REDMOND ISSUES CALL TO IRISHMEN

Bear Burdens and Sacrifices.

WANTS AN IRISH BRIGADE

Ireland Deserves National Credit for Taking Part in the War.

[Canadian Press.]

LONDON, Sept. 16 .- "The democracy of Great Britain have kept faith of Ireland, and it is now the duty of honor for Ireland to keep faith with them.' says John Redmond, the Irish leader. in a manifesto, issued tonight, in which he calls on Irishmen to bear their share in the war in which the Empire is en-

"The Irish people," Mr. Redmond continues, "know and appreciate the fact fully that at last, after centuries of misunderstanding the democracy of Great Britain have finally and irrevocably decided to trust them and give them back their national liberties. "By overwhelming British majorities

a charter of liberty for Ireland has three times been passed by the House of Commons, and in afew hours will be the law of the land. The new era has opened in the history of the two nathe Irish problem in Parliament and would have the same effect in Ireway to friendship and good will and that Ireland would become a strength instead of a weakness to the Empire."

Mr. Redmond then goes on to speak of the war, saying: It is a just war, provoked by the human government and international which relations, and Ireland would be false to honor, good faith and self-interest, did the offensive again. she not willingly bear her share in its burdens and its sacrifices.

Ireland Must Bear Share.

"We have a rights to claim that Irish sympathy bound our country to Great Britain, always given our quota, and more than our quota, to the firing line;

and we shall do so now. "We have a right to craim that Irish men-to form, in fact, an Irish brigade, so that Ireland may gain national credit for their deeds and feel like the other communities of the Empire, that she, too, has contributed an army bearing her name in this historic struggle." gade for service, Mr. Redmond asks realize this is shown by the fact that that the volunteers be put in a state they have been contesting every foot of of efficiency as speedly as possible for the ground with the allied armies the the defence of the country.

ITALIANS IN ROME RESENT NEUTRALITY

Troops Employed To Suppress Demonstration Favoring Aid to Allies.

[Canadian Press.] ROME. Sept. 16.-12:06 p.m (By way of Paris, 7:10 p.m.)-Despite

troops are being employed exten- may by this time have been destroyed. to repress the demonstrators, re-established order and protect foreign embassies and consulates.

MAN WHO WON PRAISE FOR EXCELLENT WORK



GENERAL SMITH-DORRIEN. commander of one of the army corps of the British expeditionary force. to whom Sir John French gives unstinted praise for his work during the retirement after the battle of Mons

This Letter Brings a Message of Cheer to the Aged-Results of Using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

New, rich blood is what is most tempting to drive the Russian general, needed in the declining years to keep Rennenkampf, out of his strong posiup energy and vitality. That Dr. tion at Kovno, and venturing into the Chase's Nerve Food is a wonderful help interior of Russia, there is every reain maintaining good health and pro- son to surmise that the object of the longing life is attested by the writer of vast German concentration is an inva-

Mr. Stephen J. Leard, North Tryon, ture Warsaw. P.E.I., writes: "At seventy-five years of age my heart gave out and became only safeguard Eastern Prussia, but very irregular and weak in action and would also divert a great portion of the would palpitate. My nerves also became weak, and I could do nothing but lie in bed in a languishing condition, losing strength and weight. In that the losing strength and weight. In that the losing strength and weight. In that losing strength and weight losing strength and weight losing strength and weight. In that losing strength and weight losing strength losing strength and weight losing strength losing Nerve Food, and am cured. Had I not obtained this treatment I would now be in the box with the roof over At eighty-one I have an energy which means go, and I am writing this letter so that old people like myself may prolong their health and strength by using this great medicine." 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50. For sale by all dealers.

GERMANS PREPARING FOR

Declares They Should Help to Dig Entrenchment and Get Rinforcements - Von Kluck's But Germany Would Not Per-Army Still in Dangerous Position - Gen. Joffre Believed to Command Initiative.

> LONDON, Sept. 17, 3:35 a.m.—The German right wing is now encircled by the allies, according to an Amiens dispatch to the Daily News.

[Canadian Press.]

