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IN CROSSING PONTON BRIDGE
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MORE CANADIANS GIVEN MEDALS FOR GALLANTRY

Members of Princess Pats and of Third Artillery Brigade Figure Largely in List—Many Stirring Deeds of Heroism Recorded.

Special Cable to The Toronto World.
LONDON, Aug. 5.—The following Canadians have received distinguished conduct medals: Corporal, now Lieut. R. F. Baker, 3rd Brigade Artillery, for conspicuous gallantry and ability on April 22 and 23, when after having had the teams of three ammunition wagons killed, he collected details and kept up a supply of ammunition by hand under a very heavy shell and rifle fire.

RUSSIAN ABANDON IVANGOROD AREA

Troops Drive Back Germans and Occupy New Lines on Bug.

BRIDGES BLOWN UP

New and More Advantageous Front Now Held Securely.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 5.—The Russian war office reports as follows to-night:
In the Ivangorod district our troops, unmolested by the enemy, crossed to the right bank of the Vistula, blowing up the bridges behind them.

FORMER BRITISH M.P. ACTED AS GERMAN SPY

Ignatius Lincoln Held at New York on Forgery Charge.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Ignatius T. Lincoln, a former Liberal member of the British Parliament and a self-confessed German spy, who was arrested in Brooklyn yesterday on a federal warrant, charging him with forgery amounting to approximately \$5500, was held for a further hearing on August 19 when arraigned in the United States District Court today.

BRITAIN TO STRENGTHEN HER RESERVES OF GOLD

Public Requested to Pay in Precious Metal to Postoffices and Banks.

FOES REPULSED ON ALSACE PEAK IN FIERCE FIGHT

Sanguinary Battle Takes Place at Schratzmannelle Height in Vosges.

CONTEST ON FECHT

Bomb and Hand Grenade Duels at Souchez and in Argonne.

Special Cable to The Toronto World.
LONDON, Aug. 5.—Sanguinary battles fought in the Vosges today resulted in the repulse of the Germans, but not before they had made some headway. The engagements were fought on the heights north of the Focht River, particularly at Schratzmannelle peak. Here the enemy launched a violent attack in considerable force and captured a French blockhouse. He was immediately driven out in a fiery counter-attack, and the French positions were regained.

French positions on Lingekopf were subjected to a violent bombardment last night and were attacked by German infantry, which was repulsed in general; the Germans only effecting temporary lodgments in some small trenches.

Bomb Engagements.
Spirited engagements with bombs and hand grenades took place between the French and Germans at Souchez. Artillery also joined in the fighting. Big guns also engaged in duels at Tracy-le-Val and around Vallée in the Aisne Valley.

Desultory engagements with rifles and bombs took place throughout the night and day in the Argonne.

Apromont forest has been under violent bombardment all day. Moderate artillery activity is reported on the rest of the front.

SCHOONER MISSING FEARED TO BE LOST

City of Sheboygan Left Erie Sunday Morning for Kingston.

WRECKAGE IN LAKE
Capt. and Mrs. McDonald and Crew of Five or Six on Board.

Special to The Toronto World.
KINGSTON, Ont., Aug. 4.—The non-arrival at Kingston of the schooner City of Sheboygan, which left Erie for this port laden with coal on Sunday morning, is causing much uneasiness in marine circles, many people fearing that she foundered in Monday night's storm. The captain of the steamer Major reports seeing quantities of wreckage off Erie. This was not identified, but it is feared to belong to the Sheboygan.

TRAWLER AND STEAMER VICTIMS OF SUBMARINE

Six Members of Fishing Vessel's Crew Were Drowned.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—The trawler Grimbarian and the steamer Fortia (433 tons) of Liverpool were sunk today, presumably by a submarine. Six of the crew of the Grimbarian were drowned and four were rescued. The crew of the Fortia was saved.

DID HEROIC WORK.
CLARKSON, Ont., Aug. 4.—A daring rescue was made yesterday by the boys of the Holy Name camp, when they saved Mike Cook from the swollen waters of the Little River Jacques. J. Morgan deserves special mention for his heroic work.

RUSSIANS EVACUATE WARSAW
GERMANS ENTER FRONT DOOR TO FIND VALUABLES REMOVED

FOE WILL PAY DEARLY FOR WARSAW'S CAPTURE

Lloyd George, Addressing Great Rally of Welshmen, Declares Austria and Prussia Are Hammering Sword That Will Destroy Them.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—Speaking to 10,000 Welshmen at Bangor this afternoon, before he heard of the fall of Warsaw, David Lloyd George, minister of munitions, referred to the situation in the east in these terms:
"I view it with anxiety, but not with dread. I can see a ray of hope in the dark horizon—the regeneration of the great people of Russia. Our enemies do not understand what they are doing in the east. Their mighty cannon are shattering the rusty bars that fettered the soul of Russia. Our enemies are shaking themselves free of stifling debris, their mighty limbs preparing with new spirits and new hope for a new land.

"Austria and Prussia are doing today for Russia what their military ancestors did for France. They are hammering a sword that will destroy them."

Lieut. Hallam's Gallantry Is Officially Recognized

Young Toronto Man Wounded Five Times While Serving With Armored Car Section in Dardanelles.

Canadian Associated Press Cable.
LONDON, Aug. 5.—Lieut. Theodore Douglas Hallam of Toronto, who has been serving at the Dardanelles with the armored car section, is one of the officers of this section mentioned in despatches from Sir Ian Hamilton published tonight.

Lieut. Hallam is just now recuperating in London, having been five times wounded and suffering from sickness.

He came to England with the first Canadian contingent and exchanged into the naval service. He is the only Canadian yet serving in the Dardanelles.

