PRIJE, TWO CENTS.

ALLIES AND U.S. PLAN CRUSHING OF SUBS

British Make Progress Several Points at

HAIG MOVES AHEAD CITY GROCERS AND FRENCH BREAK COUNTERS BY FOE

British Gain More Ground at Havrincourt Wood and Fresnoy, While French Rout Fresh German Divisions.

London, May 5, 1 p.m. -The British have made further progress north of Havrincourt Wood and near Fresnoy, according to an of ficial statement issued by the war office this morning.

The Canadians have held Fresnoy since the opening of the drive on Thursday.

FRESH DIVISIO NS REPULSED.

Paris, May 5, noon. -Heavy counter - attacks launched by the Germans w ith fresh divisions last night on the positions captured by the French yesterday along the front from Crao nne to Mont Carnillet, were repulsed in all cases, the w ar office announced today. In addition, the French ma de progress east of Mont Carnillet. More than 1,00 0 prisoners have been taken by the French.

PRODIGIOUS GERMAN LOSSES

London, May 5, 1:30 p.m .- The most | not only to have maintained their posiintensive centre of the fighting in the past 24 hours continued to be in the neighborhood of Bullecourt, telegraphs the Reuter correspondent at the British headquarters in France, Here the battle is continuous, and surges in and around the ruined village, so that it is difficult to say what the situation is at a given moment.

South of Bullecourt the British appear

PLENTY OF COAL NEXT WINTER SAYS U. S TRADE COMMISSION: TELLS CONSUMERS TO BUY SMALL

Washington, May 5 .- Prevailing retail and promises to "expose any prices of anthractic coal ar. unwarrant unous wholesaier, jobber of the period and the supply for next season is who seeks to mislead the public into prices adequate, the federal trade commission adequate, the federal trade commission a belief that exorbitant prices are forded adequate, the federal trade commission stated today in a preliminary report based on a partially completed investigation ordered by Congress last winter. The commission warns consumers against buying larger quantities of coal than usual this summer, saying there are symptoms now of such a buying panic as that which enabled speculators last winter to force prices above normal. No good reason exists, says the report, why May prices should not be subject to the usual summer discount, but "if the public is again so deceived as to indulge in a scramble for coal, the favorable situation may be nullified."

Will Expose Unscrupulous. Will Expose Unscrupulous.

The commission is keeping in close touch with the anthracite situation for stove and \$3.61 a net ton for egg, \$3.84 for stove and \$3.93 for chestnut coal.

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FARMERS DECIDE TO "LAY OFF" ON EARLY VEGETABLES

Will Leave This Crop Largely To City Folks.

prominent Middlesex vegetable growers today to The Advertiser. "The city peo- Dempsey, Stratford. ple are planting gardens, and it would be Toolish on our part to grow a large crop of such vegetables as lettuce, onions, radishes, early beels and carrots for those two months.

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more later stuff. I'm going to put in mount, Que., quite a few parsnips and turnips and tate carrots. The workingmen are, almost without exception, putting in good big gardens, and they are our best customers. The richer class of people are certainly not vegetarians, although they containly not vegetarians, although they is although they containly not vegetarians, although they carrots. Infantry.

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certainly not vegetarians, although they like lettuce in the winter when it is up in price.

Little Hothouse Stuff."

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"You will see that there are a lot more cabbages grown this fail, as well as carrots, beets and parsnips. Last year I planted but a quarter of a pound of parsnip seed, and this year I'm putting in just a pound and a quarter. The

"The gardeners are also putting in an xtra large crop of early potatoes then they can get the seed. As a rule extra large crop of early potatoes when they can get the seed. As a rule they have put in but a few extensity early ones. There is no money in them when the price drops, as they do not crop heavily and the land is too valuable to grow spuds, anyway. However, the production of the early varieties promises to be increased about 50 per cent, as far as I can tell. It's costing me about \$32 an acre for seed potatoes, and by the time the land is manured, cultivate, and the crop sprayed and marketed, the yield will have to be a good one to make any money.

"I'm glad to see the city people taking one to make any money.

