MURDER AND SUICIDE IN OFFICE AT HAMILTON

FRENCH REPULSE SEVERAL FIERCE ATTACKS BY GERMANS

HAMILTON DENTIST **MURDERED IN OFFICE**

Hedgewood Holmes, Supposed To Be of Gravenhurst, Greets Dr. Williams in Friendly Way and Later Shoots Him Dead.

Gravenhurst, today shot and killed Dr. Harry Williams and immediately turned the weapon on himself with fatal results.

mystery. Williams had only been here a short time looking after the practice of Dr. Victor Ross, dentist, who is in the north country. Holmes called at the office early this morning, but the five shots rang out, and the occupants doctor was out. He told the young lady of the house, entering the room, found in charge that three of his brothers had both men unconscious on the floor.

gone to war, and that he would have been there himself if he had not been

When he returned the doctor still out He sat down to wait and chatted pleasantly for a few minutes with the girl in the office, showing no The motive for the tragedy is still a few minutes later the loctor entered.

"Hello, Abbie," said Williams. "Hello, Doc," came the response. The pair entered the surgery and closed the door. Fifteen minutes after

On What Is Sen; From

Home.

[Special Cable to The Advertiser.] London, July 2.—Several letters have

and the only speaker of English, ex-

One officer, who has been a priso

This officer's testimony naturally renders the Red Cross anxious to re-

Lieut. Pemberton, 5th Battery Cana-

dian artillery, has been appointed sec-ond lieutenant of the Royal Regiment

NO PEACE NEGOTIATIONS

consulate here. The message adds that no such negotiations will be undertaken.

ouble its efforts.

of Artillery.

SERGT.-MAJOR PIPER

NO JUSTIFICATION FOR SINKING, SAYS PRESS OF BRITAIN

Armenian's Captain Right To Run. Fearing Ship Would Be Sunk.

U. S. ACTION EXPECTED

Washington, However, Seems SAYS FOOD PROVIDED To Think German Submarine's Act Legal.

[Canadian Press.]

Officer Asserts British Live London, July 2.—Except in dispatches om the United States in which the learnship Armenian is described as a ansport there is nothing in the British ress to indicate the status of the vessel. Stress is laid upon the fact that she is the largest steamer, with the exception of the Lusitania, thus far atbeen received from prisoners by the war a German submarine. The department of the Canadian Red Cross that, whatever the nature of her cargo, the Germans were not justified in sink-ing her.

Why Captain Ran. ronicle argues editorially that cept a doctor. He says he has been ander of the Armenian disre-well looked after in both hospitals. From The Chronicle argues editorially that me commander of the Armenian disre-arded the signal to stop because he Munster there comes a letter which new he would not be treated in accord-says: "A great number of men have left for other encampments. All parcels are distributed at Munster, so you need would be illegally sunk and the distributed at Munster, so you need adrift in open boats fifty miles not make any difference in sending erefore, in running and that the responsibility for the six months, called on the Can

"The dead Americans," says the worse than one imagined. He says: "They simply live on food sent from Germany's illegal submarine warfare as if they had been drowned after the ship was torpedoed, and one would need to be very anxious to shirk the issues their

They simply live on food sent from England, as it is not possible to exist on the food given them by their captors."

This officer's testimony naturally leaths raise if one accepted any other

Must Complicate Matters.

The Daily News considers the sinking if the Armenian must complicate the ask both of President Wilson and Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German chancellor, assuming that the latter really desires to preserve peace with America. Discussing the question in an editorial, the News says: "Germany has troilers' Attention to Conditions. lied to the American note, but ice the sinking of the Armenian is a very peremptory reply. The incident brings into thorough relief the justice of President Wilson's contention that the board of health. Mr. Somerville resubmarine warfare as the Germans ported that the board had made an inistent with the ob-The Express also takes the view that the incident constitutes a cynical reply by Germany to America, but infers that

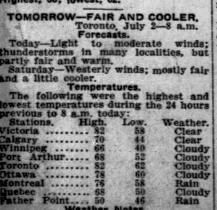
hing will result from it. nenian cargo must have been exam-ned by United States customs officials says whether this was so or not extreme course of destroying her at he was bound to provide for the (Continued on Page Three.)

