# \* NEWS \*

# **BUSINESS MEN WANT**

Much Dissatisfaction Expressed at Hamilton at Reversion to Old Time.

#### **MACHINISTS GET WORK**

Skilled Mechanics Accepting Positions With Outside Firms.

HAMILTON, Friday, Aug. 18—The complaints against the action of the city council in reverting back to standard time and not giving the daylight saving scheme a fair trial are increas-ing. On every hard are heard mur-murs of dissatisfaction, especially in the evenings when the nights begin to darken quickly. The sudden change in the weather is also responsible for the difference of opinion of many of the citizens who are not suffering now from loss of sleep owing to the hot

All the business men and such bodies as the Hamilton Board of Trade, Rotary Club and other organizations were thoroly in favor of the new time While it is not likely that daylight saving will be in force again this year every effort will be made to have it submitted to the citizens at the Jan-

Strikers Accepting Positions. The strike of the local machinists has reached a peculiar stage from the fact have accepted positions with outside firms, and when a settlement is made the employers will find that there are

It means that this city is losing all her skilled mechanics and other industrial centres are the gainers. Yesword was received from Torouto to forward machinists to the Canada Foundry Company, where there is plenty of work. About fifty

there is plenty of work. About fifty men accepted, leaving a total of approximately one hundred machinists who are out of work.

Next S. O. E. Convention.

Controller Jutten, who attended the sons of England convention at Halifax, brings back word that the 1913 convention will be held here. It will convene in August of that year and will bring about 500 delegates to the city.

Word has been received here that Pte. Archibald Best, 15 Mulberry street, who enlisted with the 36th Battalion, has been killed in action. Ptc. Best has a brother with the 86th (Machine Gun) Battalion in England. Lieut. Kennedy, Montreal, has also been rehere. He was born in this city in 1874, but has lived in Montreal of

ite years.
Authorization for a meeting to settle the plans of the hydro in this vi-Cinity has been given by Engineer Gaby, and on Aug. 30 representatives Port Credit and St. Catharines will meet here to discuss new lines.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.

At.
..New York....
Plymouth....
Christiansand. Bourdeaux

Interval in strengthening them.

\* WAR SUMMARY \*

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

(Continued From Page 1.)

when the allied advance began, but the Germans have employed the

On the French side of the Somme battlefront tranquillity prevailed yesterday between the rival infantries. The French employed their relief

Thus speak French military men on the battle of the Somme.

when yesterday's official communication was issued at Rome.

The Italians were closely engaged in artillery actions of great fury

This inclination of their offensive seems to imply the marching

It appears that their next efforts will be directed against

repulsed an Austrian attack against the Carso plateau and took 100

the lines of the upper Isonzo, north of Gorizia, and in the region of Tol-

on Vienna by the valley of the Save, a sort of repetition of Napoleon's

on vienna by the valley of the Save, a solt of repetition of Napoleon's campaign of 1797. Trieste would perhaps be invested by a siege army of reservists. Whether the allies have their heavy siege trains pre-

pared to batter the huge Austrian and German fortresses as they advance

and to take them by assault is not known, but it may be surmised that

to report, while the communication of yesterday afternoon contents itself

with announcing the capture of 7,506 men by General Sakharoff. This

general has taken since the offensive began no fewer than 94,754 prison-

along the front, and that the enemy in some places resumed his counter-

attacks and was repulsed everywhere. The Austrians claim that they have repulsed more Russian attacks on the front between Peraplinska

and Piniski in the course of twelve hours of heavy fighting. They assert

that the excellence of the German and Austrian batteries is responsible

for their successful defence. Other persons have different views as

to the success of the Teutonic defence, seeing that both the Germans

and the Austrians have had on several recent memorable occasions to

ians on the Balkan front. If the Anglo-French supply of ammunition at Saloniki is at all comparable with the supply in Picardy the offensive

against the Bulgarians should be able to gain startling results before

the snow flies. Evidently the allies de not intend to wait any longer on Roumania, but they will proceed without her. If she decides to come in, well and good. It would probably shorten the war two or

The French report the taking of another village from the Bulgar-

The Russian official communication of last night has nothing new

In addition to this, General Sakharoff has just taken 17 heavy guns and 29 light field pieces, 70 machine guns, 29 bomb throwers, and 14,000

It is also noted that artillery and rifle duels are proceeding

# **BANDITS HID LOOT** IN ROOM OF GIRL

**BIGSHAM BATTLE** 

NEAR CAMP BORDEN

Engage in First Day's

Operations.