German army, which less than a fortnight ago was "at the gates of Paris," and right the wing of which then extended to the southeast of the French capital, is tonight drawn up almost on a straight line, extending from the neighborhood of Noyon, in the west, to Bois Forges, on the Meuse, north of Verdun, with its left resting on the German fortress of Metz. Thus the right wing, at least, has gone back more than seventy miles in two weeks, while the rest of the army has also to retire before the whole could find ground on which to make another stand against the advance of the allies.

That the Germans intend to give battle on this line, with the River Aisne and held their positions until the re- Berchtold, the Austro-Hungarian Min-Rheims facing their centre, and the also to fall back, doubtless have been though Russia had been partially mobmountains and forest of Argonne on stiffened, despite the fact that many ilized, agreed in a most friendly mantheir left, there seems to be little doubt. During the long discussion of They went back steadily before the frontier. French and English armies, fighting on the platform, we promised the Brit- only rear gaurd actions until their right. ish people that a concession of liberty in command of General Von Kluck, got across the Aisne. Then they turned and land as in every other part of the Em- delivered several counter attacks, which pire, notably, in recent years, in South however, acording to the British official Africa, that dissatisfaction would give report, were repulsed, the Germans leaving 200 prisoners in the hands of the British

the long advance, followed by almost intolerable military despotism of Ger- as long a retreat, the opportunity of make an estimate, for fear of being ac- submit to mediation the points in the many-it is a war for high ideals of resting and preparing positions from cused of exaggeration. The losses in note to Servia, which seemed incomwhich they could regist attacks from captured all can stand, but it is the patible with the the allies, and from which they could number of dead and wounded scattered vian independence. her history, to every consideration of her history, to every consideration of the agent that The Germans are in the hilly country

running around Noyon, on the plateau of Vic-Sur-Aisne and Soissons, and north of Rheims, where they are digging strong entrenchments, and receiving reinforcements. But even here this right wing, which has up to the present borne the brunt of the fighting in the advance and the retreat, is not altorecruits for an expeditionary force gether safe, for the French army. should be kept together as a unit and operating from Amiens, clings to its officered, as far as possible, by Irish- flank, while the British and French where fighting has been going on inforces continue to press in front.

Cover Line of Retreat. cover the lines of retreat to the north, which would be the only way out if With the formation of an Irish bri- defeat should be their lot. That they last two days, and that both sides have

The British army as has been its lot ront has been particularly severe since cia and Budapest. the Germans crossed the Aisne, and made their first determined stand in

the retreat from Paris.

few days, has come more into line with the Government, demonstrations tern foothills of the Argonne ridge, in opposition to Italy's attitude of dipping a little south to touch Ville neutrality continued in the larger Sur Tourbe, just northeast of Camp de Chalons. This is high, rough ground, The police being insufficient, in many places covered by forest, which

German Left Driven Back. The German left has been driven back little farther than the centre, and the French have occupied to the Meuse,

thence southeastward to Metz. guns of Verdun, so that as far as the battle now pending is concerned, they have not to reckon with this stronghold, except as it offers support to the French in case the allies are compelled

The Germans on this long line cover Sedan and Stenay, and should soon be them,

ponsible for its final destination

Capture of Warsaw Would

Save East Prussia and

Divert Russians From

Galicia.

[Canadian Press.]

Daily Mail's Petrograd correspondent,

describing the possibility of a German

sia, a far greater number than is re-

quired for a mere defensive movement.

sion of Poland, and an attempt to cap-

"If this were attained it would not

VANCOUVER, Sept. 16 .- Frank S

present member of Parliament for

ment, it is understood, will be

in November.

"It is believed the Germans now have

invasion of Poland, says:

LONDON, Sept. 17. - 3 a.m.-The life

As there would be little purpose in at- Fred at home.

ready, if they have not already com-LONDON, Sept. 16 .- 9:20 p.m. - The menced, to give battle, or, if the offensive comes from the other side, to de fend their positions

Joffre Retains Initiative. It is believed that Gen. Joffre, the the initiative, having received rein- diplomatic relations with Austria, forcements to relieve his overworked to envelop the German right, or to break up the Crown Prince's army on the left, remains to be seen. It is that it would be more difficult than before to work around that wing, while two days previously he had refused to the German left and centre, which consent to the continuance of the conalso have seen a lot of hard fighting, versations at St. Petersburg, Count Von in front of their right, the hills of tirement of the right compelled them later of Foreign Affairs, on July 30, al-

> Losses Have Been Enormous. Neither side has attempted to make any estimates of the losses in killed. wounded and captured during the batbeen enormous, and will doubtless be a blow to all the countries concerned when they are disclosed.

