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PRESS ADVANCE AND MAKE NEW GAINS TO WEST OF CAMBRAI

Workers' Enthusiasm Revived by Splendid Response Yesterday.

HOLIDAY NEXT WEEK

Parade Thru Streets Will Be Held in Interests of Loan.

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The citizens of Toronto certainly the warning of failure given out Thursday night by the central extory bonds in larger amount. Yesterday the canvassers reported a sale of \$4,153,400 for the day, and this is a

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the final victory.

The great financial effort would be a strength to the boys at the front and to the enemies a token of doom, Victory Sunday.

Tomorrow will be Victory Sunday in all the churches of the city, regardless of creed, and in Massey Hall as

Special sermons will be delivered in the churches in the morning; special Defeat Germans in Action at prayers will be offered, special hymns will be sung, all dealing with the purchase of Victory War Loan bonds. In Massey Hall in the afternoon a mass meeting will be held, at which the program will be provided by the Mendelssohn Choir and the 48th Highlanders hand. ers band. The speakers will be Ven-erable Archdeacon Cody and Norman day regarding the operations of the

Sommerville. The meeting will open (at 3 o'clock, the doors at 2.15.

Roosevelt Meeting.

The big features of the campaign next week will be the arrival of Col.

Roosevelt features of the campaign in traversed the Makonde Plateau, entered Sinbas, seven miles north-Rossevelt, former president of the United States, in Toronto at noon, lay, his driving thru the city escorted by a squadron of cavalry, and s speech in the evening at the arm-

Indications are that the turnout for the Roosevelt meeting will be the big-gest crowd in the history of Toronto for a public meeting. Arrangements are being made to take care of 10,000 greater than they sustained, and also people, and the plans are being car-ried out so that the seating accommodation will be quite comfortable. The program will be: Doors open 6.30, everybody welcome; from 6.30 to 8.00, song review, led by 48th High-landers; 8 o'clock, meeting opened by chairman, Sir Thomas White; singing of God Save the King, singing of Star

factories of the city and all schools and institutions will close down at noon as the result of the mayor's proclamation ordering a "Victory Day" in honor of the loan. A monster parade will be held thru the city, and every conceivable form of advertising will be used in it. In the evening it is likely that a big meeting will be held in the armories at which the president of the American Federation of Labor, Mr. Samuel Gompers, will

speak. Harry Lauder Coming.
The veteran Scotch comedian, Harry Lauder, has consented to sell Victory bonds when he is in Toronto on November 29 and 30 and December 1, the closing day of the campaign. It is likely that the sales will be made on the city hall steps. Harry Lauder sold many thousands of dollars' worth

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HARD LOCAL FIGHTING IN REGION OF CAMBRAI

Enemy is Driven From Tadpole Copse Dominating Moeuvres Village---British Busy With Construction Work.

British Army Headquarters in France. Nov. 23.—The British and the German forces last night rested on their arms along most of the new battle front, after three days of determined conflict. Hard local fighting continued at some points, notably in the vicinity of Crevecoeur, Moeuvres and Bourlon Wood, but for the most part the British were engaged in construction work, and the Germans gave little trouble in the way of counter-attack.

It appears that the British early today drove back the enemy at an elevation just west of Moeuvres, known as Tadpole Copse. This hill dominates a large section of the Canal du Nord running cast of Moeuvres, and to a large extent the village itself, which still is in German hands. There has been no further change at at Fontaine, where the Germans yestarday delivered a heavy counterattack, and compelled the British to withdraw from the village to a posi-

out Thursday night by the central ex-ecutive their the city would not reach STRENUOUS TEUTON EFFORTS FAIL TO BREAK ITALIAN LINE

fairly good showing. Added to \$31,\$88,500 previously reported, the total
for the city now reaches \$36,011,900.

Toronto is still far from its goal of
\$75,000,000, and the second week of the
campaign is coming to a close, so today will be known as double-up day.
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GAINS IN EAST AFRICA

Mandebe and Capture Two

Positions With Prisoners.

