

MONTREAL TO STERNLY PUNISH CONSCRIPTION RIOTERS

SLAYS EVACUATE  
STRONG FORTRESS  
TO TEUTON ARMS

Capital of Podolia and City Praskarov In Poland Have Abandoned To the Enemy.

London, Aug. 8.—The newspaper Aovoye Vremya of Petrograd reports that the Russians have evacuated Proskurov, in Podolia, on the Bug, as well as Kamenetz-Podolsk, 52 miles south.

Kamenetz-Podolsk is the capital of Podolia, on the Smotritsch, an affluent of the Dniester. Under the Poles it was an important fortress. Its population is 34,500. Proskurov is on the main road from Kamenetz-Podolsk, in the same province. It has a population of 23,000.

SURRENDER TO HUNS  
WOULD BE SLAVERY,  
SAYS GEN. KORNILOFF

New Russ Commander Says Such Thing Impossible.

NEED THE ALLIES' AID

Premier Kerensky Urges Cabinet To Concentrate On National Defence.

London, Aug. 8.—The correspondent of the Times at the headquarters of the Seventh Russian Army, talked with General Korniloff on the eve of his departure to take over the supreme command. General Korniloff said: "The first stage of the war is over. The second phase begins today."

The correspondent says the Russian commander repudiates the possibility of the Russians surrendering. He holds that if Russia concludes a dishonorable peace to which traitors have been driving her she will become a German colony. The Germans would seize her foodstuffs, enroll her men and treat her as a conquered nation. There could be no choice between the evil of war and the evil of surrender.

The new government must realize the necessity of inviting the allies to help in reorganizing the railway service for warfare. If Germany decided, not all signs indicate, to transfer the main pressure to the Russian front, it would be hopeless to rely on methods that availed against the inferior Austrian troops.

Russia is full of splendid fighting men. Ten millions have already been enrolled, but they are scarcely trained. They are too busy attending meetings instead of drilling. The Russian front must be helped by British and French officers, as Serbians, Rumanians, Greeks and Americans have been.

APPEALS TO CABINET.

Petrograd, Aug. 7.—The first meeting of the new government was held today. Premier Kerensky presided, and said the cabinet must concentrate all its attention on national defence and organization of the country, principally in connection with financial and economic affairs.

He appealed to the members of the cabinet to redouble their efforts toward organizing and consolidating the Government. Foreign Minister Tseretzkoy, who left later for general headquarters accompanied by his family, the Rumanian minister, explained the object of his journey.

He said the Government had decided to abolish the post of procurator-general of the Holy Synod, and create a ministry of public worship.

CARRY ON WAR TILL  
HUNS VANQUISHED,  
NEW ZEALAND'S WISH

Wellington, N. Z., Aug. 8.—Amid the greatest enthusiasm the New Zealand Parliament today passed a resolution in favor of "carrying on the war until Germany has been vanquished."

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 84; lowest, 52.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 75; lowest, 68.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COOL.

Toronto, Aug. 8.—8 a.m. Forecast: Fair, with light winds, and a moderate disturbance.

Fresh southwest to west winds, partly fair, with thunderstorms in many localities.

Thursday—Fresh to strong west to north-west winds, and cooler.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

| Stations     | High | Low | Weather |
|--------------|------|-----|---------|
| Victoria     | 62   | 50  | Clear   |
| Calgary      | 65   | 34  | Clear   |
| Winnipeg     | 62   | 30  | Clear   |
| Port Arthur  | 60   | 50  | Fair    |
| Parry Sound  | 80   | 64  | Cloudy  |
| Port Stanley | 70   | 50  | Cloudy  |
| Buffalo      | 64   | 58  | Cloudy  |
| Toronto      | 75   | 68  | Cloudy  |
| Kingston     | 70   | 60  | Cloudy  |
| Ottawa       | 74   | 64  | Cloudy  |
| Montreal     | 80   | 66  | Cloudy  |
| Quebec       | 80   | 66  | Cloudy  |
| Father Point | 79   | 64  | Clear   |

Weather Notes.

