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## WAR SUMMARY

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

Austria-Hungary has gone out of the war. She has accepted the conditions of the allies under an armistice which went into force at 3 o'clock this morning. With this surrender and the successful revolt of the Slav population the old empire of the Hapsburgs ceases to be. It was an artificial creation, held together through the centuries by an iron despotism and a skilful playing of the national rivalries against another. Tyranny has long flourished under nobles and money lenders. Ever since the war began Austria has been a millstone about the neck of the German war machine. In addition to the blunders of the German general staff, Germany had to shoulder the burden of the Austrian general staff. The Austrian army sustained three defeats from Serbia, half a dozen defeats from Russia and three or four from Italy. Bankrupt when she began the war, her finances now must be in indescribable chaos. Austria-Hungary collapsed upon the defeat of Germany on the western front and the crushing of Bulgaria on the eastern front. The opening of a new allied front, the Hungarians, along the Danube, was the final strain that snapped the bonds of union.

In the last few days before Austria went out the Italians achieved a brilliant and decisive victory. They captured 100,000 prisoners and 2000 odd guns; they have occupied Trieste and Trent. The holding of Trent opens a way for an attack thru the Tyrol upon the Bavarian frontier. The whole Austrian military organization suffered a general collapse. On the Hungarian front the French and Serbians have recaptured Belgrade, have reached the Bosnian frontier, have thrown the Germans and Austrians, beaten, across the Danube.

In France, while the German leaders were parleying with the allies for an armistice, the British, French, Americans and Belgians have again heavily defeated the German army. Attacks and repulsing the enemy before Valenciennes, the Canadians occupied the town, and they and the British again attacked the Germans and compelled them to retreat from this region. Further north, American forces upon the Scheldt threw the Germans backwards and entered the outskirts of Audenarde. Belgian troops in company with British and French forces have driven the Germans precipitately towards Ghent, and are about two miles distant from the town. The allies here have also made a general advance forward upon a wide front and have reached the banks of the Escaut River. In the south the French pressure on the Alsace and the American pressure along the Meuse became so effective as to drive the Germans from the easily defensible region of the Argonne. The enemy, under a strong attack, got thrown from the heights of the Aisne. The French crushed his resistance and occupied the following villages: Tones, Belleville, Quatre Champs, Noiral, Les Alleux and Chailion-sur-Bar. They also carried the Valenciennes-Chenevans Woods. They have thus liberated the Argonne.

The German army is beaten and can never recover. In a little more than 100 days the allies have taken 362,355 prisoners and 6217 guns. The enemy has lost every battle since July 15. That date will ever stand forth as the turning point in the campaign. It marks the beginning of the end for Germany under Prussian

leadership. Prussia has lost the war because her genius is mechanical and her boasted system of efficiency is so shoddy. It long imposed upon the world, but not upon everybody. Koch before the war began investigated and described German efficiency as a combination of muddle and stupidity. When the allies put in control of their armies men who knew the deficiencies of efficiency they then began to win the war.

The allies' supreme war council at Versailles has some matters still to clear up before submitting its terms of armistice to Germany. In order to achieve their full war aims the allies require a complete military victory, and as to destroy forever the legend of Prussia's superior leadership and to expel Prussia from the hegemony of Germany. The modern Germany is purely an artificial state, founded by Bismarck. Prussia, which was organized for loot and grew from small beginnings into a large state by plundering her neighbors, owing to a series of victories found herself powerful enough to organize a German confederation. Bismarck carefully chose the members of that confederation and he excluded from it the Germans of the Danube Valley. He did not aim at German unity so much as at a powerful Prussia. The Hohenzollerns obtained the imperial crown because they were the line of Prussian kings and their tenure of the German throne symbolized the supremacy of Prussia in the German Empire. The present internal political revolt against the Hohenzollerns is a revolt against Prussian leadership in Germany. So long as the German war organization remained strong, and under Prussian control, the smaller German states had to remain in the empire thru fear. As soon as the German military organization is smashed, the empire of Bismarck's dreams may fall asunder.

### BUY ANOTHER INSURANCE COMPANIES HIT BY THE EPIDEMIC

There is an aspect to the influenza epidemic that is only now coming to the notice of the general public, but which has long since been felt by the various insurance companies. In several cases in Toronto victims of influenza had only recently taken out life insurance policies and had paid but one premium when overtaken by the disease from which death followed.

One case in particular is that of a man to whom a certain Toronto solicitor succeeded in selling a \$2000 policy. The policy arrived on a Monday, was delivered and the balance owing on the premium was paid. It was only a few days previously that the risk had been passed by the company's physician. On Tuesday the man became affected with influenza and died within a few days. He was buried before the week was out. The company has already paid the \$2000, which was four weeks in advance. He was also a refund of 75 cents for the three weeks of the month which the man did not live.

It was stated yesterday that these cases are typical of many others which have occurred during the influenza epidemic.

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## RESULTS IN ONTARIO

Showing Divisions, Districts, Amounts Collected Special Subscriptions and Percentage of Objectives.

G. H. Wood, provincial chairman, handed out the following comment on the situation in Ontario up to Saturday night:

The close of the first week of the big campaign finds that our total has just passed the \$30,000,000 mark. It is interesting to note that at this time in the last campaign the total was only \$26,000,000, showing our figures this year to be \$2,000,000 ahead of last year.

While the workers thru the province are to be congratulated upon rolling up such a magnificent total, especially in the face of lack of meetings and so much sickness, it will be seen that this ratio must be materially increased if we are to reach or surpass our goal of \$50,000,000.