THE WEATHER

Following were the highest and lowes temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 85; lowest, 57.

The official temperatures for ours previous to 8 a.m. ighest, 66; lowest

war material also is reported.



Manitoba Men Want Assurance Before Giving Their Evidence.

SIR RODMOND IS WAITING

emotion. The young lady left, and a Will Give Complete Statement If He Feels So Disposed.

[Canadian Press.]

Winnipeg, July 2 .- Hon. A. B. Hud son, attorney, was the first witness called this morning when the royal ommission resumed investigation of the WAS A LONDONER Government counsel.

Mr. Fullerton read a telegram from SERGT. - MAJOR W. N. Tilley, at Ottawa, that he was F. A. PIPER, quite willing to come here and give evi-MAJOR W. N. Tilley, at Ottawa, that he was in action, dence; but could not fix any date. fell on the Mr. Hudson said he had charge of same day as the election petitions, and with the ex-Lieut.-Col. H. C. ception of one protest, no person had Becher, was not a any authority to withdraw them with-Strathroy boy as out his consent, and he in turn must previously reported, but was a native Londoner.

native Londoner.
He was born in this city, and lived here until enlisting with the 7th Fusiliers. His mother and father live in as among those inof London.

Itition with the exception of that of Sir Rodmond Roblin. In this they had no evidence, since the witness had gone to the war.

Witnesses Disappear.

Discussing the situation with Hon.

Mr. Johnston and two others on May 7, "They thought," said Hudson, "that of the commission went on and we are Strathroy. He was among those in-sured by the city of London. if the commission went on and we, as prosecutors were to present the whole of the evidence we had, or hoped to have, we felt that Kelly, when the time came for an action to be instituted by the province to recover the money would have a great advantage in know-ing our case, and in addition the wit-nesses seemed to have a faculty of disappearing."
Horwood was in Minnesota. "He."

> this affair than anyone else, except They had spent a lot of money to le cate Salt, and found him once, but he got away

Roblin Wants Immunity. A. J. Andrews appeared before the The following official statement was commission on behalf of his clients, the issued tonight at the headquarters of embers of the late Government, who the Italian general staff: have been subpoenaed to give evidence. He asked the commission to give an (Continued On Page Three.)

FINALLY FOUND

Cross. His account of the suffering of Telephones Her Mother From **Guelph That She Is Work**ing There.

ASKS FOR HER CLOTHES

Requests Mrs. Poyner To Bring Them To Her in Royal City.

After having been missing for more than a week, during which time the whole country was being searched by spection of the river and found many a telephone message from hr daughter pipes emptying into it.

at Guelph. This message, said Mrs. He advocated the construction of a Popper, declared that the girl was well, deep level intercepting sewer along that she had gone immediately to the entire bank in order that all sewage could be picked up and carried to ago Sunday, and that she had secured the city filtration beds. The whole question will be gone into later.

ago Sunday, and that she had secured a position there and was working. She asked her mother to bring her clothes Mr. Somerville's objection to the city to Guelph, as she intended to stay there. mptying sewage into the river at Blackfriars street and other places was clared Mrs. Poyner. "I am too much answered by the statement that this upset over the whole affair to decide on

was necessary owing to the repairs be-ing made in the syphon chamber on Evergreen avenue. Once this latter is During to Evergreen avenue. Once this latter is During the time the hue and cry has repaired the sewage will be handled in been raised for the "missing" girl, she has been reported in many cities and towns in Western Ontario. Last night ent sent in a story to the effec [Canadian Press.]

Galveston, Texas, July 2.—Official denial that negotiations looking toward peace are being carried on between Gens.

Obregon and Villa was issued in Vera to day by Gen Carranga according Obregon and Villa was issued in Vera the band in view of the stories of the Cruz today by Gen. Carranza, according to a cablegram reaching the Carranza appeared in The Advertiser.

Father at Brantford.

The girl's father returned from Brant-The defeat of Zapata forces east of Mexico City by Gen. Gonzales and the capture of several cannon and other war material also is reported.

