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### EARLS COURT WANTS SWIMMING BATHS

Business Men Want Trap Set for Reckless Auto Speeders.

### CLUSTER LIGHTS TOO

Meeting is Emphatic in Demand for Local Improvements.

Resolved: "That the Earls Court Business Men's Association communicate with the board of control, urging the necessity of free public swimming baths for the district." Also "that a strong letter be forwarded to the police commissioner, requesting that a trap be set for speeding automobiles on St. Clair Avenue between Oakwood and Lansdowne Avenue."

The following letter from City Clerk W. A. Littlejohn was read: "I beg to forward herewith an extract from the minutes of the meeting of the board of control, held on Aug. 26, as follows: 'A communication was read from the secretary-treasurer of the Earls Court Business Men's Association asking that steps be taken to secure an extension of the express service in the district north of Van Horne Street.'"

Ordered: "That the foregoing matter be referred to the city solicitor for a report in relation thereto, and that in the application for an order the same be made general to cover the whole city."

Civic Car Line. He also read a letter from Works Commissioner R. C. Harris, regarding suggestions for improvements of the St. Clair Avenue civic car line.

Amplifying mine of Aug. 20, in reply to your Aug. 18th letter, I beg to advise that examination shows the distance between Dufferin Street and St. Clair Gardens to be approximately 450 feet, therefore the maximum distance a pedestrian would have to travel to crossing the street is not unreasonable.

The space adjacent to the car tracks now was used to demonstrate the effect of the entire area, were treated in this way. The city has not adopted any policy relative to this feature which is a parking area.

Considerable discussion arose as to the meaning of a "parking area," relative to the sodding of each side of the St. Clair Avenue car line. C. H. Balfour pointed to the fact that the lines on each side were sodded in the same manner. "We pay as much, if not more, for the sodding of the people residing in this neighborhood, and ours is also a real-

## HAMILTON NEWS

### PATRIOTIC FETE PROVED SUCCESS

More Than Ten Thousand Dollars Raised for Hospital Fund.

### A SPLENDID PAGEANT

Mayor Walters Opened Proceedings and Keen Interest Was Shown.

By a Staff Reporter. HAMILTON, Thursday, Sept. 9.—Hamilton citizens demonstrated their patriotism and desire to assist in the war effort in the work of providing comforts and supplies for the soldiers in the English and French hospitals, and for the supplying of equipment for the Red Cross workers in thousands. Some weeks ago the united patriotic fete held at the cricket field yesterday afternoon and evening in thousands. Some weeks ago the Canadian Club pledged itself to raise \$10,000 for this work by holding the fete, and while no definite figures could be ascertained last night, it was announced that the desired mark had been passed. Nearly 18,000 persons were present during the afternoon and evening. The affair was the biggest of its kind ever held in this city.

Opened by Mayor. The formal opening was made by Mayor Walters, in the absence of Hon. Sam Hughes, by Sir John Dufferin, whom messages of regret were read. Following a short address by Mayor Walters, the procession of the living flag, in which 400 girls took part, was held, and after the march was placed in a bay on the river a number of national and patriotic songs.

The fete was the grand pageant, both afternoon and evening. The pageant was arranged by the Daughters of the Empire. The different regiments, which allies were represented, and after paying homage to Belgium, a chorus of Belgium, represented by Mrs. Sidney Dunn. The musical program was held after the afternoon and evening by the community choir and bands of the Salvation Army, Royal Thirtieth, North York Highlanders, Seventy-Seventh and Forty-Fourth Regiments and a splendid display of fireworks were added features. The matter of the living flag, which is being done by the Hamilton women. Drawings for many beautiful articles donated by the women were held and netted a large amount. The winning numbers will be announced later.

Nearly \$2000 was netted for the Red Cross by the sale of the motor car, which ended yesterday at noon. At that hour Mayor Walters said a private residence, A ticket was handed to Sir John M. Gibbons, who announced that the ticket was held by Miss Amp Davies, who is employed by the Hamilton Electric Co. The ticket was for the car on presenting the ticket at the Red Cross headquarters.