Lieut. Hallam is a son of the late A. J. Hallam. He is a graduate of Upper Canada College, and was for some years on the staff of The Toronto Telegram.

TO DEVELOP TWO MILLION HORSE POWER AT NIAGARA

Peter Porter Suggests That New York and Ontario Work Jointly in Great Plan of Rate Reduction—Confer With Sir Adam Beck.

Special to The Toronto World.
NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Aug. 5.—Suggesting that the State of New York and the Province of Ontario undertake the project jointly, or that they grant the right to carry out the plan to a private corporation, deriving financial benefit from developments of a fixed tax on the amount of power developed, Peter A. Porter today presented to the joint legislative committee on the Niagara power situation, in session at Prospect House, across the river, a plan to develop two million horse-power by damming the lower Niagara River, just above Queenston.

Following closely upon the proposition presented by Mr. Porter came that of J. Boardman Scovell of Lewiston, who seeks to have the old canal project revived. This calls for a canal from La Salle to a point below Lewiston, and would necessitate the abrogation of the present power treaty with Great Britain.

Means Heavy Damages.
Mr. Porter estimates the plan would cost, including the plan of damages to the Gorge Route and other interests, about \$100,000,000. In reply to Assemblyman Quick's question as to what effect the war would have on the scheme, Mr. Porter replied that the war would not last forever. The proposition will be taken up with Sir Adam Beck, power minister of Ontario, in connection with a similar plan to develop 3,000,000 horsepower on the St. Lawrence River.

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Grand Duke Now Faces Problem of Extricating Armies From Dangerous Salient—Retreat Carried Out in Orderly Manner With Muscovite Successes.

WITHDREW UNMOLESTED.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 5.—(Via London, Aug. 5.)—The following official communication has been issued here:

"The Grand Duke district the Russians have crossed to the right bank of the Vistula, blowing up the bridges behind them. This order was carried out, and the troops which were covering Warsaw retired at 5 o'clock this (Thursday) morning, without being attacked toward the new front assigned to them.

"They blew up behind them all the bridges over the Vistula."

LONDON, Aug. 5.—The Germans are in possession of Warsaw, capital of Poland, and the third largest city in the Russian Empire. Bavarian troops entered the city this morning, having taken successively the Blonie lines and the outer and inner fortresses of the town itself, the Russians only fighting rear-guard actions to allow their main army to make good its escape.

While the Bavarians commanded by Prince Leopold has fallen the honor of taking over Warsaw in the name of the German Emperor and his consort, who are expected to make a state entry within a few days, the real agents were troops fighting under Field Marshal Von Hindenburg along the Narew River to the northeast, the Austro-Germans who crossed the Vistula to the south of the city, and the armies of the Austrian Archduke Joseph Ferdinand and the German field marshal, Von Mackensen, which are advancing northward between the Vistula and Bug Rivers.

Several Russian Successes.
The Russians are fighting desperately and stubbornly to check the progress of these four armies, and have had several successes, inflicting heavy losses on their pursuers; but they have been steadily pressed back, which made the longer occupation of the Warsaw Polish salient a hazardous undertaking.

Even now, although the steeliness of the Russian troops and their fierce counter-attacks have gained much valuable time for them, it is not yet certain that the whole Russian army will succeed in reaching the new positions chosen for it, or that, if it should get there, it will not find those positions turned by the Austrians, who have crossed the Bug southeast of Cholm, and the Germans under Gen. von Scholtz and von Gallwitz, who have crossed the Narew.

At the northeastern end of the line the Russian communications are further threatened by Gen. von Buelow, who is advancing toward Drinsk on the Vlna-Petrograd railway. Indeed, the Austro-Germans have set three traps to try to catch and destroy the Russian army. None of them was sprung, but one was so near to closing that the Grand Duke Nicholas was forced to evacuate Warsaw and now is fighting with all his might to prevent the others from cutting off his retreat.

Successful So Far.
Thus far he seemingly has been successful, for although the Germans claim the capture of a large number of prisoners, the capture of a large number.

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GREAT FRENCH WAR LOAN FORESHADOWED BY RIBOT

Minister of Finance Points Out That Great Military and Financial Effort is Imperative—People Make Fine Response to Call for Gold.

PARIS, Aug. 5.—In the course of a discussion in the French Senate today on the bill to raise the limit of national defence issues, which was passed in the chamber of deputies July 29, Alexandre Ribot, the minister of France, took occasion to review the financial situation.

"On July 31," he said, "there were 6,255,000,000 francs (\$1,391,600,000) of defence issues in circulation. In July alone 825,000,000 francs (\$165,000,000) net were placed in the short term bonds and 322,000,000 francs (\$64,400,000) in the long term obligations."

"Our financial burdens are constantly growing. Arms and ammunition cost a great deal. We shall probably have recourse to a long term loan whereby we can consolidate all our short term treasury issues. We still have a great military and financial effort to make to reach a victorious conclusion of the war.

"The public brings in its gold without pressure. It is conscious of the situation and feels that today no man can save himself by thinking solely of himself. It can be done only by the citizens giving the country their lives, if necessary, and their goods of this world in any case.

"We must bring nothing from the country. It is worthy to hear everything. Only in disseminating nothing can we fitly respond to the country's fine confidence."

The bill increasing the limit of national defence issues was passed.

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A second story reaching The World is to the effect that as rain was falling heavily at the time the car went over, the curtains were all tightly buttoned down, so that the occupants were practically prisoners in the water. Harold Swabey and Douglas Lawson are said to have escaped by tearing open the back curtain. Clarke, the driver, jumped and reached shore.