

*The tumult and the shouting dies;  
The captains and the kings depart;  
Still stands Thine ancient sacrifice,  
An humble and a contrite heart:  
Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet,  
Lest we forget, lest we forget.*

—From Kipling's "Recessional"

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## SEEKING TO TRACE LIQUOR SHIPMENTS

Ontario Authorities Place  
Secret Service Men in Mon-  
treal Warehouses.

Montreal, July 18.—Ontario authorities have placed secret service men in several of the large warehouses in this city in an effort to trace illegal shipments of liquor to Ontario, according to a report received this morning. Recently very heavy shipments of liquors have been sent from Montreal to Toronto and other Ontario centres. This traffic began as soon as the war measure of inter-provincial shipments became a dead letter. The traffic has increased, and to cope with it successfully the Ontario provincial authorities have taken this method of tracing shipments originating in Montreal.

Recently many seizures of liquor have been made in central Ontario points, and it is believed that the efficiency with which these goods were picked out by the inspectors was due in a very large measure to the information secured by secret service men placed in the foremost warehouses of this city.

A Determined Effort.  
The Quebec provincial government also has inspectors on this work now, and a determined effort is being made to catch all shipments from Montreal into a dry territory. Railway lines and express companies are being watched carefully in a greater spirit of determination than has ever been

evinced before to see that the law is observed and that dry territory is not irrigated by the Montreal wholesale liquor dealer route.

## CITIZENS OF FLORENCE PREPARING FOR STRIKE

Florence, July 18.—Fifty thousand armed citizens have been organized here to maintain order in anticipation of the demonstrative strike called by the labor federation for July 20-21. This organization is composed of peasants, merchants and discharged soldiers without regard to political affiliation. They have taken an oath to prevent disorder and to stop any possible ransacking of shops, using arms if necessary.

## Military in Montreal Not in the Celebration

Montreal, July 18.—It has been decided by Brigadier-General C. J. Armstrong, acting G.O.C., and the military authorities here that there will be no military celebration tomorrow for the official observance of peace day, following the orders for the observation in England. Any celebration there will be left entirely to the civil authorities. It was stated at headquarters last night that no orders at all regarding the day would be issued, the celebration being practically allowed to go by default, owing to the depleted condition of the active militia and other military units in the city.

## British Columbia Conservatives To Hold September Convention

Vancouver, B.C., July 18.—A provincial convention of British Columbia Conservatives will be held in Vancouver on Sept. 29 and 30, it is announced today.

## PREDICTS COMPLETE CHANGE IN RUSSIA

Winston Churchill Defends  
Action of Allies in Des-  
patching Troops.

London, July 18.—"Russia at the present moment is the keynote of the future peace of the world, and the lifting of that country must be the first duty of the league of nations," said Winston Spencer Churchill, secretary of state for war, in an address at the British-Russian Club dinner last night.

"If the whole of Russia and its resources fell into the hands of Lenin and Trotsky the whole power of the Bolshevik forces will be thrown against those little states which have been promised the protection of the league of nations. If the Bolshevik forces prevail in Russia those little states, nay, Russia itself, will fall into the hands of Germany," he continued.

Mr. Churchill defended the action of the allies in sending troops to Russia, and said if the five government powers had been able to act in concert "things would not be as they are there." He declared that more than 800,000 Bolsheviks were being held in check by the allies, and "if the British government contributed in any way toward that result I for one rejoice."

Mr. Churchill predicted an entire change in the situation within a fortnight, but did not explain what it might be.

## BLAME GOVERNMENT FOR HIGH COST OF LIVING

Paris, July 18.—In a vote in the chamber of deputies this evening following interpellations on the high cost of living, the government was in the minority by fourteen votes.

The issue arose over the order of the day. The government accepted that of Deputy Renard, which implied confidence in the government, but the chamber adopted by a vote of 257 to 213 a resolution presented by M. Augagneur, former minister of marine, which the government had rejected.

The order of the day of M. Augagneur, adopted by the chamber, was on the high cost of living. It blamed the economic policy of the government for the situation.

After the vote announcement was made in the lobby of the chamber of deputies by M. Boret, food minister, stated that he would resign his portfolio, but that he was the only member of the cabinet affected by the vote.

