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War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

ON THE VERDUN FRONT.

PARIS, Aug. 25. (Official.) On the right bank of the Meuse (Verdun front) enemy artillery displayed great activity as did ours in the region of Thiaumont work. Towards 2 o'clock this morning the Germans made an attempt against the village of Fleury which utterly failed. In the forest of Apremont there was a rather lively bombardment of our trenches. This was followed by an attempted attack which was stopped by our curtain of fire.

GERMAN ASSAULT ON FRENCH LINES.

PARIS, Aug. 25. The Germans have made a new assault on the French lines at the tip of the famous salient of St. Mihiel, but have been repulsed, after gaining a footing in the French trenches, according to an official to-night.

ON THE SOMME FRONT.

PARIS, Aug. 25. The War Office to-night says: On the Somme front we continued our artillery fire on the German organizations. We took 800 prisoners in yesterday's fighting. Eight new machine guns were found in a part of Maurepas, which we captured.

PETROGRAD SAYS NO CHANGE.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 25. There has been no change on the Western Russian and Caucasian front, says an official communication issued by the War Department this evening.

TURKS RECEIVE CRUSHING BLOW

PETROGRAD, Aug. 25. The Turkish attempt to encircle the left flank of the Russian Caucasus army appears to have received a crushing blow from the troops of Grand Duke Nicholas in the region of Lake Van. The Turkish scheme of encircling the left flank and regaining Erzerum, thus nullifying all the successes of the Grand Duke in Turkish Armenia, appeared to be well on its way to a successful outcome, but the Russian re-occupation of Mush and their re-establishment of their positions west of Lake Van, have apparently put a definite quietus to the ambition of the Turks. The initiative now appears again to be with the Russians at all important points in Asia Minor. Now that the Turkish offensive on the left flank has been stopped, the Grand Duke Nicholas can continue his march towards Asia Minor.

SUCCESS OF THE SERBIANS.

LONDON, Aug. 25. Successes against the Bulgarians all along the line of the Serbian front in Macedonia are reported in the Serbian official statement of Aug. 22. The statement declares that the positions previously designated for Serbian occupation were seized and held by Serbian troops. On the right wing there has been an artillery duel. Our offensive is developing successfully in the centre and the Bulgarians are being pushed back gradually towards

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id than improvement in airships, and consequently it is quite probable that new types of destroyer aeroplanes may be produced which will make it almost impossible for airships to get away from this country if they ever reach it.

THE BRITISH VERSION.

LONDON, Aug. 25. Further reports show that five or six enemy airships raided the east and southeast coasts of England. Two or three raiders came in over the eastern counties and dropped over 20 bombs, without causing any casualties or damage. Another raider attempted to approach a seaport town, but being heavily fired on by anti-aircraft guns, was driven off to the eastward after dropping nineteen bombs in the sea, without reaching their objective. Another airship which visited the southeast coast came under heavy fire from anti-aircraft defences, and was compelled to unload its cargo of bombs in the sea without doing any damage to life or property. Another raider succeeded in reaching the outskirts of London, where explosive and incendiary bombs were dropped. It is regretted that casualties occurred among the civilian population as follows: Killed, three men, three women and two children; injured seriously, three men and three women, and in addition one soldier seriously. Fourteen were slightly injured by broken glass.

MAIL CONFISCATED.

BERLIN, Aug. 25. The entire American mail on the Scandinavian-American liner United States, which arrived at Copenhagen on August 18th from New York, was confiscated by the British authorities at Kirkwall, says an Overseas News Agency announcement to-day.

DEUTSCHLAND'S CREW REWARDED.

BERLIN, Aug. 25. The German submarine merchant-

man Deutschland arrived at Bremen, her home port, at noon to-day. Wild demonstrations greeted the vessel and crew. Nearly 100,000 marks has been contributed by a number of wealthy men in this country for presentation to Capt. Koenig and his crew.

ATTEMPT AT RESCUE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25. A News Agency despatch from Punta Arenas, Chile, to-day, says that the Chilean Government to-day announced that it has placed the ship Yelcho at the disposal of Sir Ernest Shackleton for another attempt to rescue the members of his Polar expedition marooned at Elephant Island. It is feared here that the men have already died of starvation.

GERMANS REPULSED.

LONDON, Aug. 25. The repulse of a German attack on the British trenches west of Givenchy is reported in an official statement issued by the War Office at midnight. The text follows: West of Givenchy the enemy last night with the strength of about two companies, attempted an attack on our trenches, but were driven back by our machine gun fire. The enemy's guns maintained fairly heavy fire last night on these trenches, which continued to-day. He also bombarded the trenches we captured last night near Delville Wood. There was much artillery activity by both sides on the various parts of the front. We captured two machine guns yesterday and 90 prisoners, besides these already reported passed back to-day on the front between Mouquet farm and Leipzig salient. Two aeroplane raids were carried out against some railroad sidings on the enemy's lines of communications. Several trains were hit and considerable damage was caused the rolling stock. Other points of military importance were bombarded. Hostile aircraft generally avoided combat, but there were some engagements in which a number of enemy machines were damaged and driven down. One of our machines was brought down in the enemy's lines.

Hr. Grace Notes.

The terrible accident at Bell Island on Tuesday, and also that at St. John's, have cast a gloom over this town, and many are the expressions of sympathy to the mourning ones.