The harbor commissioners have announced that arrangements would be made whereby the city would attend to the chocking of passengers carrying boats between the city and Toronto and also the ferry boats running between the city and Waubesa Park to revivify the harbor.

John Douglas Missing. Where is John Douglas, the well-known carriage builder who resided at 186 North John street? Fear is expressed that he has been drowned in the harbor on the holiday. On the holiday morning he left, saying that he was going out in a gas-boat in the harbor.

Morris Aiken, 75 Britannia Avenue, was arrested last evening by Detective Sawyer on a charge of theft by John F. Aiken, George Norman, 34 Balmoral Avenue, and the other boys who were arrested by Shirley and Smith on a charge of non-support laid by his wife.

Radial Company Wins. At Ottawa yesterday the Dominion board of railway commissioners gave judgment in an important case, it being an application of the Hamilton and Oakville Radial Railway to the Ontario Railway Commission, which timber treaties to accommodate the track being laid under the station at Oakville in the vicinity of the Oak Oil Inlet. The commission found that the Radial Company's contention was well founded and ordered the T. H. and B. to make, at its own expense, the changes to the satisfaction of the Radial Company, the senior at the point. The work must be finished within 60 days. The city, the board found, cannot be made to contribute to the cost of the work.

Barton Township Impatient. The Ontario Railway Board will be asked to issue an order directing the city to supply the Township of Barton with water and sewerage. For some time the township has been making a complaint against the city and township residents on the mountain top with water and sewerage. The question will be again brought before the board at a meeting of the Barton Township Council yesterday it was decided to ask the railway board to issue an order compelling the city to grant its application.

Will Build Bridge. The Toronto-Hamilton Commission is arranging to have the bridge over the western end of the bay built this winter. By the time snow commences to fall it is expected that most of the concrete work on the new road will be done with the exception of where there has been a big fill. In such a case the intention is to wait a year until the earth settles. By the end of 1916 the road will be completed. The commission has also decided that whether the government is interested in it or not, Commissioner Putten states that the road will be absolutely finished to the nature of the material used.

New Mountain Hospital. Secretary of the board of control is endeavoring to secure the presence of Sir John M. Gibbons, lieutenant-governor of Ontario, for next week's meeting at the corner-stone of the new Mountain Hospital will be laid. The ceremony has been received that Sir John will be present to come, and if this is verified by Mayor Walters will perform the ceremony. The new hospital, which is a keen interest in the erection of the new building, will also be present and will likely assist the mayor.

10,000,000 Bond Issue. At a meeting of the shareholders of the Toronto, Hamilton and Ontario Company held yesterday in this city the directors were authorized to issue bonds to the extent of \$10,000,000. The issue, in the opinion of the board of directors the needs of the company require the same. There was no other business brought before the meeting.

Hotel Teck. Exhibition accommodation is obtainable at one dollar per day, European plan. The rooms have running water. Midday lunches served at fifty cents. Romanelli's Orchestra from 6 to 8 p.m.

## SINKER OF ARABIC RETURNS TO BASE?

Berlin Issues Report Claiming Action Justified by Danger.

### ACTIONS SUSPICIOUS

Likely Story Wired From Berlin, Concerning Recent Act of Piracy.

BERLIN, Sept. 8.—(Via London, 8.05 p.m.) The commander of a German submarine which has returned to its base in the Atlantic, is reported to have admitted that he torpedoed the liner Arabic in the belief that the Arabic's action indicated she was about to attack the liner, and that he fired in self-defence.

According to the submarine commander's report, the submarine was engaged in the search for a freighter when the Arabic was sighted. The submarine was then on the surface. The Arabic's commander declared, swung about and headed towards the freighter as if to attack the submarine. The commander of the undersea craft remained in doubt as to the intentions of the Arabic when the latter changed her course a few points, but still kept headed in a direction that was bringing her nearer to the scene.

