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NEWS TOPICS OF WEEK

Important Events Which Have Occurred During the Week.

The Busy World's Happenings Carefully Compiled and Put into Handy and Attractive Shape for the Readers of Our Paper—A Solid Hours' Enjoyment.

TUESDAY.

Premier Asquith announced that the Irish bill would be introduced before adjournment.
The question of requisitioning German ships in Brazilian ports will shortly be taken up by the Brazilian Congress.
The heat in Brantford was 97 yesterday, and resulted in a water shortage and river water had to be turned into the reservoir.
Eighty per cent. of the wheat crop in Saskatchewan is now headed out. 25 per cent. of oats, 40 per cent. of barley and 35 per cent. of flax is in bloom.
Fifteen men were reported killed and 10 overcome by gas in the new water works tunnel in Cleveland, extending from shore to the west side crib, last night.
Slashed across the right cheek by a razor in the hands of an unknown Italian yesterday, Abraham Greenberg, aged 55, of 16 1/2 York street, Toronto, now lies in a serious condition in St. Michael's Hospital.
Negotiations between the United States and Denmark for purchase of the Danish West Indies are understood to have reached a definite stage, where some important development may soon become known.
The German crown prince made his debut last week as a military flyer, according to word from Berlin. For fifteen minutes the heir to the German throne risked his life in a German aeroplane over the French lines surrounding Verdun.
Twenty dollars and costs or seven days was the sentence given Private Alex. Wilson, who came up in the Toronto police court yesterday on a charge of striking Thos. Dobson on the head with a swagger cane when he refused to enlist.

WEDNESDAY.

Judge Prendergast dropped some of the counts in the Winnipeg trial. It was announced that the Greek elections would be held in September.
The Hamilton City Council refused to rescind the day-light-saving by-law.
Excessive heat put the Hydro system at Berlin out of action for three hours.
It was reported that Sir Roger Casement would be executed on August 3.
Monte Cimone, on the Posina-Asticeo line, was taken by the Italian troops.
A severe electrical storm swept the London district and flooded a large area.
Wentworth County Council has decided to insure all its soldiers who go overseas.
A heat-crazed cow gored Mrs. William Walker of Guelph, seriously injuring her.
Petrolia took steps that will lead to the public ownership of its natural gas supply.
Changes in the various commands at Camp Borden have taken place during the past few days.
Fire in the planing mill of Edwin & Murphy, Cameron street, Toronto, caused a loss of \$12,000.
The Guelph authorities have opened a bureau at the City Hall for the registration of woman war workers. Alice Lawless and Percy Mouldy were drowned, the former at the Beach and the boy at Fisherman's Island, Toronto. Two other lads were rescued from the Bay.
The Liberals decided to contest the South-west Toronto Provincial seat rendered vacant by the death of Hon. J. J. Foy, and the Conservatives arranged a convention for next Monday.

THURSDAY.

The Dominion's war costs total \$20,000,000 a month.
The French and Russian Premiers exchanged cordial greetings.
All aliens not naturalized at Berlin have been ordered to pay a poll tax.
A freight conductor and brakeman were killed at London when two trains met.
The Rev. Gordon S. Jury of Bowmanville enlisted with the Army Medical Corps.
It is officially announced that several Canadian units have reached Great Britain.
Maximilian Harden told the German people they should banish their dreams of an early peace.
Mr. N. W. Rowell, Liberal leader in Ontario, is in Paris after spending four days with the Canadians at the front.
Three hundred and fifty men of No. 1 Construction Battalion left Toronto yesterday for the east to complete their training.
Major-General Gwatkin, Chief of Militia Staff at Ottawa, received a staff appointment in Britain and will leave Canada in September.
Mr. J. W. Flavelle, Chairman of the Imperial Munitions Board, received a cheque for \$758,248, war profits, from Mr. F. W. Baillie of Hamilton.
The new motor license reciprocity pact between Ontario and some States of the Union has entailed the construction of some good roads in Essex county.
According to a Berlin report the Kaiser has apologized to the Sultan for his inability to visit Constantinople, as promised. He thanked the Sultan for the help the Turks are about to give the Austro-Germans.

FRIDAY.

Several drowning accidents occur-

red throughout the Province of Ontario yesterday.

