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The little son of Mrs. W. Adams of 489 La Salle Road, Verdun, Montreal, suffered for five years with the worst form of eczema. Mrs. Adams tried everything— took the child to various hospitals, where he was entirely covered. I first took the case, but of no avail. The doctors said the case was incurable! Then she heard of Zam-Buk and used it, with the result that to-day the child is completely cured of the terrible disease.

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to a third hospital, where he remained for some time, and although at first he seemed to improve, the improvement was only temporary, and finally the doctors pronounced the disease incurable. Five years had now elapsed since the eruption had first appeared, and I feared the doctors were right. Some one advised me to try Zam-Buk, and it was so highly spoken of that I determined to do so. A few weeks after I commenced using Zam-Buk I noticed a decided improvement. This was so encouraging that I continued the treatment. Gradually my boy got better and better, until, after four months of Zam-Buk treatment, he was entirely cured and his skin was absolutely clear. I cannot tell you how grateful I am for what Zam-Buk has done, and I shall never be without it."

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TO-DAY'S Messages.

10.00 A.M.

NO CASUALTIES.

LONDON, To-day.—A British official communication issued last night says: Last night we sprang a mine northeast of Verdun. To-day the enemy sprang a mine near Hohenlohn redoubt, but no attack followed and we suffered no casualties. Artillery on both sides has been active about Albert, Hahuch and Ypres. Further advances by Germans in Verdun region and Champagne are told in the latest French official communication, which, however, also records successes in repelling the German attempt to debouch further from captured position, driving the Teutons out of a trench that had been taken by hammering with the big guns of the German organizations. After having vigorously shelled the region between Bethancourt and Meuse, the Germans in a strong infantry attack captured the village of Forges about nine miles northwest of Verdun. Not satisfied with the gain they several times essayed to debouch from village against Cote de Loie, but the French counter attacks forced them back to the village and held them there. In the Champagne the right and left flanks the French were

attacked by the Germans in the region between Mont Tatu and Maisons de Champagne. At the former point the French fire kept the Germans in their trenches but near Maisons de Champagne they succeeded in occupying a small section of the French trenches in the Agonne the French blew near Courtes Chaussees a German post with a mine and captured the position in the crater. Near Haute Chavauchee, the Germans sprang two mines and later entered French trenches. Severe counter attacks, however, drove them out. French also occupied a position on the mine crater. Except for infantry attacks at Forges, the guns both sides in Verdun region are doing all the work. To the southwest of Metz near Point a Mouson, French artillery heavily damaged the German positions. The Russians under cover of the fire of their feet at last have been able to make a landing on the Black Sea coast east of Trebizond and captured the towns of Atin Maprawa, driving off Turks who opposed them. Two officers and 230 men were made prisoners. A quantity of munitions captured. Considerable fighting between Russians and Germans has taken place in northwest Russia, the Russian army smashing the German trenches in the Riga Sector and driving the German parties in the direction of Pledrichstadt. Owing to heavy rains, fighting has almost ceased on the Austro-Italy front. Berlin reports that in a Zepplin raid on England on Sunday night a naval depot was bombarded with effect. All the German vessels returned to their British official reports Yorkshire, Lincolnshire, Rutland and Kent counties visited, three or four women, five children killed by bombs dropped

and fifty-three other persons injured.

FEARED FOUR HUNDRED LIVES LOST.

RIO JANEIRO, To-day.—It is feared here 400 lives have been lost by the sinking of the Spanish steamer Principe De Asturias. The steamer remained afloat a short time after striking a shoal off San Sebastiao. There was little time for the escape of passengers and crew in boats. Steamers have gone out in search of additional survivors, 143 passengers and crew having already been landed at Santos. The Buenos Aires agents of Spanish Trans-Atlantic Line received reports that 100 persons lost their lives by the sinking of the steamer Principe De Asturias off the coast of Brazil. Details of disaster are lacking.

DUTCH STEAMER ATTACKED WITHOUT WARNING.

"AMSTERDAM, To-day.—The Dutch steamer Bandeng was attacked by a submarine, without warning, while in the Mediterranean on a journey home from India, according to the Nieuws Rotterdam Courant. The Bandeng escaped with slight damage to its life boats and arrived at Rotterdam on Sunday.

ZEPPLIN VISIT LINCOLNSHIRE.

LONDON, To-day.—Reports received from Lincolnshire say two Zeppelins passed over that country but no bombs were dropped. The engines of both craft were heard plainly, although neither appears to have been visible. The first intimation that a Zeppelin raid was expected came at church time, but only one church discontinued service. A short

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To Governor, St. John's, Nfld.

Verdun, Woerw, fighting frequently continued throughout week. French position generally maintained. Village Douamont thrice changed hands, now held by enemy, French occupying outposts.

