

HAMILTON NEWS

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ASK AMENDMENT TO INSURANCE ACT

Underwriters Appoint Committee to Urge Change Upon Borden.

CONVENTION AT END

One of the Most Successful Gatherings in History Closed Saturday.

HAMILTON, Monday, July 24.—Following the announcement that Winnipeg would be the scene of the next year's convention, the Life Underwriters of Canada, who were in session all last week, brought their 1916 convention to a close on Saturday afternoon. The convention was one of the most successful ever held, and was largely attended by delegates from all over Canada. The feature of Saturday's session was the appointing of a committee, consisting of W. L. Reid, Ottawa; A. Homer Vipond, Montreal; A. J. McKeljohn, Montreal; and A. S. Wickliffe, Ottawa, who were instructed to urge upon Premier Borden the necessity of an amendment to the Insurance Act that would permit any Canadian to obtain a license to write insurance in Ontario, providing he is recommended by his company. Arrangements will also be made by the committee for a conference of all the insurance superintendents of the different provinces, with the idea of obtaining uniformity in the licensing of agents.

Edward A. Wood, president of the National Association of Life Underwriters, gave an address on "Salesmanship," and George T. Wilson of New York spoke on "Efficiency." Before breaking up, the convention presented a club bag to T. B. Parkinson, transportation manager, in recognition of the service he had rendered the association during the past year.

WAR SUMMARY

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

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were dropped twice on the railway station at Arnville, causing a fire; they were also dropped on stations at Arnville, Laon and Sierme. Mulheim on the right bank of the Rhine, was also visited by a French squadron of flyers, and the barracks and station there were made targets for high explosive shells. At Fleury on the Verden front the French gained more ground in bombing attacks and took some prisoners.

As a result of recent actions the Russians have considerably improved their positions at many points of the front and they have taken in the past few days 30,000 prisoners and 40 guns. Becoming active in the north they captured German positions in the Riga sector, and they made an advance, unofficially reported as five miles. They also captured German first line positions a short distance from Smorgon, 50 miles east of Vilna, and the German command reported by the fire of their artillery. This fighting in the north may be designated as a feat to compel Von Hindenburg to keep a large body of troops on this front; or it may be the beginning of a serious offensive to drive the enemy out of Volhynia and back into eastern Prussia. On the Stokhod River front the Germans tried to break through the Russian lines, but failed and retired. It is estimated that three army corps under General Von Linington that were defeated on the Lipa and Styr and forced to retreat, total 60,000 men. The Teuton ranks are leaking like a cracked tea-kettle.

The success won by the Russians on the Styr and Lipa Rivers is being pressed to the point of invading the northeastern corner of Galicia, where, it is reported, a German corps under General von Bothmer has been outfanked, both in the north and south. If this report is true the enemy is in grave danger of suffering a disaster unless he beats a rapid retreat. German and Austrian generals appear to be greatly nonplussed in the fighting unless they have a big superiority of troops, and this of course they no longer have. They committed the usual error of underestimating the quality of the new Russian general in the Carpathians, the Russians have captured heights on the road from Delatyn to Maramoras-Sziget, in Hungary, and are within four miles of the summit of the mountains. Here the Austrians, after sending out roose reports of repelling the Russians on Saturday, were compelled to admit on Sunday that they had withdrawn from the main ridge of the Carpathians, southwest of Tatarow, under the menace of a heavy Russian assault.

Continuing their pressure against the Austrian lines in the Trentino, the Italians have scored new advances along the Posina line and on the Sette Comuni Plateau. They have progressed the slopes of Monte Zebio, capturing trenches and machine gun positions and they have captured the strong positions of Monte Cavallazza and Monte Colbricon, in the Dolomites, taking 142 prisoners, two guns, some trench-mortars and a large quantity of arms and ammunition. At other points on the front the artillery action continued heavy.

Cairo, Egypt, has received authentic word of the fighting of a desperate engagement between Arab revolutionists and a Turkish garrison near Medina, with a result favorable to the Arabs. The Turks, who are besieged, made a sortie and lost 2500 men. The Arabs lost 500, and they are going on with the siege. The sortie indicates that the situation is becoming desperate for the Turks. Evidently the surrender of General Townsend at Kut-el-Amara had little political effect on the Arabs, for they decided to revolt anyway.

