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ONAUTS IN FINALS

Lightweight Champion, Was Out New York in Seventh Fight Since He Secured Title.

ame and hard-fought struggle, Eu- was forced to yield to John Paradis, petite belt, emblematic of the world's wrestling championship title at catch- Tremblay deserves a great deal of great fight that he put up in an effort to win the title, and it was only after wrestled for nearly two hours that he to claim a verdict.

of the Wanderers and Canadians are their players in training as soon as teams will be gathered together early strict rules as to diet and conduct. The officials of the Montreal Arena to have ice in about ten days.

s, manager of the Detroit Tigers, de- team should give both the Athletics the fight of their lives next year if Pep to expectations. Pep, secured from a with the New York Americans under in 1913, being released early because at. He tried for the shortstop pos- has switched to second base, where fulness has greatly improved.

Rowing Club was eliminated yes- by the Argonauts in the semi- final of the Argonauts by a score of 1-0. The best game of the season. The Hamilton Rowing Club is largely of Ralph Ripley during the past two

only rival of Matt McGrath for hon- ors, has stated that he is going Ryan is one of the best hammer men in America, and particularly ce- on.

the lightweight champion, was last- ed at Madison Square Garden. New- bout with Joe Shugrue, of Jersey, a highly satisfactory bout, however, seemed to be far below the calibre of his ring career since he conquered London.

n. of N. H. A. has wired the Pat- ments pay the Ottawa Club the draft- ed dollars for Ronan, who is the them from the Ottawa Club. If go the matter must rest here, but- ded to play for any other club in- deal is arranged through the Coast

ets, president of the Brooklyn Na- tional permanent training quarters at the scheme meets with the approval of Robinson. The matter will be next week when the respective ment confer at the league meeting

all, the champion chess player of exhibition of his skill at the West- b, Victoria Hall, last evening. In games, drew 4, and lost 2. The were played simultaneously and are the strongest players that could

W. Rasin, of the Baltimore Fed- upon his return from the Chicago Terrapin management so far has interest any of the players of organ- declared, however, that the club for a good catcher and a pitcher- ous to secure a seasoned south-

at naturally can't be kept on the famous as manager and brother- simonism, is collecting a stable of a lengthy dodge telling how good

ght in New York marked Freddie ht since winning the lightweight from Willie Ritchie last July in met Matt Baldwin, Ad Wulgate, d Duffy, Fern Yelle and Young Freddie will be counting off a of \$40,000, which, to say the least, e, or as Young Corbett thought- rday: "I'd hate to have it in my

Club will play Harvard on Feb- vance also asked for a match, but- been done regarding the game.

IERREZ IN MEXICO. mber 3.—General Gutierrez, pro- Mexico, has entered Mexico City, -self in the National Palace, ac- on received here. Mexico City

RELEASED UGH AMBASSADOR GERARD. umber 2.—The German Govern- solicitation of President Wilson, retention in Germany, Admiral navy and son-in-law of Ad- Lord of the British navy.— at Berlin to-day sent this re- partment which transmitted the or Spring-Rice. Admiral Neel health resort in Germany when is an invalid and retired from

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FRENCH NOW HAVE UPPER HAND IN WESTERN THEATRE OF WAR
Terrific Havoc Wrought Among German Artillery at Rheims—French Take Offensive in Alsace.
(Special to Journal of Commerce.)

Berlin, December 4.—Emperor William is paying a visit to the German troops in the Ctesochowa district, it was officially announced.
A new battle is developing in Alsace and the Vosges, in which region developments may be expected shortly.

The French have assumed the offensive in the west but the German forces are being strongly reinforced with troops drawn from the Rhine Valley.
Despatches from the Alsace district admit that terrific havoc is being wrought by the German artillery at Rheims, but this was unavoidable because of the positions taken up by the French. Already the damage in Rheims is estimated at \$20,000,000, and the same damage there is still in progress.

The Germans are making steady progress in that region. Some of their trenches are less than 2,000 yards from Rheims.
A press telegram from Vienna states that the Serbian officers captured by the Austrians say that M. Nitchich, a former Serbian cabinet minister, has been sent to Petrograd in order to ask Russian permission for Serbia to conclude peace with Austria in the event that Serbia's second line of defences are smashed by the Austrian army of invasion.

