

MOST TERRIBLE WAR PREDICTED

Since the Fall of the Roman Empire.

Asquith tells Parliament that Britain is under no Formal Obligation to go to the Assistance of France --- Kitchener, however, is being kept at home and Preparations are going on --- German Liner with Thirteen Millions of Gold is being escorted to Southampton to ensure Delivery of Gold to English and French Consignees.

BRITAIN'S PLAIN DUTY.

Special to Evening Telegram.
LONDON, To-day.
The Times in a special war edition to-day says the plain acknowledged duty and interest of Britain which consists in the support of France against attack by Germany and the preservation of the neutrality of Belgium, Holland and Luxembourg against German invasion must be fulfilled. "There is no room for differences of opinion," The Times continues, "the prospect before the Government is that of having to fight not only for it honour but for self preservation against the attack on the whole foundation on which peace and civilization of Europe is based."

CALLING RESERVES FROM THE STATES.

NEW YORK, To-day.
All the British Army and Navy Reservists in America are to be called out. Instructions to this effect were received here from the British Foreign Office by acting Consul General Nosworthy. Many reservists are expected to sail for England on the steamer Lusitania on Tuesday.
HAMILTON, Mass., To-day.
The general call to the colors was sent to-day to all French Reservists in the States by Ambassador Jusserand. Reservists were instructed to report at once to nearest French Consul. Arrangements will be made to transport them to France.

THE TIMES BLAMES GERMANY.

LONDON, To-day.
The Times Editorial this morning says: "Recent events mean Europe is to be the scene of the most terrible war she has witnessed since the fall of the Roman Empire." The Times proceeds to throw the blame upon Germany, saying "Germany could have stayed the plague had she chosen to speak to Vienna, as she speaks when she is in earnest. But she preferred to make a demand in Petersburg and at Paris which no Government could entertain. She has lived up to her worst principles --- a Frederickian tradition which disregards all obligations, right or wrong, bidding for immediate self interest. She has resolved to crush France, trample upon the rights of those who stand in her way. Yesterday it was Luxembourg. To-morrow it may be England she will assail without declaring war."

GERMAN LINER SEIZED WITH BRITISH AND FRENCH GOLD.

LONDON, To-day.
The steamship Kronprinzessin Cecilie, a North German Lloyd Liner, carrying \$13,000,000 in gold and silver has been intercepted by four British cruisers. They are said to be escorting her to Southampton. It is understood the Cecilie received orders from her owners to proceed to Hamburg without calling at any British port. The gold, shipped from New York, was consigned to British and French bankers. It is assumed England is determined to see it is properly delivered to the consignees.

BAUCOURT, France, To-day.
The Germans opened fire on French posts at Petit Croix yesterday. Details are not known.

FRANCO-GERMAN BATTLE NOT CONFIRMED.

LIEGE, Belgium, To-day.
The news that 20,000 German troops crossed the French frontier near Nancy and that they encountered French forces and were repulsed with heavy losses is not confirmed.

TWO GERMAN CRUISERS OFF ST. PIERRE.

SYDNEY, To-day.
Two German cruisers were sighted to-day off St. Pierre. They are probably from Mexican or West Indian waters. It is surmised that the object of their presence so near Sydney Harbor is to secure coal for a trans-Atlantic voyage or they have been detailed to watch the port and the entrance to the St. Lawrence. A statement to this effect was made last evening by Captain Posten, the officer commanding a detachment, detailed to guard the cable station at Lloyd Cove. He was notified of the presence of warships by a cable from Newfoundland and requested shipping be notified. It is conjectured that St. Pierre itself may be objective of the cruisers which may be awaiting word of a formal declaration of war between France and Germany. The French cruiser Friant cannot be far away. Admitting the report about German cruisers being correct, a naval fight seems imminent in these waters.

RAISES' IMPASSIONED SPEECH.

LONDON, To-day.
The Daily Chronicle publishes a rumor that the Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria has been assassinated. It is not confirmed.

BERLIN, To-day.

In an impassioned speech before a mighty throng of his subjects which had crowded outside the Imperial palace last night the Emperor William said: "I thank you for the love and loyalty shown to me when I enter upon a fight. Let all party strife cease. We are German brothers, nothing else. All parties have attacked me in times of peace. I forgive them with all my heart. I hope and wish that the good German sword will emerge victorious in the right."

BERLIN, via Brussels, To-day.

The Russian Ambassador at Berlin has been handed his passports.

THE PRESS ASKS FOR SELF SACRIFICE--ASKS MERCHANTS NOT TO RAISE PRICES AGAINST THE POOR.