"I'm glad to see the city people taking a fog, and having her bottom on the rocks two miles off the coast dring up gardening. This fall they will realize that after all the work we put in in our gardens we are not making any horribly large profits. The growers wish them the best of luck with their pairs.

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NOON CASUALTY LIST

Ottawa, May 5.—In the noon list of 131 casualties today there are 21 killed, 25 missing, 14 died of wounds and 71 wounded or ill. The total since the beginning of the Easter drive is now 14.298. Among the officers in today's roll To City Folks.

"You will see few vegetables for sale on the market during the months of July and August," said one of the most July and August," said one of the most plant had been listed as wounded and missing since September 2 last. missing since September 2 last.
Wounded and Missing—Lieut. J. D.

Missing-Lieut. G. H. Rathbone, To-

PACIFISTS OF GERMANY PETITION THE REICHSTAG

Amsterdam, Via London, May 5.—
Four German pacifist organizations have petitioned the Reichstag to accept the following principles, in view of the new situation created by the Russian revolution: First, Germany to make peace with Russia without territorial acquisition, but under a guarantee that the national rights of Germans in Russia he respected: sia be respected; second. Germany's peace terms in respect to her other enemies to be disclosed; third, the pro-

Join Housewives in Denouncing Government's Laxity.

GAMBLING IS THE CAUSE

Heartless Speculation Sends Flour Price Soaring.

DICTATOR REQUIRED NOW

Men in Retail Business Speak Out Strongly in Public Interest.

Numbers of London grocers interviewed today, irrespective of their politics, are emphatic in their declaration that organization on the part of the Government of Canada to conserve food resources and regulate prices and distribution is an imperative need. Moreover, from their first hand knowledge of the food situation in Canada, their recognition of the imminence of famine in other parts of the Empire, their appreciation of the responsibility of Canada as the bread basket of the Empire, they have no hesitation in expressing the opinion that the Dominion should have had a food dictator long ago.

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Will Have To Come to It.

Secretary R. H. Harley of the Retail Grocers' Association said, "We will have to come to it sconer or later, and the sconer the better. The Government should have taken hold of the seed situation and seen that the farmers throughout the Dominion had an adequate supply of seed for pianting. Immediate action might help to a certain extent and, in any case, if there hasn't been the necessary general organization to assure a harvest, furion to assure a forded.
"Today on the market, it was practically impossible to get hold of vegetables. A Caradoc farmer told me he was entirely out of them and that others in his district didn't have them for their own tables. I don't know what they are going to do about planting.

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"I feel sure that any steps to regulate the prices of staples such as flour would be welcomed on the part of the members of the Retail Grocers' Association. I attribute the marked advance in flour largely to gambling on the stock market. It would be better for us all the way through, dealers as well as consumers, to have regulation of prices. So far as regulation of the number of courses served in public eating places is concerned, it is altogether likely we will have to come to it, just as they have in England, and it seems to me the better way is to begin now before there is necessity. I don't think a food dictator can be appointed too soon."

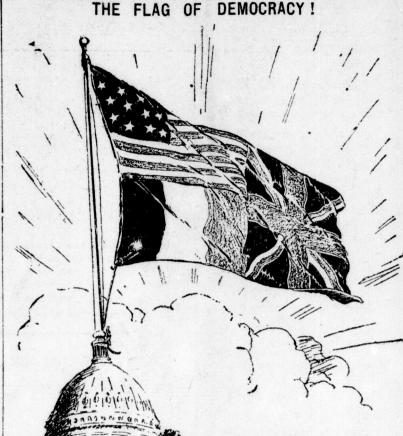
Government Lags Behind.

W. T. Mullins of West London said: "I believe in being prepared for the worst, especially in war time. The Government has been very dilatory in regard to its responsibility towards conservation of food resources. No time should be wasted in the establishment of food dictatorship in order that conservation might be effected in every way possible. This is just as necessary Continued on Page Three. Government Lags Behind.