"DEFENDERS" LOSE

Bottled Up Southern Army

Between Rivers.

Canadian Stenographer Kept Thirty-Two Thousand Dollars for One.

### ESCAPED WITH CASH

oung Woman Informed Po lice of Incident-One Criminal Known.

DETROIT, Aug. 17.-The Detroit News today printed a statement by Miss Jessie Noltie, a local stenographer, declaring that the robbers who looted the pay car of the Burroughs Adding Machine Company, of 12, 000 o rmore, on August 4, hid the cash in local rooming houses, and escaped with their loot last Saturday. Miss Noltie said she knew one of the alleged bandits.

Miss Noltie's statement has been confirmed by more than one person

Miss Noltie's statement has been confirmed by more than one person. The News says. The rooming houses involved have been visited by detectives, but the names of the suspected men or of the rooming house keepers have not been made public.

On Sunday, August 6, two days after the Burroughs robbery, Miss Noltie declares she met a young man acquaintance near her rooming house

acquaintance near her rooming house on Cass avenue. He took her to a restaurant and there displayed a large roll of bills, she said. On sublarge roll of bills, she said. On subsequent occasions, according to her
story, he had much money with him.
Last Saturday, according to Miss
Noltie's story, the man was in her
room when she returned from work.
He had two trunks, one of them very
heavy, with him, she said.

"He made me swear that I would
keep the trunks for him but not open
them," the young women declared.
"He said he was involved in a robbery."

The Outflanking Movement.

The battleground covered about eight square miles and included two large plains, several wooded areas and three rivers, the Pine, Bear and the Beaver. It was due to the fact that the detending Southland Army depended on these three rivers to afford them safety from attack that it was taken by surprise and outflanked on the east side. The defending force was supposed to be aided on the eastern side by "Gen. X," but when he informed them that he was retiring to Alliston and gave warning of an enflanking movement by the attackers the Southland Army failed to The result was the state of the same transfer of t The youth departed, but shortly afterward another young man who said he was her friend's room-mate, came and demanded the trunks. "He had a drayman with him, and they took the trunks away," says the Noltie state-

Miss Noltie is the daughter of residents of Chatham, Ont. She holds a responsible position with a local firm. According to her story, she had known the youth involved in the investigation for some time, and had thought his character was above reproach.

#### NEW RUST APPEARED IN NIAGARA DISTRICT

Special to The Toronto World,
ST. CATHARINES, Aug. 17. — A
new rust, which attacks certain trees,
fruits and vegetables, has been discovered by Prof. A. W. McCubbin of
the Dominion Laboratory of Plant
Pathology, who has been conducting
experiments and has been conducting
experiments and has been engaged in
research and study in Niagara disn Niagara dis. trict. He has found it attacking carrots, gooseberries and white pine tress and he has no hesitation in stating that if not checked it will surely kilji all white pine in the Dominion.

### GALT MAN WOUNDED TWICE

**CANADIAN AVIATORS** pecial to The Toronto World.
GALT, Ont., Aug. 17—Within two months, Pte, Charles Welch of this city has figured twice in the casualty list. On June 12th last he was reported wounded by shrapnel in face and to-day his mother was notified that he is in the hospital suffering from shock. He is only 20 years of age and has been at the front for some time.

Royal Naval Air Service Offers Opportunity to Unattached Lieutenants.

WANTED BY BRITAIN

back to camp.

Everyone is satisfied with the splendid way the troops carried out their work, especially considering the short time some of the battalions have been in active

## FEE WILL BE REFUNDED

Upon Passing Test Flights, Candidates Will Have Passage Paid to England.

