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Thursday, November 16th, 1916

THE SITUATION

successful offensive on the Somme added, almost exactly half were disfront the British have not only con- covered in time to prevent them solidated the ground gained, but have from leaving Canada for the seat of also advanced still further north of war. the Ancre. The total number of prisoners taken was about six thousand by the Militia Department, up to Oct. men. The fact has never been more 5th, 1916, the number of soldiers clearly demonstrated than in this in- sent back to Canada because of medistance that the British fighting spirit cal unfitness was 6,208. Of these, and bull dog tenacity are still just as 961 were suffering from wounds. intact as in the best days of yore.

Haig in his official report regarding 4,880, were suffering from other dis the operations. Meanwhile the Teu- eases and disabilities. tons have launched tremendous counter-attacks on the French both north examined on arriving at Quebec. If and south of the Somme. The official he is no longer in need of hospital report from Paris says that in the treatment, he is sent home free of former instance the enemy gained a expense and discharged with a penfoothold in some advanced trenches sion or gratuity according to the ex-

three thousand more prisoners.

They are steadily pushing the enemy back from the Muldavian border, while Falkenhayn is scoring successes on the Transylvania border of im-

portant proportions. problems, and that steps would have to bourg. to speed engineering resources in order filling vacant positions. to expedite ship building.

ness and confidence of demeanor given them, and afterwards by secwhich so generally prove the attri- ing that they get work. Local com- Queen and Princesses of Roumania butes of men of power. It is a fav- mittees have been formed for this were formerly living. Fortunately orite trick of Grit papers to describe purpose in many towns, but much they had left after the death of him as inert and slow going, but more has to be done in this way. those who know him best, or who have followed his notable career to any extent, are well aware of the latest discoveries and the proved re-fact that there is a power of energy, lofty purpose and alert discernment many forms of strengthening exerbehind that calm exterior. Sir Wil- cises, often requiring special and frid Laurier has had abundant op- costly apparatus; the scientific use of portunity to recognize these qualities electricity, massage, and continuous below cost, at the big sale, 21 George and on more than one notable oc- baths for affected limbs; with wise Street. casion in the House, he has crossed dieting and fresh air as a matter of swords with the Conservative leader course. to his own marked disadvantage. The Occupation is often as necessary tion, the wrecking of his party over keeping and poultry raising. Reciprocity another and many more These all help to increase the capmight be quoted. The gift of elo- acity of the patients, and to lessen in notable measure: solidity of pur- received, by getting them into prac-

purposes and relationships, and he discover what each man is most likeis to-day discharging the duties of ly to succeed at, and then fit him for First Minister with conspicuous it as thoroughly as possible. ability and fidelity. Always a hard that he wisely decided that no he has held the tiller with a steady and enterprise in improving his own hand and single eyed purpose on be- financial position. half of the best interests of the Dominion and of the Empire.

He is absolutely fearless also in showed that when he practically read authority on a good frontage. two members out of the House because of their connection with war The loss in British shipping since contracts and more lately in call the war began is two and one-half Hughes, because he considered that rine policy which was going to starve the latter had exceeded his Depart. John Bull.

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 rom his intervention.

Canadians have certainly every reason to congratulate themselves upon the fact that at this period they Brautford, Canada. Subscription rate: have such a sone, capable and well By carrier, #4 a year; by mail to British balanced men at the head of affa. rs.

> LOOKING AFTER DISABLED CANADIAN SOLDIERS.

The Military Hospital's Commission United States, 50 cents extra for postage at Ottawa, has issued a statement in Church Street. H. E. Smallpeice, Repre were under its care at the beginning entative. Chicago Office 745 Marquette 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 In connection with their big and 426 cases of tuberculosis, it may be

shell-shock, or the effect of gas; 122 "Conspicuous skill, dash and forti- were insane; 245 were afflicted with tude," are the words used by General tuberculosis; while the remainder,

but were otherwise repulsed. In the south they did not succeed at all.

The Serbians still continue to be successful in the best of the best of the best of the successful in the best of The Serbians still continue to be successful in the battle in the plains before Monastir. They have occupied before Monastir. They have occupied before Monastir. They have occupied before Monastir. before Monastir. They have occupied possible, to the institution nearest shows great dissensions in the Do-additional positions and taken over his home. Men who cannot resume minion Cabinet. The real trouble is their former work on discharge from that the organ is mixed up between The news with regard to the Rou- hospital are advised and enabled to the facts and its small political ideas. manians is still of the six of one and take special training for new occuhalf a dozen of the other variety. pations. This is provided free of

Men needing artificial limbs, are taken to Toronto, where these limbs In the British House of Commons are made and supplied without Walter Runciman, President of the charge. Men with serious nerve dis Board of Trade, stated that food orders are treated specially in the supplies had become one of the war Ontario Military Hospital at 67-

be taken to control necessaries and to Bach Provincial Government has limit prices. Foodstuffs have increased appointed a commission to help dis in price over last year by 27 per cent. charged men in scenning steady and

The public can and should co-op-Prime Minister, possesses the quiet- ative and educational opportunities children.