The girls lather retained from Inamerican ford last night, where he had gone to investigate a story that the girl had been seen there. He declared that he had found no trace of her.

46,000 Volunteer Munition Workers Enlisted In Week

London, July 2.—Introducing the munitions bill in the House of Lords today, Lord Curzon, lord privy seal, announced that the first week of the campaign made to speed up the manufacture of arms and ammunition resulted in the enrollment of 46,000 volunteer munition

He was confident, Lord Curzon added, that before the end of the year the advantages in both men and material would be decisively on the side of Great Britain and her Allies.

ese coveted honors, says: Driver Pate, Divisional Train,

coolness in carrying rations and picking up wounded.

Dominates Plezzo and Is Now

Solidly Occupied By

Invaders.

PROGRESS IS VERY SLOW

Rains Increase Difficulties,

[Canadian Press.]

Rome, July 1-Via Paris, July 2.-

"A detachment of the enemy, pre

Monticello and Saccarant, was dis-

"In the valley of Padola barbed-wire

protected entrenchments were located

at Heikofel and afterwards were de-

and Val Piccolo with the aid of rockets,

ombs were repulsed at both points.

"At the head of the valley of Sesia

Torrents of Mud.
"On the Isonzo the forward march of

each stage against a return to the of-

deeds and some of their victims are

of troops and wagons near Appachias ella and the San Daniel Railroad sta-

SNOWS ARE BAD

streams, which usually are dry at end of June, are now deep and alr

The Italian troops are encountering snowstorms and thick fogs, which have interfered with long-range firing. Hailstorms were beating today in the men's

earth, with spikes at the bottom. Into

these infantry in the course of a charge are in danger of falling. The Italians, therefore are obliged to advance slowly

One of the most effective sections

the Italian light troops is comprised of customs guards, whose duty heretofore

culties of progress and transform

onquered by us.
"Enemy aviators continue

paring defences on the position

persed by our artillery fire.

molished by artillery.

Britain Thinks Some Information Given Germans From American Ports.

ANXIOUS OVER ADRIATIC

Threats To Sink Liner Recall Similar Acts Before Lusitania Went.

[Special Cable to The Advertiser.] London, J;ly 2—(By Staff Correspondent of United Press).—Coincident with DRIVER S. A. PATE, 560 King treet, this city, 2nd Divisional Train, ast Contingent. He has been awarded miralty this afternoon that departure miralty this afternoon that departure alleged political deal. His evidence, street, this city, 2nd Divisional Train, begun Wednesday, was continued un-legen der cross-examination by Mr. Pitblado, the Distinguished Conduct Medal, and of British vessels from North American Gazette officially, in making the ports was being "tipped off" to German announcement of the acts that won

The sinking of three big steamers, the Inglemore, Caucasian and Welsbury and lamage to sailing vessels was confirmed in admiralty advices. But the greatest interest was manifested in the story of the Welsbury crew on their departure with a cargo of sugar for England being made known to German submarine mmanders, who lay in wait and attacked her as she was approaching British coasts.

Rumors of Adriatic. Less than an hour after news reached partment today go the admiralty, cable dispatches from official statement: New York reported rumors of similar passenger list that includes many persons of prominence both here and in Canada, including Premier Borden. It hood of Verneuil, to the north of the was recalled in official circles that similar rumors preceded the departure of the "After a violent and continued bomill-fated Lusitania from New York, and

ressed in shipping circles for the safe-f the White Star liner.

Tips Seem Probable.

The admiralty would not comment on the report from America regarding the here that extraordinary precautions be taken to protect the liner and her great tered the war zone until she docked at Liverpool. For several weeks rumors have reached officials here that subma rine operations, along the southwest coast of Ireland were being directed by information received in America. admiralty generally discredited these reports, but has made careful investiga