Special to The Toronto World.
CAMP BORDEN, Aug. 17.—That the
British authorities are desirous of obtaining more aviators from Canada is shown by the announcement here today by headquarters that the following from struggling by consolidating their captured positions, for the Gerfor the benefit of supernumerary or unattached lieutenants who might like counter-attack. It is pointed out by French military authorities that to join this branch of the imperial

the latest Somme operations were only of local bearing, and that the service. French gained with precision everything they had set out to win. This certainly implied taking ground with a minimum of losses. It is also fallacious to attempt to figure out the duration of the German stay on Applicants after being acepted by Ottawa as candidates for the Royal Naval Air Service must then proceed French soil by figuring out the advances gained day by day, for the enemy is beaten in every action that is fought, even the the gain may heavy losses cannot be measured geographically or geometrically, and the cumulative effect sooner or later will wear down the enemy so that he will be unable to hold the allies' advance to a few hundred yards.

Naval Air Service must then proceed to make arrangements to commence instruction at a private flying school either in Canada or the United States. The fee of about \$400 will be subsequently refunded under the entry conditions. Upon passing his test flights the accepted candidate will be entered as a probationary flight sub-lights and as a probationary flight sub-lieutenant and his passage to England arranged by the department.

Gratuity for purchase of uniform is paid in England. Probationary fight lieutenants not being expected or desired to obtain their uniform until

#### The Hamilton Board of Trade will visit Camp Borden next Wednesday. INDIANS OF SIX NATIONS RESERVE JOIN THE ARMY

those special siege trains are not yet ready; they will be in time so as to Estimated That Close on Four Hundred Are on Active Service.

BRANTFORD Ont., Aug. 17.—Recruits are still coming in from the Six Nations reserve, and it is now estimated that close upon 400 are on active service with the 114th Haldimand Battalion in addition to many others with various other regiments. Twenty Indians signed up with the 14th during the past month, The water situation is still the cause if much comment, especially among Terrace Hill residents, who are registering a kick because they are com-pelled to water lawns and gardens pelled to water lawns and gardens after dark since the return to standard time, because of an injunction made by the board some time ago that their hours be from 7 till 9.30 o'clock. A G. Montgomery, a member of the water commissioners heard has will will be water commissioners heard has will will be water commissioners heard has will will be water commissioners heard has will be a subscribe to the opinion and request of the people on this important issue.

# York County and Suburbs

Fourteen Thousand Troops EARLSCOURT MAN IS CONGRATULATED BY KING loseph Rogers Has Seven Sons in the Service of His

Joseph Rogers, 144 Boon avenue, Earlscourt, who has the proud distinction to
have seven sons on active service, has
been honored with a letter of congratuation from His Majesty the King. Mr.
Hogers received the fodowing letter yesterday morning, which reads:
"Buckingham Falace, London, Aug. 2:
"Sir,—I have the honor to inform you
that the King has head with much interest that you have at the present moment seven sons serving in the army. I
am commanded to express to you the
King's congratulations and to assure you
that His Majesty much appreciates the
spirit of patriotism which prompted this
example in one ramily of leyalty and devotion to their Sovereign and Emperor.
I have the honor to be, Sir, Your Obedient Servant, F. M. Ponsonby, keeper
of the Privy Purse."

Mr. Rogers also received letters of
congratulation from Premier Borden and
the Duke of Connaught. Clever Turning Movement By a Staff Reporter.

CAMP BORDEN, Aug. 17.—Today's great sham fight, "The battle of Fine Plains," resulted in a decisive victory for the Northland attacking army, which consisted of thirteen battalions of miantry, five of those the 170th (Mississaugas), 180th (Sportsmen's), 201st (Toronto Light Infantry), 204th (Heavers) and 208th (Irish Canadians) being Toronto City units. The Southland force, "the defenders" at the close of the day's operations, were completely surrounded, the outcome being described as a "Second Sedan." The southern force also had over a dozen battalions of infantry, the Toronto units with the defenders being the 198th (Buffs), 213th (American) and the 216th (Bantams).

Lieut.-Col. W. C. MacDonald commanded the Northland attacking force, known as the blue army, and Lieut.-Col. F. S. Wigle, the Southland white army. Each army consisted of four brigades of infantry and one of artiflery. Approximately 14,000 troops took pair in the battle. It took place on the western part of the Camp Borden area, about three miles away from the regular tented area.

The Outflanking Movement.

