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A NEW BRITISH WAR LOAN OF \$5,000,000,000 MONEY WILL BE HAD AS NEEDED French Occupy Gondrexon in Lorraine in Rapid, Brilliant Advance WINDSOR, ONTARIO, FEARS MORE DYNAMITE OUTRAGES; NO ARRESTS MADE

MANITOBA WILL HOLD INQUIRY IN GRAFT CHARGES

Accusation That Liberals Got Fifty Thousand Dollars to Be Probed.

DOCTOR HAD MONEY

Sum Held by Simpson May Have Gone for Party Deal.

See Also Page Six. WINNIPEG, June 21.—Today was a day of one more sensation, the charges of C. P. Fullerton, K.C., that the opposition leaders were bought by the government for \$50,000 before the royal commission enquiry into the parliament buildings scandal, and this sensation was noteworthy by the fact that for the first time the commission showed a disposition to limit the scope of their investigation.

Mr. Fullerton suggested the \$50,000 for the opposition came from the parliament buildings contract, and the chief justice intimated that if he were in a position to prove this the charge would come within the scope of the present commission.

Dr. Williams' Case. Dramatically after the presentation of this charge came Miss Mercy Smith on the stand, who a former housekeeper for Dr. Simpson in the apartment he maintained in the Blackwood Brewery building, testified to

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DE WET IS FOUND GUILTY OF TREASON

Noted Boer General Will Be Sentenced at Bloemfontein Today.

ADMITTED SEDITION

High Treason Charge Sustained on Eight Counts After Thoro Inquiry.

BLOEMFONTEIN, Union of South Africa, June 21. Via London.—Gen. Christian De Wet, leader of the South African rebellion against the British Government, was today found guilty of treason on eight counts. Sentence was deferred until tomorrow.

A MAN'S WARDROBE.

Among the dress considerations of the particular man—headwear is the most careful attention. It is recognized in Toronto and district by all really good dressers that Dineen's—110 Yonge street—is the ideal place for hats for wear on all or any occasion.

Playing the Game in Manitoba

Things took a surprising turn in Winnipeg yesterday when the boys started in to really play the game. The Conservatives admitted the guilt of the late Roblin government in connection with the parliament buildings contract, and put forward a counter-charge that the new Norris government, for a cash consideration, had agreed to a saw-off if the Roblinites gave up office to Norris, knowing at the time that the money came from Kelly and was tainted. So far this was one move.

Next, the Conservatives gave it out at Winnipeg that, inasmuch as the lieutenant-governor's name had been mentioned in the documents signed by the Conservative members, alleging a saw-off with the Roblinites, it might be necessary for the Dominion ministers to investigate the conduct of his honor and of one of the chief justices.

The next move is now a matter of conjecture. Some say that Mr. Norris will at once advise Governor Cameron to dissolve the house and appoint a day for a general election; and this might be suggested by the Liberal chiefs at Ottawa, as the proper thing to do.

It is not quite certain, however, that the Liberals will take advantage of the opportunity thus presented to get ahead of their opponents, because, if they acted in this way, the fourth move would be in order, and that might be for the Dominion Conservatives to immediately call a Dominion election, on the ground that, inasmuch as the Liberals had put Manitoba into the turmoil of a duel of the voters, they would be fully justified "to play it that way, too," and pursue the same tactics in federal affairs and line up the sides for an election just as clear across the continent.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier wants a Dominion election least of all, and he may be astute enough to advise his friends in Manitoba not to rush into a move that might beat off an attack of the Germans north of the Peche River on the positions at Reich Argonne.

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BRITAIN'S FATE AWFUL SHOULD HUNS CONQUER

Rudyard Kipling Says Punishment Would Be Truly Terrible.

LONDON, June 23. 3:18 a.m.—Rudyard Kipling, in a speech last night at a recruiting meeting at Southampton, drew a lively picture of England's fate should Germany prove victorious in the war, declaring that whatever had been meted out to the Belgians and Poles would be England's punishment tenfold.

"If we fail to subdue the Germans," he said, "there are reasons in the German mind why we should be morally and mentally shamed beyond any other people."

FEAR CHERRY KEARTON DEAD IN EAST AFRICA

Friends Receive Message From Hospital Near Nairobi Asking Relatives to Come.

