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Canada Is Making 30,000 Shells a Day For Allies' Armies

Before Long The Output Will be 50,000—Some 60,000 Men Engaged and More Wanted

Ottawa, Ont., June 4.—The appeal by Right Hon. Lloyd George for greater assistance on the part of the masses in Great Britain in the manufacture of munitions of war, directed attention to the activities in that line in Canada.

From every factory or shop that has the equipment from the steel plants in Nova Scotia right through to Vancouver, shells are being turned out. Many smaller concerns have adapted their equipment to shell making, while others are making parts.

The total production at present is 30,000 shells a day. Before long it is planned to make the daily output 50,000. Two kinds are being made, shrapnel and high explosive, and at several points explosives of the most destructive kinds are being made.

Shell orders so far placed in Canada by the allies are close on \$200,000,000, and they will be constantly increased.

The number of men engaged is around 60,000 and more are wanted. Upwards of 600,000 shells sent to the front from Canada, are giving the greatest satisfaction. Several industries are also working at high pressure in the manufacture of machine guns, rifles and similar equipment.

ENGLISH SCHOOL BOYS AT IT
Leeds, Eng., June 4.—The local board of education, in response to an appeal from the Leeds manufacturers of war munitions, has released the entire senior class in the public schools from their studies and the students will at once be put to work in a body in one of the factories. They will make shell staps.

CANADIANS AS PRISONERS OF THE GERMANS

That Branch of Casualty List is Getting Larger

Ottawa, June 4.—Canada's honor roll is nearing the 8,000 mark, and may amount to 10,000. Yesterday's overnight figures from the front, are among the heaviest received since Langemarck.

Severe losses in all divisions are recorded. There are now also being added daily lists of prisoners of war in Germany.

The total officially reported dead in 128 casualty lists, is 7,460. Of this number 1,119 were killed and 6,341 wounded. Under the last mentioned heading, are the prisoners, forty of whom were reported yesterday.

POLICE COURT

In the police court this morning Joseph Noggle was fined \$8 or two months in jail on a drunkenness charge and remanded on a charge of violently resisting Special Patrolman McBride and tearing his coat.

A man with two addresses was remanded on a drunkenness charge until inquiries can be made about him. John Jamison, arrested on a charge of stealing a set of harness from M. Donovan, City road, was allowed to go on suspended sentence. Owing to his good reputation and upon a promise to give up drinking liquor he was given his freedom.

Three sailors of the bark Valkyrie arrested on a charge of refusing duty, said that the captain asked them to work on the wharf and they did not think they should do so. They were informed that in this port they would have to do if the captain desired it. They promised to work and were allowed to return to their ship.

One man arrested on a drunkenness charge was fined \$5 or ten days in jail. John McCauslin was fined \$8 or two months in jail for using abusive language to his brother.

Herbert Guilfoyle, arrested on a charge of assaulting his wife in view of the police, was remanded until tomorrow morning. Policeman Young testified, and Patrick Durning, father of the young woman, also gave evidence.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stewart, Director of meteorological service.

Synopsis.—The pressure is now high over the continent east of the Mississippi, with the highest barometer just north of Lake Superior, while to the westward there is an extensive depression, which is moving slowly eastward.

Since yesterday morning good showers have been almost general in Saskatchewan, while in other parts of the dominion the weather has been fine.

Fine and Warm.
Maritime—Light to moderate winds, fine and warm today and on Saturday. New England Forecasts—Fair tonight and Saturday; Moderate northeast winds.

LOCAL NEWS

SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGE
Rev. Fr. G. G. O'Connell, of St. John's, Kent county, has been registered to solemnize marriage.

TRURO SOLDIER MISSING
In the casualty list issued at Ottawa today, Private Luther Reid, of Truro, is reported missing.

BUSINESS REPORTS
Reports received by the Board of Trade indicate that business in the city and throughout the maritime provinces is being fairly well sustained.

THE BANK CLEARINGS
The St. John bank clearings for the week ending June 2, were \$1,269,574; corresponding week last year, \$1,221,474.

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE
In the intermediate league last evening the St. John bank presented the Boys' Club on their east end grounds with a score of 13 to 3. The batteries were—For the winners, Stafford and Good; for the losers, Daly and Callahan.

LIFE MEMBERSHIPS
At the closing meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of St. David's church on Wednesday evening, the Rev. Fr. G. G. O'Connell presented Mrs. J. A. MacKeigan, wife of the minister of the church. A delegation from the boys' junior band presented life membership in their society to Mr. and Mrs. MacKeigan's son, Ian.