Pressure is high over the western provinces and on the Atlantic coast, while a moderate disturbance is centered over Northern Ontario. Showers have occurred in many parts of the West and in Ontario, while in the East the weather has been fine.

FOUR AMERICANS  
SLAIN BY HUNS  
WHEN SHIP SUNK

Placed On Sub Deck, Stripped of Lifebelts and Left To Drown.

London, Aug. 8.—Four Americans were lost on the British steamer Belgian Prince, which was sunk July 31 by a German submarine. One American is among the survivors. The four who lost their lives were: William Crispy, or Hughes, Philadelphia; James Shaw, Detroit; Thomas Gilmore, Merrick, Mass.; Ben Cain, negro, Norfolk, Va. The sole American survivor is William Snell, a negro, from Jacksonville, Fla. The American consul at a British port today heard from his lips the story of the murder of the crew.

Thirty-eight of the crew of the steamer were drowned and three others were rescued by a patrol boat and taken to a British port. The survivors say the submarine shelled the vessel, after which the commander ordered the crew to take to the boats and no alongside the submarine. According to the survivors the Germans removed the lifebelts and clothing from all the crew except eight, smashed the lifeboats with axes, then re-entered the submarine and closed the hatches, leaving the men on deck. After traveling on the surface for several miles, the U-boat then submerged.

ROOT HOPEFUL OF  
RUSS COME-BACK;  
MORALE OF NATION  
IS DECLARED GOOD

American Commission Optimistic Over Conditions in Russia.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8.—The American mission to Russia, headed by Elihu Root, returned to Washington today to report to President Wilson on the results of its three months' trip. Delegation of government officials met the party at the railroad station. Arrangements were made at the White House for President Wilson to receive Mr. Root and all the members of the mission accompanying him at 1 o'clock this afternoon. It is said that Mr. Root will make a partial report at the brief conference today, but will make a fuller report later.

Major General Scott, chief of staff of the army, who spent much time at the front, will report to Secretary of War Baker. The general was with the Russian army part of the time it was in route before the commission and is expected to bring much valuable military information.

Commission Hopeful.

The mission returned filled with optimism over conditions in the new republic and the chances of Russia doing her part to the end of the great war. Assurance was given that the United States will remain in the war to the end and improve the facilities for the commission to be among the outstanding needs of Russia.

"The situation is very hopeful," Mr. Root said. "America's entrance into the war has had a good effect. The morale of the Russian people is good, and altogether I should say the outlook is encouraging."

BOY FALLS OFF WAGON,  
CRUSHED UNDER WHEELS

Stratford, Aug. 8.—Vivian Powell, aged 4½ years, was fatally crushed beneath the wheels of a gravel wagon this morning. He was riding with his cousin and was bumped off the wagon at a street crossing, where he was killed.

The lad's home is in Stratford, and he was visiting in the city.

DISORDERS AT BAHIA.

Bahia, Brazil, Aug. 8.—Disorders have been caused here by the high cost of living. Two persons were killed and a number wounded in conflicts with the police.

CONTEST CANDIDATES  
WILL GET WELCOME  
SURPRISE TOMORROW

Watch for Announcement; It Will Specially Interest Those Now Low in the List—Flood of Subscriptions From Two Free Trips Offer—Harvey Mitchell Leads for the Grand Prize.