Arabic Changed Course. The captain of the submarine reports that he continued to observe the actions of the liner until he saw the Arabic again change her course and head directly for the spot where the submarine lay, as if the Arabic had sighted the undersea boat. Then the commander of the submarine, believing his craft was in danger, he declared, submerged her and fired a torpedo.

This news was communicated immediately to James G. Thompson, American ambassador, for transmission to Washington. Prior to the receipt of the report of the submarine's commander, admiralty officials were of the belief that the submarine had been lost. No reason for her delay in returning to port has been given.

Submarine Had Reasons. A high official of the foreign office, in discussing the case with the Associated Press, said the commander of the submarine evidently had adequate reasons for believing the submarine was about to be attacked and was justified in taking steps necessary to save his boat and crew. The torpedoing of the Arabic, according to the official, could not be considered an unprovoked attack without warning.

The news of the return of the submarine and the commander's report that he had not yet been published in Germany. There is still no report available here of the sinking of the Allan liner Hesperian.

## A WORTHY ANSWER TO INSOLENT FOE

Hopes of Germans for Peace Turned to Dust and Ashes.

### ARMY CHANGE SURPRISE

General Public Did Not Expect Czar to Assume Command.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 8, via London, 4.21 p.m.—The change in supreme command of the army which was made known here today came as a surprise to the general public, although it had been rumored for several days in army circles.

The Novoe Vremya, the only newspaper which thus far has commented on the subject, says: "The Russian people have now received a worthy answer to his projects. The Russian emperor has placed himself at the head of the military forces, and the hopes of the Germans for peace are turned to dust and ashes."

"For more than a year the chief command of our army has been vested in Grand Duke Nicholas, Nicholavich, whose name will forever remain graven in the heart of every Russian soldier."

Capacity business is being done at the Strand Theatre every day this week, at night there being a line waiting to gain admission. "Billie's Punctured Romance" is creating a greater furore than ever, and small wonder considering for what a riot of fun Marie Dressler, the robust, and Charlie Chaplin, the eccentric, are jointly and severally responsible. No Canadian with relatives or friends at the front should miss the kineto war map, which completes the bill at the Strand. It is possible from this map, which is a revelation of what can be shown in motion pictures, to gain a very clear idea as to the actual operations at St. Julien and other battle sites, and the more one understands them the more one realizes the bravery of the Canadian troops.

would not admit that it was for the use in the improvement of the road thru the hospital, but, who has the time to go for the extension of the road to Port Jervis and the establishment of a harbor there. He said that the money might be used for any purpose.

Henry Isaacs, the fifth all the allies, who was brought from the Guelph prison to Toronto, pleaded guilty to stealing \$138 from the Misses and Company on Dec. 28, 1913, and also pleaded guilty to attempting to murder Frank Stevens on the same date on both charges, but committed for trial on the charge of murder. He was preferred against him and that when he comes up for trial he will plead not guilty to the charge.

## LORDBROOKE MADE BRIGADIER-GENERAL

Temporary Rank Conferred by Department of Militia at Ottawa.

### OTHER PROMOTIONS

Sir Max Aitken, Canadian Eye-Witness, Receives Honorary Colonelcy.

Special to The Toronto World. OTTAWA, Sept. 8.—Col. L. G. F. M. Lord Brooke, C.M.G., M.V.O., C.M., is granted the temporary rank of brigadier-general.

Honorary Lieut.-Col. Sir Max Aitken is made an honorary colonel. Lieut.-Col. W. J. Neill, Canadian Permanent Force, is made director of remounts for the Canadian Overseas Force, beyond Canada, in addition to the duties of his appointment as director of veterinary services.

Lieut.-Col. A. D. Macrae, Canadian Army Veterinary Corps, is made director of supplies and transport for the Canadian Overseas Forces beyond Canada. The following officers are granted the temporary rank of lieutenant-colonel: Major A. E. Hodgins, reserve of officers, who is commanding the 80th (Pioneer) Battalion, Canadian Expeditionary Force.