An official statement issued in London yesterday reported that the Turkish forces in Sinai Peninsula had made a new advance to within 30 miles of the Suez Canal and that they are entreaching at a point some five miles east of Katia. British cavalry have got in touch with them and measures are being taken by the British command in Egypt to meet this movement. As the day season is now too far advanced for an attempt against Egypt till the new year, the movement of the Turks is probably dictated by another motive. It has probably resulted from the fact that the revolt of the Arabs is of such great political importance that Turkey is determined to drop everything else to deal with it, and before turning an expedition to Arabia it is necessary for her to protect her right flank in Egypt against the dangers of British interference with her communications with Arabia.

The weakening of the Turkish forces in the Caucasus after it was probably thought by General Von Mackensen that he had checked the Russian invasion has given the Russians their opportunity to push rapidly forward. Their latest achievement is the occupation of Ardasa, 13 miles northwest of Gumushaneh. In this operation they captured 16 officers and 260 Turkish soldiers, including the commander of the 29th Turkish Regiment. They also took three machine guns.

The Russians have also made a considerable advance along the shore of the Black Sea, west of Trebizond, taking a great many prisoners. They captured the Town of Kialik-Chevtik, near the River Eshit-Trnaka, and after some fighting they also carried by storm the Town of Foll and advanced a considerable distance southward. They also crossed the western Euphrates River, on the road to Erzingan, and they are fighting engagements with large Turkish forces east of the Rivandouza district, in the direction of Mosul.

RUSSIANS TAKE FOE TRENCHES AT RIGA

Czar's Forces Gain Five Miles in Heavy Fighting.

INFLECT HEAVY LOSSES

Recent Successes Make for Them Twenty-Seven Thousand Prisoners.

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battalion commander, and 483 men. They captured three cannon and four machine guns. They report rains and snow in the Carpathians.

Fee Admits Retreat.—The Austrians admit that they have withdrawn towards the main ridge of the Carpathians in southern Bukowina, southeast of Tatarow, under the menace of a heavy Russian assault.

The breaking up of Russian attempts to advance southeast of Riga, and of efforts of Russian troops to cross the Styr in Volhynia are claimed in today's official statement by the German war office.

FIVE COLLAPSED IN HEAT OF SATURDAY

Saturday's heat was responsible for the collapse of five persons, Ernest Clarke, Ashfield avenue, who was removed from the foot of York street to St. Michael's Hospital; Walter Lott, 85 Bolton avenue, taken home from Yonge street where suffering from sunstroke; T. Williams, 25 Sycamore street, to the General Hospital, and Mrs. Streokman of Lansdowne avenue, who fell at the corner of Lansdowne and Bloor street in an unconscious condition.

AN AGREEMENT REACHED

LUCERNE, via Paris, July 22.—The Lucerne newspapers say that Germany and Switzerland have reached an agreement regarding the indemnities to be paid the families of Swiss victims of sinking of the Lusitania. Each government has appointed an expert, who will consider the cases separately and fix the amount to be paid.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

Nine p.m. List

INFANTRY.

Wounded—44450, Chas. H. Gilbert, Ganges Harbor, B.C.; 22872, Corp. Jas. Halligan, Quebec.

Previously reported wounded, now returned to duty—29474, Sergt. Walter Holmes, Trenton, Ont.

Wounded—1246, Arthur Hous, Newfoundland; 7187, Elwyn Long, Benmilton, Ont.; 12444, Frederick McMorris, Stratford, Ont.; 41977, Robert S. Morrison, Swift Current, Sask.; 105953, John Muir, Carleton Place, Ont.; 44559, Wm. B. Rickett, Belleville, Ont.; 132421, J. W. Riley, Hillsboro, P.E.I.; 12421, J. R. Ross, Ottawa, Ont.; 44083, Herbert Ross, England; 19010, Ernest Wilson, Edmonton.

Died of wounds—44100, Samuel L. A. Thompson, Ellsboro, Sask.

WOUNDED RIFLES

Previously reported unofficially, now officially killed in action—102211, Lance-Corps. Bertram Arnold, St. Davids, Ont.; 400213, Henry Cross, Toronto; 41549, William H. Strumble, Green Bay, Ont.

INFANTRY

Killed in action—A10357, Edward Johnson, Ottawa.

WOUNDED RIFLES

Wounded—124120, Stanley E. Byfield, London, Ont.; 111248, Gus Hyman, Newfoundland.

ARTILLERY

Wounded—45926, Sgt. John Clark, Montreal.

