THURSDAY MORNING

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hoards, which run lengthwise of the bunk. Each squadron has a separate dining-room for the men, with a common, huge kitchen. A thousand men can be seated in the various dining-rooms, and shower baths, with hot and cold water, are pres-Frank Enright, 129 Peter street, was last night admitted to the Western Hospital suffering from a gashed ear and eye and sundry bad cuts about the The staff of instructors is a wonderful in a fight.

WAR SUMMARY THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED The weekly communication of the British admiralty on the losses of merchantmen from submarine attack in the past week, shows a notable and noteworthy reduction in the class of vessels under 1600 tons. Only

ider 1600 tons. Only park, where addresses were given by J. M. Walton, W. J. Bassett, W. J. Knowles, Dr. W. H. Taylor and others. Pte. Hil-lary is suffering from nervous breakdown and will go in a few days to the Con-valescent Home at Whitby . It was stated that the new school could not accommodate the pupils of these went down as against nine reported sunk in the preceding week. The total losses of vessels of more than 1600 tons burthen for the past week stand at 18, the same number as were sunk in the preceding the district. week. This report includes all mercantile tonnage, whether employed privately or by the government, and known as destroyed by mine or submarine. This, of course, includes British ships sunk in the Mediterrapean. The smallness of the losses in coasting vessels or those under 1600 tons, suggests that the British counter-campaign has driven the U-boats com-pletely out to sea. The arrivals and sailings from British ports in the past CLUB ENGAGES VETERAN. The directors of the Oakwood Lawn Bowling Club have engaged John Wildred Calhoun, a returned veteran, to superia-tend the club's green for the season 1917. Mr. Calhoun went overseas with the first contingent and fought in all the early battles of he war. He was wounded on several occasions and is now in a con-vialescent home in Toronto. week totaled 5487, as against 5423 the preceeding week. This news shows an encouraging gain. The destruction of 18 sea-going merchantmen against the same number destroyed last week, also suggests that the naval campaign has not succeeded so well against the large submarines. These have a great cruis-PTE. TEMPLETON WOUNDED. ing radius, they proceed far out to sea, and they stay out longer than the Mr. and Mrs. A. Templeton. Arlington avenue, Wychwood, received information yesterday that their son, Pte. John Tem-pleton, is in an English hospital suffersmaller fry, so they are harder to seek out and destroy. If the British navy, naval writers maintain, can have a reasonable amount of success against these craft, it dooms the submarine as a really effective instrument against commerce. The next few weeks will, perhaps, have an important ing from shrapnel wounds. story to tell, an important improvement in anti-submarine methods to dis-SCARBORO NEWS. close. The many successful encounters of merchantmen with the U-boats also show the great value and importance of arming merchantmen. Scarboro Old Boys please attend an-Sir Douglas Haig got down to a nine-word bulletin in his report from p.m., Saturday, June 2.

safeguarded the British workingman in-after-war conditions. President C. M. Logue of ward six association opened the meeting, and the election of officers for the Earlscourt branch of the association took place. The following were elected: Chairman, G. F. Doolan; secretary, Robert Sproule; executive, J. C. White, J. B. Johnson. Ald. J. Gibbons, J. T. Williams, R. M. McFarlane and W. Clements.

AURORA GIVES VETERANS STIRRING WELCOME

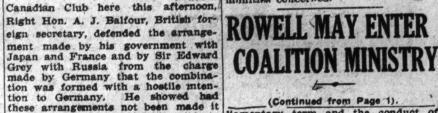
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Balfour said:

Photograph of part of the wreck of a C. P. R. freight train at Donlands yesterday, when twenty cars were piled up, caused by a spread rail. **BALFOUR SEES END**

when the war began. They have been faced not unsuccessfully. The trou-bles and difficulties which meet us as the war draws towards its termination are necessarily of a different kind. They are of a kind that every com-batant feels—which I am confident our enemies feel far more than ourselves— **OF WAR APPROACH** All Combatants Feel Relative Exhaustion of Men and Material. It is inevitable. I want to say to you that we have no subject for dis-couragement. It should only suggest and promote more vigorous efforts on the part of every one of the great com-Montreal, May 30 .- Addressing the