Major J. A. Clark, 72nd Regiment (Seaforth Highlanders of Canada), while commanding the 72nd Overseas Battalion, Canadian Expeditionary Force.

Capt. R. Pellatt, 2nd Regiment (Queen's Own Rifles of Canada), while commanding the 83rd Overseas Battalion, Canadian Expeditionary Force.

Royal Military College of Canada, is granted the temporary rank of lieutenant-colonel while employed on the camp staff, "Barfield Camp."

Honorary Lieut.-Col. J. A. Macdonald, C.M., is granted the temporary rank of major, while serving with the 80th (Pioneer) Battalion, Canadian Expeditionary Force.

## JEWISH SOLDIERS ARE CELEBRATING

Hebrew Recruits From Niagara Spend New Year in Toronto.

### ENTERTAINED AS WELL

Rabbi Price Arranges Accommodation for Overseas Men.

Sunset last night was the beginning of the Jewish new year, and prayers at the various synagogues in the city were held at 6.30. The University Avenue synagogue was more than taxed to capacity, there being easily 2000 people present. One hundred Jewish members of the second contingent were granted two days' leave of absence from the Niagara camp, they arrived in Toronto at 2 o'clock yesterday, and were at the synagogue last night. Rabbi Julius Price granted the soldiers privileges of the synagogue, and arranged with the various representatives of the city and soldiers to their homes and entertain them while in the city. As there are over 500 members there was much to do, and the rabbi, as he would take a last night's sermon. Rabbi Price preached a sermon at 10 o'clock this morning and on Friday.

## INTENSE FIGHTING ON RUSSIAN FRONT

Armies of Czar and Kaiser Locked in Death Grapple in Rains.

### BID FOR RAILWAYS

Whole Country Will Soon Be Turned Into Impassable Morass.

(Continued From Page 1.) Germans are now fighting, as when the autumn rains turn a great part of the country into an impassable morass, they will need every line of railway to keep their armies supplied with provisions and munitions.

Another day of heavy artillery engagements is recorded on the western front, where also there has been a series of air raids, as well as a bombardment of the German coast batteries by the British fleet.

The Italians claim to have captured several Austrian positions on the Ca'fore Front, while on the rest of the Austro-Italian front only artillery actions have occurred.

The long distance fighting appears to be a feature of the operations in the Dardanelles, where, according to the accounts from Constantinople, the Turks have bombarded the allies' positions at Anafarta and Seddu Bahr.

## EVANGELISTIC CAMPAIGN

A full house greeted Evangelist C. L. Organ of Des Moines, Iowa, at Keele Street Church of Christ at the opening meeting last evening. The sermon was both interesting and impressive. The singing under the leadership of Prof. Burton and Levack was greatly appreciated. These meetings will continue for some time, commencing at 8 o'clock.

## Boston Grand Opera and Pavlova Ballet for Patriotic Fund

Mrs. Mary R. Gooderham, Mrs. Helen R. Bruce and Mrs. Ada A. Cawthra, executive committee of the national committee for patriotic service, have written the following letter to The World:

A great good to Toronto, both from patriotic and artistic sides, may be had through the Boston Grand Opera and Ballet performances which have been proposed for the latter part of October, in the Arena, by the Boston Grand Opera Company and the Pavlova Ballet Russe.

At the request of Toronto people, Mr. Max Rabinoff, managing director of these organizations, has generously agreed to substitute for his original offer another, in which the national committee of women for patriotic service is to receive ten per cent. of the receipts, and also everything above actual expenses.

We consider this action one of the utmost value to the cause, and on this account, have agreed to serve as an executive committee to co-operate in making the undertaking all-helpful to providing field comforts for fighting Canadians.