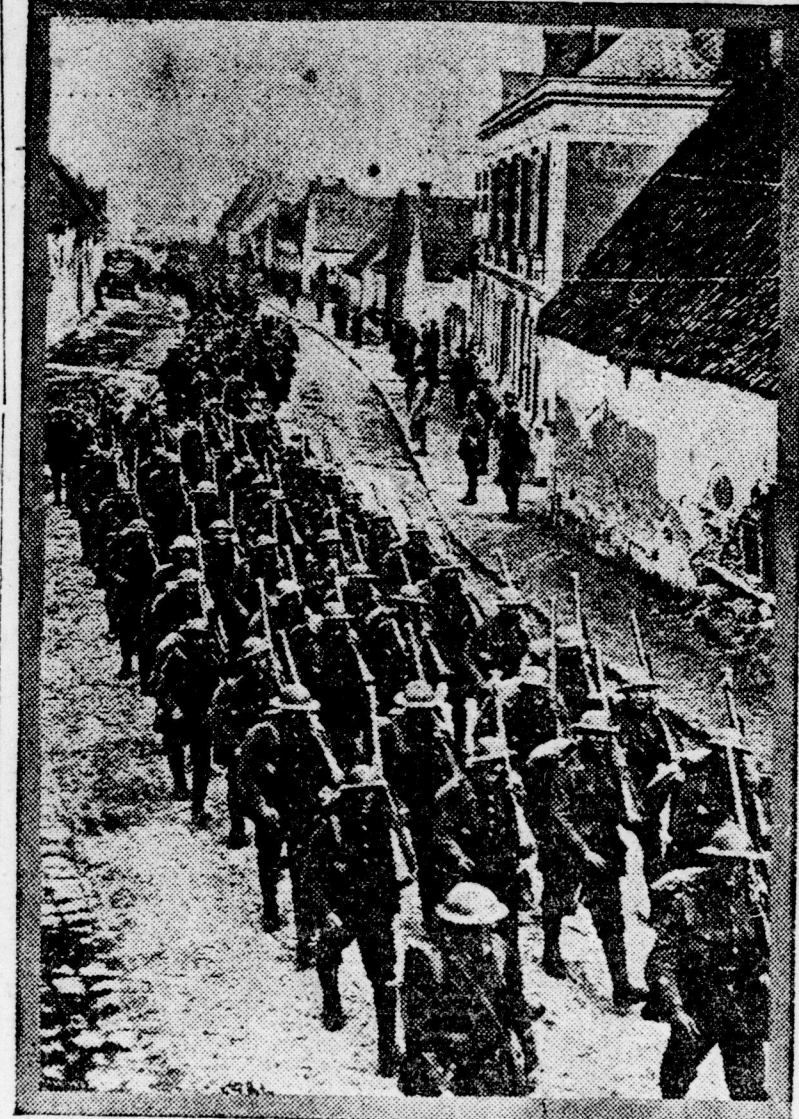
The biggest and best surprise in the contest will be announced in tomorrow's paper. It will be of very great interest to the several hundred candidates and their many thousands of friends. It will interest those who are now low in the list and may be the means of helping some of them into a winning position for one of the regular prizes. Be sure and get tomorrow's paper and read this special announcement as it may be just the "something" you have been looking for.

The winner of the "Two Free Trips" will be announced this week. The contest department lost all track of everything in connection with the special offer when the returns commenced coming in yesterday morning. It may take considerable time in checking all the returns, which may delay in making the announcement of the winner.

District No. 1 again leads in the race for the Grand Prize. Today it is Harvey Mitchell, Grand avenue, who is close onto the million and a half mark. Saturday will no doubt see many changes in standing, as it is now a question as to "how quick" a candidate may pass into the "million class."

Harvey Mitchell, District No. 1.

GALLANT NEWFOUNDLANDERS



The Newfoundland Regiment which won fame by heroic defence of Monchy, are shown marching back to their billets after that historic engagement.

MONTREAL'S MAYOR WARNS CITY  
DISORDER OVER CONSCRIPTION  
WILL BE SEVERELY REPRESSED

Citizens Are Appealed To To Refrain From Resisting the Enforcement of Conscription Act—Mayor Says He Expects Borden Government Will Be Defeated and Conscription Repealed.

Montreal, Aug. 8.—An announcement that the municipality will repress with severity any attempt at disorder that may be made in connection with the enforcement of the conscription measure was made by Mayor Mederic Martin this morning.

Appeals for Order.

The mayor said in the course of his statement: "I consider it my duty to the city to appeal to the citizens to remain calm and dignified and not to be alarmed even if the Government at Ottawa should attempt to enforce conscription. The most serious danger which is to be held shortly. Any excess would do us enormous harm, and would be a disgrace to the city. Let the citizens not forget that they have defenders at Ottawa, and if these defenders are now a minority, this minority will soon be changed into such a crushing majority that our opponents will be astounded."

Expects Laurier To Win.