Many German prisoners have fallen These counter attacks were doubtless into the hands of the British, and delivered in the hope of giving the great a number of prisoners and street main point of issue by announcing to troops of the right wing, exhausted by glers have been taken by the French M. Sazonoff, the Russian Foreign Minthat the Minister of War refuses to captured all can stand, but it is the patible with the maintenance of Serit is feared they cannot stand. Motormight have been overlooked by the via. is these who will be taken to the hogpitals by the automobiles.

Greater Losses in Galicla. The losses in Galicia and Poland, cessantly for more than three weeks. are even greater than those in France. It is essential, however, that they and, according to official reports, the ploying the most conciliatory language should hold their positions, for they Russians are still following the Aus- to Count Von Berchtold, and he intrian and they can reform.

the Russians have severed communi- hold back her armies, But this matter cations between Cracow and Przemysl, could probably have been settled by the two fortresses for which the Aus- negotiations, and Count Schebeko resince it landed in France, is taking its heading, and have begun an advance for the acceptance of any reasonable full share in this fighting, which on the to sever communications between Gali-

Russian General In Difficulty. Meantime, the Russian general, Rennenkampf, who, according to Rus-The German centre, which in the last sian reports, invaded East Prussia, to and Russia, compel the Germans to withdraw th wings, now stretches from the troops from the west and thus relieve the most energetic measures taken heights north of Rheims to the wes- the pressure on the allies, is having some difficulty in extricating himself

man Emperor has joined. The opinion is held that the Germans holds the ground from west of the plan some bold stroke against Rennenwhich it crosses at Consenvoye, and him. It is pointed out, however, that lished. it would be a bold stroke indeed for The crossing of the Meuse, which the the Germans to attack the Russian Germans have selected at Consenvoye, forts on the frontier or invade a counis just out of range of the fortress try that within a few weeks will be marsh and later a snow-covered wil-

The Servians and Montenegrins continue their advance into Bosnia and Herzegovina. The Servians, it is said, have advanced 25 miles beyond Semlin, so that in this event it is evident as many lines of retreat as possible, including those to Namur, Givet, Mezieres, that little opposition is being offered

DIED AT THORNDALE

dent in London Township.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

James McGuffin occurred this morn-

ng, following a stroke a few days ago.

Mr. McGuffin had reached the age

of 83 years and for the greater part

of his life lived in London Township,

moving to Thorndale a few years ago.

He was widely known and very warm-

ly esteemed during his long business

Mr. McGuffin is survived by four

daughters and three sons: Mrs. Thomas

Needham, of Bryanston, Mrs. Oscar

Dickey, of Fanshaw, Mrs. John Mc-

Guffin, Charles, of Oliver, Joseph and

IS JUST ANOTHER

Funeral arrangements have not yet

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16. - A cable-

"On the contrary, the men of the

British navy put out in boats to res-

did so at some, risk, for in one in-

night by the British embassy here,

OF GERMANY'S LIES

Thorndale, Sept. 17 .- The death of

derness.

ROME (via Paris), Sept. 16-9:33 p.m.-Reports received here from

Wheat supplies for Germany by way of Holland have ceased since

Germany describe the situation as becoming somewhat critical, owing

to the great number of unemployed, the high cost of living and the

the blockade of the North Sea. Great Britain is permitting no grain to

enter Holland consigned to private persons or firms. Delivery is per-

mitted only to the Dutch Government, which, it is said, is held res-

concentrated 750,000 men in East Prus- Shoebotham, of Thorndale, Mrs. H.

Barnard, former member of Parlia- cue German sailors in the water, and ment, it is understood, will be the did so at some, risk, for in one in-

next lieutenant-governor of British stance they were fired upon by the

BRITAIN HAS CUT OFF ALL

scarcity of the necessities of life, especially wheat.