The story told by the Welsbury's crew was the first definite statement, in spite of these charges. They reported that they found a warning of submarine disaster painted inside the forehold of the "Vigorous night attacks against our vessel shortly before they left Cuba. It positions in the defiles of Monte Croco is inconceivable in the opinion of offibury, after the posting of the warning, was merely coincidence. They unite in earchlights and asphyxiating gas Our artillery dispersed groups of workers on the northern slopes of Freikofel unknown, the fact that the Welsbury was leaving for England with a sugar Raoute in the Baumbasch Valley. The cargo was communicated to the German fire on Fort Hensel was resumed with admiralty and from Berlin sent to subcials here said today they have reason an important position dominating. Plezzo was solidly occupied by us. to believe that the system of tipping the departure of vessels from the United States and other American ports has been highly perfected in the last few our troops, also not interrupted, is weeks. They believe that Grand Advery slow by reason of the necessity miral Von Tirpitz, by employing a flofor snatching the ground inch by inch tilla of his latest submarin from our adversaries and reinforcing and using information gained in the tipping from across the water, plans to strike terror to the heart of British ship fensive on the part of the enemy. Per-sistent rains are increasing the diffi-

the trenches into torrents of mud. Last night the enemy tried repeatedly, but vainly to capture some points recently CZECHS' LEADERS among the civil population. Our avi-ators effectively bombarded a column

[Canadian Press.]
Udine, Italy, via Paris, July 2.—The Espionage Charge—Archduke Italian advance in Tyrol is seriously hindered by the continued bad weather Said To Have Denounced which is exceptional in midsummer. The mountaineers do not remember a season when there has been so much snow on the heights on July 1. The mountain

Whole Race. [Canadian Press.]
London, July 2.—The Czech parliamentary leader, Dr. Kramarz, and Dr.

threiner, head of the Bohemian gym Prague on May 22, charged with espion age and maintaining friendly relations with the Italian consul, according to the storms were beating today in the men's faces in parts of Tyrol, where the advance upwards is still in progress.

More elaborate Austrian defences are confronting the invading forces. The Austrian trenches are protected by wide ditches and wire entanglements; at other points pits have been dug and covered with branches of trees and covered with branches of trees and covered with strength of the bottom. Into Times. The only compronments found in their possess to have been copies of a Czech review published in Paris, The Times asserts the two men

imprisoned in Vienna, although false reports of their liberation have been reports of their liberation have been spread officially in the hope of influencing the Czech population in favor of the way loss. the war loan.

The refusal of the Czech party to dis

avow its arrested leaders is reported to have resulted in Archduke Frederick commander-in-chief of the Austrian army, addressing to Emperor Francis customs guards, whose duty heretofore has been concerned with mountain smugglers. These guards are now being utilized as scouts, and many of their exploits are being related along the front, some of them even being mentioned in the orders of the day. On one occasion four of these guards crawled close to the Austrian outposts and came into possession of information of great value to the Italian commanders. All of them refused rewards for this service. Joseph a report denouncing all Czechs as traitors.

The Times' article contains the state-

ment that several Czech regiments have deserted to the Russians and Servians.

TO DISPLAY COLORS

[Canadian Press.]

Brussels, via London, July 2.—Gen.

Von Bissing, the German governor-general of Belgium, has issued an order forbidding, under penalty of fine or imprisonment, the wearing or exhibiting of Belgian insignia in a provocative manner, and forbidding absolutely the wearing of the insignia of nations warring against Germany and her allies. of the hydro engineers and managers will be held in London on July 22 during the official opening of the London and Port Stanley Railway. The question of rates will be the important question that will be up for consideration.

Greeks Reported In Advance On Albania

Two Bands Said To Be On Way To Berat-First Intimation of Any Intention To Claim Section of Country.

[Canadian Press.]

Rome, July 1, via Paris, July 2.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Antivari, Montenegro, says two large Greek bands are advancing toward Berat. Albania, after occupying the villages along the way.

There have been no previous reports of an intention on the part of the Greek Government to lay claim to a section of Albania. This principality, which was established after the Balkan wars, borders on the southeast on that part of Greece which was awarded her after the defeat of Turkey. Albania already has been invaded by Servian and Montenegrin troops, while Italian forces have been stationed there for

3 GOOD STEAMERS

At Several Points Along Line.

Argonne, But Without Success.

[Canadian Press.]