It is reported from Vienna that the Allies are sending reinforcements to Serbia and Montenegro. Transports escorted by French and British warships have reached Antivari, a Montenegrin port on the Adriatic, and the presence of Austrian aeroplanes is holding up the disembarkment of troops.
The Turks working under the direction of German engineers are constructing a military railroad from Palestine to the Suez Canal. The Mohammedan troops are reported to be within 15 days' march of the Suez Canal.

BERLIN STATEMENT.
Berlin, by wireless, December 4.—The 2 p.m. statement says: "Western Headquarters report that in the western theatre of war all the French attacks against us in West Flanders have been repulsed. North-west of Altkirch (Upper Alsace), the French have suffered considerable losses.
"In the eastern theatre of war the Russian attacks east of Masurin Lakes, were repulsed with heavy loss to the enemy."

TURKEYS "HOLY WAR" NOTICE.
Washington December 4.—Official notice that a "holy war" has been proclaimed by the Turkish government against Serbia and her allies to-day was received by the State Department. The message came from the American Legation at Bukharest, Roumania, where Serbian Foreign Minister made the announcement to the American Envoy.

VIENNA CLAIMS RUSSIANS ARE RETREATING.
Vienna, via Berlin and Amsterdam, December 4.—The Russian forces that invaded the Zemplin District of Hungary from Galicia through the Carpathian Mountain Pass, northeast of Meso Laborce, are in retreat. It is officially announced by the War Office.

AMERICAN CAR DIVIDEND.
New York, December 4.—The American Car and Foundry declared the regular quarterly dividends of 1 1/2 per cent. on the preferred and 1/2 of 1 per cent. on common stocks, payable January 1st to stock of record December 11th.

GERMAN LINER ASHORE.
London, December 4.—An Exchange Telegraph Company despatch from Bergen, Norway, says the German Liner Prinz Friedrich Wilhelm is ashore.

START ON WATERWORKS.
Dr. Seymour, Health Commissioner for the Province of Saskatchewan, has forwarded the report of T. Aird Murray, Provincial Consulting Engineer, recommending the Yorkton Town Council to commence work on the York Lake water supply by way of constructing a single pipe line, the cost of which he estimates at \$30,000. The Town Engineer has received instructions to complete his survey and plans of the work in connection with the scheme, the final stages of which will be again brought before the Council at a later date.

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ALLIES' OFFENSIVE MOVE DEVELOPING
No News From Flanders; News Deals With Fighting in Right Wing; French are in Alsace
GERMANS DROP BIG GUNS
Russians Stem German Advance at Leds.—Craoow Has Been Reached—Kaiser Must Weaken Front in Poland—Toward Posen and Thorn Germans are Retreating to Avoid Being Surrounded.

(Special to Journal of Commerce.)
Paris, December 4.—It is believed now that the offensive movement planned by the Allies is fast developing along the entire line. From unofficial reports reaching here it is evident that the plan of attack calls for a forward movement in Flanders along the Alsace River lines and on the French right wing.
In fact the only detailed news of the fighting that comes from the front has to do with the situation on the right wing and not with the fighting in Flanders. It is believed that the Germans anticipated the offensive movement of the Allies and made a spirited attack themselves, which is now developing into another hard battle.

The fighting has been practically along the entire line in Flanders centering most fiercely perhaps about Ypres and Dixmude.
The Germans are reported to be fighting without their heavy guns, having withdrawn them because of the mud and the impossibility of moving them quickly. In their place, however, it is stated, that they are now using light guns, having a range of four miles. Those guns are mounted on motor trucks specially built for this kind of work.

Despatches from Petrograd say the Germans continue their new aggressive move southwest of Leds with forces brought from Kalicz through Stradz. From the latter point and Wielan they pressed forward in the direction of Pietrikow, but this eventually German advance is in control, if not already driven back to the Warthe River.

The great strength of the Russian line and the security in position felt by the Grand Duke are indicated by the fact that Russian advance in Galicia has not been effected by the severe fighting in Poland to which it is closely related. The Czar's armies have approached within firing distance of Craoow on the south and observers here believe that shortly the Kaiser must weaken his front in Poland for the sake of saving Silesia. The fighting in Galicia was marked yesterday by a sortie of the garrison at Przemysl. After a sharp fight the Austrians took refuge in the fortress.

Notwithstanding the German offensive west of Leds and southwest of Petrokov, there is perceptible retreat in other quarters toward Posen and Thorn. In official circles it is hinted that the Germans having failed in their tremendous efforts to pierce the Russian centre are retiring to avoid being surrounded once more. The Russian right wing having driven at the centre, there was nothing for the German commander to do but withdraw.

