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THE SITUATION

In connection with their big and successful offensive on the Somme the British have not only consolidated the ground gained, but have also advanced still further north of the Ancre.

The news with regard to the Roumanians is still of the six or one and half a dozen of the other variety. They are steadily pushing the enemy back from the Moldavian border, while Falkenhayn is scoring successes on the Transylvania border of important proportions.

In the British House of Commons Water Runciman, President of the Board of Trade, stated that food supplies had become one of the war problems, and that steps would have to be taken to control necessities and to limit prices.

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The public can and should cooperate heartily in this urgently necessary work, by encouraging the men to take fullest advantage of the curative and educational opportunities given them, and afterwards by seeing that they get work. Local committees have been formed for this purpose in many towns, but much more has to be done in this way.

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These all help to increase the capacity of the patients, and to lessen the effect of any injury they have received, by getting them into practice for such industries as they can profitably undertake. The medical and educational officers try first to discover what each man is most likely to succeed at, and then fit him for it as thoroughly as possible.

It has been wisely decided that no man shall forfeit any part of his pension on account of his industry and enterprise in improving his own financial position.

many other matters in which he has rendered invaluable service, such for instance as the recent settlement of the threatened C. P. R. strike, which it is generally considered resulted from his intervention.

Canadians have certainly every reason to congratulate themselves upon the fact that at this period they have such a sane, capable and well balanced man at the head of affairs.

LOOKING AFTER DISABLED CANADIAN SOLDIERS.

The Military Hospitals Commission at Ottawa, has issued a statement in which it is shown that 2,081 soldiers were under its care at the beginning of this month. Of these, 426 were at sanatoria for tuberculosis, and 1,616 at convalescent hospitals, 682 of the latter being out patients—while 30 members of the force were in asylums for the insane. Of the 426 cases of tuberculosis, it may be added, almost exactly half were discovered in time to prevent them from leaving Canada for the seat of war.

According to a statement prepared by the Militia Department, up to Oct. 5th, 1916, the number of soldiers sent back to Canada because of medical unfitness was 6,208. Of these, 961 were suffering from wounds, shell-shock, or the effect of gas; 123 were insane; 245 were afflicted with tuberculosis; while the remainder, 4,880, were suffering from other diseases and disabilities.

Every disabled soldier is medically examined on arriving at Quebec. If he is no longer in need of hospital treatment, he is sent home free of expense and discharged with a pension or gratuity according to the extent of his disability.

If he needs further treatment, he is taken to the hospital or sanatorium where the treatment most suitable to his case is available, and, if possible, to the institution nearest his home. Men who cannot resume their former work on discharge from hospital are advised and enabled to take special training for new occupations. This is provided free of cost; and while the men are being trained the Dominion Government maintains them and their families.

Men needing artificial limbs are taken to Toronto, where these limbs are made and supplied without charge. Men with serious nerve disorders are treated specially in the Ontario Military Hospital at Oshawa.

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SPANISH PRINCES AS BOY SCOUTS LEARN GAME OF WAR. Prince Alfonso (left), the nine-year-old heir to the Spanish throne and his eight-year-old brother, Juanito, who is both deaf and dumb. The photograph was taken at a meeting of boy scouts at Sanatur, Spain, at which Queen Victoria was the guest of honor.

bumper results at any other Wednesday-meeting.

The Toronto Globe is laboring hard on behalf of the claim that the Borden-Hughes correspondence shows great dissensions in the Dominion Cabinet. The real trouble is that the organ is mixed up between the facts and its small political ideas.

CIVILIANS FIRED ON BY GERMANS

Hun Aviators Shot Down People in Streets of Bucharest.

Bucharest, Nov. 14.—The Teuton aviators operating in Roumania are descending to low altitudes and with their machine guns firing on the peaceful population in the streets or working in the fields. Yesterday's official communication says: "Tuesday enemy aviators dropped bombs on the capital and its environs, killing and wounding peaceful inhabitants, especially women and children."

A great number of bombs were dropped over the palace, where the Queen and Princesses of Roumania were formerly living. Fortunately they had left after the death of Prince Mircea.

On various occasions, especially yesterday, enemy aviators flew over small towns and villages, descending to a very low altitude with their machines and fired with machine guns on the peaceful population in the streets or working in the fields.