Paris, July 2.—The French war de-partment today gave out the following "The artillery fighting was spirited threats against the White Star liner all last night at a great many points Adriatic, bound for Liverpool, with a along the front, notably in the vicinity passenger list that includes many per- of Woesten, northwest of Ypres, in the

or that reason some concern was exnorth of the Bethune highway, German Grenadiers delivered an attack at about 2 o'clock in the morning. The result was a complete failure.

"Near La Boiselle, one of our mines was successful in destroying the ad-

vance works of the Germans. "In the Argonne there was very violent fighting all last night. One of he German attacks was supported by the use of asphyxiating bombs as well as large hand bombs. It was driver

"In the forest of Le Pretre there wa also a forward movement on the part of the enemy, which followed a violent artillery attack to prepare the This attack also was driven back by the fire of our infantry.'

SPOTS OF VICTIM

Late Archduke's Relatives **Pay Tribute To Murdered** Man.

[Canadian Press.]
ngton, July 2.—Ceren Ferdinand, the Austrian crown prince, were described in foreign office dispatches from Vienna forwarded to Washington today by the Austro-Hungarian summer embassy at Lenox

"Archduke Charles Frances succe sor to the present Emperor and his consort, the Archduchess Zita," the dispatches stated, "paid a reverential ed with the last days of the martyred Archduke Ferdinand. "The future rulers of Austria-Hun-

went privately to Innsbruck, visiting without ceremony the scenes be-loved by the late heir to the Austrian throne. Throughout the empire the anniversary of Archduke Ferdinand's death has been reverently celebrated.'
Memorial articles, it was announced were published in Vienna reviewing the war's progress. They declare the death of the archduke has been avenged "justified resistance of the House of Hapsburg with the army and navy, whose strengthening the la archduke regarded as his life work."

BUILDING COMMITTEE MEETS .-The building committee of the board of education meets this afternoon. Nothing but regular routine scheduled to come up.

French Throw Back Germans Inglemoor, Caucasian and Welburg Sent Down, But Crews Saved.

MORE POISONOUS GASES TRAITOR ON LAST NAMED

Huns Use Them in Bombs in Forecast of Vessel's End Is Found Painted in Ship's

London, July 2.-Three and the Welbury, were torpedoed and sunk today by a German submarine. The crews of the Inglemoor and the Caucasian were landed at Falmouth. The crew of the Welbury is safe. Traitor Aboard.

The commander of the submarine was markedly delighted on learning that the steamer Welbury carried a cargo of sugar. After the ship left Cuba it was

steamer of 4,656 tons gross. On her

last eastern voyage across the Atlantic, she left Port Arthur May 21 for Dartbeam and 28 feet deep. She was built | at Sunderland in 1899, and was owned by the Petroleum Steamship Company

The Inglemoor, according to the lat-Argentina, March 31 bound for Naples. She was of 4,331 gross tons, and was was owned by W. Runciman & Co.

Jamaica, May 22 by way of Matanzas. Cuba. June 8. for a port in the United Kingdom. The Welbury was of 3,591 tons gross, and was built at West Hartlepool in 1907. She was 340 feet long, 48 feet beam and 24 feet deep. Company, Limited, of Hartlepool.

SCHOONER SUNK.

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 2.—The British schooner . C. Tower, which left Parrsboro, N. S., June 1, for Newport, England, was sunk off Fastnet today by a German sub-Austria Hungary, marking the first marine. The undersea boat then sank a anniversary of the assassination of bark six miles away. The crew of nine

Halifax, N. S., July 2 .- On Tuesday June 1, the four-masted schooner, 518 tons, L. C. Tower, Capt. Tower, sailed voyage. The schooner was laden with 640,000 superficial feet deals, shipped by

. Newton Pugsley, the owner of the The news that Capt. Tower and his crew of eight, who are Nova Scotlans, had been saved and landed at Queenstown, was telegraphed to Parrsboro this morning.

TO PROTEST USE OF STARS AND STRIPES

[Canadian Press.]