Two chums in the Muskoka Battalion, stationed at Camp Borden, died of pneumonia.
Gen. Vladimir Sukhomlinov, the Russian ex-Minister of War, was reported very ill.
The St. Catharines Police Force resigned because of the refusal of an increase of pay.
It was officially announced that 8,970 British prisoners are now in the hands of the Turks.
Brigadier-General James G. C. Lee, a veteran of the United States army, died at Hamilton.
Laurence Ginnell, a Nationalist member, was suspended by the British House of Commons.
The cross-examination was commenced at the Winnipeg trial. Horwood was the first witness.
James L. McDonald, who escaped from Simcoe Jail, and joined Coop & Lent's circus, was rearrested.
Halifax liquor men appealed to the Minister of Justice for a disallowance of the Nova Scotia prohibition act.
Southwest Toronto bye-election for the seat left vacant by the death of Hon. J. J. Foy, takes place August 21.
Other Hamilton war contractors declared that they will not follow the example of Mr. F. W. Baillie and give back some of their war profits.
Hon. G. Howard Ferguson intimated to a deputation that it was his opinion that any nickel refining plant inaugurated should be located near the mines.
Dr. McCullough, Provincial Chief Officer of Health, has gone to Windsor to take charge of the plans to check the spread of infantile paralysis in Essex county.
The Danish steamer Normandiet has been seized by a German torpedo boat. The vessel was bound from Skelleftea, Sweden, for La Palice, France, with a cargo of wood pulp.

SATURDAY.

London has obtained an extension of its Sunday street car service.
Lieut. Crescor of Owen Sound received the Military Cross for bravery. Sweden has laid more mines and issued warning to all belligerent submarines.
John Downey, aged 38, 110 St. John's road, Toronto, was killed by a C. P. R. engine.
Poincare and the Czar have exchanged telegrams of congratulation on the capture of Erzingan.
Sir Pierre Landry, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, died at Dorchester, N.B.
Mr. Fred Dane of the Ontario License Board was appointed Loan Commissioner for New Ontario.
It was announced in The Canadian Gazette that the International Nickel Company has been incorporated in Canada.
Prof. Daniel Buchanan of Queen's has refused an offer to become professor of mathematics at McMaster University, Toronto.
Canadian Chinese, according to an order issued at Ottawa, can stay out of the country until after the war without having to repay the toll tax.
The Militia Department announces that each of the Canadian battalions now in England has already been supplied with 150 of the new Enfield rifles, replacing the Ross rifle with which they are now armed.
At midnight on Thursday the clocks of Greece were advanced twenty-five minutes. This was in accordance with the decision of the Government to adopt standard eastern European time instead of sun time.

MONDAY.

Sir Sam Hughes has arrived in London, Eng.
Three zeppelins in raid on English coast early Saturday morning. No casualties.
Lincoln Wetherell, a Brockville barber, was instantly killed Saturday in an automobile accident.
All the negotiations between Roumania and Turkey with regard to the exchange of supplies has been broken off.
Richard Dale, St. Catharines, while visiting near Bowmanville, was killed by falling from a load of hay.
Charles Adams, a Pere Marquette brakeman, was instantly killed at midnight Friday by falling from the engine of a fast freight train at Cornell.
Attending the School of Cookery at Barrfield Camp is Lieut. Malcolm Lang, 159th Battalion, M.P.P. for Cochrane, who is becoming proficient in the culinary line.
A meeting in London of well-known men, representing all the overseas Dominions, has inaugurated a movement for a London memorial to the fallen Dominion soldiers.
Judge Waddill at Norfolk, Va., yesterday decided proceedings for possession of the captured British liner Appam in favor of the British owners and against the German prize crew.
The King has appointed the Duke of Devonshire a member of the Knights of the Grand Cross and the Order of St. Michael and St. George, on his appointment as Governor-General of Canada.
In order that Sir Robert Borden may be relieved of part of the varied responsibilities which devolved upon him through the war, an Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs will be appointed.

Canadian Infantry Again in Action.

LONDON, July 31.—The Canadians have again been in action. Sir Douglas Haig's report of Saturday afternoon says: "Parties of Canadian infantry successfully raided the enemy's trenches in two places south of Ypres. The German casualties were severe."
Roumania and Turkey Out.
LONDON, July 31.—All the negotiations between Roumania and Turkey with regard to the exchange of supplies has been broken off, says a despatch from Bucharest, Roumania, to Reuter's Telegram Co.

TAIL OF THE KING CRAB.