AUSTRIA-SERVIA WERE NEAR PEACE

mit Aversion of the War Already Planned.

COLD TRUTH COMES OUT

British Ambassador to Austria Officially Exposes Germany's Game.

[Canadian Press.] LONDON. Sept. 16.—7:40 p.m.—The foreign office issued this evening in the form of a white paper the report of Sir Maurice De Bunsen, late British commander-in-chief, retains ambassador at Vienna, on the rupture of which the ambassador declares that troops, but whether he will try again Austria and Russia had about reached an agreement on the Austro-Servian dispute when their conversations "were cut short by the transfer of the dispute known that the German right wing direct conflict between Germany and

The ambassador says that although troops have been sent to the eastern ner that the conversations should be

Austria Had Conceded "From now onwards," says the ambassador, "the tension between Germany and Russia was much greater tle of the Marne, but they must have than between Austria and Russia, as between the latter an arrangement seemed almost in sight, and on August . I was informed by Count Schebeko. into the hands of the British, and so Petersburg) had at last conceded the Szapary (Austrian ambassador at St lister, that Austria would consent to

Peace Was in Sight. "M. Sazonoff had accepted this procars with doctors have left Landon and posal on condition that Austria would Paris to search for any wounted that refrain from actual invasion of Ser-Austria, in fact, had fully yield-Army Ambulance Corps. It is known that many wounded are being cared for by peasants in their cottages, and it is those who will be solved by the communication made to the first of American and Tully yielded, and that she herself at this point had good hopes of a peaceful issue is shown by the communication made to you on the first of August by Count Mensdorff (Austrian ambassador at London) that Austria had neither 'banged the door' on compromise, nor cut off the conversations.

But Germany Nosed In. "Count Schebeko to the end was working hard for peace. He was em-German forces in the formed me that the latter, as well as hope of striking another blow before Count Forgach, had responded in the same spirit. Certainly it was too much One report from Petrograd says that for Russia to expect that Austria would and their German allies are peatedly told me that he was prepared compromise. Unfortunately, these conwere cut short by the transfer of the dispute to the more dangerous ground of a direct conflict between Germany

Germany Rushed Things. "Germany intervened on July 31 by means of her double ultimatum to St Petersburg and Paris. These ultimatums were of a kind to which only one reply from a difficult position. He has been was possible, and Germany declared war compelled to fall back to fortresses on on Russia, August 1, and on France his own frontier, where he is awaiting August 3. A few days' delay might in the Germans under Gen. Von Hinden- all probability have saved Europe from burg, whom some reports say the Ger- one of the greatest calamities in his-

The ambassador then refers to the rupture of diplomatic relations between Argonne hills, north of Varennes, which kampf before the troops which have Austria and the allied powers, the debeen engaged in Galicia can reach tails of which have already been pub-

They Exchange Civil Prisoners

Bureau Established for Trading and Delivering Them at Border.

[Canadian Press.]

GERMANY'S WHEAT SUPPLY PARIS, Sept. 16.-4:10 p.m.-A Havas Agency dispatch from Berne says that the Swiss Government has established a bureau for the exchange of civilian prisoners. Representatives of the bureau will go to places where such prisoners will brought together for exchange with certificates showing the numper for exchange, and personally conduct these to the frontiers of their own country.

The expense must be borne by the countries benefitted, but lodgings and food for the captives while they passing through Switzerland will be provided from the public charity funds, James McGuffin for Many Years Resi-

GOVERNMENT WILL

VALIDATE GIFTS [Special to The Advertiser.] TORONTO, Sept. 17 .- To set at rest any fears that are affoat as to the legality of municipalities contributing to patriotic funds in connection with the war, a statement issued by the Prime Minister's office tonight said that the Government proposed to ask the Legislature when it meets to validate any gift that may be made to any patriotic fund by any municipality in the pro-

HAD TO KILL SOME ONE! PARIS, Sept. 16-8:41 p.m.-A Saxon officer, a prisoner of the French, declares that near Malines the German artillery annihilated a Prussian regiment, which it had mistaken for French. He says also that in a frontier village two battalions of German infantry fired upon each other until there

was scarcely a man of either left. PILES another day with Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. No surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Optiment will relieve you at once and or the piles. gram from London, made public to-

WALL PAPER

NOTICE-Store will open this week at 8:00 a.m., instead of 8:30.