fact is that the Liberal chieftain does and beneficial as rest itself, in its not begin too possess the solid quali- curative and strengthening effect on ties of his chief parliamentary op-body and mind. Classes are, thereponent. He is contradictory in his fore, held at the hospitals, for inattitudes, racial in his feelings, and struction and practice in many arts prone to let his airy ideas run away and industries, such as carpentry and with him. That white elephant, the wood-carving; metal and leather Grand Trunk Pacific, is one illustra- working, type writing and book-

quence and of phrase, he possesses the effect of any injury they have pose and achievement, he most de- tice for such industries as they can profitably undertake. The medical Borden is four square in all of his and educational officers try first to

post to fill, it has become doubly man shall forfeit any part of his arduous during these war times, but pension on account of his industry

NOTES AND COMMENTS

doing what he regards to be his Jess Willard, the fighter, is going duty with regard to the supporters in into the real estate business. At his own political household. He any rate he has shown himself an

ing for the resignation of Sir Sam per cent. So much for the subma-

The public of course, only know The British chaplain to whom of the things which annear on the four hundred Germans gave themgurface, but in addition, there are selves up probably never had such



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, Jamie who is both deaf and dumb. The photograph was taken at a meeting of boy scouts at Sanatar, Spain, at which Queen Victoria was the guest of honor.

The Toronto Globe is laboring

Hun Aviators Shot Down People in Streets of Bucharest.

official communication says:

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Robert Laird Borden, Canada's to take fullest advantage of the curhabitants, especially women and erate heartily in this urgently nec- bombs on the capital and its environs,

dropped over the palace, where the

"On various occasions, especially

Ladies' good winter coats selling



lather of Lifebuoy Soap is laden with great cleansing power, and antiseptic properties as

LIFEBUOY HEALTH SOAP So, when you have used LIFE. BUOY on skin, garment or

anywhere in the home you can

be sure of cleanliness and SAFETY. The mild antiseptic oder vanishes quickly



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 or-gan, the Badische Neueste Nachrich-

ten, asserts that Herr von Bethmann-Hollwg's references to Russia in the Reichstag speech may well be regardthe Left in Germany. The Chancellor, naturally did not speak of the great issue separating Germany and Russia, the Dardanelles question, which must be handled if further progress is to be made on the chancel of the c wany German politiwas a question of life or death. With
skilful treatment it might become a
question of diplomatic understanding which would keep for Turkey her
property and sovereign rights in Constantinople and assure for Russia
free passage through the Straits:
Russia suggested in 1908 summoning
a European conference for random treatment of the straits of the season occurred at Copper City, a Calumet, Mich., suberb, when 11-year-old
Helen Salmi went through the ice on
a mine dam and was drowned.

Beginning Dec. 1, all Wheeling
Stogies will be cut
length to st

and 75 per cent. over prices before hostilities. Sugar, eggs, fish and potatoes are costing double. One of the steps which the government proposed was to speed engineering resources in order fletal communication says:

ed England's encircling policy.

It

"Tuesday enemy aviators dropped might be thought that Germany and

> attention because they reflect the views of certain very influe circles. It is noteworthy that in the passages quoted the mistake 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 ques-tion cannot be subjected to revision. But then the question goes far be-yond the limits appointed it in the

Bassermann organ.
Great efforts are now being made in the German Press to comfort the people with the thought that the harpeople 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 avoiding details, lay stress on the idea that Germany can now berself satisfy her

requirements.

Our breast swells with print cays the Kreuz Zehung) when we see to-day that all the starvation devices of the enemy were a miscrable failure. How many of us appeared to see the devil of burger theorem of but now our bitterest anxiety is a rain 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

dle of September, states that, in spite of the increased severity of the British blockade, "the critical moment

has been happily overcome."

But 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 distribu-tion 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 some-thing 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.

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# E. GOLDSTRAW

Was Formerly Metropolitan Insurance Agent in This City.

A recently issued casualty list an-ounced the wounding of Gunner Ernest Goldstraw, of this city, who left the city with an active service mber, 1914. He is 36 years of age, unmarried, and was formerly agent ed 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 Chancel-

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ES' Drug Store Corner Colborne and Market Streets

SOUTH SOUTH STATE

KILLED IN ACTION. This, morning's official list gave the name of Pte Richards of this city as kil ion. The news of his deat ported in The Courier yeste

BOARD OF HEALTH. The annual meeting o ship Board of Health was he office of the clerk this after two o'clock.

ROUTE MARCH. The route march of the 2 conducted according to sel Paris yesterday, the battal ing about ten o'clock and at 4.30. While there, the supplied with cigars throkindness of Mr. J. H. Fish of North Brant.

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

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

A SALMAGUNDI. A Harvest Salmagundi happy thought which rest delightful social reunion H. Class of Colborne St. Church, in the church 1 Tuesday evening. The S. men's class were the gue young ladies and their vote included the remarks tha been the most successful e kind that they had attend dainty refreshments had be the company were dismiss singing of the National Ar

REGRETS RETIRING. Mr. E. Cameron, the relager of the local office of Telegraph Company, has City Clerk, expressing reg-ing 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 painst less man, who is determ Brantfordites the best se



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