KITCHEN SHOWER
About twenty girl friends of Miss Hattie Watson called at her home on Durham street "en masse" on Wednesday evening and tendered her a kitchen shower. The occasion was the nuptial event to take place in the near future, and in which Miss Watson will be a principal guest. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

WANTS GUNS IN KING SQUARE
A letter from Col. E. T. Sturdee, pointing out that both guns and mounts are available, and asking that the committee meeting of the common council today, be made of the gun that no money is available for this purpose at present.

THE FUNDS
Contributions to the Belgian Relief fund have been received by Mayor Frink as follows: Mrs. M. J. Driscoll, \$5; H. A. White, Sussex, \$5; Friend, Chatham, \$2.

The monthly contribution from officers and crew of the C. S. Aberdeen, amounting to \$1,000, was made of the Rev. B. Allan for the Canadian Patriotic Fund.

RELIGIOUS ORPHAN FUND
The following additional subscriptions have been received by the Rev. Fr. G. G. O'Connell, General, for the credit of the Orphan Fund and deposited to the credit of the Orphan Fund, St. John's: George H. Waterbury, \$10; John H. Clarke, \$10; Mrs. W. C. Good, \$10.

ADJUSTING INSURANCE
The following adjustments in the Main street occupied by Jackson and Company, and owned by J. A. Likely, which was damaged by fire on June 1, were as follows: Atlas, \$2,600; German-American, \$1,500; Norwich Union, \$1,000; total \$5,100. The adjustment was made of the S. G. Drury acting for the insurance companies, and Edward Bates, for the Rev. W. H. Glenning and Gilbert Glenning, property in Hampton.

Mr. W. Lovell to Freeman Reichen, property in Westfield.
J. C. McInnis to Hans Pally, \$8,000 property in Norton.

William McLeod to Andrew Carr, property in Waterford.
H. H. McLeod to J. S. Morton, property in Greenfield.
J. D. Ted to Ernest Morton, property in Greenfield.
W. H. Smith to Ella M. and Anna M. Lilley, property in Westfield.
M. G. White, to G. W. Fowler, property in Sussex.

U. S. CONSUL AT YARMOUTH RESIGNS

Mr. Fleming Going Back to Editor's Chair in Missouri

Yarmouth, N. S., June 4.—Alfred J. Fleming, having rounded out on May 31, eight years as American consul at Yarmouth, resigned two months ago, requesting to be relieved on June 1. A successor has not yet been appointed, but one is expected every day.

Mr. Fleming has served his country for fifteen years under the Union Jack and will now return to Missouri and re-engage in newspaper work, having bought a newspaper in his native state.

KELLY TAKES FOUR PRIZES BY SUPERIOR BOWLING

On the Victoria alleys on Thursday, out of twelve strings rolled, Vincent Kelly had ten strings above the hundred mark. He rolled 112 in his ten best strings. His ten string score was 111, 122, 107, 114, 102, 114, 115, 123, 120, 124.

FOR AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION
A parlor concert, which was held recently for the St. John Ambulance Association, at the home of Alexander Watson, was well patronized. The play of "Little Red Riding Hood" was given, also recitations, followed by a sale of candy and the sum of \$14.88 was taken.

The entertainment was given by the "soldiers' Aid Club," consisting of Misses Olive Smith, Jean Angus, Constance Watson, Lillian Corbet, Kathleen Rowe, Dorothy Corbet, Louise Smith, Bessie Corbett, Mary Rowe, Edith Corbet, Roberta Smith, Hazel McNeil, Mona Alwood, Edith Corbet, Bessie Corbet and Edward Ellis, Gordon Wilson and Master Armstrong. Miss Hilda Galley was pianist. Mrs. and Mrs. Watson are heartily thanked for the use of their parlor for the occasion.

Swedish Steamer Sunk
London, June 4.—The Swedish steamship Lapland was sunk by a German submarine in the North Sea, fifty miles off Peterhead, Scotland. The crew was saved.

PREMIER'S ANSWER TO THREAT OF LIQUOR SELLERS TO CLOSE HOTELS BECAUSE OF NEW LAW

Striking Scene in Saskatchewan Legislature on Second Reading of Bill—Mr. Scott Explains Measure

Regina, Sask., June 4.—With the signing of the national act by members of the house and speakers, one of the most memorable sittings of the Saskatchewan legislature was held yesterday afternoon on the occasion of the second reading of the "new sales of liquor" act.