USE THE FREE CHECK ROOM-Visitors to the Fair may have their grips and luggage checked free.—Main Floor.

Autumn Fashions In Millinery and Ladies' Ready-To-Wear



New Shapes In Millinery

The Millinery is the inexhaustible style-service of thousands, for its initiative in showing the newest and most characteristic styles first, and frequently exclusively, and the exceptional millinery skill noticeable in all our models.

Many distinctively new ideas make their initial appearance this week, which are at once observable in the magnificent display. We ask you to note specially the smart models shown at from \$5.00 to \$12.00 and plush. Prices

Important lessons in Fashion's Silhouette changes are being learned by observant visitors this week, who are spending as much time in this store as at the Fair, and many others who have taken advantage of the single fare excursion rates specially to do their fall shopping. The single fare rate, comes at a very opportune time, as this particular period of the year is all important to every woman who considers the style correctness of the things she wears. All is not gold that glitters, and it is very wise if you would insure that "after satisfaction," that you study the styles so that the garment you are to wear may truly conform in all details to the correct lines of the new

The Suit Display is holding great attention. Long tunic types in the very newest models, both in the round tunics, plain and pleated, and with numerous examples of tunics cut away in front to give due prominence to beruffled or trimmed skirts.

One of the strikingly new features, which find representation are the tunics of the circular kind, the fullness falling away from the hips in ripples.

This week's exhibit presents a galaxy of new arrivals, which have already won favorable comment. Newest approved styles developed in the favorite woolens-English worsteds, serges, velours, dovetines, broadcloth, etc., the feature of which is the moderate prices. See the -Second Floor.

Smart Coats for the Riddies

Visitors will find displayed in the Coat Section this week a most complete assortment of the very newest coat styles for children from 3 to 12 years, developed in the newest coatings, such as tweeds, chinchillas, Teddy Bear, blanket and curl cloths.



These are for ages 3 to 6 years, in Corduroy Velvets, Chinchilla Cloth, Fancy Tweeds, Frieze and Curl Cloths in pretty shades of green, grey, scarlet, copen, brown, navy, and two-

tone tweeds. All are warmly made, being lined with flannel and sateen, trimmed with velvet plush collars, fastening close to neck, kimono and raglan sleeve, double-breasted. Prices \$3.50 to \$8.50

Also a splendid showing for ages 8 to 12 years, in tan, navy, copen, red, brown, greys, plaids and two-tone browns, double-breasted styles, patch pockets, ragian sleeves and belts, collars trimmed with velvet

New Scotch and Irish Table Linen Sets Damask Cloths and Napkins to Match

We have just passed into stock our fall importation of Irish and Scotch Linens, including a beautiful range of Table Sets in Irish and Scotch-woven Damasks. All the newest designs are shown in these, and some extra fine qualities, which you will notice are very reasonably priced. We will list a few of the leading numbers.



Table Damask By the Yard

Complete range of qualities in choice new designs, All Linen Heavy Satin Damask 75¢ to \$1.50

70-Inch "Our Leader"85¢ yard

72-Inch in extra special qualities at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50

All direct importations from the mills in Ireland and Scotland.

SATIN DAMASK SETS, \$5.50

All pure linen, in three choice designs, chrysanthemum, carnation and 1 dozen 22-Inch Napkins, \$2.75. Set \$5.50

DOUBLE DAMASK SETS, \$7.00

Heavy quality in oval designs, a very superior quality in new designs. Cloth, $2 \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ yards, \$3.50, and 1 dozen 22-inch Napkins, Set, \$7.00 EXTRA QUALITY SETS, \$11.00

Heavy Double Damask, Satin Finish Sets, this season's newest designs, and extraordinary value. Cloths, 2 x 21/2 yards, \$5.50, and 1 dozen 23inch Napkins. Set \$11.00

EXTRA SPECIAL SETS, \$9.00 Beautiful Satin Damask, in two choice designs, extra fine cloth, 2 x 21/2 yards, \$4.50, and 1 dozen 23-inch Napkins. Set \$9.00 Also a complete range of higher grades still, in all sizes, in newest designs.