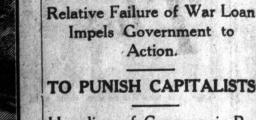


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who is to enter the new government. If may be confidently stated that Sir Robert Borden has not taken any of his present colleagues into his confi-dence, and leading Liberals, like Hon. George P. Graham, insist that the op-pacition members have no information tire world. It was obvious why Ger-many circulated the claim of hostile intent. The arrangement with Japan was patently outside the German queswas patently outside the German ques-tion, and the arrangement with France was intended to bring together two great peoples between whom petty, but none the less dangerous causes of friction were always arising, differ-ences aggravated as much as possible position members have no information from Sir Wilfrid Laurier as to what his plans may be in respect to a coali-

Discussing the war's progress,' Mr. outspoken in declaring themselves

lfour said: favor of a general election. thusiastically. but "There were troubles we had to dace The fate of the country seems to be avoid an election.



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RUSSIA MAY SEIZE

PRIVATE PROPERTY

Hoarding of Currency is Responsible for Necessity for Confiscation.

Petrograd, May 30, via London, May seriously considering a widespread scheme of confiscation of private pro-perty. This is the result of the relative failure of the war loan, due to the hoarding of currency. The correspondent of the Associated Press understands that the government tomorrow will issue a communication reporting capitalists for not subscrib-ing to the loan, and declaring that the aim of the war loan is to prevent the flooding of the country with fresh paper currency not backed by gold. The government, the communication will say, must, as things stand. issue more and more paper, with the result that a further depreciation in the paper al-

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ready issued will occur. The communication will add that the capitalists will feel that this kind of onfiscation is much more burdensome than voluntary subscriptions to an interest-bearing war loan. The sole aim of the confiscation being to call in of the confiscation being to can in paper money, war stocks will be ex-empted. The government will further remind persons who hoard currency that the confiscation by no means ex-hausts the category of possible pre-ventive and punitive measures.

Canadian Troops Sent Overseas Exceed Three Hundred Thousand

By a Staff Reporter. Ottawa, May 30. — Sir Edward Kemp stated in the commons today that the total number of officers and men who had sailed for England up to May 1 last, was 312,503. The num-ber of soldiers on duty in Canada on that date was 25,475. He said there was no record of the number of men who had been sent back to Canada as unfit for military duty.

in the hands of two men. The prime minister is ready for a coalition, but he is dealing with nobody except Sir Wilfrid Laurier. If a coalition is formed it will rely for support largely upon the public opinion of the coun-try rather than upon any dickering for votes and influence among the members of the house. The Conser-vatives are not anxious for an elec-tion, and the Liberals fear an elec-

Some of the private members on the government side are inclined to sulk at the idea of Liberals going into the government, and some of the private members on the opposition side are oftender in declarities the measure in conscription issue, althout on a plebiscite. On the whole it may be said that parliament would wel-

thusiastically, but as



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American Decoration Day is Observed at Hamilton by G.A.R.

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THE TORONTO WORLD

Hamilton Thursday, May 31 .-American decoration day was observed here yesterday by the members of the Col. W. W. Cooke Post, G.A.R. The graves of about sixty former members of the Grand Army of the Republic in the Hamilton and Holy Sepulchre cemeteries were visited and

decorated with floral offerings. Among those taking part were Dr. Banks Nelson, honorary chaplain; Capt. E. P. Coleman, a veteran of the

Hamilton, Thursday, May 81. On a charge of receiving stolen goods, Izaac Blomethal, a junk dealer of this city, was arrested last night by De-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Ger-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Ger-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Ger-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Ger-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Ger-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Ger-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Ger-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Ger-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Ger-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Ger-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Ger-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Ger-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Ger-tectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Gertectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Gertectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Gertectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Gertectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Gertectives Shirley and Smith. It is world. It was obvious why Gertectives Shirley and Smith Shirley S

slleged that he purchased a quantity of motor car accessories that had been stolen from a local garage.

the western front last night. Experience has shown that the less he speaks the more he does, for his work comes just before the battle. News from Bombs Dropped on Ghent the western front discloses that both the British and French are preparing for further offensive strokes on a grand scale. General Nivelle, for his part, only mentions a lively artillery action in the Champagne. The French batteries fired the last shots in this engagement. On the Salonica front the French record artillery activity only, the storm centres being the right bank of the Vardar and the Cerna Bend.

