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WAR NEWS.

Messages Received Previous to 9 a.m.

HOSPITAL BOMBED.

On the French Front, Aug. 23.—Incendiary bombs, which were dropped by German aviators, on two hospitals behind Verdun on Sunday evening, killed 10 wounded men, one woman nurse and 19 trained male nurses, and wounded 48 male nurses and inflicted further injury on patients suffering from wounds received in battle.

GAINS MAINTAINED IN FLANDERS

LONDON, Aug. 23.—All yesterday's gains were maintained in Flanders and added to in spite of violent German artillery firing and counter attacks. The advantage of yesterday's success is greater than the advance of the few hundred yards it suggests, for we are now fighting for high ground dominating the whole tactical position in Northern Belgium and we have now hit the enemy's line. The greatest altitude of the ridge is towards the east of Inverness Copse whence it trends northeast, and naturally the enemy is concentrating his utmost to retain this commanding position. In this bitter fighting the extent of the German casualties cannot be judged by the normal calculation of the ratio of prisoners to the rest of the losses, because by a struggle of this character prisoners are bound to be few. The German high command is sacrificing reserves recklessly in a policy of immediate and incessant heavy counter attacks. No fighting is more costly. The Hunns assuredly are reeling under the smashing blows at Lens and in Flanders where they have massed their troops to the weakening of other parts of the line. The magnificent success of the French at Verdun is causing the Germans concern, and there is reason to believe the Crown Prince is calling upon Prince Rupprecht for succor. The weather has again broken and it is raining heavily.

DEMANDS REFUSED.

ZURICH, Aug. 23.—Germany has replied to the Argentine note, which demanded compensation for the torpedoing of Argentine ships, and a pledge from Germany that she would abstain from

torpedoing Argentine vessels in future. It is officially announced from Berlin that Germany has not conceded these demands but possibly an amicable settlement is not excluded.

THE BERLIN VERSION.

BERLIN, via London, Aug. 23.—In the aerial attack yesterday on the British coast, military establishments at Margate, Ramsgate and Dover were bombed successfully, the war office announces. In numerous aerial engagements the Germans shot down three airplanes. Two German machines have not returned.

LEYLAND LINER SUNK.

BOSTON, Aug. 23.—The Leyland liner Devonian, which left an Atlantic port July 23 has been sunk, presumably by a submarine. Officers of the line to-day confirmed the report that the ship was lost, but stated that they had received no word as to the safety of the crew. The Devonian was long in the Boston-Liverpool service and was the first ship sailing out of this port to arm herself against submarines. Advice from England to the company did not indicate whether the Devonian had departed for this side, though it was assumed that she was on the west bound voyage when sunk. The vessel was 10,425 tons gross, and was built in Belfast in 1900. She carried a crew of 60 on her last trip.

RUSSIAN ELECTIONS.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 23.—The Russian Provisional Government has postponed until November 25th the elections for the Constituent Assembly. The first meeting of the assembly will not be held until December 11.

Civic Board Meets.

The weekly session of the Municipal Council Board was held last evening. W. Jessop wrote about a drain near his store. Referred to Engineer. Gibbs and Barron asked for Fire Insurance patronage. Referred to Secretary. The Imperial Oil Company stated that oil arrangements would be completed in ten days' time. W. J. Pike applied for sewerage. Referred to Inspector. Permission was given Peter Power to build porch, and plans submitted by F. G. House were approved. A Hopkins applied for sewerage. Referred to Engineer. It was ordered to make repairs to Ronnie's and Browning's Bridges and to the street from Church Hill to the City Hall and west of there. The Engineer was ordered to attend to a building which collapsed recently on Queen Street. Mr. Cummins was given permission to build stable on Pleasant Street. One week's notice was given the Reid Co. to remove their King's Road.

Stars Vs. C. E. I.

The above teams will try conclusions in the League series this evening. The players will be: STARS—Goal, Walsh; backs, Hart, Kavanagh; halves, Hart, Bell, Duggan; forwards, Sullivan, McGrath, Simms, Williams, B. Hart, C. E. I.—Goal, Oliver; backs, Wilson, Churchill; halves, Drover, Hallett, Reid; forwards, Miller, Harris, Stick, Ewing, Jerrett. Every mouse should be regarded as an enemy to one's household.

And the Worst is Yet to Come—



To-Day's Messages.

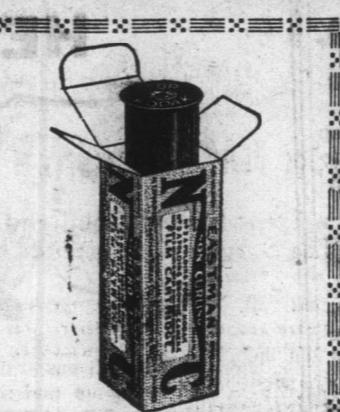
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THE GERMAN DEBATING SOCIETIES.