### NEW OFFICERS CHOSEN

BY WOMEN WORKERS L. Roughley was unanimously elected president of the organisation, President was frank Powell naving tendered her resignation. Mrs. Brazier was elected second vice-president and Mrs. Friest was appointed a member of the executive committee, and Mrs. D. Bailey convener of the wood and comforts committee. tee.

It was decided to hold a social for the benefit of the association at an early date, and a committee was appointed to arrange details. Several new members were enrolled.

#### MEMORIAL FOR HEROES OF EARLSCOURT DISTRICT

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an enfianking movement by the attackers the Southland Army failed to the attacking force, one led the attacking force, one led the attacking force, one led the 201st (Toronto), 122nd (Muskoka), 157th and 177th (Simcoe) Battalions, and one by Col. Frank Howard, consisting of the 133rd (Norfolk) and 114th (Welland) movement, which bottled up the southern army between two rivers. It was pointed out that the southern army had a very hard task, having to manoeuvre on high ground, which exposed them to the enemy, and also because "General X." supporting it on the right, retired to Alliston, allowing opportunity for enflanking on that side. The sham flight was witnessed by Major-General Logie and practically all the staff officers. Lt.—Col. W. R. Lang of the general staff acted as umpire of the defending forces.

Armies Bivousck for the Night.

At 5.30 cease fire was sounded, and the two armies bivousced for the night. The operation will not be resumed, except by the south, at 1 p.m. Tomorrow morning a conference will be held at the scene of battle and the troops will then march back to camp.

Everyone is satisfied with the splendid way the troops carried out their works.

OUTING AT MUSSLEMAN'S CAKE Misa Eleanor Davison of Unionville was the hostess of a large party from that village and Markham at Mussleman's Lake yesterday afternoon. Eight or ten motor loads were present at the pionioheld on the grounds at the lake, and the boating and games were greatly enjoyed. The return trip was made in safety, the party arriving home shortly before midnight.

HAD CHEST INJURED.

George Simpson, 579 Indian road, was severely crushed about the body yesterday when caught in a cattle hoist he was operating in North Toronto. Simpson was rushed to the General Hospital in the police ambulance, where it was said that he had sustained severe injuries to his chest.

APPOINTED RECRUITING OFFICER. Secretary William Russell of the B.I.A., who recently joined the 238th Battalion, has been appointed to the St. Clair Avenue Bepot as recruiting officer.

# LABOR MEN WILL NOT

Trades and Labor Council Defeat Resolution Endorsing Socialist-Democrat Nominee.

### TEMPERANCE ISSUE

abor People Believe Wine and Beer License Would Be Beneficial.

A prolonged discussion of a resolution tendering the endorsement of organized labor to the candidacy of Jan. Connor, Socialist-Democratic nominee for the provincial legislature for Southwest Toronto, and which was finally defeated almost unanimously, featured the regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council last night. The resolution was introduced by Fred Thompson, who later spoke in advocacy of its adoption. Only five members of the conference favored the resolution when it came up for a vote. Walter Brown, vice-president, president.

Incidentally, in discussing the atti-tude of organized labor. William Glockling declared last night that in Glockling declared last night that in the opinion of the laboring people of Toronto and in Ontario, a mild wine and beer license would be beneficial to the people.

"It is the general impression," he said, "that the government of Ontario has realized the necessity of conforming to the epinion prevalent in the province. It is very apparent that a

province. It is very apparent that a change of opinion is taking place on this vital question.

come in, well and good. It would propably shorten the war two or their efforts and making certain state. takes place Oct. 2 three months. If she stays out the allies will, perhaps, have an easier ments, which, when made public, will issued today. No settlement to make after the warplies and no bediese visualise the place Oct. 2 settlement to make after the warplies and no bediese visualise the place Oct. 2 settlement to make after the warplies will end of the propable of th

# PROVING BIG SUCCESS

Substantial Profits Shown, But Much Greater Returns Are

# STATEMENT BY BECK

ondon and Port Stanley Line Has Constantly Growing Traffic.

