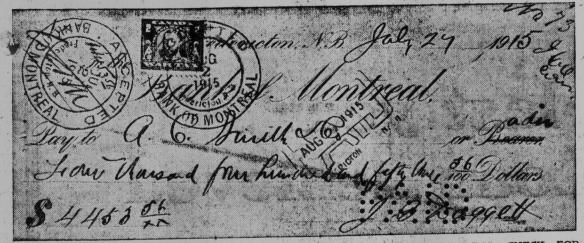
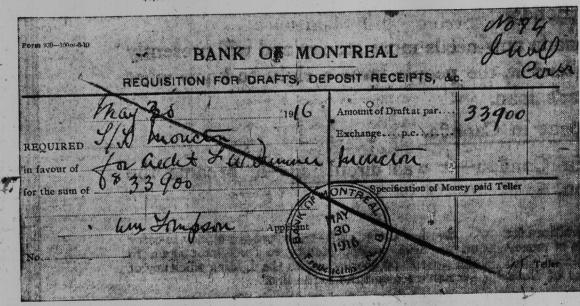
POOR DOCUMENT

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CHECK AND DEPOSIT SLIP IN THE 'PATRIOTIC' POTATO TRANSACTIONS





THE DOCUMENT WHICH ACCOMPANIED THE CASH DEPOSITED FOR TRANSFER TO F. W. SUM-

Testifying regarding the deposit of funds for transfer to F. W. Sumner, at the potato in quiry on Thursday, the manager of the Bank of Montreal in Fredericton produced the document which accompanied the cash. As shown in the illustration herewith the amount was \$33,900, and the transfer instructions were signed by "Wm, Tompson."

The bank manager also gave evidence that the provincial government check for \$9,531, which the comptroller-general had sworn was issued in settlement of A. C. Smith & Company's claim, was presented at the bank by J. B. Daggett. It was accepted without endorsement as the check had been made payable to "A. C. Smith & Company or The Bank of Montreal." Mr. Hawkins, the bank manager, swore that part of the proceds of this check was used to retire a note drawn by J. B. Daggett in favor of George B. Jones and endorsed by Mr. Jones, a note which Mr. Jones afterwards testified was a matter of personal accommodation for Mr. Daggett. The balance of the preceeds of the check were placed to the credit of Mr. Daggett in a special account and withdrawn by him by his personal check in favor of A. C. Smith & Company. The second illustration shows this check.

Both these documents were submitted in court to H. H. Morton, who was with Mr. Daggett for three years as clerk in the department. Com paring the two documents the witness said that some of the letters were similar and some were not. He was not sure that it was the same writing.

NO ARMISTICE WHILE GERMANY CONTINUES ATROCITIES IS REPLY

Washington, Oct. 14-President Wilson today informed Germany that the only condition upon which an armistice can be granted is that atrocities on

He also gave notice that autocracy must go before final peace can come When the time to consider an armistice comes, the president said, the military advisors of the United States and the Allies will be consulted and no military advantage of the armies fighting the Central Powers will be lost. The official interpretation of the note as openly expressed was: "Autoc-

President Wilson's reply to the German peace note was vigorously applauded when read to the senate immediately after it had been made public. The senate had remained in session late in order to receive it.

One outstanding point which does not appear in the president's note - a point in which the world has been asking questions-can be answered tonight. When the president declared that the wrong done to France when Germany took Alsace-Lorraine should be right ed, he meant that Alsace-Lorraine should



FIRE IN WOODSTOCK

With the Canadian Forces in the Field, 10 p. m., Oct. 12, via London, Oct. 14, delayed—(By J. F. B. Livesay, Canadian Press correspondent)—After strenuous and continuous fighting culminating in the capture of Cambrai last Wednesday, it might be supposed that the Canadian Corps had earned and needed rest in those days and particularly on September 13 and October 1 when our infantry threw back counter attack after counter attack of the enemy who vainly sought to unloose our hold on the city.

This corps went through the hardest ding-dong fighting of its history, but so fae is its spirit from being quenched that during the last three days its elements engaged have lived up to its highest traditions, and have reaped fresh laurels. Woods/ock, Oct. 14—A fire that threatened destruction of the whole town occurred this morning breaking out about 1 o'clock in a wooden block in the store occupied by James Motive, was planned for yesterday of the store occupied by James Motive, was planned for yesterday on the was a most special party of the waster of the flame, although it looked serious for this building proved, as of the flame, although it looked serious for this building at one time. It is one of the waster of the flame, although it looked serious for this building at one time. It is one of the waster of the flame, although it looked serious for this building proved, as of the flame, although it looked serious for the building which the looked party of the waster of the flame, although it looked serious for the building which the looked party of the waster of the flame, although it looked serious for the building which the looked party is the waster of the flame, although it looked serious for the building which the late of the looked party of the waster of the flame, although it looked serious for the building which the looked party is the waster of the flame, although it looked serious for the building which the looked party is the waster of the flame, although it looked serious for the building which were allowed prefer the looked party of the waster will were authorized, have been received at the looked party of the waster will be a special program of the waster will be a Woodstock, Oct. 14—A fire that threat-ened destruction of the whole town occurred this morning breaking out about

plaining the small insurance carried. The water pressure was excellent and ten streams were continually kept on the burning area. As a precaution an engine was kept in readiness near the river. It is expected that the loss will be adjusted this week. The loss is roughly estimated at \$35,000.

