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RUSSIANS Begin to Offer Strong Resistance to German Advance in Galicia--Cossacks Arrive and Drive German Infantry--Rumanians Press on to Putna River, Driving Enemy in Retreat--Extremely Violent Artillery Battle Reported in Progress on Belgian-British Front.

ROGERS UPHELD IN FINDINGS OF INVESTIGATION

McLeod-Tellier Report Holds Justice Galt's Conclusions Were Unwarranted.

CONTRACTS LET FAIRLY

Contribution to Party Funds Not Related to Raise in Tender.

Ottawa, July 27.—The report of the McLeod-Tellier commission which was appointed to examine the evidence laid before Mr. Justice Galt...

RETURN OF ROGERS TO TREASURY BENCH

Members Congratulate Him on Result of Report of Commission.

QUIET DAY IN HOUSE

Bill to Amend Insurance Act is Discussed in Committee.

Ottawa, July 27.—When the house convened this evening after the dinner recess, Hon. Robert Rogers was discovered sitting on the treasury bench with the deputy beside him...

FIVE MILLION SOLDIERS ENROLLED BY BRITAIN

Lloyd George Describes Military Effort of United Kingdom--Anti-Submarine Campaign Incontestably Cuts Down Shipping Losses.

Paris, July 27.—David Lloyd George today gave a breakfast to a number of editors of important French newspapers...

DINEEN'S HAT REDUCTIONS.

A big Saturday again at Dineen's. Hats in the middle of the hot weather spell and hats for cool heads offering at great price reductions.

BRITISH SHIPPING LOSS OF TWO MILLION TONS

Lord Robert Cecil Reveals Reduction to Slightly Over Fifteen Million Tons Since War Began--Forces Sacrifice.

London, July 27.—Lord Robert Cecil, the minister of blockade, discussed the shipping situation at length with the Associated Press today...

ALLIES' WAR AIMS MUST BE ACHIEVED

Paris Conference Shows Firm Resolution to Battle to Finish.

London, July 27.—The decision to continue the war until the aims of the allies have been attained is announced by the conference of powers held in Paris...

THOUSANDS OF MEN NEEDED ALONG C.N.R.

Farmers Will Pay Three Dollars a Day to Harvesters in West.

Winnipeg, July 27.—The Canadian Northern Railway has issued a report which estimates that 25,000 men will be required for extra help in harvesting the crop along its lines...

Cargo of Australian Flour for British Arrives at Atlantic Port

An Atlantic Port, July 27.—The first cargo of flour from Australia ever to reach this port was brought in today in a Swedish steamer...

FIVE MILLION WORKERS

Continuing, he said that five million men and women now are engaged in war work in the United Kingdom. More women could be employed if the trades unions did not fear the competition of women after the war...

FORM JEWISH REGIMENT

London, July 27.—The war office has announced the formation of a special Jewish regiment of infantry with experienced officers in the higher commands. Jewish soldiers with knowledge of the Yiddish or Russian languages already serving with British regiments will be transferred to this unit.

GERMANS FIRE HEAVILY UPON BELGIAN LINES

Hostile Guns Shell Great Many Points Behind Allied Front.

ACTION IN VOSGES

French Infantry Repels Foe in Struggle for Hartmanns Weilerkopf.

Paris, July 27.—The war office communication issued this evening says: "Intermittent artillery fighting took place today on the greater portion of the front. The cannonading was especially violent in the sector of Allies and Hurtbais, in Champagne, in the region of Mont Haut, and on both banks of the Meuse."

STOP WHEAT SALES TO UNITED STATES

Grain Supervisors Issue Order Applicable to Balance of Present Crop.

Winnipeg, July 27.—The following order was issued this afternoon by the board of grain supervisors for Canada: "It is hereby ordered by the board of grain supervisors for Canada, in conformity with section 4, of the order-in-council constituting the board, that, so far as the balance of the present crop is concerned, and until further notice, the sale and shipment of Canadian wheat, without the consent of the board, to parties in the United States, must cease..."

GERMAN SPY CHIEF IN BELGIUM ASSASSINATED

Swiss Priest and Assistant Shot After Refusal to Reveal Secret.

Amsterdam, July 27.—Les Nouvelles de Maestricht reports that one of the chiefs of the German espionage service in Belgium was assassinated last Friday at Lommel, Belgian Limburg. The priest is reported to have been deprived of food on three occasions for three days at a time in an attempt to compel him to speak, and his assistant was tortured for the same purpose. The Germans compelled them, the newspaper says, to drink a drug which affected their nerves, but they refused to speak.

KITCHENER'S SURVIVAL ONCE AGAIN RUMORED

Faith Expressed by His Sister Gives Hope to British Public.

London, July 27.—The statement by Mrs. Parker, sister of Lord Kitchener, that she believes her brother to be alive, and did not go down with the cruiser Hampshire, has revived a rumor which has recurred in England during the year past.

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KILLED BY BULL

London, Ont., July 27.—David Henry Carroll, farm manager for Dr. C. A. Cline, of this city, was gored to death by an infuriated bull early today on the doctor's farm near Whitebridge, Hamilton road. Mr. Carroll's six-year-old daughter was an eye-witness of her father's terrible death. The victim leaves a widow and four daughters.

BORDEN FORESHADOWS BIG RAILWAY PROGRAM

Premier Said to Have Outlined in Caucus Plans for Nationalizing Grand Trunk, Along With C.N.R. and G.T.P.--White Suggests Temporary Aid.

Ottawa, July 27.—The Conservative members had a caucus this morning on the railway situation. The strictest secrecy is maintained as to what took place, but it is known that addresses were delivered by Sir Robert Borden and Sir Thomas White.

SENATE SEATS FOR TWO MONTREALERS

Smeaton White and George D. Foster, K.C., to Fill Vacancies.

Ottawa, July 27.—Smeaton White of Montreal, president of the Gazette Printing Company of Montreal, and Geo. D. Foster, K.C., of Montreal, have been appointed members of the senate of Canada.

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London, July 27.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Petrograd, dated Thursday, says: "Ensign Mile. Vera Butchareff, commander of the Russian women's battalion, and Lieutenant Sarydova, suffering from shock as a result of bursting shells, and about a dozen other members of the battalion who were wounded in the recent fighting have been sent to Minsk. When they reached Poltava they were welcomed by 100,000 citizens and soldiers with a brass band and carrying banners."

TWO U. S. GENERALS ARRIVE IN ENGLAND

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