LONDON, Ont., Aug. 17.—That the Condon and Port Stanley Railway, London and Port Stanley Railway, the first link in what is to be a great system of hydro-electric railways, has achieved marvelous success in its first year of operation, and that the first six weeks of the second year show traffic advancing by leaps and bounds. Was the declaration of Sir Adam Beck the addression of Sir Adam Beck in addressing an Irishmen's banquet at Port Stanley last night. The railway for which sure dire

things were predicted by the opposi-tion in its first year paid all interest. sinking fund and other fixed charges.

sinking fund and other fixed charges, maintenance and operating expenses, taxes and \$20,000 rental to the City of London, and has a surplus exceeding \$10,000 in the treasury.

Expect Big Increase.

July and August of 1915, the first two months of public operation, yielded a profit of \$1500, and the that was called abnormal and impossible of being sustained, conservative estimates for the same term this year are that there will be a six-fold increase.

On these first two months of the On these first two months of the On these first two months of the new fiscal year there will be a net profit of over \$31,000, or a greater sum than in the previous full year.

"I have been accused of spending money," Sir Adam told the Irishmen.
"I do believe in borrowing and spending for the development of this nation. My advice is borrow every dollar you can in the United States and invest it judiclously that we may be prepared for the homecoming of the soldiers and for the rush of those who will come to us to escape all that is will come to us to escape all that is objectionable in Europe."

#### FIERCE FIGHTING RAGES UPON EASTERN FRONT

Teuton Counter-Attacks Fail-Gen, Sakharoff Takes Prisoners.

pecial Cable to The Toronto World.
PETROGRAD, Aug. 17.—Russian off munications of today and tonight record the raging of tierce rifle and artillery duels along the whole front of the armies of General Brusilott in Volhynia and Galicia. At some places the Austrians and Germans re were checked in each instance by the fire of the Russian artillery. It is an-nounced that in his most recent opera-tions General Sakharoft took 198 etricers and 7308 men prisoners, and 17 heavy guns, 29 light field pieces, 70 machine gurs, 29 bomb-throwers and 14,000 shells, in addition to those reported vesterazy. Since the offensive began he has taken 94,754 prizoners.

situation which has come into existence as a result of the Danish West Indies question is so tangled that not even the best informed politicians venture to predict what developments may be expected. The question of the gale of the is-lands to the United States, which was almost lost sight of early in the de-bate in the folkething, now has been nipeg.

bate in the felkething, now has been shoved completely into the background. The various parties in the rigsdag will bold their first caucuses Saturday to consider the government's proposal for the formation of a coalition cabinet. Naturally no party leader will commit himself in advance of these caucuses. The party of the of these caucuses. The party of left in the landsthing is opposed to the sale of the islands, altho a considerable number of the members are personally in favor of 4t.

#### HARVEST WILL BE LARGE AROUND SASKATOON

Special to The Toronto World. SASKATOON Aug. 16.—Wheat cutstarted, barley cutting was finished today, and all the rya was cut two weeks ago. Farmers will cut odd fields this week, while many more will start Monday, so that cutting will be general thruout the district by the end of noxt

#### AUSTRIANS REPULSED ATTACKS OF RUSSIANS

Vienna, via London, Aug. 17.—Massed Russian attacks against the lines of Gen. Von Boehm-Ermolli, between Peraplinska and Piniski, were repuised by the Austrians, according to an offlicial statement issued by the war office today. For twelve nours yesterday the Russians endeavored in vain to penetrate the Austrian entanglements.

Near Manajoa the Russians penetrated the Austrian between the statement says. The successful defence is attributed to the excellence of the German and Austrian batteries.

#### DESERTER IS SENTENCED.

Special to The Teronto World.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Aug. 17.—
William Fix, who deserted from the
Welland Canal Field Force, was today
sentenced to six months in the Ontario Refermatory. He formerly resided in St. Catharines. When located he was working on a farm near Humberstone. NIAGARA OCTOGENARIAN DEAD.

Special to The Toronto World,
NIAGARA FALDS, Ont., Aug. 17.—
Death claimed another Niagara octogenerata today in the person of Henry
C. Woodruff, St. David's, Ont., aged
84 years. Mr. Woodruff was one of
the early pioneers of Niagara Townchip living at St. David's all his life.

