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LABOR DELEGATION
WAITS ON GOVERNMENT

Ottawa, Jan. 16.—The annual delegation of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress waited on the government today and presented resolutions passed at the annual meeting last fall. Long arguments in support of the claims of labor were presented, and consideration was promised by the cabinet.

Among the remedial measures sought were repeal of the industrial dispute act, an eight-hour day on all works, government and private, and fifty cents per day increase to letter carriers.

James Simpson, of Toronto, advocated that one of the terms of peace should be political and social rights for the workers.

It was also proposed that as a means of contributing to the national revenues whenever railway fares of lands take place a tax should be imposed.

Ottawa, Jan. 16.—In his reply this afternoon to the labor delegation, Sir Robert Borden, answering the question as to whether there is to be industrial conscription, stated that such was not contemplated by the government. Rather,

in regard to the munitions and work being carried out, the whole plan is based upon voluntary co-operative efforts.

MOBILIZE MORE SWISS TROOPS

Berne, Jan. 16, via London.—Official announcement was made today that the federal council had decided, as a measure of precaution, to mobilize on January 24 the second division and the contingents of the fourth and fifth divisions which have not yet been mobilized.

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JOHN BISHARA MAKES
THE SUPREME SACRIFICE

"John Bishara is dead in England," was the brief message received yesterday by George Bishara, his brother, of this city. John Bishara, who was about thirty-eight years of age, enlisted in



JOHN BISHARA, formerly of this city, who has died of wounds received at the front.

Halifax with the 20th Nova Scotia battalion. He was a former resident of St. John, but some time ago moved to Yarmouth (N. S.), where he was in business.

John Bishara's wife died some years ago, but he is survived by a brother, George, of 73 Etna street, this city. He was well known in St. John, and while in Yarmouth was an active member of the Syrian Protective Association, Branch 1.

During his period of training in Halifax he secured a short leave of absence and visited his relatives and friends in this city, when he was given a very warm reception. He has two nephews in the king's service, Joseph Bishara, now in a battalion quartered at Halifax, and Edward Bishara with the 104th battalion in England.

His many friends in St. John will learn with regret that he had died of wounds received while he was gallantly defending the cause of his adopted country on the battlefields of France.

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Major Lionel Hanington, recruiting staff; Captain J. H. Barton, recruiting officer; Captain Ryder, recruiting officer; Captain May and Lieut. Frank Groves, A.A.G. N. B. Command. Although no definite announcement was made at the close of the meeting as to the decision arrived at during the course of the consultation, it is understood that certain recommendations were drafted and will be presented to Major General Thomas Benson, the officer commanding M. D. No. 6.

One thing, however, was settled upon, that military men in general would in the future be expected to give unstintingly of their time and energies to the recruiting cause. Recruiting figures were presented by Lieut. Colonel McAvity covering the work of the past year.

British Army is
Doing Its Share

Facing as Many Germans as Oppose Much Longer French Line on Western Front

London, Jan. 17.—In discussing with the Associated Press the new line which the British have taken over in France, Major-General F. B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the war office, replied to the frequently-asked question based on the fact that Great Britain with her great new army, holds only a comparatively small portion of the western front. He said that the 90 miles held by the British has as many Germans along its front as the 280 miles extending from the Swiss border to Rheims.

"Besides the number facing us," General Maurice continued, "it must be remembered that both climatic and ground conditions along our front are much more trying in any other section in the west. Just now we feel this acutely, as the water is always near the surface in Flanders, and besides the churned-up ground on the Somme front, we must contend with adverse weather."

Continue Trench Raids
"With the numbers facing us, which equal all the Germans on the line between the Swiss border and Rheims, we are holding our own weight. We continue to make successful trench raids, and these operations are becoming increasingly easier. For example, in Beaumont-Hamel raid, 100 of our men took 140 prisoners mentioned in the official communication. Reports just received show we are again raiding with equal success, one such position, being attacked, resulting in the capture of 130 men."