ENGINEERS

Wounded—287, Sgt. Harry Duff, Montreal; 434411, Sapper Harry Holden, Calgary.

CAVALRY

Wounded—7712, Wm. N. Rawlings, Nain aware, Toronto.

INFANTRY

Killed in action—32440, Sgt. Reginald J. Buchanan, Stratford, Ont.; 21228, Corp. Wm. J. Cundall, Cameron, Ont.; Captain Fred W. Jay, Stratford, Ont.; 44444, Sgt. Wm. J. Burgess, Burlington, N.B.; 105953, John Muir, Carleton Place, Ont.; 21228, Sgt. Reginald J. Buchanan, Stratford, Ont.; 44444, Sgt. Wm. J. Burgess, Burlington, N.B.; 105953, John Muir, Carleton Place, Ont.

ARTILLERY

Killed in action—14688, Peter W. Bisset, Minaki, Ont.; 8090, Sgt. Gunner Duncan Seads, 1465 Diaper road, Toronto; 71520, John W. Slaven, Petrolia, Ont.

ENGINEERS

Wounded—Lt. Andrew M. Robertson, Montreal; 78418, Corp. Ellis W. Wyndham, 108 Wiles street, Toronto.

INFANTRY

Previously reported missing, now officially killed in action—Lieut. Gerald H. Peters, Prince Arthur, Ont.; 177889, Edward Hill, Montreal; 17844, Sgt. James E. Webb, Lt. Montague, 177877, Fred G. Shaw, St. Catharines; 62444, Robert Simpson, Toronto; Lieut. Bernard.

WHITCOMBE RILEY CALLED BY DEATH

Stroke of Paralysis Proved Fatal to 'Hoosier Poet.'

HAD VARIED CAREER

Poems for Children Rivalled Those of Eugene Field.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 23.—James Whitcombe Riley, the 'Hoosier poet,' died here last night from a stroke of paralysis.

James Whitcombe Riley was born in Greenfield, Indiana, in 1853. He painted signboards and adapted plays for the stage. He was a poet for children, rivalled those of Eugene Field. His poems for children rivalled those of Eugene Field. His imitation of Edgar Allan Poe in 'The Kermis Dance' in 1875, the poem 'Leonine,' fooled many critics. 'The Hoosier Schoolboy' was his first book, which he followed by about thirty others. One of his most touching poems, and the universal favorite, is, 'The Birthday.'

TWO DROWNED IN LAKE AT KENORA

Herman O. Lee of Toronto and Miss Catherine Moran Are Victims.

GIRL WAS IN BATHING

Young Man Heard Shout for Help and Went to Rescue

KENORA, Ont., July 23.—Miss Catherine Moran and Herman O. Lee, were drowned in the lake about 7 miles from this town this afternoon, when trying to save Miss Moran from drowning.

USED DISGUISE TO GULL THE PUBLIC

'Wandering Minstrel of Eighty' Turns Out to Be Strong Man of Thirty-Two.

Gray hair, beard and moustache, a soft felt hat, green spectacles and fiddle manufactured out of a cigar box, a piece of wood and a tin can, was the means by which the 'Wandering Minstrel of Eighty' was arrested Saturday afternoon at the corner of Queen and Bay streets on a charge of passing counterfeit money.

DEUTSCHLAND STILL SHOWS NO SIGN OF SAILING

CRUISER FIRES SHOT

Say Bremen Was Sighted.

There are some who believe that the warship sighted the German and fired a shot across her bow as a signal to surrender, but that the U-boat immediately submerged and made a getaway. Naval experts scout this theory, declaring that the Bremen, if she is already out of the capes, will not attempt to enter the bay before nightfall.

MOUNTED RIFLES

Previously reported missing, now officially reported killed in action—102255, Pte. Angus Campbell, 114 Logan avenue, Toronto; 40430, Pte. Bob Cook, 451-1/2 Dundas street, N.E.; 111090, Sgt. Wesley Carson, Campo Bello, N.B.; 102255, Pte. Angus Campbell, 114 Logan avenue, Toronto; 40430, Pte. Bob Cook, 451-1/2 Dundas street, N.E.; 111090, Sgt. Wesley Carson, Campo Bello, N.B.

ARTILLERY

Killed in action—Lieut. H. D. Browne, Rte. N.H.

Wounded—427071, Sapper Gordon Andrews, Glace Bay, N.S.; 1442, Corp. Theo J. Bovard, Montreal, N.B.; 503208, Sapper Alex. Herschell, Indianapolis, Ind.