## CANADIAN CASUALTIES

One a.m. List

INFANTRY. Died of wounds-441181, Arthur Tat-Wounded 125764, Fred Walsh, and: 55406, Corp. Claud Wiseman

#### ENGINEERS

Previously reported missing, now un-officially prisoner of war—503329, Sapper Thos, Williams, England. Wounded—A22710, Sapper Joseph Sin-gleton, England.

INFANTRY

-437572, Amos E. Pesh-Killed in action—487572, Amos E. Pesh-tie, San Gudo, Alfa. Seriously iii—745452, Hillary P. Owens, Voodville. Ont. coe street, Toronto: 100358, Henry well, Merebeck, Alb.: 73813, Corp. McCormick, Star, Ont.

ARTILLERY.

Wounded—91800, Gunper Tennyson A. Macdonald, Boistown, N.B.; 67614, Sgt. Donald Morrison, Florence, C.B.; 300444, Junner Edward McLaughlin, Kingston, Int.; 89762, Gunner George H. Woodock, Cobourg, Ont. MOUNTED RIFLES,

action-300644, Irving Doug-INFANTRY.

Wounded—132540, Thomas F. Wolfen-ten, Montreal. MOUNTED RIFLES.

Wounded-110606, Jos. Falaradeau, 101 ENGINEERS.

Killed in action-9, Corp. Wm. J. Apps, Midnight List

INFANTRY.

Killed in Action.
414563, Pioneer Alex. Cyrs, Shippigan
N.B.; 418975, Albert Keen, 9 Plymouti
ave., Toronto; 70243, Perley Graham, Ee
River, N.B.; 61643, Rodolphe Larocque Montreal

124527, Samuel Wrigden, Brantford;
47903, Banest Forsythe, Greenwell, N.S.;
Lieut. John K. Kennedy, St. Agathe,
Que.; 487538, Arthur J. Lewis, Calgary,
Alb.; 154871, Sergt. George A. Milne.
Belwood, Ont.; 67342, Clarence B. Saunders, Sydney, C.B.; 447271, John W. Urquhart, Stellarton, N.S.

#### Eight p.m. List INFANTRY.

Previously reported missing, naw be-lieved killed—186794, Pioneer Herbert A. Holmes, 4 Jersey avenue, Toronto. Previously reported missing, now died

Ont. Missing—Lieut. Wilson E. Dunton Quebec. Seriously III-195588, Cecil H. Connors, Seriously III—195583, Cecii H. Connors, Oshawa.

MOUNTED RIFLES. Previously reported missing, now unofficially prisoner of war-109292, Corp.
Herbert C. Darby, 36 Burgess avenue,
Toronto; 414785, Frank McKenzie, Parrsboro, N.S.; 109558, Matthew Rae, Unionville, Ont.
Wounded-117228, John W. Dickens,
Calgary; 117244, Leslie G. Fewring, Winnipeg.

#### Thursday Afternoon List

INFANTRY.

Killed in action—628958, Pte. Wm. G. Moore, Isle of Man.
Reported missing, believed killed in action—51990, Pte. Thomas Smith, Ireland. Previously reported killed in action now unofficially prisoner of war at Glessen-466182, Pte. Fred Malt, England.
Officially prisoner of war at Wahn—
11414, Pte. C. O. Fugill, England.
Unofficially died while prisoner of war at Wurtt—21521, Pte. Wm. Smedley,

England.

Wounded—482953, Ptc. Harold Barrow, England; 9186, Ptc. Wilfred Davis, England; 63302, Lance-Corp, Philip Delaney, Ireland; 486744, Ptc. Wm. Marthwaite, Scotland; 439455, Ptc. H. R. Rutter, England; 74221, Lance-Corp, Claude Harris, England; 150400, Ptc. F. W. Gamble, England; 132567, Ptc. John Stewart, Kimberley, South Africa; 101582, Ptc. Wm. Storie, Ireland; 153591, Ptc. G. B. Manson, Scotland.

MOUNTED RIFLES. Previously reported unofficially wounded, prisoner of war, now unofficially prisoner of war at Aachen—109686, Ptc. John E. Willis, England.

SOUTH WATERLOO HOTELS

Special to The Toronto World.

