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### REV. H. F. WARING OF CHICAGO PREACHED IN THE CITY YESTERDAY

Former St. John Man Preached Two Able Sermons in German Street Baptist Church—Large Congregations Prove Attentive Listeners.

Rev. H. F. Waring formerly of St. John, and now in charge of a church in Chicago, Illinois, occupied the pulpit at the German street Baptist church at the morning and evening services yesterday. Mr. Waring is a forceful and convincing speaker, and he held the close attention of his congregations at both services.

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### Boston Safety Fountain Pen

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# LOUIS ROBERT CECIL TELLS HOW HUNS PLANNED WAR

## NO QUESTION BUT THAT THE ENLIGHTENED POLICY OF GERMANY WAS CAUSE OF WORLD CONFLICT

### In Explicit Statement Lord Robert Cecil Explains How Great Britain Did Not Expect the War and How the Teutonic Powers, Especially Germany, Had Been Planning the Bold Stroke of that August Day in 1914.

London, Aug. 26.—"I see they again are talking in Germany about how England started the war," remarked Lord Robert Cecil, in an interview with The Associated Press. "It is an old story, but I think the time has come, particularly in the United States, when it is well to restate briefly the bald facts regarding the beginning of this great conflict.

"In every country there are men of many different opinions. The extreme war party in Germany actually welcomed and desired our entrance as it gave them an opportunity to kill two birds with one stone. The wiser ones no doubt hoped we would stay out as they could take us singly later, followed later, as an ambassador Gerard has pointed out, by the United States.

"This was the situation in Germany when the Sarajevo murders came and gave the war party its eagerly awaited opportunity.

"The Austrians delivered their ultimatum to Serbia. There is no reasonable doubt that the ultimatums were submitted to Germany and approved, and there is no doubt it was then and there decided that whatever was Serbia's answer they would proceed against Belgrade. The ultimatum was couched in such arrogant terms that a favorable reply was difficult, but little Serbia managed to pen readily that which practically acquiesced in all the principal demands and agreed to submit the remainder to the Sague tribunal.

"An Italian writer has told us how, in 1913, Germany approached the Italian government with a view to taking action in the Balkans, but Italy said she would regard such a war as offensive and not defensive and would not think then she was strong enough to do it alone.

"Meanwhile Russia, who could not stand idly while Serbia was being crushed, began mobilization. France entered next. Then came out demands on Germany for an understanding in respect to the neutrality of Belgium, an understanding which France had already cheerfully given. Such an undertaking being refused, war came in.

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## THE MYSTERY OF THE BLOODY KEY NO. 11.



"Aunt" Conscriptor refuses to allow Sir Wilfrid to endorse selective draft.

### ROUGH SHELL MAKING OVER AT TRENTON

Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co. Gets Orders to Stop Work—Employees Will Be Retained.

Special to The Standard. New Glasgow, Aug. 26.—There was great surprise and dismay as well when the word was quickly passed around that instructions had been received from Ottawa by the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co. Ltd. to discontinue making shell for the war.

### THE SONS OF ENGLAND DECORATE THE GRAVES OF DEPARTED BROTHERS

Annual Observance Yesterday—Committees Conduct Impressive Service at Fernhill and Cedar Hill Cemeteries—S. of E. Lodge Hope to Erect Monument.

The annual decoration day of Marlborough Lodge, No. 207, Sons of England, was observed yesterday, when the members decorated the graves of departed brothers with flowers.

### HALIFAX EXPRESS ENGINE DERAILED

Slight Run-Off Near Hopewell, N. S. When Wheels Hit Piece of Deal.

Special to The Standard. New Glasgow, Aug. 26.—The express from Halifax was an hour late in reaching New Glasgow today. The pony wheels of the engine left the track about a mile west of Hopewell, the ties were considerably cut up but otherwise no damage was done and the engine was replaced. The cause of the derailment was a piece of deal which fell on the track at a farmer's crossing at the place the run-off occurred.

### SEVIGNY SUES LE CANADA

Quebec, Aug. 26.—In the Superior Court Hon. Albert Sevigny has entered an action for damages to the amount of \$500 against Le Canada of Montreal. The action is the result, it is said, of articles published in Le Canada.

## BISHOP FALLON OF LONDON, ONT., CENSURES RECALTRANT PARISH

### Announces That His Decision in Appointing Father Laurendeau as Pastor of the Ford City Church is Final—Threatens Further Action and Denounces "Mob Rule."

London, Ont., Aug. 26.—Right Rev. M. F. Fallon, Bishop of London, whose action in appointing Rev. F. X. Laurendeau, of this city, parish priest at Ford City has been opposed by the French-Canadian parishioners has directed a communication to the malcontents, in which he states that his decision is final, and that if endeavor is made to hold the church against Father Laurendeau recourse will be had to the civil law.

"I believe, sir—mainly perhaps because I wish to believe it—that the scandalous trouble which exists in Ford City and which is modifying the teaching of English in the Catholic schools of Essex during the bilingual discussion a few years ago.

Bishop Fallon's letter, addressed to Mr. Stanislaus Janisse, secretary at Ford City, says: "Your extraordinary letter of yesterday and the still more extraordinary resolution which accompanies it, detailing without apparent shame the scandalous proceedings of yourself and your associates around the church and presbytery of Our Lady of the Lake, Ford City, on the 22nd inst. reaches me to the eye of my departure from London to meet an engagement long since arranged. Fortunately, however, the subject of your communication lends itself to an immediate, definite and final reply, and as the news of your indefensible and uncatholic action in the press before I was favored with your letter, you will not find it amiss that I should make use of the same valuable avenue of publicity to set forth some fundamental facts and truths that have been publicly stated.

"I shall waste no time in analyzing the audacious resolution which you forwarded to me; a little sober counsel might have prevented its ever coming into existence; it has neither merit nor meaning; and it contains an ingenious but conditional expression of submission to episcopal authority which deceives neither me nor those who made it.

The Rev. Francis Xavier Laurendeau has been named by competent ecclesiastical authority pastor of the parish of Our Lady of the Lake, Ford City, on that point you and your associates may set your minds at ease. He is now winding up his affairs in the parish of which until recently he was officially in charge. When that task is completed he will proceed to Ford City. There the management of the property of the episcopal corporation will devolve upon him, and in the discharge of that duty he will have the support of the provisions of the civil law. Mob rule can meet with no support from either state or church.

"The spiritual interests of the people of the Parish of Our Lady of the Lake will be confided likewise to the Rev. Father Laurendeau. Of his competence from every point of view to fulfill the obligations of this portion of his charge there can be no manner of doubt, and I bespeak for him as broad a measure of sympathy on the part of his parishioners as he is assured of support on the part of his bishop.

"I remain, sir,

"Yours faithfully,  
"M. F. FALLON,  
"Bishop of London."

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