COPENHAGEN, To-day.—The Committee of Ways and Means, or the Little Reichstag, has proved too large and ponderous for the maintaining of quick and constant touch between the German Government and the Reichstag parties, when discussion is not sitting, and it has now been decided to establish a small Committee of the main Committee, which will immediately be available for Conference with Government Representatives on any question that may come up. Dr. Michaelis, the German Imperial Chancellor, has accepted the idea. The first work of the sub-committee may be to pass upon the reply of Germany to Pope Benedict's peace note.

BRITISH OFFICIAL.

LONDON, To-day.—An official report from the British in France, says that heavy fighting proceeds about Lens, where the Canadians have gained a foothold on a strong enemy strategic point South of Lens. The text of the statement reads: "Heavy local fighting has taken place all day for possession of an important enemy stronghold immediately South of Lens, known as the Green Crassat. Our troops gained a footing on a spoil heap early this morning, and have since beaten off several counter attacks, in which the enemy suffered heavy losses both from our artillery and in hand to hand fighting. Possession of the position is still being fiercely disputed. A hostile attack upon one of the fortified farms captured by us yesterday, north of the Tynes-Roulers railway, was repulsed by our machine gun fire. We have advanced slightly to the Northeast of Langemark." All means in their power to render all possible assistance to your Majesty's forces and their Allies."



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SEVERE AIR FIGHTING.

LONDON, To-day.—Northeast of Langemark during the week fighting in the air has been incessant and more severe than at any other similar period since the beginning of the war. Yesterday the activity of the enemy's aircraft was less marked, and his pilots appeared disinclined to engage them close up to the lines. None the less a great number of fights took place in which our machines were favored by a change in the wind. As a result of the fighting twelve German airplanes were brought down and six others were driven down out of control. Two of ours are missing, one of which was seen to effect a landing at Ostend. Throughout yesterday's attacks our airplanes successfully cooperated with our artillery. Five tons of explosives were dropped behind the enemy's lines.

RUSSIA'S GREAT CRISIS.

WASHINGTON, To-day.—Russia's critical international situation, aggravated by the new German drive against Riga, threatening the capital, is watched by officials here with grave concern. It became known to-day. Official advices are closely in accord with press despatches describing the grave political conditions. The outcome of the forthcoming extraordinary national council to be held at Moscow is waited here with an interest scarcely less keen than in Russia itself. The immediate fate of Russia is felt depends upon it.

1.30 P.M.

SIGNIFICANT.

COPENHAGEN, To-day.—German casualty lists are no longer permitted to leave Germany.

NAJOVA'S SURVIVORS LANDED.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, To-day.—Twenty-seven members of the crew of the American steamship Navajo, abandoned on fire off the Irish Coast on August 8th, arrived here on an American steamship. The Navajo burned to the waters edge, and the crew was landed on the Irish coast.

REMOVING VALUABLES FROM TRIESTE.

LONDON, To-day.—The Austrians are removing everything of value from Trieste to Vienna and other inland places, according to a Rome despatch.

TOO SHORT SENTENCE.

LONDON, To-day.—A despatch from Melbourne says that Adele Pankhurst, daughter of the English Suffragette leader, was sentenced to a month's imprisonment to-day for a demonstration which she started outside the Parliament building yesterday.

MUST GO DIRTY.

AMSTERDAM, To-day.—Berlin newspapers received, say that the Berlin Municipal authorities intend to prohibit persons from bathing in their homes. The step will be taken, it is added, in order to save water and fuel.

THINGS LOOKING BAD IN RUSSIA.

PETROGRAD, To-day.—General Alexieff, former Commander in Chief of the Russian forces, in an interview to-day at Moscow, asserted that Germany's strategy aimed at driving

ing the Roumanian army from all its positions, in order to compel Roumania to conclude a separate peace, or to enter into an alliance with the Entente Allies. The seat of the Roumanian Government General Alexieff continued, must be transferred to Moscow, although Petrograd at present is not really threatened. The situation on the Russian front, he added, though serious, is not hopeless.

GRAND HEADQUARTERS FRENCH ARMY, August 24th.

(By Associated Press).—The French bag of prisoners, as a result of the victory at Verdun, amounted to nearly 8,000 and a large number of cannon and machine guns were captured or destroyed. The battle, which is being continued, is confined to artillery, with the French holding a great superiority in the fire. The entire country rearward from the new French lines, round Lemort Homme, and in fact along the whole line of the offensive, has the appearance of sand dunes, being absolutely devoid of any vegetation. A few jagged poles standing out from shell marked earth represent all that is left.

McMurdo's Store News

FRIDAY, Aug. 24, 1917. McMurdo's Wild Strawberry Compound is a valuable remedy in summer complaint, diarrhoea, dysentery, cramps, colic, and bowel complaints of like nature. Taken at the beginning of an attack it will often ward off a serious case of summer trouble. At this season of the year, it is well to have a bottle of Wild Strawberry Compound in the house, ready for emergencies. Price 25c. a bottle. If your corns ail, try a package of Acme Corn Silk. This simple remedy probably has more cured corns to its credit than any other thing in the country. Price 10c. a pkg.

Proposal to Extend

STREET RAILWAY SYSTEM.