NATIONAL SERVICE CENSUS FOR ALL MALES RESIDENT

Paris, May 5.—The national service bill, which is now before the Senate, provides for a census of all males resi-dent in France between the ages of 16 and 60 and regardless of nationality. Each person affected will be asked whether, if he left his present occupa-tion, he would be willing to accept em-ployment of an agricultural or indusloyment of an agricultural or indus-tal nature either near home or else-

THE WEATHER



U. S. NAVAL CONSULTING BOARD; PLANS ARE SENT TO WASHINGTON

New York, May 5.-W. L. Saunders, chairman of the naval consulting board, announced here today that the board had forwarded to Washington plans for dealing with the submarine problem which, it was believed, had solved the problem successfully.

Mr. Saunders, who has been chairman of the fraval consulting one disbout two months, supplemented his announcement by saying that while the submarine problem cannot be considered in reality to have been solved until the U-boats have been destroyed, nevertheless numerous experiments had been made with highly encouraging results, and which led the board to feel confident that a successful solution had been reached. "It looks as though the submarine problem has been solved," Mr.

Saunders said, "not only in theory, but on the strength of practical tests on the Atlantic coast." MANY INVENTIONS.

Mr. Saunders added that 500 inventions for U-boat suppression had een submitted for consideration of the board, and experiments with many of them justified, he believed, the assertion that a plan had been nd by which the submarine peril could be eliminated.

Mr. Saunders was unwilling to go into further details of the board's experiments, all data on the subject having been forwarded to Washington, but he said the public had a right to be informed of the progress made toward nullifying the depredations of the German undersea craft.

BILLY SUNDAY MEANS TO LOOK INTO SCANDAL IN BULRUSHES WHEN HE GETS TO HEAVEN

Mother "Paged" and Asked How Much She Got From Pharaoh for Looking After Her Own Baby.

By Irvin S. Cobb.

Old Testament story of Moses, and his mother and the bulrushes, and Pharoah's daughter. Aside from the emphasis with which the preacher preached it, its chief point of distinction, considered as a sermon, was focused in the fact that Mr. Sunday offered some brand new slang.

The metropolitan influence was beginning to show its effects in his advecut and splintery metaphors. The fresh-laid idloms of Broadway, New York, were subtly replacing those lingual standbys that had their origin years and years ago in Weeping Wil-

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 49; lowest, 28.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 40; lowest, 34.

Tomorronto, May 5— 8a.m.
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He Intends To Have Moses' Prince of Wales

Fourth of a series of articles on Billy Sunday's New York meetings. The fifth and final article will appear in a few weeks, dealing with the results of the metings.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The sermon at night at the Tabernacle, the Rev. William Sunday officiating, was one of those sermons. It dealt with the Old Testament story of Moses, and his mother and the bulrushes, and Pharoah's daughter. Aside from the the pharoah's daughter. Aside from the containing the pharoah's daughter. Aside from the containing the pharoah's daughter of the pharoah's daughter. Aside from the containing the preached it, its chief point of distinction, considered as a sermon, was foliated and point of the inseparable companion of her considered press.—Prince Edward ables of the historic past, and its full rights and status have only been conquered and point part of the status have only been conquered and point phase through the status have only been conquered and point of wistants have only been conquered and permanently secured after centuries of political struggle.

"Your fate has been a happier one. "You mere called into existence at a mach all your powers determined and your place in the constitution secured beyond chance of revolution secured beyond chance o IN FRANCE, 16 TO 60 NEW YORK, May 5.—The sermon according to the National News, a London William Sunday officiating, was one has decided he will ask for the hand late King Edward.
The report of the National News contradicts the rumor current some time ago that the prince sought the hand of Princess Yolanda, eldest daughter of King Victor Emmanuel of Italy.

RUSS SOLDIERS AND WORKMEN DECIDE TO BACK THE MINISTRY

Petrograd, via London, May 5-10:25 a.m.-The Provisional Government, through Premier Lvoff, has declined to modify the note sent to the Allies. The Government declares that the ministers are prepared to resign their posts if necessary.