LONDON, To-day.
The London morning papers are giving plentiful counsel to the public to display a self sacrificing spirit and refrain from excitement and avoid selfish actions, such as laying in large stores of provisions which would tend to raise prices and lead to hardships for the poorer classes. Field Marshal Kitchener, who was to return to his Egyptian post, is detained in London, according to telegrams from European capitals. Britain's decision on this point is awaited with the deepest

NOTICE! CHANGE of ADDRESS.

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"Abdulla" Cigarettes,
TURKISH,
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VIRGINIAN.
Also a box of
"Fuller's"
Chocolates or Sweets,
for your lady friends.

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LONDON, To-day.
Now the die is cast and Europe is to be plunged into the general war, which has been the apprehension of European statesmen for generations past. The first shots in the Russo-German war were exchanged between parties yesterday afternoon near Proskien, 120 miles south east of Koenigsberg. The only redeeming feature in the darkest prospects which Europe has been for half a century is that Italy has declared neutrality, but how long that neutrality can be maintained is exceedingly debatable. The question of Britain's position has already been defined by Asquith to the British Parliament, namely that she is under no formal obligation to go to the assistance of France in the event of European war. The British Government, however, has made full preparations in both services for whatever may happen. The position therefore is that Russia, France and Serbia are arrayed on one side against Austria-Hungary and Germany on the other. How long war-fare will be confined to this plane it is impossible to tell, nor can it be foretold whether Belgium and Holland will be able to maintain neutrality against her powerful neighbors or whether Britain will find herself compelled to send an expeditionary force to attempt to preserve neutrality.

Money Market News.

F. R. McCurdy & Co. have the following:—
Government of United States and financial interests working together to preserve financial stability.
Reported Belgium refuses to join Germany.
Unconfirmed report that Emperor of Austria has been assassinated.

The Regatta.

Nearly all the crews had a spin over the lake on Saturday evening. The best time was made by the Logy Bay fishermen.

The Guard made the quickest Amateur time.

The returned Newfoundlanders from Boston and New York will likely row the Myrtle and Shananditt in the Old Home Race.

To-morrow the boys will be placed at the foot of the pond.

The Regatta Committee will meet to-night at the T.A. Armory to finish the passing of crews; also coxswains will draw for their respective positions on the lake.

Grove Hill Bulletin

THIS WEEK:
CUT FLOWERS:—
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Peonies,
Carnations.
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One Hood Buggy
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BEER BOTTLES, Stone, with Screw Stoppers. GLASS BEER BOTTLES, with Lightning Spring Stoppers, always ready for use.

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20c., 28c., 45c.

GLASS FRUIT BOWLS.

LEMON SQUEEZERS,

large size10c.



China Preserve Bowls

Fancy Pattern20c.

China Berry Sets60c.

China Cake Plates18c.

Flower Pots—Redware,

a full stock of all sizes.

Fruit Jars

Glass, with screw stopper

and rubber band.

1 pint size.

1 quart size.

1/2 gallon size.

TUMBLERS

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Fruit Jars, Glass,

with glass covers and spring

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FRUIT JARS, glass open

top, 1 lb. and 2 lb.

JELLY TUMBLERS, with

tin tops35c. doz.

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GEO. KNOWLING.

Carthaginian Arrives.

FOG PREVENTED A RECORD RUN.

The Allan liner Carthaginian, Capt. Ogilvie, arrived here from Liverpool early yesterday morning. The passage occupied a little over seven days, and but for the fog encountered on approaching this port the ship would have got here a great deal under

days, or in other words she would have established a record between Liverpool and St. John's. The ship brought 300 tons of cargo, 33 packages of mail matter, and as passengers in saloon: Mrs. A. Anderson, H. Anderson, Misses Agnes and Ida Blackburn, Miss Browning, Miss M. Browning, S. E. Chandler, H. S. Fraser, J. O. Fraser, A. R. Kendall, Misses Milley (2), Miss M. Mitchell, A. Monroe, Miss V. O'Dwyer, Master Outerbridge, Mrs. M.

Pratt, W. A. Reid, Miss M. Rendell, W. A. Rolfe. In second cabin: Miss Broadhead, Ensign Miss Bryon, S.A., H. Kringle, W. and Mrs. Moreham, Brigadier W. J. Moreham, S.A., Mrs. Moreham, Miss Murphy, Miss Myrick, Miss O'Brien, J. S. Shelley and 4 in steerage. On board the ship in transit are a hundred Englishmen bound to the Canadian North West.

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