LONDON, June 21.—There is every reason to believe that Cherry Kearton, the famous moving picture operator, has met his death in East Africa, where he has been taking big game pictures. A cable received at his London office from a hospital near Nairobi runs: "Please have Kearton's next of kin come here immediately." A cable enquiry has been despatched, asking fuller details of what has happened to Kearton, but no reply has been received.

FRENCH OCCUPY LORRAINE TOWN OF GONDREXON

Successful Advance Also Made in Alsace and on Meuse Heights.

METZERAL CAPTURED

Local Engagements Only Reported North of Arras—Fighting in Argonne.

Special Cable to The Toronto World. LONDON, June 21.—Resting on their laurels, the French won gains on the front north of Arras, the French war leaders today turned the energies of their offensive to the heights of the Meuse, Alsace and Lorraine, where important successes fell to their arms today, including an unimpeded advance to Gondrexon. The progress along the Peche River, in Alsace, a war office statement says tonight, was continued in the course of an uninterrupted series of engagements which first gained them Metzeral cemetery, the railway station, the village, which they captured after a hot fight. Their advance then reached the outskirts of the hamlet and was pushed 550 yards to the east beyond the outskirts of Metzeral toward Meyerhof. Some prisoners were taken in these actions, bringing the total number in two days to over 200. The French beat off an attack of the Germans north of the Peche River on the positions at Reich Argonne.

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LINER CAMERONIA NEARLY TORPEDOED

Steamer Headed for Submarine Which Made Sudden Dive.

STORY OF PASSENGER

Many on Board Saw Periscope Appear in Irish Sea.

LONDON, June 21.—The Anchor Line steamer Cameronia, under charter to the Cunard Line, had a narrow escape from a submarine in the Irish Sea, on her voyage from New York to Liverpool, according to Peter Fletcher of New York, one of the saloon passengers. The Cameronia arrived in Liverpool Sunday.

Mr. Fletcher says that during the run thru the Irish Sea a submarine came out of the water, showing the top of her conning tower. To save the Cameronia Capt. Kinnard headed the vessel for the submarine, which dived. After passing over the spot where the underwater boat went down, without finding any evidence that the steamer had collided with it, Capt. Kinnard reversed the course of his vessel and set away safely.

Mr. Fletcher added that the passengers on the Cameronia, also many of them saw the periscope of the submarine, were cool.

The Cameronia sailed from New York June 11 for Glasgow, by way of Liverpool. She had on board about 45 first-class passengers and a large number of persons in the second cabin.

UP TO THE RAILWAYS.

OTTAWA, June 21.—By an order of the railway board issued today railway companies must accept all responsibility for packages which occur in connection with shipments of flax in bulk on the prairie provinces to Fort William, providing the consignor pays a charge of \$2 for lining the car in which such shipment is made, with paper.

MAJOR LUMSDEN KILLED WHILE MAKING FLIGHT

Member of British Flying Corps Was Passenger on Aeroplane.

LONDON, June 21.—3:48 p.m.—Maj. Lumsden, of the Royal Army Flying Corps, was killed this afternoon while flying over the Brooklands aviation course.

Maj. Harry T. Lumsden was making a flight as a passenger on a trial test. The aeroplane had reached an altitude of 200 feet when the engine went wrong and the machine dived earthwards and was smashed. Maj. Lumsden was so badly injured that he died in a few hours but the injuries of the pilot were not so serious.

FAMOUS GOLFER KILLED IN CHARGE AT YPRES

Capt. John Graham of Liverpool Scottish Brigade Had Won Distinction in Sport.

LIVERPOOL, June 21.—(10:30 p.m.)—Capt. John Graham, famous as an amateur golfer, has been killed at Ypres during a charge of the Liverpool Scottish Brigade. Capt. Graham last year, playing for the Royal Liverpool Golf Club, won the St. George's Grand Challenge Cup at Sandwich.

BIG FRENCH WAR LOAN TO BE FLOATED IN U.S.

Amount May Reach Seventy-Five Millions—Railway Bonds as Security.

NEW YORK, June 21.—Negotiations are in progress and may be brought to a favorable conclusion within the next 24 hours for an important loan in this country to assist the French Government in the purchase of war munitions here, according to The Evening Post.

The loan is being negotiated, it is said, by influential private bankers in Paris, and will be secured by a block of American railway bonds, which are now owned in France. The loan may exceed \$75,000,000 and possibly run to \$100,000,000, it is said.