INFANTRY

Killed in action—127874, Pte. F. L. Wadman, Charlottetown, P.E.I.; 68675, Pte. Harold A. Humberstone, Toronto; 1542, Pte. Herbert Lockhart, Stratford, Ont.; 177889, Pte. J. A. Senocall, 178 St. St. Fred. Mort., 140 Leslie street, Toronto.

ENGINEERS

Died—57967, Sapper Walter Roger, Scotland.

INFANTRY

Killed in action—40245, Pte. A. G. Beaumont, 307 West Bloor street, Toronto; 2315, Pte. J. Boucher, Sherbrooke, Que.; 40141, Pte. J. G. Legage, Burlington, Ont.; 44289, Pte. C. Smith, Carrleton Place, N.S.; 18719, Pioneer C. Williams, Borek, Ill.; 123318, Pte. J. G. Wilson, 338 Booth street, York, Ont.

Previously reported missing, believed killed, now killed in action—44041, Pte. H. Chisholm, 17 Bloomfield avenue, Toronto.

Previously reported missing, now officially killed in action—44223, Pte. Ewart Catherwood, Mississauga, B.C.; 25117, Pte. Arthur G. Ray, Fort Hope, Ont.

Previously reported killed in action, now unofficially prisoner of war at Dulme, 110096, Pte. C. O. Clarke, London, Ont.

Previously prisoner of war and wounded—73589, Pte. H. N. Causton, Detroit, Mich.; 36134, Pte. C. D. Dundas, Toronto; 177484, Pte. Geo. Downham, 158 Henry street, Montreal; 412538, Pte. Geo. P. Dunlop, St. John, N.B.; 177281, Pte. F. H. Foulds, Yarmouth, N.S.; Lieut. V. W.



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SUBMARINE HUGS BALTIMORE PIER

Germany Still Shows No Sign of Sailing.

CRUISER FIRES SHOT

Gossip Started About Pending Arrival of Bremen by Action.

BALTIMORE, July 23.—The only thing that can be affirmed of the submarine merchantman Deutschland tonight, is that she is alongside a pier in the Patuxent River, where she berthed 14 days ago, when she completed her voyage from Germany.

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MANY DISAPPOINTED

The Electric Wiring & Fixture Co., 281 College street, offered to wire and fixture occupied houses for electric light during the summer months at cost to keep their entire staff employed. As so many electricians have enlisted, labor will be very scarce throughout the summer.

TWO BRITISH SHIPS SUNK

LONDON, July 24, 1.54 a.m.—Lloyds announces that the British steamers Longwen, 482 tons, and Knutsford, 842 tons, have been sunk. The crews of both vessels were saved.

OFFICER GOES MAD KILLING OWN MEN

French Bombardment Reduces Tragedy Among Germans.

PARIS, July 23.—The destruction of a German fortified work on the Somme front was marked by 23 tragic episodes, says La Liberté. The order was issued to destroy the fort at water cost in less than six hours more than 2500 great shells were fired at it, and the defenses gave way one by one in a cloud of dust and smoke. The infantry then went forward and the German positions were captured and awaited their fate.

SERG. E. REYNOLDS IS KILLED IN ACTION

Wife Was Notified Yesterday Was President of Bedford Park Ratepayers.

Mrs. Edward Reynolds, living on Bedford avenue, Bedford Park, has just received word from Ottawa that her husband, Sgt. Reynolds, formerly attached to the York Rangers, had been killed in battle on July 9. The telegram conveyed the news, and later in France, in order that he might be more readily got into action, resigned his position, re-enlisting as a private. Sgt. Reynolds has two children at home and one son in the trenches at the front. The late soldier was the founder and first president of the Bedford Park West Ratepayers' Association, and he had presided over the gathering, which he presided over yesterday for a meeting of the executive committee of the association, for a memorial service in the near future.

BREWERY BONDHOLDERS ARE UNFAIRLY TREATED

Canadian Associated Press Cable.

LONDON, July 23.—The Telegraph's financial editor says that outside bondholders of British Columbia breweries have agreed to postpone for three years the interest due last year. It is now intended to introduce prohibition, and should this happen without compensation, says The Telegraph, it will be extremely unfair, because when the money was subscribed it was understood that fresh money would be advanced in breweries would be safeguarded by the government. It will also seriously damage the credit of British Columbia here.

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