We are looking to our team workers to produce \$175,000,000 of this total, while the special subscription committee is expected to turn in \$75,000,000 from its large subscriptions. Up to Saturday evening, however, the teams had only produced \$28,000,000 of their \$175,000,000 while the specials had reported \$42,000,000 of their \$75,000,000.

This clearly shows that the specials are considerably over their quota at this date while the teams have yet to make up in the next two weeks 78 per cent of their quota.

The second week is the critical one in the campaign and it will require united and persistent work on the part of everyone to bring our total at the end of next week up to where it ought to be.

Summary by Divisions.

Division	Total	Pct. of Amount Objective
Toronto	\$28,004,100	35.76
Ottawa Valley	5,828,150	30.85
Eastern	7,974,700	42.12
Central	5,614,990	32.46
Western	5,015,900	37.49
Hamilton and Niagara	10,852,500	39.79
London and Southern	8,623,250	34.87
Northern	3,775,500	36.04
Grand total, province	\$50,120,300	36.22

City of Toronto.

To Date	Objective	Pct.
Canvassers	\$ 8,131,100	19.95
Specials	20,433,000	52.37
Total	28,564,100	35.76

Ottawa Valley

Division	Total	Pct.
Ottawa	1,931,100	25.75
Canvassers	1,757,000	60.20
Specials	3,958,100	35.53
Carleton	333,400	33.34
Canvassers	325,100	29.51
Specials	679,150	29.95
Renfrew	60,250	13.28
Canvassers	52,900	13.26
Specials	92,800	13.30
Dundas, Stormont and Glengarry	478,400	21.52
Canvassers	100,000	10.00
Specials	378,400	21.52
Lanark	391,000	23.70
Canvassers	1,000	4.00
Specials	401,000	21.11

Eastern

Division	Total	Pct.
Leeds and Grenville	889,850	40.45
Canvassers	368,000	73.00
Specials	1,234,550	46.43
Frontenac	497,850	28.45
Canvassers	1,775,500	57.50
Specials	1,072,500	39.01
Lennox and Addington	290,000	32.22
Canvassers	115,000	29.16
Specials	315,000	32.16
Prince Edward	268,650	29.25
Canvassers	268,650	29.85
Specials	416,850	19.55
Hastings	9,000	6.00
Canvassers	125,800	15.39
Specials	403,600	25.23
Peterborough	185,500	75.20
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Hamilton	1,587,600	19.24
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Specials	6,972,100	49.61
Western	500,450	32.52
Canvassers	1,612,550	46.87
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Halton	435,050	36.25
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Specials	580,700	32.79
Welland	710,400	21.53
Canvassers	2,883,000	72.33
Specials	5,993,400	49.50
Middlesex	375,900	15.71
Canvassers	735,150	46.87
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Total	575,150	26.52
Kenora	376,250	22.82
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## MRS. MARY TINGLE DIES IN EIGHTY-FIRST YEAR

On Saturday the death occurred of Mary Tingle, at her late residence, 279 East Gerrard street. Mrs. Tingle, who was in her 81st year, was the widow of the late Andrew Tingle and the mother of William Tingle, secretary-treasurer of Shea's Theatre. A few days ago Mrs. Tingle fell, breaking a leg, and failed to survive the shock of the injury. The funeral, which will be private, will take place at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

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## COL. R. K. BARKER GOES TO TORONTO HEADQUARTERS

Lieut.-Col. R. K. Barker, commander of the Canadian Garrison Regiment, C.E.F., Exhibition Camp, it is announced, will go to Toronto military headquarters, to be assistant adjutant-general. He organized and went overseas, in 1916, in command of the 95th Battalion. It is expected that he will be succeeded in the command of the Garrison Regiment by Major Alex. C. Lewis, who will also be promoted to the rank of lieutenant-colonel. Major Lewis, who went overseas with the 216th Battalion, was wounded twice. He was formerly secretary of the Toronto Harbor Commission.

BUY ANOTHER STOLE DETECTIVE'S CAR.

## BUY ANOTHER EDUCATIONAL MISSION.

The British Educational Mission arrived in Toronto yesterday. It consists of Arthur Shipley, vice-chancellor of the University of Cambridge, Toronto; Sir Henry Jones, formerly of the University of London, now vice-chancellor of the University of Manchester; Rev. Ed. L. Evans, librarian of the University of Oxford; Sir Henry Jones, representing Glasgow University; Dr. John Joly, representing Trinity College, Dublin.

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## THREE SOLDIERS HURT WHEN MOTORS COLLIDE

As a result of a motor car collision, which occurred between Alice street and Trinity square on Yonge street early Sunday morning, four people were taken to the General Hospital suffering from various injuries, and Gordon G. Hargreaves, 8 Crescent road, a returned soldier, suffering from shell shock, is under arrest on a charge of criminal negligence. According to the police, Hargreaves, driving a runabout car, had picked up three mechanics—George Semlin, three girls, and was driving down Yonge street when he crashed into the car driven by Jack Toggins, 520 Bathurst street, who was accompanied by Earl Estelle, 333 Bathurst street. The three girls escaped injury, but the mechanics—George Semlin, S. Flinn and William Mackenzie—when examined at the hospital, were all found to be more or less injured, the most serious being Mackenzie, who was suffering from a dislocated shoulder. Estelle, who was in the car driven by Toggins, was treated for several scalp wounds and, afterwards able to go home.

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