LOYD GEORGE CONFERS WITH FRENCH EXPERTS

Joint Plan for Increasing Munitions Discussed at Boulogne

LUSITANIA'S DESTROYER WAS NOT DECORATED

At Least Such is Official Announcement Made in Berlin.

LONDON, June 19.—10:15 p.m.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. from Copenhagen says that official announcement has been made in Berlin that no order of merit has been conferred on any submarine commander for the sinking of the Cunard liner Lusitania.

GREATEST HONOR PAID TO TORONTO ARCHITECT

Gold Medal Awarded to Frank Darling, Received by Sir George Perley.

Canadian Associated Press Cable. LONDON, June 21.—A meeting of the Royal Institute of British Architects tonight was made an occasion for the presentation of the royal gold medal for architecture to a Canadian citizen—Frank Darling of Toronto. This is the first time on record that this honor, the highest to which any architect in the world can aspire, has been bestowed upon a subject.

DYNAMITERS OF WINDSOR PLANT NOT YET FOUND

Authorities Are Watching Resident, But Definite Evidence is Lacking.

OTHER FIRMS ANXIOUS

Special Military Guards Asked—Outrages Stimulate Local Recruiting.

WINDSOR, June 21.—Up to a late hour tonight no arrests had been made in connection with the partial destruction of the Peabody plant at Walkerville, and the attempted blowing up of the Windsor Armouries, early this morning, although the authorities are watching a local man, who, it is said, asked an autist for a ride from Walkerville to Windsor shortly after the explosion at the Peabody factory. This individual, it is claimed, was carrying a grip at the time.

Firms working on war munitions are asking for special military guards and extra soldiers have been placed at many points. A movement has been started to force official registration of all German citizens of Windsor. Lt. Col. McCrimmon of the first division headquarters at London, sent word today that he would be here tomorrow to conduct an investigation into the bombing incident.

The outrages have served to greatly stimulate recruiting at this point, there being 20 enlistments this afternoon alone, which is a larger number than for any three successive days since the outbreak of the war.

At 3 a.m. today an explosion, believed to have been caused by a bomb placed by a German sympathizer, blew out the entire front of a three-story steel and concrete building at

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RUSSIANS RETREAT FIGHTING BRAVELY

Battle in Galicia Severe Test for Valor of Czar's Soldiers.

SLAUGHTER GERMANS

Every Foot of Territory Stubbornly Contested by Unbeaten Troops.

Special Cable to The Toronto World. PETROGRAD, June 21.—The battle in Galicia is an undying testimony to Russian heroism. For six weeks the Germans have been pressing with all their weight on the Russian armies. They poured upon them hundreds of thousands of every kind of shell. They have created an inferno in the country between the Carpathians and the Russian frontier and with the bodies of thousands of their own men have paved a way for the advance of their batteries.

The Russians have stood against this unexampled fire, yielded ground inch by inch, destroying one after another of the enemy's units, and have been compelled to retire gradually from point to point under the blinding, deafening shower of German explosives. By night the Germans hurriedly shot and bayonet the German infantry and recover their trenches only to repeat the same process on succeeding days.

Battle of Men vs. Machines. There are intervals of real human battles in the green cornfields and on the banks of the swift flowing rivers, but in main this is a battle between men and machines. The Russian army is not demoralized. It has suffered losses, but it is steady and is steadily and successfully pursuing its task of swelling the casualty lists of the German army, whatever sacrifices are advanced by a series of violent paroxysms succeeded by brief periods of exhaustion and recuperation. Their last paroxysm has brought them right up to the defenses of the Gallician capital.

LIEUT. STEWART WAS KILLED AT FESTUBERT

Gallant Young Officer Had Been Student at Queen's University.

Special to The Toronto World. KINGSTON, June 21.—A cablegram received tonight announced that Lieut. Herchmer Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart of the Village of Harrowsmith, had been killed in action. He fell at Festubert, France, on Thursday last. He was a member of the Second Battalion, and was associated with Capt. G. T. Richardson of Kingston. He attended Queen's University.

"KEEP OUT OF MEXICO" ADVICE GIVEN BY GREY

British Subjects Should Not Visit That Country Unless Compelled.

LONDON, June 21.—8:40 p.m.—The official press bureau today issued the following statement: "In view of the existing state of affairs in Mexico, the secretary for foreign affairs (Sir Edward Grey) desires to warn British subjects against visiting that country unless absolutely obliged to do so by imperative necessity."