BELIEVES TURKISH ADVANCE HAS BEEN HALTED.
Cairo, Egypt, December 4 (via London).—The British military authorities have flooded the desert east of Fort Said for many miles, thus preventing a Turkish attack in that quarter.
British military aeroplanes are making constant flights over the Sinai Peninsula. They report seeing no sign of the Turks. It is believed the Turkish advance against the Suez Canal has been halted.

PORTUGUESE CABINET RESIGNS.
Madrid, December 4.—It is reported from Lisbon that the Portuguese Cabinet has resigned. A second Portuguese expeditionary force is leaving for an un-named port in Africa.

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E. W. BEATTY VICE-PRESIDENT AS WELL AS GENERAL COUNSEL C.P.R.
Beginning as an Assistant in the Law Department of the Company He Has in Slightly Over a Decade Risen to High Place in Official Rank.

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy to-day announced the appointment of Edward Wentworth Beatty to be vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, in addition to his existing duties as general counsel, which he has fulfilled since his appointment to the latter office in 1911.
Mr. Beatty has had a strikingly successful career. Born at Thorold, Ont., on October 16th, 1877, he was



educated at Upper Canada College, at Toronto University and at Osgoode Hall Law School.
Having read law in the office of Messrs. McCarty, Oeler, Hoskin and Creelman in Toronto, he was called to the Ontario Bar in June, 1901. About a year later he entered the law department of the C. P. R.

On July 1st, 1905, he was appointed assistant solicitor; in March, 1910, general solicitor; and on July 1st, 1913, general counsel.
Mr. Beatty is unmarried. His principal recreation is golf.

Those who know him best predict for Mr. Beatty a career of even greater distinction than he has thus far attained.

INDICTED DIRECTORS APPEAR.
New York, December 4.—The twenty-one directors of New Haven Railroad indicted for conspiracy in acquiring upwards of 16 transportation properties in the New England States, appeared before Judge Rudkin in the criminal branch of the Federal Court for counsel and entered final pleas.
William Rockefeller, R. W. Taft, Chas. F. Brooker, Frederick P. Brewster, D. N. Darnay and H. K. McHarg, pleaded not guilty.
William Skinner, James S. Elton and Geo. F. Baker entered pleas in bar, claiming immunity because of having testified in former criminal proceedings against New Haven road.
James S. Hemingway and A. Heaton Robertson withdrew demurrers formerly entered and entered pleas of not guilty. John L. Billard, Edw. D. Robbins and T. De W. Cuyler entered pleas in bar.
Judge Rudkin will hear arguments on the pleas in bar on Monday next.

BUSINESS MEN IN THE DAY'S NEWS
The Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, who is to address the Caledonian Society to-night at St. Andrew's Home, on the Franco-Scottish Alliance, has a great admiration for the Scotch. Mr. Lemieux himself possesses to a large degree the Gaelic temperament. He has vision and imagination which, combined with a thorough knowledge of history and literature, makes him one of the greatest orators in the country.
Mr. Irving Rexford, Manager of the Crown Trust Company, has just been notified of his appointment as Major in the Grenadier Guards. Major Rexford obtained his first military experience with the Highlanders, later transferring to the Grenadier Guards when they were re-organized under Colonel Carson. He is an enthusiastic military man. Major Rexford is a son of Principal Rexford, of the Diocesan College.

Mr. W. W. Hutchison, Vice-President and Managing Director of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, has just returned to Montreal after an operation for appendicitis. Among the younger business men of the city, no one is more popular than the quiet, unassuming Manager Director of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company.

The Hon. W. J. Bowser, Attorney-General in the McBride Cabinet in British Columbia, is regarded as the most efficient man in politics in that Province. He was born in New Brunswick on December 3rd, 1867, and educated at Dalhousie University. He went West in 1891, and has been prominently identified with politics in the Pacific Province ever since. He was made Attorney-General in 1907.

Major-General Sir William Otter, who yesterday celebrated his 71st birthday, is now chief of the General Staff at Militia Headquarters, Ottawa. He was born near Clinton, Ontario, in 1843, and had an extensive military experience. He served with distinction during the Fenian Raids, the Riel Rebellion and the South African War.

Mr. E. W. Beatty, who was to-day made a Vice-President of the C. P. R., is the youngest man ever appointed to such a responsible position on the "Big Road." Mr. Beatty was born in 1877, so that he is but 37 years of age. He is an old "Varsity" boy, and has hosts of friends, which he made there, and at Osgoode Hall. He joined the legal department of the C. P. R. in 1901. His friends declare that he is in line for the Presidency of the Company.