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THE GERMAN PRESS.

How the Teutons Whistle to Keep Up Their Courage. Germany's relations with Russia continue to be discussed in the German Press. Herr Bassermann's of the Reichstag, speaking at the Reichstag yesterday, said that the Reichstag speech may well be regarded as the first harbinger of a new orientation of German-Russian policy, and really ought not to meet with an unfriendly reception from the Left in Germany.

The Vorwärts, commenting on this, says that the German Press deserves attention because they reflect the views of certain very influential circles. It is noteworthy that in the past the quietest circles committed in 1908 is avowed, but it is false to regard it now as isolated and to pluck it out from the whole context of German Eastern policy, apart from which the Straits question cannot be subjected to revision. But then the question goes far beyond the limits appointed it in the Bismarck organ.

Great efforts are now being made in the German Press to comfort the people with the thought that the harvest in Germany, in spite of the bad weather, has been better than it was last year. Articles entitled "Harvest Thanksgiving," which avoid details, lay stress on the idea that Germany can now herself satisfy her requirements.

Our breast swells with pride says the Kreuz Zeitung when we see that all the reservation devices of the enemy were a miserable failure. How many of us expected to see the devil of hunger already gnawing through the lines? But now our bitter anxiety is again removed for a year.

The latest Memorandum on the economic situation presented to the Reichstag, covering the period from the beginning of March to the middle of September, states that, in spite of the increased severity of the British blockade, "the critical moment has been happily overcome."

Due to the memorandum adds that, "in spite of this satisfactory result, it would be a mistake to talk about a record harvest," and to expect, therefore, a less restricted distribution of food. It considers, however, that, if the limitations are continued, there will certainly be not only enough food for the present agricultural year, but the prospect of something left over for reserve.

KINDLY NOTIFY COURIER

It is the rule of the Militia department that relatives are first notified of casualties at the front before the official list is issued from Ottawa. Readers of The Courier will kindly call at the office, or phone when such telegrams are received, so that the information may be known to their friends. Day phone 278; night phone 452.

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E. GOLDSTRAW IS WOUNDED

Was Formerly Metropolitan Insurance Agent in This City. A recently issued casualty list announces the wounding of Gunner Ernest Goldstraw, of this city, who left the city with an active service quota from the 32nd Battery, in November, 1914. He is 36 years of age, unmarried, and was formerly agent of the Metropolitan Insurance Co. here. He boarded at 81 West Mill Street, and was widely known and popular throughout the city, so that word of his injury will be received with regret by his many friends.

News Notes

The first skating fatality of the season occurred at Copper City, a Calumet, Mich., suburb, when 11-year-old Helen Salmi went through the ice on a mine dam and was drowned.

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BOLES' Drug Store Corner Colborne and Market Streets

LOCAL

KILLED IN ACTION. This morning's official list gave the name of Ite Richards of this city as killed in action. The news of his death reported in The Courier yesterday.

BOARD OF HEALTH. The annual meeting of the Health Board of Health was held in the office of the clerk this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

ROUTE MARCH. The route march of the 2nd conducted according to set Paris yesterday, the battalion about ten o'clock and at 4.30. While there, the supplied with cigars through kindness of Mr. J. H. Fish of North Brant.

CHRISTMAS BOXES. The First Baptist Church sent overseas, to the me the church on active service, fifty-five Christmas boxes, of preparing the gifts was taken by the Ladies' Aid.

TRANSFERRED TO 215TH. Two soldiers, formerly at the 133rd battalion, now who were left in the base in Toronto when the battalion away, appeared at the arm morning. Some time ago the ference to the 215th was and now that they are com they have been added to the of the local unit.

A SALMAGUNDI. A Harvest Salmagundi happy thought which resulted in a delightful social reunion. H. Class of Colborne St. Church, in the church on Tuesday evening. The S men's class were the guests young ladies and their votes included the remarks that been the most successful e dainty refreshments had been the company were dismissed singing of the National An

REGRETS RETIRING. Mr. E. Cameron, the re-ger of the local office of Telegraph Company, has City Clerk, expressing regret his position after fifty vice therein, and soliciting uance of the city's patron successor, Mr. Jas. L. M. Peterboro, who he states, eous, thorough and painstaking man, who is determin Brantfordites the best sen power.



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