LUNCH SETS-SCALLOPED CLOTHS AND NAPKINS TO MATCH

We are showing a complete range of Scalloped and Hemstitched Damask Lunch Cloths at popular prices. The few listed here are exceptional value. Scalloped, in pretty designs, rose and shamrock, chrysanthemum and carnation. This cloth is a special leader. Sizes 72 and 81 inches, round. Prices \$3.00 and \$4.00 each

Scalloped Double Damask, superfine quality, in beautiful patterns, satin finish, two sizes 72 and 81-inch. Special \$3.75 and \$4.75 each Extra Special Scalloped Damask, fine quality, in beautiful designs. Sizes 72 and 81, with napkins to match. These make delightful set cloths...

..... \$6.50 and \$7.50 1 dozen 15-Inch Napkins, \$5.50. Sets\$12.00 and \$13.00 HEMSTITCHED SUPPER CLOTH SPECIAL.—All pure linen, fine quality in pretty floral and conventional designs. Cloths in two sizes, 70x70 and 70x90 inch. Prices..... \$2.75 and \$3.50 Napkins to match each design \$3.75 dozen

SEE DISPLAY IN WEST AISLE-MAIN FLOOR.

In Restaurant, Fourth Floor-Breakfast, 8 to 10 o'clock. Short lunches served continuously morning and afternoon.

DINNER, 11 to 2, RESTAURANT-Course dinner will begin at 11 o'clock every day during Fair Week.

IMPERIAL OIL COMPANY

AIDS WAR FUND

Oil Company of Canada has com-Harras, of London, Ont. White, minister of finance and treas- Harras, of Milwaukee, Wis. whereby it will contribute \$15,000 to side in St. Thomas. whereby it will control to the fund. Having decided on giving this amount, the company consulted Mr. White as to its apportionment, Mr. White as to its apportunment, and on his advice the \$15,000 is to be spread over the various divisions of the Canadian patriotic fund administration as follows:

Mr. White as to its apportunment, [Special to the Advertiser.]

CLANDEBOYE, Sept. 16.—A pretty wedding was solemnized in St. James' wedding was solemnized in St. James' Church today, when Miss Clara Lewis, ministration as follows:

Mr. White as to its apportunment, [Special to the Advertiser.]

WED A LONDON GIRL. [Special to The Advertiser.] ST. THOMAS, Sept. 16 .- The mar-

riage was celebrated Wednesday at the OTTAWA, Sept. 16.—The Imperial Central Methodist parsonage of Alex Fuller, of St. Thomas, to Miss Adela pleted arrangements with Hon. Mr. was attended by her father, Robert The newly-married couple will re-Dr. and Mrs. Murray left for New York on their honeymoon. On their return

LEWIS-PATTON.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

[Special to The Advertiser.] INGERSOLL, Sept. 16.—The marriage of Miss Mabel Harris, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Ransom Harris. to Dr. J. G. Murray, V.S., was solemnized this after. noon at the bride's home. Rev. Mr.Shaw, of Putnam, officiated in the presence of only immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties. Following congratulations and the wedding repast,

WILL LIVE IN DENFIELD. Special to The Advertiser.?

they will reside in Ingersoll.

ing a honeymoon trip to Brantford. and Mrs. Parrott will reside in De

LIGHTING RESTRICTIONS TO CONTINUE IN LONDON

LONDON, Sept. 16.-8:15 p.m.a statement issued tonight. Sir I ward R. Henry, commissioner police in the metropolitan distr expresses the hope that the restric tions placed on street and shop ext lieutenant-governor of British columbia.

He is a brother of Harry Barnard.

He is a brother of Parliament for resent member of Parliament for Gov. Patterson's term will rul gat.

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November.

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Large selection and cheapest place in ministration as follows: \$1,000; \$1,000; \$1,000; \$2,500; \$1,000; \$2,5 luminations as a precaution