The City Council received a letter from the Reid Nfd. Co., which was read at yesterday's meeting, dealing with the contemplated extension of the present street railway system. The letter contained many valuable suggestions which if put in practice would be a great boon to the city. The new service is proposed to run through the thickly populated upper and back portions of the city to which the present system of transportation is of so value. The company suggest that the Council would be the best judges as to how and where the public would be best served. As to the street lighting prices, the extension of the service depends mainly on their being able to float an issue of bonds and in order to do so it would be necessary for the company to be able to put forward the best possible showing of the present system's receipts, and for this reason it would be impossible to make a reduction of any stated rate in the prices of private lighting, which furnishes the greater portion of revenue in that department. If the Council will agree for an extension of the system for a period of years the company would curtail the present lighting rates, increase the present number of lights or supply more lights in the car service and at the present figure. A second letter pointed out the proposed benefits in the encouragement it would give to the building of workmen's homes in the suburbs, as building lots could be bought at reasonable rates and with special transportation rates for workmen the success of the scheme would be assured. The following motion proposed by Councillor Tait and seconded by Councillor Mullaly was passed: Having heard the letters from the Reid Nfd. Co. read, and having listened to the discussion on the same by my brother Councillors respecting the benefits to be derived from the extension of the St. John's Street Railway system and the possible reduction in the rates, and further extension of the city lighting system, I beg to move that a committee of three be nominated from this Council for the purpose of conferring with a like committee from the Reid Nfd. Co. upon the following, and any other matters which may arise, viz: (a) easy and cheap access to all outlying points of the city; (b) cheap fares east and west to Quidi Vidi Lake and Bowring Park; (c) access to cheap sites suitable for the erection of workmen's homes; (d) cheap special rates for the workmen's tickets; (e) reduced rates and further extension of the city lighting system; (f) possible reduction in private lighting if the operation of the Street Railway proves as successful as anticipated. The Mayor will appoint a committee of three to confer with the Reid Nfd. Co.

POTATOES DROP IN PRICE.

New potatoes were on sale at 16 cents a gallon yesterday in the East End; owing to so many amateur gardeners the market is well supplied.

REID'S BOATS.

The Argyle reached Placentia yesterday, sailing on Merasheen route to-day. The Clyde arrived at Lewisporte at 9.50 p.m. yesterday, inward. The Dundee left Bonavista at 5.30 p.m. yesterday. The Ethie left Humbermouth at 9.45 p.m. yesterday. The Glencoe arrived at St. John's at 4.35 p.m. yesterday. The Home arrived at Lewisporte at 11.40 p.m. yesterday. The Thetis arrived at Pack's Harbor yesterday. The Wren left Clarendville at 4.45 a.m. to-day.

WAR VETERANS RETURNING.

The following returning soldiers are on the incoming express which left Port aux Basques at 2.20 a.m. to-day: Cadet Lily, Sgt. H. J. Leves, Corp. Murphy, Corp. Sheehan, Corp. Lemee, Lt. Stone, Lt. Lawrence, Privates Walsh, Bursey, Dodd, Crowe, Tucker, Murrin, Penney, Christensen, Brown, Slaney, Bishop, Knox, Blide, Pearce, Michell, Morrissey.

New Vegetables! New Fruit!

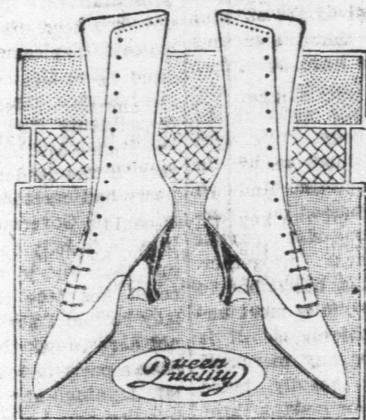
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Nova Scotia Green Cabbage.
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BATTLESHIP GREY, Grey Top \$5.00 to \$6.00
BRONZE KID at \$6.00
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Here and There.

N.I.W.A. COAL.—The coal ordered by the N.I.W.A. is now being discharged at the F.P.U. wharf and is being disposed of to members of the association at greatly reduced prices.

ANNUAL FLOWER SERVICE.—The annual Flower Service will be held at the C. of E. Cemetery at 3 o'clock on Sunday afternoon. The C.L.B. band will be in attendance and a collection will be taken in aid of the cemetery fund.

EXPRESS PASSENGERS.—The following first class passengers are on the incoming express:—H. C. Ople, Mrs. M. Francis, E. J. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Reid, M. Shechter, Dr. J. C. Webster and son, Mrs. M. Crossbie, C. Bell, C. Jones, G. Legge, Leo Boland, B. M. Chipman, Mrs. Bartlett, Mrs. L. Wiseman, Miss N. McKinley, Rev. W. H. and Mrs. Pike, Miss C. Ball, L. Marshall, J. Barr, D. McIsaac, C. D. Tompkins, W. Morgan, W. H. Jones, and twenty-five returning soldiers whose names appear elsewhere in this issue.