresh army of 200,000 men, full of enthusiasm to throw on the flank of the enemy. She only needs supplies of arms and ammunition."

CANADIAN LUMBERMEN ARE ARRESTED IN U.S.

Violation of Federal Contract Labor Law is Alleged.

COLEBROOK, N.H., Dec. 3.—Twelve lumbermen, all French-Canadians, who have been cutting timber for contractors employed by the Connecticut River Lumber Company, were arrested today by United States Marshal Charles J. O'Neill, for alleged violation of the federal contract labor law.

According to federal officials the American Realty Company of Portland, Me., contracted last spring with the Connecticut River Lumber Company, which owns timberland in this section for 75,000 cords of wood pulp. The lumber company let out the work to a number of contractors, and it is alleged that Canadian lumbermen crossed the border and assisted in the operations.

GUELPH'S NEW CAMPAIGN.

Special to The Toronto World.

GUELPH, Dec. 3.—It has been decided to inaugurate on January 18 a campaign in this city for at least $50,000 for the Canadian Patriotic Fund. Of this sum the city council will be asked for $20,000, and as much after the other $30,000 will be raised as possible.

There are two hundred families in Guelph on the fund, entailing an outlay of $3000 per month.

SERBS MOVE CLOSE TO GREEK FRONTIER

Object is to Keep Way Open for Retreat Toward Border.

PARIS, Dec. 3.—The Athens correspondent of the Havas Agency sends the following:

"It is reported from Florina (Greece), that the Serbians have sent a number of battalions to occupy the Village of Buo, two hours from the Grecian frontier, in order to thwart the Bulgarian manoeuvre, having for its purpose the possession of the railroad station at Xanali and cutting off the Serbian retreat toward the Greek frontier.

"According to news from Serbian sources the total number of Serbians made prisoners by the Bulgarians does not exceed 13,000. The bulk of the Serbian army thus remains intact."

SIR ADAM BECK TO REMOVE TO TORONTO

Official Duties Impel Him to Take Steps, He States.

LONDON, Ont., Dec. 3.—Sir Adam Beck, in an address before the board of trade tonight, hinted that he will shortly remove from this city to Toronto because of official duties in that city.

FINAL CALL BY LORD DERBY TO FILL UP RANKS

Recruiting Campaign Comes to End in Week, Laggards Reminded.

UNIONS ALSO APPEAL

To Show World Hundreds of Thousands Ready to Fight for Britain.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—In an appeal addressed "to all men of military age in the United Kingdom," Lord Derby, director of recruiting, says the recruiting campaign is coming to an end, and "by Dec. 11 we shall know whether the men of the United Kingdom between the ages of 19 and 40 are prepared to give the army the forces it requires."

The appeal concludes by urging every eligible man to join the army "and show his country that he puts her interests before his own; to show the world, allies, neutrals and enemies alike, that there are hundreds of thousands of her citizens who are ready to fight for her."

Labor Also Appeals.

The joint labor recruiting committee also has issued an appeal to "The Free Men of Great Britain" to justify the faith of the nation in the voluntary system and enroll at once in the "great volunteer army which stands between us and the loss of our rights and liberty."

No figures concerning the recruits thus far enlisted under Lord Derby's plan are obtainable, but a memoer of the recruiting committee is quoted as saying that the results point to the undoubted success of it, and in greater measure by far than had ever been anticipated.

Pressure of Public Opinion.

The only pressure put upon Britons thus far has been the pressure of public opinion. The remarkable scheme which Lord Derby is directing will place the country on a basis of organization for service as

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CAPTAIN'S BODY FOUND; WASHED ON LAKE SHORE

Remains of Capt. Larusk of Tug Barnes Recovered at Wellington.

WELLINGTON, Dec. 3.—The body of Capt. Lerusk of the tug Frank C. Barnes, which foundered some time ago, was found near Wellington today.

SERGT. GRIDLEY KILLED.

Special to The Toronto World.

GUELPH, Dec. 3.—A telegram to his brother, Mr. Walter Gridley, this morning conveyed news of the death of Sergt. Gridley in Belgium on Nov. 21, as the result of wounds. He was born 29 years ago at Kilsyth, Stirlingshire, Scotland, coming to Canada about nine years ago. He was employed as a moulder at Taylor Forbes factory. He joined the 34th Battalion when it mobilized at Guelph last January, and was soon promoted to sergeant.