"It is now evident that in spite of all the influence exercised by Borden, Sir Thomas, Rogers and others of the same stamp, the Liberal convention which is being held at Winnipeg will give its unanimous support to Sir Wilfrid Laurier at the next election. Certain fanatics of Ontario are making desperate efforts to try to isolate the Province of Quebec at the coming elections, but so far from succeeding, if this ill-omened policy is not abandoned, it is not our province, but Ontario, which will be isolated."

Warns Against Violence.

"I would not be surprised if Ontario would try to isolate the Province of Quebec by resorting to violence in the event of the conscription act being finally adopted and an attempt being made to enforce such an act to seriously consider the consequences which their actions might have. Violence would only serve to ruin our cause and to place our chiefs in an inextricable situation. Our worst enemies ask for nothing better than to see anarchy in this province."

In connection with his announcement of repressive measures for disorders the mayor states that severe punishment will be inflicted on those who take part in them.

TONS OF EXPLOSIVES  
DROPPED ON FOE CAMP

Rome, Aug. 8.—There were lively encounters on the Trentino front yesterday, between Austro-Hungarian and Italian patrols, says the report issued by the Italian war department. Italian squadrons on Monday and Tuesday dropped four tons of high explosives on the Austrian military camp in the Chiavino Valley, causing great destruction.

HOME RULE CONVENTION

More Sanguine Feeling Prevails as Conference Reassembles.

Dublin, Aug. 8.—The Irish home rule convention reassembled today. Since it was adjourned July 26 a more sanguine feeling has developed that the conference will have good results.

Importance is attached here to the interview which Sir Horace Plunkett, the chairman of the convention, had with King George, it being taken to indicate the royal interest in the proceedings.

All the Dublin newspapers today give prominence to a letter from Sinclair, a leading Ulster Unionist, strongly favoring a home rule settlement, including all Ireland.

"SERIOUS SITUATION" IS VIEW  
OF LIBERAL COMMITTEE AS IT  
SEEKS ACCEPTABLE WAR POLICY

ARMY AND NAVY VETERANS  
WANT NATIONAL GOVERNMENT

Winnipeg, Aug. 8.—Army and navy veterans last night adopted a resolution which they will seek to present to a representative committee from the Liberal convention urging the necessity of a national government composed of representatives of the two great powers, Canada and Great Britain, representatives of labor, agriculture and other industries and other important classes of our people, for the purpose of carrying out the proposed policy of conscription and an aggressive win-the-war program.

LADY BECK IS TOLD  
OF BROTHER'S DEATH,  
FLYING IN PALESTINE

Flight Lieut. Malcolm C. Crerar Dies of Accidental Injuries in Holy Land, After Serving with the Aviation Corps in Egypt.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Hamilton, Aug. 8.—A cablegram from the war office in London brought the sad news to Mrs. P. D. Crerar yesterday afternoon that her youngest son, Flight Lieut. Malcolm Crerar, had died of accidental injuries on Aug. 7. Malcolm Crerar had just reached his 19th birthday.

He was educated at Highbury School, Hamilton, Upper Canada College, Toronto, and the Royal Military College, Kingston. He received a commission in the Royal Flying Corps at Reading.

Injured in Palestine.

After three months training in advanced courses in aviation, he was sent to Egypt, and subsequently took part in the campaign in Palestine, where he later sustained the injuries which resulted in his death. No particulars have yet been received of how he was killed.

In the death of Malcolm Crerar, a career of great promise has been cut short. He could have done no more for his King and country, and made the great sacrifice with the same high courage and cheerfulness which adorned him in his lifetime.

Brother Commands Battalion.

The late Lieut. Crerar was a brother of Major H. D. G. Crerar, the present commanding officer of the famous "Fighting Eleventh" Battalion of this city.

Flight Lieut. Crerar was a brother of Lady Beck of this city, and had been in the city many times before the war. Lady Beck was notified yesterday of the tragic end of the brilliant young aviator, and left for her mother's home at Hamilton.