Petrograd, May 5.—Via London, 5:13 p.m. - The Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates has passed a vote of confidence in the Government by a majority of 35. The number of delegates voting was

BOTTLE UP SUBMARINES BY MINING WHOLE OF NORTH SEA OR STORM KIEL NAVAL BASE: THREE MEASURES TO END GERMAN PIRACY

FREE PEOPLES ARE CERTAIN TO CONQUER, BALFOUR TELLS U.S.

Banded Together To Combat Menace of Militarism.

ADDRESSES THE HOUSE

British Foreign Secretary Presented To American House of Representatives.

Washington, May 5 .- Foreign Minister Balfour, in a speech before the House today, declared: "The menace of militarism increases. We free peoples of western civilization are banded together to fight this menace. In this cause we will surely conquer." President Wilson occupied a seat in the executive gallery, and members of

the executive gallery, and members of the British mission were received on the floor. It was the first time, as far as Capitol historians could find, that any president of the United States had appeared in the galleries.

Accompanying Foreign Minister Balfour to the House were the following: Major-Gen. G. T. M. Bridge, Capt. H. H. Spender-Clay, Rear-Admiral Sir Dudley R. S. de Chair, Fleet Paymaster-General Vincent A: Lawford, Lord Cunliffe, governor of the Bank of England, Assistant Secretary Phillips and Hugh Gibson of the state department.

Balfour Cheered.

Then the House turned its attention to Mr. Balfour and his party, who were escorted into the chamber to hand-clapping and cheering.

Mr. Balfour was immediately introduced by Speaker Clark, and addressed the House.

"Will you permit me," he began, "to offer you my most sincere thanks for the honor done me here today."

President Wilson was among those who applauded loudest as Mr. Balfour began speaking. He removed his gloves and entered into the handclapping with

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vigor.

Mr. Balfour concluded by again thanking the House, and saying he had a "profound sense of this unique Apparently he did not know that President Wilson was one of the most interested listeners, and when he fininterested listeners, and when he fin-ished his speech went to the well of the House, where members began pass-ing by to shake his hand. President Wilson came down from the gallery and joined the line. He chatted a mo-ment with Mr. Balfour and then shook hands with Speaker Clark. Justices of the supreme court, headed Justices of the supreme court, headed by Chief Justice White, occupied chairs on the floor. In the diplomatic gallery were Americans, British and French

Mr. Balfour's Speech.

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Mr. Balf'ur spoke as follows:

"Will you permit me, on behalf of my friends and myself, to offer you my deepest and sincerest thanks for the rare and valued honor which you have done us by receiving us here today? We all feel the greatness of this honor, but I think to none of us can it come home so closely as to one who, like myself, has been for 43 years in the service of a free assembly like your own. Will Ask for Hand
Of Princess Maud
Of Princess Maud
Heir to Throne Seeks Alliance
With Fife Family.

London, April 25.—Correspondence of the Associated Press.—Prince Edward Albert of Wales, heir apparent to the Associated Press.—Prince Edward Albert of Wales, heir apparent to the status have only been conquered and s

now to be found governing the great nations of the earth have been modeled restriction of the power of the emperor duties.

The constitution committee has re-

Paris, May 5.—Deputy Lanoir, of Rheims, said yesterday that the fam-ous cathedral of Rheims, which has been the target for repeated German been the target for repeated German bombardments, is now no more than a house of cards and that the fall of

British and American Naval Experts Discuss Ways of Wiping Out the U-Boat Peril-Destruction of Kiel Canal Considered a Possibility.

Jew York, May 5 .- A special dispatch to the World from Washington says:

British and American naval experts are understood to have discussed at their conferences yesterday three specific measures designed to put an end to German submarine warfare. One is the bottling up of the narrow strait between Sweden and Denmark; the second, the mining of the entire North Sea, which wor,'d shut off entirely the trade of Holland, Denmark and Sweden, and the third, storming the German naval base at Kiel and destroying Heligoland, Germany's Gibraltar.

The third proposition has been discussed only as a last resort, naval experts being agreed that it would be a most hazardous undertaking. If the British fleet were brought out of its protected harbors it doubtless would be assisted by American and French naval craft. Many naval officers believe Kiel could be taken, but at frightful

RICHEST WOMAN IN LONDON LEAVES \$500,000 ESTATE

Bulk of Mrs. Waterman's Wealth Goes To Relatives.

