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To-Day's Messages.

10.30 A.M.

HANNA WARNS OF SERIOUS FOOD SITUATION.

NEW YORK, To-Day.

The New York Herald will to-morrow publish the following: "Declaring the food situation desperate and urging the press throughout the United States to stand back of their Food Administrator, Herbert Hoover, M. J. Hanna, Food Administrator of Canada, told our reporter at the Vanderbilt Hotel to-day that unless every village, city and person in both countries practices the strictest economy for the next three months, the Allies and American soldiers in France will suffer from want of wheat. Mr. Hanna has just returned from Washington where he was in conference with Hoover." "I regard Hoover as one of the biggest finds of this war," Hanna said. "In the matter of supply he has unquestionably the most accurate data the world ever has had. His actions are based on this data. His objects are right and will be appreciated by the people when the time comes to completely disclose them. I say this," Hanna continued, "that the press of the country cannot do better than support Herbert Hoover might and main. It is possible that they should in many cases have the reasons disclosed, but it is nevertheless necessary that the presss should support him. I say this with frankness and full knowledge of entire food situation."

NO REPORT FROM CONFERENCE.

PARIS, To-Day.

No official statement was issued from the inter-Allied Conference to-day. The committees continued their sessions.

THE RUSSIAN LUNATICS.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 29.

The Maximalists, with the Social Revolutionaries of the left and Minimalist Internationalists, have arrived at an agreement concerning the organizatoin of the governing powers of Russia. A People's Council is being formed, consisting of 100 representatives of the Central Executive Committee of the Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates with representatives of the Peasants' Deputies, 100 representatives of the Army and Navy, 55 representatives of Trade Unions and 15 representatives of the Railway Union. Leon Trotzky, the Bolsheviki former Minister, speaking at the Smolny Institute to-night said: "The fact that the German Emperor has been compelled to receive the representatives of Commander-in-Chief Kryenko and negotiate with them, showed that the Russian revolution had placed its seal on all the propertied classes of Europe."

GREAT SUCCESS OF VICTORY LOAN.

TORONTO, To-Day.

Canada has exceeded its $300,000,000 Victory Loan objective by almost $6,500,000, according to an official announcement made to-night. This total doesn't include the final reports from some provinces and with one day to go, officials are confident that $350,000,000 will be reached.

TO BREAK FOREIGN EMBARGOES.

WASHINGTON, To-Day.

The Government Control of Imports just put into operation by President Wilson will be used to its fullest extent, it was made known to-night, to force the release to America at fair prices of war supplies now held by other countries under embargoes. In a statement outlining an important policy of the War Trade Board, which has organized a Bureau to license imports, makes it clear that the countries receiving American exports are expected to reciprocate by shipping more freely the commodities needed by the United States from abroad to prosecute the war successfully.

NEW SUGAR CROP.

NEW YORK, To-Day.

The bulk of the new cane sugar crop will become available in New York market under an agreement reached to-day at a conference of the Cuban Sugar Commission and International Sugar Committee, fixing the base price at $4.00 per 100 lbs.

PALESTINE OPERATIONS.

LONDON, To-Day.

To-day's official statement dealing with operations in Palestine follows: General Allenby reports that the enemy last Tuesday and on succeeding days made demonstrations successively along his front, extending from five miles northwest of Jerusalem to the sea, without affecting our positions. No serious attack developed except against our positions on Nebi Somwil, where the enemy's local effort yesterday was easily repulsed by us. Turko-German artillery again made its objective the Mosque, erected on the traditional site of the tomb of the Prophet Samuel. This site is held in equal reverence by Christians, Mohammedans and Jews. The Minaret has been destroyed by this bombardment. A detachment of 40 men from an east country regiment attacked a Turkish post on Nahrel Aujel held by a garrison of about 100 men. Fifty Turks were killed and our detachment brought in prisoners and machine guns. In an air encounter five hostile machines attacked three of ours. One Turkish machine was driven down out of control and one was damaged.

WELL SPOKEN, HARRY LAUDER!

TORONTO, To-Day.