In moving the second reading, Premier Scott was in hopes, from some of the remarks of the leader of the opposition, that this measure might pass unanimously in the house.

The premier went at length into the details of the measure, showing that every provision had been taken to ensure that the will of the people should be given effect. When a vote shall be taken, any revenue coming to the government from the sale of liquor to be used for the benefit of the system by that time will have been devoted to other objects.

In the first year under the new system will be lost in revenue \$300,000. The revenue from licenses hitherto has been \$300,000. The adjustment has been made of the Rev. B. Allan for the Canadian Patriotic Fund.

ITALIANS MAKING SLOW BUT STEADY PROGRESS
Preliminary Movements Developing To Their Advantage

Austrians Try in Vain to Dialogue Them From Monte Nero Ridge—Brave Lieutenant Captured by King in Person

Rome, June 4.—An official statement issued last night by General Cadorna, chief of the general staff, says:—"Preliminary movements and engagements continued all along the frontier during June 3, developing always to our advantage. Special mention must be made of the favorable, although slow, progress our troops are developing on the southern slopes of Monte Nero, the steep ascent on the left bank of the Isone near Tolmino and on the line of the valley. Our troops are fighting with the utmost determination against Austrians strongly entrenched and supported by powerful artillery."

Cadorna's statement continues:—"The Austrians continue to make vain attempts on alpine detachments and determination against Austrians strongly entrenched and supported by powerful artillery."

Austrians Try in Vain
Udine, Italy, June 4.—Austrian troops have made repeated efforts to dislodge the Italian forces occupying the ridge of Monte Nero ridge, across the Isone River, along the front of the Gail of Trieste. The Italian were still in possession of the ridge yesterday. Their advance across the Isone was accomplished in face of unusual difficulties.

Brave Lieutenant Honored.
Rome, June 4.—The achievement of Alpine mountaineers in capturing an entrenched Austrian position on the slope of Val Inferno, near the head of Valdagno, has been noted by the minister of war. The detachment was led by a lieutenant, who was wounded during the assault but who continued to direct their return until he was captured. King Victor Emmanuel planned the military medal on the wounded lieutenant's breast.

Pope's Gift for Altars.
Rome, June 4.—The Pope has donated \$1,000 for the purchase of twenty-five camp altars for use at the front. In all \$7,800 has been collected for the religious requirements of the army in the field.

London, June 4.—The Daily Telegraph's Rome correspondent says Pope Benedict is preparing a white book in which he will show the steps he took in support of peace.

FAIRVILLE NEWS

The fourth monthly meeting of the Fairville Methodist church was held last evening and reports on the financial and other departments showed the year just closed to have been satisfactory in every way.

A credit balance of \$128.70 was reported. The Sunday school also raised \$301. The Women's Missionary Society, \$101.74, and a substantial amount was realized and expended by the Ladies' Aid Society. A collection of \$20 had been taken for the Methodist Belgium fund. The Sunday school enrollment is 223, including cradle roll.

Fairville friends numbering about twenty-five invaded the home of Miss Margaret Brown, Sand Cove road last evening, their coming being in the nature of a surprise. Games were played and a good time thoroughly enjoyed. Before leaving, a handsome silver scallop dish and spoon were presented to Miss Brown by the gathering with best wishes for an event to occur in the near future in which she will be a happy principal.

THE PRETORIAN
The Allan liner "Pretorian" is due in Quebec on Saturday evening and Montreal on Sunday.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE 4,000 AND PIERCE ENEMY LINE ON THE LOWER SAN RIVER

Cannon and Machine Guns Taken—The Czar's Troops Are Now Enveloping Libau

Petrograd, June 4.—Although it is officially admitted that the Russians have evacuated Przemysl, the Russian War Office today announced another important success for the Muscovite troops on the lower San, in the vicinity of Kozulka, where 4,000 German prisoners and numerous cannon and machine guns were taken. The Russians say they have pierced the Austro-German line at that point.

Rudnik lies in the San valley, about thirty-six miles from Stenava. Their purpose. The positions occupied around Przemysl extended the Russian front by about twenty-four miles, and the troops occupying them were exposed to a concentrated artillery fire.