GALT, Ont., Aug. 17—License inspector R. H. Knowles of South Waterspector R. H. Knowies of South Water-loo reports that all the licensed hotel-keepers in his district, with the exception of one at Ayr, have sent in their applications for the new "standard hotel license." While Galt has been local option for while Gait has been local option for several years all the proprietors of lo-cal hostelries, except W. Pickering of the Iroquois Hotel, Galt's best known hotel, have applied for the new license.

IS ORDERED OVERSEAS.

BRANTFORD, Aug. 17.—Lieut. Cliester Broomfield, formerly of the 125th Battalion, one of the officers who were left behind when the staff was reduced from 40 men to 32, before the battalion left for cycrseas, has instructions to proceed to overseas at once, as one of the officers who will reinforce the Canadians at the front.

#### HIGH PRICE FOR HOGS.

of the water commissioners board, has written a spicy letter to the Terrace of a member to represent the coning sympathy with and encouraging Rapids in the provincial legislature generates, which, when made public, will assued today. Nominations will be sense a sensation.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 17.—The election of a member to represent the conting sympathy with and encouraging Rapids in the provincial legislature besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life. Besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life. Besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life. Besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life. Besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life. Besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life. Besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life. Besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life. Besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life. Besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life. Besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life. Besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life. Besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life. Besides his aged wife, he leaves one daughter. Mrs. D. Symmes, Niagara Township, living at St. David's all his life

# FRENCH REACH LINE PLANNED TO CARRY

Attacks on Somme Give Ally Ground Exactly Aimed At.

### PASS TRANQUIL DAY

Rival Infantries Wait While Artillery is Deeply Engaged.

(Continued from Page One). surface of ground gained per day, Evyards or so, the opposition is He loses heavily and the ing moral effect cannot be measured in yards. It is a cumulative effect which sooner or later will wear the enemy down so that he will be unable to hold the French gains to a

few hundred yards."

After the French success in taking German trenches in sections aggregating three miles of frontage on both ing three miles of frontage on both banks of the Somme yesterday, the Germans did not attempt any counter-atacks and the French infantry remained inactive today. It is announced that the French took 200 prisoners and five machine guns in the fighting north of the Somme last evening. The French artillery carried out many effective bombardments of German positions. French troops are continuing tions. French troops are continuing to organize the positions that they have captured. The region north of Maurapas, and the sector of Belloy-en-Santerre are centres of most violent artil-

lery fighting.
The French official commu issued this evening says:
"On the Somme front our artillery
was active today and carried out numerous destructive bombardments against enemy organizations. There

has been no infantry action.

"The number of unwounded prisoners taken north of the Somme yesterday exceeds 200. We also captured.

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terday exceeds 200. We also captured five machine guns.

"There has been the usual cannonade on the remainder of the front."

Today's announcement follows:

"On the Somme front the enemy made no attempt at a counter-attack during the night.

"Our troops are organizing the positions they won. Artillery fighting continues with great violence in the region north of Maurepas and in the sector of Belloy-en-Santerre.

"On the remainder of the front the night was calm."

#### PROMINENT DUNGANNON MAN BURIED YESTERDAY

Late William Shakelton Was One of Most Respected Men in one sio District no

GODERICH, Ont., Aug. 17.-The funeral of the late William Shakelton was held from Dungannon today. He

quantity, but the apple in itself is small and withered, owing it is said, to lack of rain. The pear, plum and peach crop promise good results.

#### **NEW UNIT PROPOSED** FOR EASTERN COUNTIES

Special to The Toronte World,
CORNWALL, Aug. 17.—Major G. I.
Campbell, chief recruiting officer for
military district No. 3 with headquarters
at Kingston has requested Mayor Stiles
to call a public meeting on Tuesday
next for the purpose of discussing the
possibility of raising a new overseas
battalion in these united counties. The
request comes from the hon, the minister of militia.

In compliance with the request the



# "Please-Your Honor!"

Helpless to save him the girl sees her brother sent away to prison—and all because he sought to obtain enough quick money to cure their mother of tuberculosis. ation had been too strong to resist. The law had claimed its victim. Another home was shattered. You'll wonder if

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