TWO GERMAN ATTACHES ARE TO LEAVE U.S.

Boy-Ed and Von Papen No Longer Acceptable to Government.

OTHERS MAY GO ALSO

Case of Higher Officials of Foreign Embassies Under Consideration.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Immediate withdrawal of Captain Karl Boy-Ed and Captain Franz Von Papen, respectively naval and military attaches of the German embassy has been requested by the state department. In making formal announcement of this action late today Secretary of State Lansing said the attaches had rendered themselves persona non grata to the United States Government by improper activities in connection with naval and military matters.

Secretary Lansing's statement follows:

"On account of what this government considers improper activities in military and naval matters this government has requested the immediate recall of Capt. Boy-Ed, the German naval attache, and Capt. Von Papen, the German military attache, as they are no longer acceptable to this government."

Wilson's Stand Frim.

The secretary acted with the full approval of President Wilson, who is understood to have determined that the United States shall be rid of foreign officials who make themselves obnoxious by activity harmful to the best interests of the nation.

The state department made its request three days ago thru Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador. Announcement of the fact was with-

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WHITLOCK WILL NOT RETURN TO BELGIUM?

Belgian Papers Ordered to Make Announcement, Says Amsterdam Report.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—The Amsterdam correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company sends the following:

"Advices from Rozendaal (Holland), state that Belgian newspapers, under the German censorship, have been ordered to announce that Brand Whitlock, United States minister to Belgium, will not return to Brussels. The news has been received with consternation thruout Belgium. It is believed that General Von Bissing (German governor-general of Belgium), desired to have Mr. Whitlock ousted and that he is also pressing for the immediate removal of the American and Spanish legations from Brussels to Havre, where the Belgian Government is."

THREE CENT STAMP WILL BE ISSUED

Ordinary Two Cent Stamp With Special Mark May Be Adopted.

By a Staff Reporter.

OTTAWA, Dec. 3.—Hon. T. Chase Casgrain, the postmaster-general, has decided to issue a thre-cent stamp for convenience in war time. This will obviate the necessity of affixing the ordinary two-cent stamp and a one-cent war stamp upon each letter. Various designs were submitted today for the approval of Mr. Casgrain and he will probably select a surcharged two-cent stamp. This is an ordinary two-cent stamp with a special white mark upon it indicating that its value is three cents.

GREEKS CORDIAL TO MONASTIR OFFICIALS

Prefect and Mayor Given Kindly Treatment at Florina.

PARIS, Dec. 3.—A despatch to the Havas Agency from Paris, bearing today's date says:

"A Florina (Greece) despatch says that the Serbian prefect and the mayor left Monastir a few moments before the entry of the enemy. They proceeded to Florina, where they were cordially received by the Greek authorities. Before leaving Monastir the prefect issued a proclamation appealing to the inhabitants to keep calm and respect the lives and property of others."

FLASHLIGHT PHOTO OF LAST NIGHT'S FIRE

View of ruins of the Gold Medal Furniture factory, flashed at midnight by a staff photographer for The World.

TERRIFIC FIGHT FOR ONSLAVIA

Italians Keep Up Incessant Attacks to Pierce Whole Austrian Defence.

BODIES LIE IN HEAPS

Suffering of Campaign Intensified by Bitter Wind Storm.

ZURICH, via London, Dec. 3, 10.45 p.m.—Despatches from the Isonzo front in the Austro-Italian theatre of war state that despite the icy cold of the bora, which is blowing at the rate of 60 miles an hour over the bleak heights of the Carso, the Italians constantly are making attacks along the whole front. Their heaviest assaults are now directed on the Gorizia bridgehead.

Especially violent and sanguinary fighting is proceeding near Oslavia, where it has continued intermittently for nine days and nights, the Italians apparently hoping to break thru the whole line of Austrian defense here. The Italian losses are said to have been terrific and in some places the bodies of the fallen have been found lying in heaps. The suffering of the campaign has been intensified by the bora which is more terrible than the heaviest snowstorm. At times the men have been forced to lie down to avoid being blown over the rocks.

WOMEN SAVE HORSES FROM BURNING STABLE

Mrs. J. G. Ramsay and Maid Get Two Out of Building Before Firemen Arrive.