In the air above the German lines in France, the British have renewed the great aerial offensive with redoubled vigor, and the last few days have served as the occasion for the most desperate combats of the war in the sky. One of the encounters was fought 19,000 feet above the ground. The toll of German aircraft which the British destroyed in May runs up into the hundreds. Last Sunday's fighting accounted for thirty alone. Every night British squadrons drop many tons of explosives on military points back of the German lines.

The latest Italian attack north of Gorizia had a local objective and it succeeded in reaching it. The Italians kept up a heavy artillery action on the Julian front all yesterday. Three successive attempts of the Austrians failed to regain Hill 652. On the Carso Plateau, except west of Medeazza, where they occupied additional ground, the Italians continued the con-solidation of their new positions and the strengthening of their new line Their offensive has seemingly passed into the usual lull. It will rest with the British and the French, perhaps, to take up next the symphony in the "orchestra of Mars." The artillery firing on the Russian front, however has become livelier.

The peace program of the Austrian and German delegates to the Socialist conference at Stockholm, it would seem, contains adequate provisions to ensure the continuance of the war by the allies till doomsday. Besides other stipulations to which the allies have already expressed utter objection, this program calls for the restoration of freedom of commerce on land and sea, the modification of the protectionist system, the establishment of international administration for all maritime routes and inter- are of so uncertain a quality, and so

oceanic canals, and internationally built railways; the prohibition of capture or arming of merchantmen, abolition of prize courts; the reduction of the contraband list, removing from it, especially, all raw materials used for clothing or food; the modification of the rights of blockade and the restriction of mechanical means which may be employed in maritime and air warfare. The Socialist delegates express their opposition to the annexation of Belgium and declare their friendliness to Serbia's independence. They oppose annexations and indemnities.

Translated into plain English and into particular terms, the Socialist program, among other things, thus aims at restricting the maritime rights solute assurance that you are selectof Great Britain by preventing the capture or arming of merchantmen. By ing by long odds the best value in the the arming of merchantmen, always recognized in international law, the city at any price, and the special sale allies are providing them with protection against assassination by submar- price of thirty-two dollars.

ines. The capture of ships which the Socialists want given up has always been regarded, British authorities say, as a humane means of reducing the enemy to submission. The reduction of the contraband list as suggested, would permit Germany to import foodstuffs and cottons, all as valuable for the making of explosives and the clothing of armies as for the sustenance of the population and the clothing of civilians. Modification sustenance of the population and the clothing of civilians. Modification of the rights of blockade would, of course, favor Germany, which is now enduring the rigors of blockade. Germany has lost the command of the air. The Socialists therefore want modification of the mechanical means which may be employed in maritime and air warfare. The United States has built the Panama Canal, an interoceanic waterway, at its own expense. The Socialists want all interoceanic canals placed under international ad-ministration. This, it seems, would give Germany, Austria-Hungary and Turkey a voice in its administration, a potential excuse for intervention Turkey a voice in its administration, a potential excuse for intervention very well known in the Caledo some day.

By Aeroplanes of Allies

Amsterdam, via London, Thursday, May Amsterdam, via London, Thursday, May 21.—The Telegraaf says entente allied airplanes dropped bombs on Ghent, Bel-gium, Monday evening, partially demol-ishing the St. Pieter Station, one of the most important railroad centres in Bel-gium. The newspaper adds that many persons were killed or wounded, and that surrounding buildings were damaged

Fly From London to Rome With Three Stops on Way

London. Thursday; May 31.—The Daily Chronicle says Winston Churchill, former first lord of the admiralty, recently has been offered an important post in the government. The newspaper, however, says nothing concerning Col. Churchill's acceptance or declination of the offer.

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