Three Zeppelins visited eight east-coast counties last night dropping about forty bombs. Some houses were destroyed or damaged, twelve killed, thirty-three injured. Caucasus—Russians stormed Bitlis. Minesweeper, Primula, torpedoed and sunk in Mediterranean. Only three lives were lost.

BONAR LAW.

time afterwards another warning came and all lights were extinguished and traffic stopped.

NEW SECRETARY FOR THE STATES.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, To-day.—Newton B. Baker was appointed Secretary of War by President Wilson in succession to Lindley M. Garrison who resigned. He is a former Mayor of Cleveland and long a prominent member of the local State Democratic Council and for many years was personal friend of President Wilson. Baker is 44 years of age and a lawyer. He is a thorough believer in national preparedness and stood valiantly by the President through all recent discussions.

11.15 A.M.

NAVAL ACTIVITY IN BALTIC EXPECTED.

LONDON, To-day.—Certain somewhat vague persistent rumours, which have been circulated here several days by word of mouth, regarding the North Sea war zone, have created a state of expectancy among Londoners. This has been heightened by despatches received from Scandinavia to-day predicting a battle between British, Russian and German warships so far from the coast of Sweden as to be beyond the range of the Russian torpedo boats are reported to have been seen near the island of Exelsund in the Baltic, south of Stockholm. The general opinion in Scandinavia is said to be that Britain and Russia will intercept the German sailings from Sweden as soon as the ice is melted. The ice is already partly broken up and thus rendered easy for forcing. Naval experts have expressed the opinion privately for several days of the Germans preparing to venture out and that important events are near, as to whether British officials believe this obviously nothing is known.

QUIET CONFIDENCE OF FRENCH.

PARIS, To-day.—The French continue to be absorbed in the situation around Verdun and the anxiety and doubts of the first day's fighting have been replaced by a quiet and joyful confidence in the strength and general preparedness either for defence or quick offensive. The conviction around Verdun is that although the Germans may persist in their offensive, their power to attack has been weakened, as it is considered it will be difficult for them to get the same dash out of troops, who have lost fights against the French. Future attacks of Germans, therefore, will be to put a great number of infantrymen successfully into action. They now appear to be replacing the divisions. Weather continues unfavourable. Rain and snow keep the earth soft, where it has not already turned into mud. Automobiles near the front look like moving blocks of mud. The roads back of the French lines, considering the weather and the use to which they are being put are good. Twenty thousand automobiles daily pass over one thoroughfare behind the line, moving in opposite directions in two almost continuous lines.

WOMEN AND FARM WORK.

LONDON, To-day.—Britons are coming slowly to a realization of the country's needs, declared Walter Hume Long, President of the Local Government Board, addressing an inauguration of women national and land service corps, which intends to undertake agricultural work, during the absence of the men in Government employment of men in British Isles. Long declared the Government required the co-operation of all classes. He heartily approved of the women's movement which, he said, meant that women would now take even a larger share in the defence of the country. We want soldiers, said Mr. Long. The movement means to have sufficient soldiers. We are getting them, but we also want to keep the land cultivated and to obtain a maximum output so that we may assist on the overseas trade. There is a wide field open for women's activities. Women have proved themselves capable of work which before the war they were thought unfitted to perform, and it is the farmer's patriotic duty not to employ single men, who can be spared for more important work. The Government announced the intention to employ corps for the purpose of training women for agricultural purposes.

WILL DEMOBILIZE.

PARIS, To-day.—The fifth division of the Swiss army, on duty along the German frontier, is about to be demobilized, according to a despatch to the Temps from Zurich. This is considered a good sign, being an indication that the Swiss Government no longer consider German infringement of its neutrality possible.

GERMANS ATTACK ENGLAND IN SWEDEN.

COPENHAGEN, To-day.—The Dagbladet Stockholm declares the German legation in Stockholm by means of thousands of pamphlets is endeavouring to convince the masters

of Swedish public schools of the justice of the German cause. In an article in the Tages Zeitung Count Von Reventlow attacks Denmark and Norway accusing them of yielding to England in matters commercial in such a way as to make them vassals of the states.

2.00 P.M.

"AT THE END OF HER ROPE."

WASHINGTON, To-day.—Turkey has about reached the end of her rope, and would like to drop out of the war. Definite information of a most trustworthy character to the effect that the backbone of Ottoman campaign against Russians has been broken, has reached Washington, coupled with the assertion that the Caucasus—Russians stormed Bitlis. Minesweeper, Primula, torpedoed and sunk in Mediterranean. Only three lives were lost.

LORD FITZGERALD KILLED.