It's a Real Life Preserver. When the Animal Turns Turtle.
The king crab uses his tail for a life preserver. Probably you can't imagine what a sea animal wants of a life preserver. If you watch this creature long enough, either along the beach or in an aquarium, you'll find out. He's got a shell on his back and a long, spiny tail that looks as if it could be used as a weapon of defense.
Sometimes the king crab gets turned over on his back. His feet are all curled up in the shell, so he can't touch anything with them, therefore when he's on his back he's helpless.
This is where the long tail comes in as a life preserver. The king crab sticks the point of his tail in the sand and lifts himself until he makes an arch with his body. Then he swings sideways, back and forth, until with one final effort he flops himself over right side up at last.
Along the Jersey coast they reckon the beginning of summer by the king crabs. About the time of the full moon in June, they say, the king crabs come up on the sand to lay their eggs. Men and boys go down on the beach with wagons and shovels and scoop up the crabs by the bushel. Then they feed them to the country.
It is interesting to know, too, that the Indians used to point their arrows with the sharp, spiny tail of the king crab. They used the shell for a ladle. The French have given a name to the crab—carrerole fish—because the shell looks like a saucepan.

Rough on the Surgeon.

In the ancient life of Mesopotamia the surgeon failed to occupy the exalted position accorded him in the present age, and to discourage him from making rash operations severe penalties were fixed in case of unsuccessful ones. If the patient died the surgeon's hands were cut off. In the case of a slave he had to replace him with one of equal value. If the slave's eye was lost he had to pay half the value of the slave. If a veterinary surgeon were successful he received one-sixth of a shekel, but if the animal died he had to pay one-sixth of its value.
An Unsolved Puzzle of Biology.
It is one of the innumerable puzzles of biology that the number of eggs a bird lays seems to have such small influence on the abundance of the species. A royal tern lays one egg, rarely two; a gull three, a skimmer four to six. The gull eats the eggs of the other two, especially of the tern; as far as we know all have the same foes, yet the abundance of the birds is in inverse ratio to the number of their eggs. Of course, there is an explanation, but we cannot even guess at it as yet. With this, as with so many other scientific questions, all we can say is, with Huxley, that we are not afraid to announce that we do not know.—Theodore Roosevelt in Scribner's Magazine.

England's Income Tax.

In the nature of a war tax the income tax was first imposed in England by Pitt in 1799. It was a temporary imposition and was graduated on all incomes from \$200 to \$1,000 a year, with a tax of 10 per cent on all incomes over \$1,000. Addington reimposed the tax when the war with France broke out in 1803, and the rate was fixed at 5 per cent on incomes of \$750 a year and over. On his return to power in 1803 Pitt continued the tax, and it was gradually increased until 1815, when it was abrogated. Peel revived it, however, for purely fiscal reasons in 1842, and, although his original intention was to impose it only for three years, it has continued ever since.

Knew He Was Worshiped.

"In Paris Mr. Whistler and an English painter got into a very turbulent argument about Velasquez at a studio tea," said an artist. "Mr. Whistler at one point in the argument praised himself extravagantly. The Englishman, listening, sneered and said at the end: 'It's a good thing we can't see ourselves as others see us.' 'Isn't it, though?' said Mr. Whistler. 'I know in my case I should grow intolerably conceited.'"

The Animals in Heaven.

According to the Mohammedan's belief, there are ten animals in heaven. These form the following strange menagerie: The calf offered by Abraham, the ox of Moses, the whale of Jonah, the ass of Balaam, the ram of Ishmael, the ant of Solomon, the camel of the prophet Salech, the cuckoo of Balkis, the dog of the seven sleepers and Al Borak, the animal which carried Mohammed to heaven.
Eighty-eight and the Stuarts.
Eighty-eight was the fatal number of the Stuarts. James III, was killed in flight from Bannockburn 1488. Mary Stuart was beheaded 1588. James II, of England was dethroned in 1688. Charles Edward died in 1788. Some say that the first Stuart king, Robert II, died in 1388.

Signs of the Times.

"Novels aren't proper reading matter for you, Ella. At your age I read children's books."
"But those were very different times, mamma. Why, you even told me that papa was your first love."—Munich Fliegende Blaetter.

Content can only be found in the tranquility of the heart.

Too Much Praise.
"Did you say I was a four flush?"
"Never," replied Mr. Growther.
"There's a chance of a four flush connecting up and being some good to somebody."—Washington Star.

WAR NEWS

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