There has been some misunderstanding of the original proposal made by Mr. Rabinoff, and for that reason, as well as the need now existing of making the public with the new and altogether satisfactory terms, we will appreciate if you will give space in the columns of your newspaper to the enclosed signed statement from Mr. Rabinoff.

Very truly yours, Mrs. Mary R. Gooderham, Helen R. Bruce, Mrs. Ada A. Cawthra.

Mr. Rabinoff's letter follows: Editor World: A great deal has been published in the Toronto newspapers since the middle of July, regarding the proposed Boston Grand Opera and Ballet in conjunction with the Pavlova Ballet Russe—to bring these organizations to this city for a series of four performances.

It seemed to me, in the light of existing conditions, that no finer purpose could be accomplished in giving Toronto the most unique and valuable grand opera and ballet it had known than to set aside all the receipts above our normal expenses for the benefit of the patriotic cause.

To that end, Mr. Pierre V. R. Key, personally representing me, conferred with Mr. Lawrence Solman and prominent Torontoans, and acting for me, Mr. Key offered to arrange for the performing of two distinct grand opera novelties (neither of which have ever been seen or heard here) and two standard grand operas of demonstrated popularity, and to pay to any designated patriotic organization or organizations all moneys received from this project over our actual expenses of local expenses, should such sum remain, and be incurred.

This offer, at the time, seemed eminently fair to those persons approached to have these organizations register their approval of the offer. My feeling that a part of whatever sum is to be realized from the undertaking regardless of the size of the sum, should go to the patriotic cause.

Inasmuch as my chief desire from the first has been to so impress Toronto with the superiority of the Boston Grand Opera Company and Ballet in conjunction with the Pavlova Ballet Russe, that its residents would wish to have these organizations register their approval of the offer, I have been particularly anxious to see that the approval of the national committee of women for patriotic service.

It is decided and agreed that 10 per cent. of the gross receipts accruing from the proposed performances, no matter what the total amount may be, shall be paid over to the national committee of women for patriotic service. And simultaneously there shall be paid all local expenses (such as rent for the arena, the cost of transport and necessary materials for erecting a suitable stage, necessary advertising of all sorts, and whatever items I or my representatives may deem advisable under the circumstances, and such as would ordinarily be included in what is termed "local expense").

Thereafter, the Boston Grand Opera Company and the Pavlova Ballet Russe is to receive as much of the remaining receipts as shall yield \$20,000 for actual expenses, should such sum remain, and all moneys so received in excess of the afore mentioned ten per cent. of the gross, the "local expense" and the \$20,000, shall also be paid over to the National Committee of Women for Patriotic Service, to be combined with the ten per cent. amount and used, I am informed, for field comforts for fighting Canadians.

It is possible that the greatest sum possible may be derived from these grand opera ballet performances for the benefit of this cause, an executive committee is being formed for the purpose of keeping the "local expense" to the lowest amount possible and of acting in an advisory capacity with the management. This committee, which includes Messrs. E. E. Gooderham and John Bruce, president and treasurer of the national service committee, and Mrs. Victor Cawthra are now serving as administrative members, will conduct all negotiations for whatever may be required in connection with the undertaking.

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He Induced Two Township Councils to Contribute to Funds.

Special to The Toronto World. CORNWALL, Sept. 8.—Major H. A. Cameron, commanding the 58th Battalion, C. E. F., Kingston, Ontario, drove out to Cornwall Centre to address the township council relative to a grant of the regimental fund of the battalion. The council voted the sum of \$500. Major Cameron then returned to Cornwall and took the C. P. train for Williamstown, where he made a similar request of Charlottenburg Township Council. The members of that body voted \$500 to the regimental fund. In each case the major carried the cheque away with him.

Special to The Toronto World. ST. CATHARINES, Sept. 8.—Peter Hodge, who for two years has acted as missionary on the Welland Canal for the Upper Canada Bible Society, has been awarded the D.S.O. medal by the D.S.O. medal by King George at Windsor Castle, were today cabled by Major W. B. King.

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