PARIS, To-day.—Major, Lord Desmond Fitzgerald, of the first battalion Irish Guards, son of the Duke of Leinster and heir presumptive to that title, was accidentally killed, says a Calais despatch to the Matin. He was experimenting in his tent with a new kind of bomb, when it exploded, a fragment struck him in the head. He died an hour later. Lord Desmond was wounded in a battle at the beginning of the war and was mentioned in a despatch for distinguished service.

SEAMEN STRIKE.

BELFAST, To-day.—The steamship service between this port and Fleetwood and Heysham in England were suspended last night, owing to a strike by the crews of the steamer for increased wages. The stoppage aggravates the already congested condition of Belfast port.

NEARLY 500 LIVES LOST.

RIO JANEIRO, To-day.—According to the latest information the number of deaths on the Spanish steamer Principe De Asturias which struck a rock and sank off Santos on Saturday, will reach almost 500. Among those saved was the new American Consul to Santos, Charles Tredek.

OPENING OF PARLIAMENT.

LONDON, To-day.—The chief interest in the re-opening of Parliament to-day centres in the expected important statement by Balfour in introducing the estimates for the Navy. Winston Churchill, Mr. Balfour's predecessor in office, is expected to take part in the debate from an opposition bench. It is understood that he will reply to the criticisms on the organization of the naval armaments during his tenure of office, though there are also rumors that his speech will touch on important political questions. Another feature of the session will be the reply of Premier Asquith to the question regarding the projected moratorium for obligations of men called to the colors. The subject has aroused much discussion as the time approaches for married men who at the outbreak of the war scheme to join the army. Balfour's speech will comprise a broad general survey of the condition of the Navy. It is believed without, however, giving the number of warships built or to be built, or number of millions of pounds to be spent in votes for the money will be moved by means of "Token" figures as one thousand pounds will be mentioned to represent unknown millions. The only exact information which will be given by the Navy estimates this year will be that regarding the personnel, approximately 250,000 officers and men and the increase of 50,000 over last year.

"Hold On, John Bull!"

To us of the English stock the great war seems to bring a summons to wear our English derivation with somewhat more assertion. The Irish love Ireland openly, and are not expected to apologize; American Scots show an open kindness for Scotland; Germans love their fatherland under any sun. Is it only to be England that men spring from her loins may not care for? We have been too modest. Poll us in these States, and we are a greater company by much than the rest, the longest planted here, and surely not the least powerful or least worthy. Who is the anchor at the end of the Allies' rope in the great tug-of-war? Who but our old cousin John Bull. There he stands, with planted feet, sweating and sore beset, his muscles lame, but holding on. Hold on, John Bull, hold on. There are those across the seas who care for you; who hold with you now in daylight and in dark so far as yet they may, and will gladly hold with you in face of all comers when Fate permits it! Hold on, John Bull! —Life (New York).

Here and There.

SEALERS' MEETING.—A sealers meeting will be held in the Mechanics' Hall to-night at 8 o'clock.

QUICK DESPATCH.—Stevodore McDonald and his men did great work to discharge two thousand tons of coal from the ss. Louisiana which entered on Friday morning last, and though Sunday intervened, to have it all out by last night (Monday). McDonald & Co's premises is a very busy place, thirty-seven horses being employed distributing it to all parts of the city.

RACES AT PARADE RINK.—At the Parade Rink last night, George Squires defeated J. Evans in the championship race of the season, and is now holder of the belt. In the all-comers, No. 1, Fred Squires defeated J. Hallett; time 13.03, and in the all-comers, No. 2, J. Bishop defeated E. Marshall; time 12.55. Mr. J. Vinnicombe acted as starter, and presented the winners of each event with gold and silver medals.

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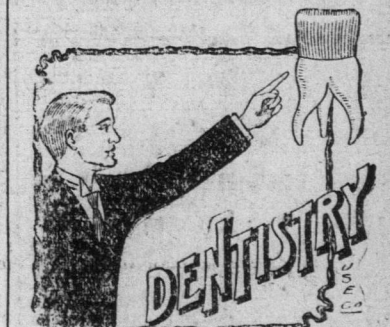
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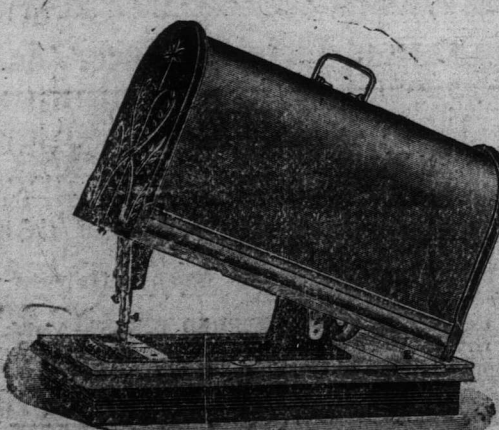
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