

BRITISH RAID KENNELS NEAR LOMBAERTZYDE

RUSSIANS EVACUATE TOWN OF PROSKUROV IN PODOLIA, IMPORTANT GARRISON POINT

Kamenetz-Podolsk, Capital of Podolia, Was Also Abandoned to the Austro-Germans—Capital Had Population of 23,000 and Was Valuable Fortress.

THE GERMAN ARTILLERY BOMBARDS BRITISH FRONT EAST OF YPRES

British Troops in Course of Night Raid the Teuton Trenches Near Lombaertzyde and Return with Prisoners and Machine Gun.

London, Aug. 8.—The newspaper Novoye Vremya of Petrograd reports that the Russians have evacuated Proskurov, in Podolia, on the Bug, as well as Kamenetz-Podolsk, 55 miles south. Kamenetz-Podolsk is the capital of Podolia, on the Smorritsch, an affluent of the Dniester. Under the Poles it was an important fortress. Its population is 34,000. Proskurov is on the main road from Kamenetz-Podolsk in the same province. It is an important garrison town and has a population of 23,000.

IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS IN MURDER CASE EXPECTED

(Continued from page 1) Were the Cries from Mr. Williams? Mrs. John Wilkins, who stated she heard cries for help was interviewed by a Standard representative yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Wilkins said she was sitting at the kitchen window waiting for her daughter to come in, and worrying because she was so late. The air was still and everything was quiet when she heard a cry in a man's voice. "Help me," and then a second cry. "For God sake will someone help me." She told her husband about hearing the cries and said someone must be getting murdered. She slipped on a raincoat and went out to the street. She noticed a crowd across the street and went over to the store, looked in the window and saw the body lying on the floor. She then went down to the police station and asked them to locate her daughter who had not yet come home, and while there told Officer Jones about hearing the cries for help. She looked at the clock when she heard the cries and it was exactly half past eleven. Circumstances Which Point Strongly Otherwise. Mrs. Wilkins at the time she states she heard the two cries was at her own residence, 410 Main street, more than 125 yards from the scene of the tragedy. That the cries she reports to have heard were from the voice of Mr. Williams is inconceivable. The faint voice of a dying man could not possibly carry such a lengthy distance. If the cries would carry such a long distance, there is no reason why they would not have been heard by Mrs. Hughes, who occupies the flat over the store. Neither could the occupants of Durick's drug store fail to hear them, while others who were not more than fifty feet from the store of the deceased would necessarily have heard them. Not only that, but from all circumstances of the case it appears that the death of the deceased was instantaneous. That the cries which Mrs. Wilkins states she heard came from Mr. Williams can therefore hardly be credited. Who then was the party that uttered the cries for help? And the daughter of Mrs. Wilkins says she did not know deceased, Miss Gertrude Wilkins, the daughter who was present during the interview, stated that she did not know Mr. Williams even to see him. Mrs. Wilkins said she had often been

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SHIPPING NEWS

Table with columns for Date, Port, Ship Name, and Agent. Includes entries for August Phases of the Moon and various shipping arrivals and departures.

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SALE SPECIAL SUMMER SUITS. A suggestion for the man interested in saving some dollars. This is no "Mammoth price slaughter of hundreds of suits"—but it is an honest price reduction on what is left of our summer suits. The sizes are broken but there is something in sizes from 34 to 42. Regular and pinch back styles. Former prices \$15 to \$30.— Sale prices, \$10, \$12.50, \$15, \$20.

Gilmour's, 68 King St. Open Friday Evenings; Close Saturday 1 p. m., June, July and August. PRISONER OF WAR. Milltown, Aug. 8.—Private James Francis Cody, son of James Cody of Milltown is a prisoner of war at Kriegs, Gefangenenlager, Nurnberg, Bayern, Germany. Private Cody was wounded in the battle of the Somme and was in a hospital at Munich six weeks. He enlisted March 5, 1915 in the 14th Canadian Battalion.

DEATHS. LOGAN—Died at 340, Tower street, Lancaster Heights, on August 8, Geraldine Irwin Logan, aged four years, only daughter of Capt. G. Earle and Emma Logan. SUMMER SCHOOL CLOSES. Sussex, Aug. 8.—The rural science summer school which has been in session here six weeks closed today. Fifty-five pupils have been studying rural science under the direction of R. P. Steeves and a capable staff, including W. Macintosh, of St. John.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY AT A LOW PRICE A GOOD USED McLaughlin, Overland, Ford, Reo, Russell, Chalmers, Oldsmobile, Pierce-Arrow or other well known and standard make of automobile.

Attend the Used Car AUTOMOBILE SHOW St. Andrew's Rink, Charlotte St. Which is Open from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. Daily Until August 15th. AUTO OWNERS PLEASE NOTE: If you have a car which is in good running order and mechanical condition which you would like to sell, or trade in as part payment of the price of a new or used car, write the Used Car Appraiser, care of Post Office Box 939. COMPLIMENTARY TICKETS will be sent free on application to the SHOW MANAGER Post Office Box 939 St. John, N. B.

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