Addressing members of the Rotary Club here to-day, Harry Lauder replied to criticism regarding his remarks about French-Canadians. "I have been criticized for what I have said about French-Canadians," he said, "by Corporal Emile Larochelle, who said that while in a Convalescent Hospital in London after 22 months in the trench he had heard me praise French-Canadian troops, and has asked why I have changed my mind. My answer is, that I changed my mind because I got into an atmosphere in Montreal that was anything but conducive to winning the war. Until I went to Quebec this time, I didn't now there was a divide in this country. I didn't know there were any hyphenated Canadians. True blooded Frenchmen from Quebec are fighting as Canadians, and if Emile Larochelle has recovered he is needed over there. I never made the statement attributed to me. I never addressed French-Canadians in London. I did go and see Canadian soldiers who spoke the English language. Emile Larochelle should be spending his time trying to convince his fellow French-Canadians their duty lies overseas, not at home."

WAR REVIEW.

Comparative quiet prevails along the battlefront, except for heavy bombardments of various sectors. Even on the Italian front the fierce engagements by the infantry, in which men often came to hand to hand fights, have turned into duels with big guns in the hilly region north of the Venetian Plain and along the middle and lower Piave River. Around Cambrai on the French front, where last week the British forces under General Byng made notable advances toward the important railway junction, virtual quiet prevails so far as the infantry is concerned, except for an attack by the Germans near Gonnelieu to the at the southerly base of the salient formed by Byng's attack. No details have been received regarding this attack. Following Germany's announcement of willingness to treat with the Russian Bolsheviki for an armistice, having as its purpose ultimate peace, comes the statement that Austro-Hungary is likewise disposed. Already the Government of the dual monarchy has sent an official reply accepting the Russian wireless proposal for negotiations. Unofficial reports say that the Russo-German plenipotentiaries will meet at noon on Sunday on the northern Russian battle front and thence proceed by train to German Headquarters at Brest Litovsk to discuss the Bolsheviki project. The letter of Marquis Lansdowne, one of Britain's leading statesmen, re a statement of the war aims of the Entente and favoring an attempt to secure peace before "prolonging the war leads to the ruin of the civilized world" is still the theme for bitter discussion in England. Lord Robert Cecil and Andrew Bonar Law both have stated that the views of the Marquis were not those of any of the members of the British Cabinet. At a meeting of the Unionist party Bonar Law repudiated the letter of the Marquis, describing it as a "disaster," while the meeting in a resolution condemned the utterances of the Marquis. Units of National Guardsmen from all the States in the country have arrived in France. Some of the men already are training within sound of the guns on the battle ground.

BERLIN CLAIMS SUCCESS.

BERLIN, To-Day.

A supplementary statement issued to-night follows: On the battle front near Cambrai the attacks developed so far have been successful for us. On the other fronts nothing new is reported.

As a token of Remembrance a Portrait of the giver is long cherished and thought more of than the usual ordinary gift. J. C. PARSONS, Bank of Montreal Building.—nov17,tf

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Not for many years has there been such an open defiance of the Game Laws as is at present being carried on by trappers operating in the vicinity of Quarry, Mary March and Patrick's Bog. The hunters, who are experts at the game, have flagged and barred off the main leads in that part of the country and have driven the migrating caribou far up in the country and away from their usual haunts. The animals are being slaughtered for their meat, which is chiefly used in baiting their fox traps, many of which the lawbreakers have distributed over that section of the country. A thriving business is also being done with the hides, which are tanned and made into skin boots and leggings. We understand the Game and Inland Fisheries Board are taking the matter up and are being assisted by the police in their attempt to run the law breakers to earth.

Reid's Boats.

The Argyle arrived at Placentia at 6 p.m. yesterday.

The Clyde left Horwood at 5 p.m. yesterday.

The Dundee due at Port Blandford to-day.

The Ethie left Lark Harbor at 4.15 p.m. yesterday.

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The North Sea Murders.

Farmand (Christinia, Norway): The sorrow and indignation caused by the crime committed by German cruisers near the Shetland Islands has been increased by the way in which the German press speaks of what has taken place. Far from conceding the infamous character of the deed German newspapers congratulate their country on this "victory." They even find occasion to speak of the great courage and bravery shown by their warriors in the naval battle. A nation which can find reason for exultation in this victory must indeed be poor in occasions to feel proud of their navy! While we, in this country, cannot help feeling sorry for the conditions which lead to the necessity of providing only so hopelessly inadequate a defence for a large convoy like the one in question, we are well aware that the British sailors, while few in number, did their duty to the moment of their death, in a spirit which commands the full and undivided admiration of the world. And the crew of the small patrol boat which heedless of the shells falling on all sides of them, yielded what help was in their power to the drowning neutral sailors, has earned a place in our gratitude which will not soon be forgotten.

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