London, Nov. 23 .- The following of-

ficial communication was issued to-

east of Kitangari. Fifty-seven Ger-

mans and seventy-five Askaris sur-

Newala, and 126 Germans and 76

Askaris were captured.
"In last Friday's action at Mandebe

our small forces inflicted on the nu-

merically superior enemy losses

"Today cur right column entered

rendered.

solsheviki Armistice Proposal Involves Breach of Treaty Obligations of Russia.

RECOGNITION REFUSED

Allies Extremely Unlikely to Endorse Revolutionists, Lord Robert Cecil States.

London, Nov. 28 .- Lord Robert Cecil, Lenine and his followers in Russia, Severe Struggle Rages Round

PUTS RUSSIA OUTSIDE BRITISH RENEW ATTACK IN REGION OF CAMBRAI

PUSH LINES FORWARD

Haig Makes Slight Gain by Attack on Positions of Germans in Flanders.

FIGHTING FOR CAMBRAI

troops are consolidating the positions they won in the spectacular two-day bettle in the region of Cambrai, considerable hard fighting of a local character is taking place on numerous sectors, where the Germans are endeavoing to drive out the English, the Scotch, Weish and Inish contingent to the spirally had been to Russian army as a fight to see what could have been taken by the Percentage of the South ave been taken by the Percentage of the South ave been taken by the present Russian Gov.

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The sector, but the Germans, on the elevation in the Copse, were maintaining a stiff machine gun barrage against the assaulting troops and fighting at estimates place the number of guns taken at several score.

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GET OVER AMERICAN TROOPS ON SCHEDULE

War Secretary Baker Says U. S. Troop Movements to Europe Proceed Satisfactorily.

Washington, Nov. 23.-Arrival of increasing General Pershing's forces. Mr. Baker declined to state, however, the number of troops forwarded or to indicate whether he anticipated deindicate whether he anticipated de-lay from this time. Movement of the forces he said, depended on two ele-ments, the training and equipment of the men and the availability of ships, "As fast as they are ready, ships and men will be combined," the sec-retary said. "As many American troops are now oversees as we extroops are now overseas as we ex-pected in the beginning to have overseas at this time."

Mr. Baker indicated that an official statement of the number of American troops in France was not to be expected at any time during the

BRITISH CELEBRATE.

London, Nov. 23. - Bells rang in London and the provinces today for the first time since the war began, in commemoration of British victories. The sun broke thru the heavy mist which enveloped London and its environs early in the day, almost at the same time that the massive chimes of St. Paul's and the bells of churches began to peal forth their chorus in celebration of the achieve-ments of the British forces in France

FURS FOR MOTORING.

Stroock robes, warm and water-proof, the most artistic designs, \$15 to \$25.

Fontaine Objective of Byng's Forces in Fresh Assaults Reported From London and Berlin --- Several Score of Guns Unofficially Reported Captured --- Previous Gains Maintained.

By Associated Press.

British Headquarters in France, Nov. 23.—The British renewed their attack on Fontaine and are still holding the ground between Cantaing and south of Fontaine. It is unofficially estimated that several score of guns have been captured.

Severe Struggle Rages Round
Crevcocur, Mocuves and
Bourlon Wood.

London, Nov. 22.—Altho the British are busily engaged in the Cambrai sector. Field Marshal Haig has not overlooked a chance again to stab the German line in Flanders. Southeast of Ypres in an attack the British have thrown forward their line slightly.

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The enemy last night began the concentration of troops and artillery between Cambrai and the Bourlon Wood, and gave every indication that they purposed to battle desperately for the recovery of their lost territory.

The Germans, in their counter-thrust yesterday at Fontaine Notre Dame, succeeded in pushing the British slightly back from this place after a desperate conflict, but this morning the British still held their ground between Cantaing and south of Fontaine and were near the fringe of the Bourlon Wood.

TO LEFT OF FONTAINE

Fontaine Itself Abandoned Because Too Exposed But Anneux-Chapelle and Tadpole

British Headquarters in France.
Nov. 23.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency).—During the last twenty-four hours the chief activity has been behind the lines, where heroic work is being done by transport services and engineers and artiflery engineers catching up with the rapidity of our rush into enemy territory.