Austrian Report
Vienna, June 4.—The German and Russian lines at Styr are moving northward rapidly. The Russians apparently are unable to make a stand in the plains and the chances of doing so north of the river are regarded as problematical.

Now that Przemysl has fallen, rendering it possible for General Mackensen to continue his movement eastward, he would naturally meet a check at the Russian fortified positions partly composed of a chain of lakes extending north and south about eighteen miles. It is explained that after the capture of Jaroslavl and Radymno by the Austrians, the Germans have begun to spread along the west bank of the San, making the defense of Przemysl a difficult task. The Russians contend that they realized from the first that Przemysl was incapable of defending itself, and they remained there only so long as it served

French Press On North of Arras
Paris, June 4.—Further progress has been made by the French in the furious battle north of Arras. East of Souchez, the French stormed an isolated inn which had been fortified and turned it into a block house by the Germans. Fifty German prisoners and three machine guns were captured there.

Despite German reinforcements and the deadly fire of hidden machine guns the French have gained further ground in the intricate German defenses known as the Labyrinth, southeast of Neuville St. Vaast. Cauchy and Neuville St. Vaast are both reported to have been destroyed by the mighty artillery duel which raged night and day on the Arras-Lehassée line.

Ready to Compensate Norway.
Christiania, June 4.—Germany has informed Norway that an investigation has shown that the Norwegian bank steamer Belinda was torpedoed accidentally by a German submarine. The communication says Germany deplored this and is willing to pay full compensation.

Germany Wants Damages.
Paris, June 4.—A Geneva despatch to the Matin says that a demand for indemnity for damage done German property in Milan during anti-German disorders has been addressed by Germany to the Italian government through the Swiss legation at Rome.

Sen. Crenshaw Admits.
London, June 4.—The crew of the Danish timber schooner Salvador, sunk by a submarine on Wednesday night last, yesterday at Lerwick, Scotland after ordering the crew into boats the submarine set fire to the vessel and also shot away the stern. The crew had been adrift twelve hours when picked up by a trawler.

HERE TO INSPECT THE CONSTRUCTION CORPS SOLDIERS

In his private car attached to the Montreal express at noon today, A. D. C. Montreal, arrived to inspect the Canadian Railway Construction Corps. He was accompanied by Colonel F. L. Wanklyn, who holds the rank of honorary colonel of the unit and Colonel Grant of Ottawa. They left the car at Patville, and were met by the construction corps at the quarters of the corps. This morning the unit will be paraded before the officials for inspection, probably in the big field near Cedar Hill. The corps are to be allowed to have their strength increased to 350 men.

The Honor Roll
Recruiting continued fairly well today at the local offices. The list of volunteers for the 55th is slowly strengthening and the same is true as regards the final complement of men for the 8th C. M. R. For this latter body five men are to be sent to Amherst tonight, Corporal W. Conley, who transferred from the 10th, and Troopers J. E. Tracey, Boyce Tracey, A. McDermott, and W. S. McCuskey. For the 84th, Thomas Fletcher and Archibald Pynn will go forward from here tonight, while on Monday a party of about twenty volunteers will be forwarded.

The 26th.
Ordinary routine drill was continued today. This afternoon was spent with new equipment by the men in practicing its wearing, packing, and actual use.

Personal.
Captain D. F. Pidgeon, of the D. A. C., Fredericton, came to the city today. Lieut. W. G. Thompson came to the city this morning from Vancouver, where he is stationed with the detention company. Corporal F. Hyatt who has been assisting in recruiting here, returned to Sussex today.

DEMAND THAT PORTUGAL BREAK ALL GERMAN TIES
Lisbon, June 4.—Protesting vehemently against the sinking of two Portuguese ships by German submarines, the press of Portugal demands that the government immediately sever diplomatic relations with Germany.

FREDERICTON NEWS
Fredericton, June 4.—A spark from a locomotive caused destruction of fifteen acres of timber land at Lower St. Marys, owned by A. E. Hanson.

Geo. Y. Dibble is in Montreal, en route home, greatly improved in health. The conference between members of the government, the St. John & Quebec Ry. Co. and Prudential Trust Co. is still in progress. Special Auditor Dunlop is present.

Dr. Carter presided at the Normal school closing. Lt. Gov. Wood and Chancellor Jones presented the medals. Attendance for term was 837. At student's entertainment this evening Miss Vera Webb of St. John and Miss Minnie Jones of Norton will deliver class prophecies, and Walter Murray of St. Stephen the valedictorian.