THE CANADIANS AGAIN.

(Toronto Star.)

BIG ALLIED GAINS OVER **WEEK-END AND HOLIDAY**

New York, Oct. 14-The Associated Press tonight issued the following: Peace talk pervades the air, but it is falling on deaf ears so far as the armies in the field are concerned. Instead of a relaxation in the intensity of the lighting, new hostilities on what seemingly is a major scale are being carried out by the British, French and Belgians in Belgian Flanders.

Having cleased out the old Laon salient and made advances northward in Champagne which are menacing the retirement of the Germans eastward to-ward the Valenciennes-Mezieres-Metz line, General Foch has ordered a drive in the Lys River region of Flanders toward Ghent which threatens to break entirely the grip of the Germans in Belgium all the way from the frontier to the coast and likewise to eliminate the big bulge in the line with Lille as its

Ghent has been outflanked. The French Flavigny to Sissonne, east of Laon. troops alone are said to have taken German Retreat Endangered. 3,000 prisoners, while the Belgians have

CANADIANS STILL IN

ACTION ON SATURDAY:

WIN FRESH LAURELS

FROM DANDRUFF

Draw a Moist Cloth Through Hair and Double Its Beauty

at Once

While the latest communication from been enabled to make further crossings of the Aisne and to materially better their front eastward, notwithstanding the stoic defence of the enemy who reatheatre and that prisoners have been taken in the fighting, despatches from headquarters assert that Roulers have been captured and that Courtrai, the junction point on the railway leading to

captured several complete batteries and guns and numerous prisoners. Just how mide the new front of attack is has not become apparent. It stated that the new advance has brought the Allied troops within range of the enemy coast defences but that the guns from the United States, the fierce-ness defences but that the guns from the United States, the fierce-ness defences but that the guns from the united States, the fierce-ness defences but that the guns from the united States, the fierce-ness defences but that the guns from the united States, the fierce-ness defences but that the guns from the united States, the fierce-ness defences but that the guns from the united States, and thereby and thereby states are set and the state of the Americans on both sides of the Meuse river. Vicious counter-attacks are being delivered against the men from the United States, the fierce-ness of the assaults indicating that fresh forces have been brought into the fray to halt their do-or-die efforts to procoast defences but that the guns from them have offered no opposition.

Meantime to the south the Germans are offering stiff opposition to the British southwest of Valenciennes and on the Solesmes sector in an endeavor to prevent the closing in the Lille sack and the capture of this important town and also Valenciennes, which are in precarious positions if a pincher movement gets well under way.

At last reports the Germans were all their do-or-die efforts to proceed up the river valleys and thereby compell the Germans in case of a retreat to wend their way obliquely northeastward, instead of eastward, toward the German border. Concentrations of artillery are being used against the American positions at various places.

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Probably the greatest resistance of all

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(g) Imperial battalion, red triangle.

(h) Machine gun section.

(i) Field company, engineers' letters,

"C. E.," embroidered in red.

(j) All other units, purple patch only.

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Unto the least of these"

RIVET your eyes on this picture of a Belgian mother and child, until you feel the full horror of the situation! Thousands of these orphans, dying of starvation, might now be living in comfort and plenty, had their soldier fathers not flung themselves into the breach when the Hun invaded Belgium.

Conditions are simply ghastly. The United States loans to the Belgian Government finance the general relief work, but this only provides a bowl

The Canadian Bureau in Brusse will administer funds, and provide means for getting the ailing children where they can be saved from a

meal, do SOMETHING for the

Headquarters: 59 St. Peter St., Montreal.

fair price." Mr. Baruch continued, "that is very difficult to answer. I should say roughly that a fair price is/a price something like the normal profit in normal times. I know you will say that these are abnormal times. They are, and we have got to do abnormal things. To the request that representatives be named to confer with the War Industries' Board in matters of distribution and price control, the association appointed a war service committee composed of William Mann, Chicago; George W. Hitton, Boston; H. J. Tilley, Philadelphia; S. W. Reyburn, New York; F. R. Pike, Dayton, O.; Oscar L. Webber, Detroit, and Francis Kilduff, La Salle, Ills.

Though no details of the plan to be followed in controlling clothing prices have been announced by the board, it is beleved that the general policy adopted in fixing the prices of shoes will be followed. Standard prices for standard grades of men's and women's suits, hats and other articles of clothing probably will be established by agreement with manufacturers and retailers.

By the agreement reached by the board and the shoe industry, additional details of which were made public Thursday, the programme and styles of shoes under the regulated price plan will conform to that announced by the board in June whereby both styles and colors were restricted. A number of manufacturers of high grades shoes, the agreement provides that shoes to manufacturers of high grades shoes, the agreement provides that shoes to manufacturer of the price plan will conform to that announced by the board in June whereby both styles and colors were restricted. A number of manufacturers of high grades shoes, the agreement provides that shoes the standardized grades. To prevent for the standardized grades. To prevent ware the very and the standardized grades of men's last price plan will conform to that announced by the board in the price side of the plan to the price side of the plan to the price plan will conform to that announced by the board in the price plan will conform to that announced b