Premier Clemenceau, however, will decide what will be the attitude of the government.

The general policy of the government did not come up during the debate.

SUSPECT MEXICANS OF  
STEALING BIG PAYROLL

New York, July 18.—The National Association for the protection of American rights in Mexico announced that it had received a telegram from Tampico dated July 17, indicating that the camp of the Atlantic Refining Company, near Port Lomas, Mexico, had been raided and the semi-monthly payroll of \$10,000 stolen. The message said it was believed the raiders were Carranza's soldiers.

## MET AND MARRIED IN SIXTY MINUTES

Now Soldier and Spouse  
Both Face Charge of  
Bigamy.

In a statement to the police yesterday afternoon, Albert James Shannon, returned soldier, declared that he had met a woman while he was under the influence of liquor and within one hour's time from when Shannon had made her acquaintance he went thru a form of marriage with her. Morality Officers Kerr and Massey, however, allege that Shannon went thru the marriage ceremony knowing the woman to be a married woman and are holding Shannon on a charge of bigamy.

Yesterday morning the woman, Margaret Phillips, surrendered herself to the morality office and was arraigned in the women's court on a charge of bigamy. It appears that Kerr went to a house on Napanee street three months ago to arrest Mrs. Phillips and she was ill in bed. She pleaded with the officer not to take her, stating that she would give herself up when she recovered. True to her word, she walked to the city hall and asked for the police officer who had a warrant for her arrest. She was remanded until the 25th. Armed with a warrant the morality man left for Bathurst street to bring in Shannon.

Shannon is 32 years of age and Margaret Phillips is 30. They met on Feb. 10, 1915, and were married in a downtown church. Mrs. Phillips' first husband is said to be residing in the city.

## NO SETTLEMENT SIGN IN BOSTON CAR STRIKE

Boston, July 18.—With the electric lines of this city—street, elevated and subway—still stopped today by the strike of carmen, negotiations looking to a new arbitration medium developed no indications of early agreement. The public trustees of the Boston Elevated Railway Company and leaders of the employees' union conferred with Governor Coolidge, but, although they agreed on the representative of each side, they could not settle on the third member of the proposed new arbitration board. After two conferences were held without result, James H. Vahey, general counsel for the Carmen's Union, said the situation had not improved.

## Nova Scotia Veterans Take Stand Against Alien Enemies

New Glasgow, N.S., July 18.—The great war veterans of Nova Scotia will never hail any alien enemy as brother, nor enter into formal relations or co-operation with any organization which includes alien enemy or those of alien enemy extraction in its ranks.

That point was made clear here yesterday at the morning session of the provincial convention, which developed marked hostility to affiliation with the Trades and Labor Council until the labor unions amend their constitutions as to purge their ranks of all aliens of enemy nationality.

## GERMAN SHARES SOLD.

New York, July 18.—Eight thousand German-owned shares of the three chemical companies formerly controlled by the Roussier and Haslachier interests were sold at public auction today by the alien property custodian to Coffin & Company, bankers, and the American Aniline Products, Incorporated, for approximately \$1,000,000.

## PERSHING RECEIVES FREEDOM OF LONDON

General Admits Lessons  
Learned by Americans  
From the British.

London, July 18.—Gen. John J. Pershing, commander-in-chief of the American expeditionary force, met the military members of parliament in the committee room of the house of commons yesterday. He was introduced by Winston Spencer Churchill, secretary for war.

In an address, in which he discussed the sentiment of the American soldiers and people, General Pershing said that had it not been for the lessons learned from the British "our efforts would not have been what they have been. Our associations from the start were most pleasant. I was accorded a visit to general headquarters and learned from your commander-in-chief what was deemed most important for us to consider first."

"It was our preference to fight beside our brothers in blood, our own kinsmen, whose courage, aggression and tenacity we have always admired and which has had such an influence on our army in Europe."

Today General Pershing was presented with the freedom of the city and a sword of honor, in the presence of a distinguished company in the historic Guildhall.

SLACKER FINED.  
Arrested by the Dominion police for failing to report for military service, W. F. McCallum of Galt was fined \$250 and costs in the police court yesterday morning.