We fell back at Fontaine because the occupation of that point, which is completely dominated, exposes Bourbon Wood. Father left we gushed into the west on one side and is cxposed to the enemy fire from across the canal. The other side made 1 salient, which could not be held until a general advance was made on either side. The enemy strengly attacked it supplies are being brought up.

American troops in France has kept pace with the expectation of the war department, Secretary of War Baker said tonight in the first statement has ever authorized in connection with the progress of the program of the

versal Cessation of Hostilities, Trotzky Declares.

Petrograd. Nov. 21 (Wednesday).—
In connection with the order to General Dukhonin, commander-in-chief of the Russian army, to open nego. I ations for an armistice with the enemy commanders, the Associated Press today interviewed from Trotzky, the Bolsheviki foreign minister. Trotzky emphatically stated that the soldiers and workmen's government was against a separate peace with Germany. He voiced his conviction that Russia's initiative in offering dermany. He voiced his conviction that Russia's initiative in offering peace would be supported by the projectariat of all countries, allied or beligrent, which will make impossible a continuation of the war, even if the sometimes at Petrograd that his comments do not accept the offer. governments do not accept the offer.

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We are against a separate peace with Germany—we are for a universal peace with the European nations. "What will the government do if Germany refuses to negotiate for peace—will it continue the war?" was the peast question.

"We rely on the German army and country. the working classes to make a continuation of the war impossible,"

Ambassador Francis has been given no instructions to deal with the Boisheviki government. In reporting Trotzky replied

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an Unfriendly Act.

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captured prisoners.' RUSSIAN WITHDRAWAL

East Galician Towns Are Being Eva-cuated by Russian Troops.

Spangled Banner, song by Frank (Barney) Oldfield, introduction of Conel Roosevelt, Col. Roosevelt's says reports received from Tarnopol speech, God Save the King (by band). Amsterdam, Nov. 23.-A despatch to On Wednesday, November 28, the are preparing to evacuate the east Galician Towns of Gmaymadoff and Skalat, near the Russian border. The despatch adds that the advanced positions already have been voluntarily evacuated.

PEACE OFFER TO RUSSIA

Teuton Agent Leaves Stockholm for Petrograd to Negotiate Terms

Lendon, Nov. 23.—Following the proposal made by the Bolsheviki govproposal made by the Bolsheviki government in Russia for an armistice, a reduction in the Russian army has been ordered by Nikolal Lenine, the Bolsheviki leader, to take effect immediately. Simultaneously, it is stated unofficially that a Ryssia stated unofficially that a Ryssia stated unofficially that a Ryssia diplomat has left Stockholm for Petrograd to deliver to the Russian revolutionary government of Aden. Losses were through the following statement on military operations in the general to take effect immediately. Simultaneously, it is stated unofficially that a Ryssia diplomat has left Stockholm for Petrograd to deliver to the Russian revolutionary government armises, has started for through the eastern front, in connection with the Russian offer of a truce. He is said to be accompanied by a numer-ous family and otter to the state deagarment on the peace meet no response, we shells, with muskrat lining and otter collars, \$65.

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SOUTH YORK ELECTORS

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Your vote and influence respectfully requested for W. F. MACLEAN, Unionist candidate, officially endorsed by the premier and the Unionist government.

I was among the first to advocate and support in the house of commons union government, and voted for: Selective compulsory military service, votes for soldiers and the soldiers' women relatives, denial of the franchise to enemy aliens, and for every measure of the government to win the war.

I am for food control and the regulation of the prices of the necessities of life, for the regulation and limitation of profits during the war, for public ownership and national railways, for better pensions for soldiers and their dependents, for an increase in the separation allowance, and the best treatment for returned men generally.

I am for the conscription of wealth as well as the conscription of men, and all measures that will give labor its just share in the government of the country; votes for women equally with men, and such other measures as will aid in a better social and economic reconstruction of Canada.

W. F. MACLEAN.

BRITISH WIN IN ARABIA

WILL NEGOTIATE A TRUCE