Keele Street Fire Brigade were summoned by phone at 10.30 a.m. yesterday to the stables of J. G. Ramsey & Co., contractors, 39 Indian road crescent, where fire had broken out from defective electric wiring. Mrs. Ramsey and her maid rushed into the stables and rescued two horses. The firemen reached the scene just in time to save three other valueable horses and two high-priced dogs. The damage to the contents is $400, and the building was damaged to the extent of $100, which was covered by the Western Insurance Company.

Lakeview Lodge, No. 272, I.O.O.F., held its annual past grands night in St. James' Hall last evening. Three new members were initiated into the order, which was conducted by the past grandmasters. A grand supper and excellent musical program were provided. District Deputy D. Stokes and district officers were in attendance.

St. Martin's Anglican Church, Keele street, held its annual bazaar in Keele Street Public School, last night. The sum realized from the sales amounted to $ 60, which will go toward the maintenance of the church.

ALPINISTS' BOLD WORK DISCOMFITED AUSTRIANS

They Climbed Down Precipice and Drove the Enemy Back.

ROME, via London, Dec. 3.—The following official communication was issued today:

"In the Ledro Valley one of our detachments of alpinists descended a precipice north of Pre by means of ropes and surprised the enemy, who had been reinforced and drove him back, afterwards firmly occupying the position.

"Minor actions ending in our favor are reported from northwest of Roncegno, in the valley of Sugana, in the Rienz-Fischbach ridge and the valley of Sebach, in Gallitz.

"Our infantry occupied in front of Tolmino a part of an enemy entrenchment on Santa Maria hill, capturing rifles and munitions. There is no change on the rest of the front."

SALONIKI SITUATION CAUSES UNEASINESS

Progress Declared to Be Impossible Under Existing Conditions.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—In a despatch from Saloniki, The Daily Telegraph's correspondent says:

"The situation at Saloniki is certainly not satisfactory. The effort so far made is not one from which results can be expected, and if we are to continue some other factor must appear to render progress possible and bring security.

"The present uncertainty must not be allowed to continue."

Regarding the held of operations, the correspondent says:

"Owing mainly to the intense cold the troops from certain advanced positions have been withdrawn and a slight concentration to the rear is taking place."

AGED WOMAN SLAIN ROBBERY WAS MOTIVE

Mrs. Dipper Found Dead in Home at Abercorn, Que.

SWEETSBURG, Que., Dec. 3.—That Mrs. Eliza Charlotte Dipper, 76 years of age, who lived alone in one of the scattered cottages which form the border Village of Abercorn, Brome Co., was murdered in her bed early Wednesday morning is the substance of the verdict brought in by a jury tonight.

Mrs. Dipper's death was not discovered till 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

The murdered woman's hands were tied behind her back, the cottage was in disorder and apparently robbery was the motive for the crime.

ADMIRAL TROUBRIDGE HAS REACHED SCUTARI

He Commanded the British Naval Brigade at Belgrade.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Admiral A. C. T. Troubridge, commander of the British gunners who were landed at Belgrade, before that place was evacuated by the Serbs, has arrived at Scutari, it is announced here.

ITALIAN ARDOR AT HIGH PITCH

Announcement of Aggressive Action in Balkans Heartily Welcomed.

WILL UNITE BALKANS

Policy of Quadruple Entente Contrasted With That of Enemies.

ROME, Dec. 3.—Popular enthusiasm aroused by Foreign Minister Sonnino's speech indicating aggressive military action in the Balkans shows no signs of subsiding.

The foreign minister explained that Italy followed in the Balkans her traditional policy, inspired by the principle of nationality, in complete accord with the allies. The quadruple entente, he said, aimed to unite the Balkans, while the central empires fomented there rivalry and disunion, finding unfortunately a favorable ground in the feelings of hatred and revenge that had resulted from the second Balkan war.

A new convention of London among the allies, pledging each of them not to conclude a separate peace, was recently signed by Great Britain, France, Russia, Japan and Italy, he announced. By this official announcement, said the foreign minister, he hoped to put a stop to rumors concerning the possibility of a separate peace which were frequently cropping out.

FIVE BILLION DOLLARS TO BE SAVED IN BRITAIN

Deposits in Banks Will Increase So Much in Second Year of War.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—At a bankers' convention at Newcastle on Friday it was stated as illustrating the manner in which the British people had responded to the plea for personal economies to meet the cost of the war that the national savings during the first year of the war increased from $1,750,000,000 to $2,000,000,000. It was added that for the second year of the war the savings would exceed $5,000,000,000.