New York, December 4.—Handy and Harman quote silver 49 1/2c. London bar silver 22d.

HEAVY DECREASE IN COUNTRY'S REVENUE
For November, Revenue Totalled \$9,495,536 Compared With \$13,536,981 Last Year
CUSTOMS REVENUE SMALL
Net Debt of Dominion of Canada Increased \$12,167,848 in November. On December 1, It Stood at \$384,843,247. Expenditures Were Smaller.

(Special Staff Correspondence.)
Ottawa, December 4.—The Canadian financial statement for November reflects strikingly the conditions created by the war. "There is a heavy decrease in revenue, both for the month and for the eight months of the fiscal year. For November the revenue was \$9,495,536, as compared with \$13,536,981 for the corresponding month last year, or a falling off of \$4,041,445. The revenue for the eight months was \$90,468,002, as against \$114,640,295 for the corresponding period last year, or a decrease of \$24,172,293.

Customs receipts for November totalled \$4,895,424, which is scarcely half that for the corresponding month last year. For the eight months customs receipts totalled \$52,138,819, as compared with \$75,000,109 for the corresponding period last year. Excise duties totalled \$1,692,833 in November, a decrease of \$900,000. For the eight months the total was \$14,382,209, there being little change here.

Postal revenue shows an increase of \$150,000, totaling \$7,825,020 for the eight months. For November the postal revenue totalled \$1,150,000, a decrease of \$150,000.

Miscellaneous revenue totalled \$6,615,188 for the eight months, a falling off of \$300,000. "Public works" revenue aggregated \$6,615,188, a decrease of \$350,000. The expenditure on consolidated account in November totalled \$10,496,922, and for the eight months \$75,708,627. For the eight months last year the total was \$66,678,969, and for November \$9,232,141. This is an increase of \$11,000,000 for the eight months. Expenditure on capital account for November totalled \$4,601,077, as against \$6,259,878 last year. For the eight months the total was \$28,231,933, a decrease of \$7,600,000. The net debt of the Dominion increased \$12,167,848, in November. On December 1st, it stood at \$384,843,247.

A MIGHTY RUSSIAN EFFORT
Making Every Effort to Capture Craoow With Every Available Man in Field, Turning German Flank.

Petrograd, December 4.—The Russians have begun the bombardment of Craoow and are rushing all available troops in an attempt to capture it.
The battle of Leds was a masterly effort of Marshal Von Hindenburg to stop the Russian advance toward Craoow. But the Russians have now brought up so many men before Leds that they have been able to start a turning movement against the German flank north of Leds.

Reinforced with troops brought from Belgium and France, the German armies west of Lowicz and southwest of Petrokov are again attempting to advance toward the Vistula.

The Russians have re-taken Strykow and Lowicz. They now hold everything from this point of the Lodz-Warawia Railroad to the Vistula River, west of Plock and the turning movement against German front proceeds. Russia has called out another 1,200,000 reservists.

THE FRENCH STATEMENT.
Paris, December 4.—The official statement was as follows:
"In Belgium intermittent cannonading of a more or less vigorous character has taken place between the railroad leading from Ypres to Roulers, and the highway from Eceelaers to Passchaen Daele, where the enemy's infantry made an unsuccessful attempt to gain ground.
"At Vermille we continued to solidify ourselves in the positions already won.
"From the Somme to the Argonne all is quiet along the front.
"In the Argonne several infantry charges made by the Germans were repulsed by our troops, especially one at the northwest end of Forest of Grurie.
"In the Woivre and Lorraine cannonading took place. In Alsace there is nothing to report."

MR. CARVELL REFUSES.
Fredericton, N.B., December 4.—At a conference here to-day, F. B. Carvell, M.P., declined the offer to accept the leadership of the Opposition to the New Brunswick Government. He said he did not consider it his duty at the present time to enter provincial politics as leader. The Province wanted a plain business man, who had made a success of his own business. He wished to remain in Federal politics and represent Carlton-Victoria after the next Federal election. A committee was appointed to report later in the day on the choice of a leader.

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CLAIMS SERBIANS SEVERELY BEATEN.
Washington, December 4.—A message from Vienna to the Austrian Embassy here says: "In Serbia the enemy resisting with all its forces east of Calubara and Ljicka Rivers, after the most obstinate fight along the entire line, was beaten and retreated with terrible losses."

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