DOCTOR MEETS DEATH  
WHEN HOUSE BURNS;  
TWO OTHERS MAY DIE

Early Morning Fire Tragedy Near Picton, Ont.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Picton, Aug. 8.—Dr. Bean was burned to death and his wife and baby so terribly burned that they have slight chances of recovery when their residence was completely destroyed by fire, about 5 o'clock this morning at Picton, Ont. The cause of the fire is unknown. The house was all in flames when Dr. Bean and his wife were awakened. They rescued the baby and put the child out of a window. Mrs. Bean managed to get out of the house, but her baby was overcome by the smoke and perished. The baby was not recovered this forenoon.

ENEMY TRENCHES  
RAIDED BY HAIG;  
FOE BOMBARDS

Germany Open Active Shelling of British Positions Around Ypres.

London, Aug. 7.—German artillery last night began an active bombardment of the British front in Belgium to the east and north of Ypres. British troops in the course of the night raided the German trenches near Lombarczyk and returned with some prisoners and machine guns. The text of the official statement given out by the British war office today says:

Paris of British troops successfully raided the enemy's trenches last night near Lombarczyk and captured some prisoners and a machine gun.

"The enemy's artillery was active during the night to the east and north of Ypres, particularly in the neighborhood of Westhoek and the Ypres-Staden railway."

MINISTER RESCUES GIRLS  
WHEN CRAFT OVERTURNS,  
BUT PERISHES HIMSELF

Newton, N. J., Aug. 8.—The Rev. John Scandrett, Methodist Episcopal minister of Lafayette, N. J., was drowned in Deer Pond near here yesterday after he had rescued two young women, members of his congregation, who had been thrown into the water when their boat overturned.

When the boat tipped over the clergyman, who was standing on the bank, put out in another boat, as he reached the girls, who were clinging to the capsized craft, he leaped into the water and helped them into his boat. While he was swimming behind the boat, pushing it towards shore, he became exhausted and sank as he called for help. There was no one at hand to go to his rescue. His body was recovered.

CHEERS FOR MAX

Brussels Lawyers Elect Imprisoned Burgomaster President of Association.

Brussels, Aug. 8.—Lawyers of Brussels have unanimously elected Adolphe Max, the heroic burgomaster of Brussels, imprisoned by Germans, as president of the Bar Association, according to the received here. According to the announcement, the election was received with rousing cheers, regardless of the fact that German soldiers were at the Palace of Justice, where the election took place.

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Amend Banking Act  
To Help Prairie Farmer  
Will Be A Demand of Winnipeg  
Convention—Cold Storage  
Resolution Under Consideration.

Winnipeg, Aug. 8.—It was 10:30 a.m. today when the Liberal convention was called to order by Chairman Hamilton, who announced that the work of the convention was pretty well advanced, and that "questions arising out of the war" would soon come up for consideration.

Only Two Resolutions.

There were only two resolutions on hand, he said. The convention was keeping up with the resolutions committee. These two resolutions dealt with banking and cold storage. The convention would read that the bank act should be so amended as to permit the creation of local agricultural banks under proper Government supervision, with provision for rediscount facilities under federal control, all such banks to have a minimum paid-up capital of \$50,000, with power to lend on chattel securities, but without power to establish branches.

Banks and the Farmer.

Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Saskatchewan, said the banking system of Canada had many things to commend it, and so far as it applied to commercial activities, had served the public fairly well, but in regard to agricultural interests of the West it left much to be desired. Mr. Motherwell remarked that nearly all the minor questions to come before the convention would deal with the question that was occupying the minds of every man and woman in Canada. J. H. Haslam, seconding the resolutions committee, said the convention was engaged in considering the win-the-war resolution and they were impressed with the seriousness of the situation. The members of the committee were trying their best to settle the matter, and were bringing every resource of diplomacy to the consideration of the question as he was sure the convention would do later in the day. They wanted to form a policy, so that all Liberals will be able to unite throughout the West, and a policy by which the whole Liberal party of Western Canada can be united.

The question of credit in all its phases and aspects was the most important before Canada after the win-the-war necessities, declared Mr. Haslam. "We are trustees for this western land, and it is absolutely necessary that every acre of land should be cultivated to the fullest extent," he continued. "We must have the cheapest money in the world."

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CROWN PRINCE AGAIN  
STOPPED BY FRENCH

Attacks Made at Several Points Along Aisne Are Repulsed.

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