RECRUITING

Yesterday afternoon no fewer than seven officers met at the New Brunswick Command office and informally discussed the recruiting situation. Those present were Brigadier-General H. H. McLean, O. C. of N. B. troops; Lieut. Colonel P. A. Guthrie, 280th battalion; Lieut. Colonel J. L. McAvity, chief recruiting officer for the province; Lieut. Colonel L. C. D'Aigle, 169th battalion; Major G. G. Corbett, field ambulance depot; Major F. W. Wetmore, No. 9 Siege battery; Major J. H. Evans, 65th battery; Captain Bennett, No. 10 battery; Lieut. F. H. Tingley, M.C. field artillery draft; Lieut. Lawlor, 12th field artillery draft; Major Frost, 62nd regiment; Major H. H. Giegge, 280th battalion.

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CHAPLAIN HOOPER'S FUND
FOR WOUNDED SOLDIERS

In a delayed letter from Chaplain Hooper there are some passages in regard to his fund for wounded Canadian soldiers which should be of interest to contributors, past and prospective, and to all who feel sympathy for the brave men who are risking death and injury at the front in defence of the great cause. Rev. Mr. Hooper says:

"The fund is an absolute necessity and does more actual and practical good than any other I know of at the present time. It is beyond my power to express what it means to the hundreds and hundreds of crippled and suffering Canadian soldiers who have been benefited, cheered and helped in so many ways by its fund."

Chaplain Hooper again expresses thanks to the generous contributors in this city and province who raised previous funds for him, and then continues: "The work I am doing is so enormous and the need for financial assistance so great that I do not hesitate in asking you to give space to this request for contributions for a period of say, ten days, through your paper. Close the fund promptly on the tenth day and cable the results. You will be doing me a favor to great that my gratitude will be fervent—but, far more, you will be doing a magnificent work for the hundreds and thousands of the lads from Canada, wounded and maimed, who will benefit by this fund. I believe the appeal with your assistance will meet with a generous response. Earnestly hoping and praying for interest and help, I am,

Yours faithfully,
E. BERTRAM HOOPER,

Chaplain Granville Canadian Special Hospital, Ramsgate.

C. W. Hallam, yesterday received the following amounts:

Mrs. W. T. Nilsson	\$ 2.00
S. L. Thompson, Chance Harbor	5.00
B. J. Sharp, Sussex	2.50
E. P. Dykeman	1.00
Dr. Sawar	2.00
Rev. Jas. Millidge	5.00
Mrs. Busby	5.00
Monday Evening Club, per Mrs. John McConnell	5.00
Mrs. Barker	2.00
Previously acknowledged	150.00
Total	\$179.50

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

Twenty train crews of the C. G. R. to volunteer for service on the new military road in France are called for by an official circular issued yesterday from the office of the general manager, F. P. Gattelus, at Moncton. The pay will be equal to present standard. The men who volunteer, however, must undergo a short military training as soldiers.

Sir Max Aitken will be styled first baron of Beaverbrook, New Brunswick, and of Chertsey, Surrey. He will not use his present name, but will be known as Lord Beaverbrook. The new peer is at present in poor health, and is confined to his room in London threatened with pneumonia.

A large oil lamp crashed from the middle of the ceiling to the floor at a wedding reception and dance in an Odd-fellows hall in Hartford, Penn., last night and fifty persons were seriously hurt, ten of them probably fatally.

YOUR COLD

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ADMIRAL DEWEY DEAD

Washington, Jan. 16.—Admiral Dewey, hero of Manila, and by priority the ranking naval officer of the world, died at his home here at 5:56 p. m. today in his 80th year.

SMALLPOX IN P. E. ISLAND

Charlottetown, Jan. 16.—Smallpox has broken out at Burgoyne near Wheatley River. It was brought from Maine by a man named Wayne. Eleven cases have developed, some of them severe. A strict quarantine is being maintained.

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The best thing to use is just plain mulled coconut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.