BIG SALE OF IMPORTED HATS AT DINEEN'S.

All of the famous makers of men's hats have contributed their quota of fashion's latest models to this great hat sale. Such world-famous names as Christys, Tress & Co., Dunlap, Henry Heath, Borsalino, Mossant, and famous American and Canadian makers will stamp this sale today as an offering of exceptional quality at extraordinarily low prices when the makes and blocks are considered. Another important feature of the sale is the range of beautiful color combinations which are shown in all of the new shapes. The green Mossant hat is a gem which is a luxury to wear. Pearls, Grays, Oxfords, Browns, Slates and the ever popular Black. Be sure to call at Dineen's, 140 Yonge St., corner of Temperance, today and select one or more of these nifty hats.

FIRE DESTROYS TORONTO PLANT IN THREE HOURS

Gold Medal Furniture Company's Buildings a Mass of Ruins.

STARTED IN REFUSE

Hospital Cots, Munition Cases and Stretchers Were Burned.

Starting at 9.36 last night among shavings in the waste chute of the Gold Medal Company's works, situated on VanHorne street, between Bartlett and Gladstone avenues, fire completely destroyed two shipping plants, seriously damaged the head offices and works and caused damage of $150,000. When the fire broke out the staff was employed in turning out orders for the Canadian Government. Both the shipping buildings are in ruins. The chute was in the building at the corner of VanHorne street and Gladstone avenue, and when the fire broke out the flames quickly gained hold of the structure, which was completely enveloped when the firemen arrived. It then was impossible to save the building. It was stored with munition cases, hospital cots and stretchers ready for delivery. Thousands of dollars' worth of these articles were under manufacture. The damage to this building was $30,000.

Fanned by a strong easterly wind, the flames gained hold of the second building on Gladstone avenue, entering thru the windows of the top storey and working to the ground, although they could not save this building the firemen confined their efforts to preventing the flames from spreading to the houses across the street.

After a fight of thirty minutes the building collapsed and the danger of the fire spreading was removed. In this building were stored chairs, mattresses, spring beds, and other wood work. The total loss there was $40,000.

Christmas Orders Gone.

The third building was a large brick structure situated at the corner of Bartlett Ave. and Van Horne St. and contained machinery and the head offices of the firm. The top floor was filled with gramophones and Christmas furniture orders together with hundreds of bales of cotton, all of which were completely destroyed. The second floor was stocked completely with couches, chairs ready for upholstering, sideboards, and dressing tables.

A car of cotton inferior to that stocked in this building would cost $2000 today, and about 40 carloads were burned. The ground floor contained machinery and was completely flooded by water. The machinery is not considered a loss, as it can be repaired and reinstalled. The damage in this building of $90,000 was caused mostly by water.

Seven alarms were sent into headquarters, the first being received at 9.36 and was given by the automatic fire alarm installed in one of the shipping buildings. The second, a general alarm, was rung in at 9.37, when Chief Smith left headquarters for the scene of the fire.

Saved by Driveway.

The third building was saved from destruction by the fact that a driveway separated it from the other structures, and which gave the firemen access to fight the flames, which jumped thru the windows of the third storey and gained a firm hold. The heat opened the sprinkling system on this floor, and the second and ground floors were flooded.

The staff were working day and night to get out the government contracts, and the flames spread so rapidly that they had to make a dash for safety.

N. Sinclair Millar, the manager of the works, rushed up to the top storey to try and close the fireproof doors, but when he reached the turn in the corridor he was caught by a back draught and swept amid a cloud of smoke and was thrown down a flight of stairs. He escaped without injury. Two police ambulances stood by during the fire, but were not required.

There is insurance of $130,000 on the buildings and stock. The fire was under control at midnight.

JAP STEAMER RETURNS MYSTERIOUSLY TO PORT

Hokkai Maru, With War Supplies on Board, Puts Back to Tacoma.

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 3.—The Japanese steamship Hokkai Maru, which sailed from Tacoma last night heavily loaded with war supplies for Russia, was reported tonight as returning to port. She passed out to the Pacific early today and a few hours later headed back thru the Straits of Juan de Fuca. The reason for her return has not been learned.