JEWELRY FOR CHARITY

Children's Aid and Summerholme To Benefit From Sale of Diamonds.

Under the will of the late Mrs Caro. cluder the will of the late Mrs. Caroline Naomi Waterman widow of the late Isaac Waterman of this city, and probably the wealthiest woman in London, who died at her apartments in Hyman Court on March 30, the following disposition will be wealthing. sout,000: household furniture and personal effects, bequeathed to her brother Dr. Fred J. Cattermole, Woodstock; jewelry and silverware, to be divided among relatives and friends according to a long schedule attached to the will.

Diamonds for Charity. One exception is made, in the of a pair of valuable solitaire diam earrings, which are to be sold, \$300 of the proceeds to go to "Summerholme" the summer residence of the Young Women's Christian Association at Port Stanley, and the balance to the Children's Aid.

consists largely of Imperial Oil stock marine should be similarly

either upon your practice or upon ours, or upon both combined.

Festiletion of the been decided upon by of Germany has been decided upon by the constitution committee has rejected Dr. Bernstein's proposals requiring the approval of the Reichstag when or upon both combined.

A Compliment to Britain.

"Mr. Speaker, the compliment paid to the mission from Great Eritain by such an assembly and upon such an occasion is one not one of us is ever likely to forget; but there is something after all even deeper and more significant in the circumstances under which I now have the honor to address you, than any which arise out of the interchange of courtesies, however sincere, between the history of the world, and that what is now happening on both sides of the Atlantic represents the drawing together of great and free peoples for mutual protection against the aggression of military despotism."

CATHEDRAL OF RHEIMS

MERE "HOUSE OF CARDS"

Paris, May 5.—Deputy Lanoir, of Rheims, said yesterday that the famlin. The committee has decided to alter Article XVII. of the imperial constitution as follows:

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ITALIAN WOMEN MAY VOTE.

NEW GERMAN

4:15 p.m.—A plainer declaration of Germany's peace condition will be made by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg within a fortnight. Dr. Karl Helfferich, the vice-chance! sion to define Germany's aims was the

FOR GERMAN REFORM NOT ALL ACCEPTABLE

Stanley, and the balance to the Children's Aid.

Legacles are left as follows: \$5,000 to Alice Elizabeth Cattermole, sisterin-law of the deceased; \$5,000 to Enid W. Wornum, daughter of Mrs. Cattermole; \$2,000 to Mrs. Louis Waterman, a sister-in-law of Rochester, N. Y.

The income from the residue of the estate is to be divided into two shares One half goes to the testator's brother, Dr. J. Fred Cattermole, during his life-time, and the other half, to be divided amongst the children of Mrs. Waterman, Mrs. Elizabeth Fanny Molloy Wilkinson.

Oli Stock and War Bonds.

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Reform for Grants.

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The demands also stipulate that grants for the expenses for the army and navy, n times of war or peace, should be made on the basis of the imperial laws

TO USE KING'S PALACE

Amsterdam, via London, May Baron Friederich von Falkenhausen arrived at Brussels to take up his ties as the new governor-general of Bel-gium. Baron Falkenhausen has choser

DEAD IN 111TH YEAR

After Battle of Waterloo. Kingston, May 5.-The death occur red at Adolphustown of Charlotte Berry, widow of the late John Ben-jamin Howard, at the age of 111 years. She was born in Jewelville, Ky., and

Kingston Lady Came to Canada Just

a pullar perhaps would lead to the crumbiling of all that remains of the edifice. The whole quarter surrounding the cathedral, the deputy said, is in ruins. The bombardment Thursday was extremely violent, and the Hotel De Ville caught fire. A number of nearby buildings were destroyed and blazes were reported in eleven other streets.

Muratelli, Premier Bosell has written him as follows:

"As far as the vote for administrative condendation in section be either doubt or delay in giving it on the same conditions as it is given to men, but in regard to the political vote I am not certain whether it is better to give it at once or, after the administrative vote, which would serve as a trial."