Mrs. H. Cumberland (nee Miss Elsie Wareham) of Montreal arrived on Monday night's train on a short visit to her sister, Mrs. W. A. McKay.

Dr. Wm. Hogan of St. Mary's is in town on a brief holiday. His numerous friends are pleased to see him.

Reservist Nathaniel Snow arrived on Monday night on a few weeks' furlough. He was met at the station by a large number of citizens and was given a very hearty welcome.

Mrs. F. McKay passed through on to-day's train to Carbonear, where she will spend a week as the guest of Mrs. Leonard Ash.

Wild berries are very plentiful this summer, and it is a great pity that some enterprising firm does not go largely into the business of preserving them. Thousands of gallons are left to rot each year, which would be gathered if a ready market was available.

The following are the names of the thoughtful young ladies who undertook to help the Patriotic Fund by a garden party on Thursday last: Misses Flora Goodwin, Winnie Rogers, Beatrice Sheppard, Hettie Sheppard, Hettie Brown, Elsie Martin, Lizzie Sheppard and Mary Ash. The very handsome sum of \$51.13 was realized. The expenses attending the event were \$3.12, leaving a balance of \$47.22, which was equally divided between the W. P. A. and Cot Funds—\$23.61 each. Special thanks are due Mr. W. W. French for the use of his gramophone, to Mr. W. A. Munn, and also to Mr. James Gorman for donations and help.

The fishermen and others who come by boat to the harbor are complaining that the public docks and in some cases the public wharves are utilized for private purposes to the disadvantage of the boat-arriving public. They say it is nice to have your motor boat secure, but there should be rooms left for people to come in without delay or risk. The Harbor Master's attention is called to this.

CORRESPONDENT.

Harbor Grace, Aug. 24, '16.

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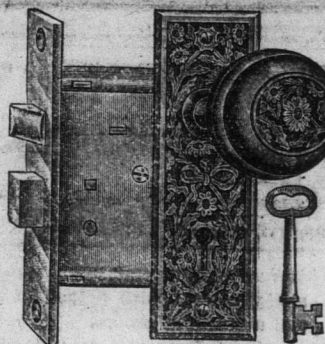
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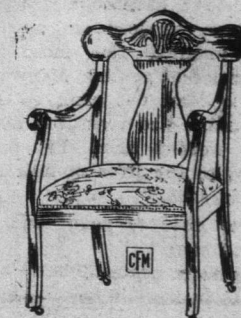
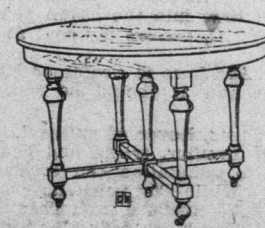
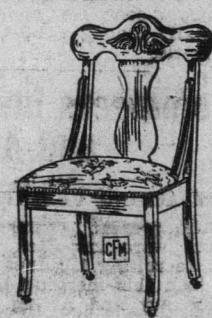
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THE THOUGHTS

A SUMMER SAUNTER.

Some day when you have nothing to do and all the day in which to do it, it might at least prove interesting if not entertaining if you took a summer saunter. 'Tis true the war is raging, but it will rage no matter if you are in the town or the country, and it is something to be able to get away from oneself for a day. Choose a cool day and be ready to start before eleven. If no one is around whom you like better than yourself, take a silent companion; one who will not speak unless you desire it, and who will be invisible at your will. Perhaps you will choose Cowper, if you have him in a compact form that will easily fit in your side pocket. It will be a good choice, too, as Cowper had a near knowledge of a great many sorrows as well as some joys of this life. And you will probably find that such a nature will suit you far better than one which continually looks on the bright side—nothing but sunlight grows wearisome, and even good habits are better for a change sometimes.

And, by the way, it is remarkable that Cowper is best known by the poem which he liked least of all his verse. He was kept awake by "having a lift." But your walk has scarcely begun and you do not feel like giving in. You meet many motors, carriages, and milk-wagons during your day, but only the country people are interested in you and wish to help you. They always wish you the time of the day and are ready for a bit of social converse. Of course the people in the motors probably know you and know that if you did not want to walk you would be in some conveyance also. Anyway they are travelling too fast to be very social. You will find it a good plan not to look at motors, and if you will be saved the uncertainty of seeing whether the occupants are friends or not, or if they recognize you or not.

You will be surprised that in an

John Gilpin was a citizen

Of credit and renown.

Well, with your silent companion by your side, you are ready to set out. If you go about this time of the year you will quickly come to the sweetest smelling of all country odours, new-mown hay, and you will hear on all sides the swish of the scythe or the rattle of the more modern mowing machine. If you turned up your nose in the spring at the odours of caplin and other fertilizers you will acknowledge now that the Harvest smells are worth it. And just here, a small pony and cart catches up to you and the driver asks you to "have a lift." But your walk has scarcely begun and you do not feel like giving in. You meet many motors, carriages, and milk-wagons during your day, but only the country people are interested in you and wish to help you. They always wish you the time of the day and are ready for a bit of social converse. Of course the people in the motors probably know you and know that if you did not want to walk you would be in some conveyance also. Anyway they are travelling too fast to be very social. You will find it a good plan not to look at motors, and if you will be saved the uncertainty of seeing whether the occupants are friends or not, or if they recognize you or not.

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