BODY OF COL. BECHER BURIED IN FLANDERS

British War Office Forced to Decline Request of Gen. Hughes.

LONDON, June 21.—Major Gen. Hughes' effort to have a special case made for the body of Lt.-Col. Campbell Becher of this city, who was killed at the front last week, with a view to having the remains returned to Canada for burial, has been unsuccessful. The minister of militia wired relatives here this afternoon that the British war office had declined the request, in accordance with the standing regulations in that regard.

Information sent Gen. Hughes from England was to the effect that Col. Becher had been buried in Veruvre Cemetery, near Festubert, with full military honors, in the presence of Gen. Alderson, Gen. Mercer, Col. Sealy, M.P., and other officers of the Canadian division. The body was placed in a separate grave and had been duly registered.

Out of respect for the memory of their late commanding officer, the members of the Seventh Fusiliers decided tonight to equip and maintain eight beds in the Queen's Canadian Military Hospital, Thorncliffe, Eng.

OWNERS OF SCHOONER CAN MAKE APPEAL

British Prize Court Gives Decision in Case of Swedish Steamer.

LONDON, June 21. 7:37 p.m.—Sir Samuel Evans of the prize court, today granted the right of appeal to the owners of the Swedish steamer Zamora, which the prize court had empowered the war department to requisition.

The steamer Zamora left New York March 20, for Stockholm, and was detained at Kirkwall April 10, and later transferred to Barrow.

HORSE ARTILLERY HELD FOR ADEQUATE REASON

Decision Reached After Due Consideration, is Statement Made.

Canadian Associated Press Cable. LONDON, June 21.—In the commons tonight the war under-secretary answering R. P. Houston, said the retention of the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery in England was decided on after full consideration of the question of the employment at the front of this particular body as well as many others similarly situated was constantly under consideration.

BRITISH HOUSE READILY GIVES BLANK CHEQUE

New Loan May Possibly Reach Total of Five Billion Dollars.

CAN MEET ANY CRISIS

McKenna Appeals to Investors, Large and Small, to Give Support.

LONDON, June 21.—(10:10 p.m.)—The House of Commons adjourned tonight after unanimously giving a first reading to the bill providing the new chancellor of the exchequer, Reginald McKenna, with a blank cheque which may amount, at a maximum, to one thousand million pounds (\$5,000,000,000).

The vote of credit for £250,000,000 (\$1,250,000,000) passed last week by the house simply authorized the government to spend that much for war purposes, but did not provide for the manner in which this sum should be raised. Tonight's enactment was in the form of a resolution, which empowers the government to raise not only the £250,000,000 deemed necessary to pay the cost of the war, at the rate of £25,000,000 sterling daily, for a limited period, but as much more as may be needed.

Reasons Withheld. The chancellor of the exchequer made a long explanation of the proposed loan, and, in closing, said that on the technical questions as to the limit of the loan it would be dangerous to disclose the necessity for not fixing any definite sum, and he added that the only figure he could put in the bill was a maximum which would cover all requirements of the new loan, including provisions enabling the subscribers to previous war loans

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BRITISH OFFICERS SUFFER SEVERELY

More Than Eleven Thousand Casualties Up to June Month.

DEATH RATE IS HIGH

Australians' Losses Heavier Than Canadians' in Past Two Weeks.

LONDON, June 21.—The British army casualty lists ending June 9 show that since the beginning of the war 3872 officers have been killed, 6657 wounded and 1045 put down as missing, making a total of 11,672. From May 19 to June 9, 708 officers were killed, 1407 wounded and 150 reported missing, or 2265 in all.

These figures bring out the fact that the proportion of killed to wounded runs one to two, which is probably due as much to the fact that the line officers of the lower grades are the first to leave the trenches in making attacks as to the use of high explosives.

Canadian Losses. During the fortnight ended June 9 the Canadian contingent lost 40 officers killed and 130 wounded, the Australians 107 killed and 175 wounded, and the Indian troops 43 killed and 117 wounded, who, being officers, were in large part English. The Royal Field Artillery lost 39 officers killed and 62 wounded. In many regiments more officers were killed than wounded. The Leicesters had 18 killed to 14 wounded, while in the Dublin Fusiliers the proportion stood 17 to 7. In the Welsh Fusiliers 11 to 5, and in the Surrey 15 to 12.