Washington, July 2.-Secretary Lans ng disclosed today that the investigation being conducted by the United States use of the American flag by British merchantmen to deceive German submarine commanders had not yet been completed, but that evidence in specifi cases probably would be called separately to the attention of Great Britain while No Contraband On the general subject would be included

BRITISH TRADE UNIONISTS REFUSE TO VOTE SYMPATHY WITH FELLOWS IN GERMANY New York, July 2.—Representatives

'Sentimental Bosh," Says Ben Tillett - Prize-Fighters Do Not Stop To Kiss-The British Workmen Want Enemies Practically Wiped Out.

[Canadian Press.]

London, July 2.—The trade unionists of Great Britain today dismissed with contumely the suggestion that a vote of sympathy be given to their German conference of the federation now in session at Derby.

"Drop such sentimental bosh," was the prompt demand made by Ben Tillett, the fighting head of a number of leading unions. "This is a scrap." he added, "and must be fought out in that spirit. Whoever heard of two prize fighters stopping in the middle of a fight to kiss each other."

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Londoner, Back From Czar's Empire, Says Hope in the Outcome Is Implicit.

BEAR WILL STRIKE HARD

May Be Slow, But Is Sure. Declares Albert Mac-Garvey.

Albert MacGarvey, a former wellknown resident of London and Petrolea. who for several years has been a prominent oil magnate in Russia, arrived in the city a day or so ago from Grosny. at the foot of the Caucasian Mountains, to pay his first visit in Canada since the outbreak of the war.

"What of the war?" he was asked. Mr. MacGarvey replied to this ques-tion: "We know less about actual conditions over there than you do here, Jwng to the stricter censorship of war news, though back in our little corner of the vast empire, we are so far removed from the scene of warfare that it only touches us owing to the fact that some 1,500 men from the refineries have been called to the colors. You know, service is compulsory over there.

Falth in Allies, "On all sides, there seems to be greatest faith in the outcome of the war. It is a foregone conclusion that success will lie with the Allies, though it may be slow in coming. Implicit faith is felt in the friendship of England, and the belief is a creed that England will fight as long as Russia is in the war. What of Russian reverses? Like the bear, the Russian is no acrobat, but if he is slow in striking, he strikes hard in the end.

Normal Evolution. "My impressions of Russia? I might have given them when I went there a few years ago. Now, Russia has be-Big Vessel.

The Caucasian, the largest of the three vessels sent to the bottom by the German submarine today, was a tank steamer of 4,656 tons gross. On her the war, others have been greatly benefited. Trade has suffered especially was 365 feet long, 49 feet owing to the lack of railroads, and the fact that the Government is using the railroads in existence for transportation

"It is quite true that the suppression of the use of vodka has resulted in a marked improvement in the condition of the people. I also believe the law built at Blyth in 1912. She was 363 is carried out with absolute fidelity. Peofeet long, 51 feet beam and 27 feet deep ple are putting money in the banks as ple are putting money in the banks as never before. But, owing to the heavy war taxes, it will be some years after the a position to buy extensively from other nations."

RECOMMEND DR. HILL AS CITY'S M. O. H.

Controllers Vote To Give Him Salary of \$1,000 Year For Services.

Members of the board of control today unanimously recommended that Dr. H. lic Health, be appointed medical officer of health of London, and that \$1,000 a year be paid to the institute of public health as the city's share of his salary request of C. R. Somerville, chairman of the board of health and the Institute of Public Health, and follows the recommendation made by the board of health me time ago. Action has been deferred, pending the licensing of Dr. Hill to practice in the Dominion.

In presenting his case to the controllers. Chairman Somerville declared that t would not be necessary to pay a large salary for an assistant. Ambitious young men would, he said, be willing to occupy would derive that would fit them for im portant posts in other cities. He further stated that the city and in stitute could work most advanageous v together. The city health work, he said. was as necessary to the institute would be a hospital to a medical school

Steamer Adriation

White Star Line Officials Rid Sale Rumor That She Was Marked.

[Special to The Advertiser.] of the White Star Line today ridiculed

the report that the steamer Adriance

which sailed from New York on Wednesday, had been marked for destruction by German submarines.

They denied the Adriatic carried war contraband and asserted there was no reason why the Germans should make special efforts to sink the vessel. The report is believed to have had