

prepared to come out and assist in the formation of a new party to bring about the political regeneration of this country at a time when her institutions have come into sad plight, as disclosed recently in Manitoba, in British Columbia, at Ottawa. Somebody had to tell the Canadian people about the conditions in regard to nickel, and how foreign interests controlled Canada's monopoly of this absolute necessity for war munitions. And The World did it and did it successfully, and The World proposes to try and accomplish the same thing, in its own weak way it may be, in regard to the political conditions in Canada, and in regard to the part that we must play in connection with this war, notwithstanding the opposition that may prevail in the Province of Quebec. The work of rousing the public mind will go on and people will begin to talk more and more about it, and newspapers just as much as public men will have to tell their readers where they are on these great issues.

But let our esteemed contemporaries come out and ask the man next door what he thinks about a new party in the country to clean up the situation. They will hear from the people in due time, and the people have now opportunity to express their views thru The World. The press of this country wants to be wakened up in a wide sort of way just as the Ontario Government was awakened up by a rude jolt in the by-elections in the province. The political pot is beginning to boil and the people are ready to put more fire under the kettle. In the meantime we take off our hats to our esteemed contemporaries and invite them to throw open their columns to their readers in an expression of opinion on some of the things that The World is discussing these days.

ELECTED NEW OFFICERS.

Twentieth Century Club Held Annual Meeting at Hamilton.

HAMILTON, Thursday, Sept. 21.—At the annual meeting of the 20th Century Club the chief item of business was the election of officers. A splendid musical program was furnished by the club band.

The following officers were elected: President, J. A. McFarland; vice-president, John Forth, A. C. Garden and H. B. Wickens; secretary, H. A. E. Coe; treasurer, Arthur McFarland; executive committee, David Garson, Fred T. Smyke, J. M. Semmens, J. Thompson, J. B. Kaley, Edward Smith, L. Stephens, H. Campbell, W. J. Smith and J. M. Feslles; auditors, Fred T. Smyke and J. M. Feslles; honorary presidents, Right Honorable Sir Robert L. Borden, Hon. W. R. Hearst, T. J. Stewart, M.P., Gordon G. Wilson, M.P., P. J. H. Regan, M.L.A., Dr. A. F. Rykert, M.L.A.

BRANTFORD EX-ALDERMAN DEAD.

Special Cable to The Toronto World.

BRANTFORD, Ont., Sept. 20.—It was learned here today that the late Benedict, 74 years of age, who for forty years resided in Brantford, had died. He took a leading part in all municipal affairs while here. He was an alderman and later assessor, while up to 1908 he was tax collector, his son Frank now holding the position. He was an active member of the first Baptist Church, and in Brant Lodge, Masons, A.O.U.W. and G.O.H.C.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.

Sept. 20.	At	From
Dominion	Philadelphia	New York
Prud. VIII.	Copenhagen	New York
Calabria	Genoa	New York
Credic	Boston	Naples

WAR SUMMARY

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

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German morale has been greatly shaken by the heavy blows of the British army.

The present British and French operations bear a resemblance to the operations of the Duke of Wellington in the later stages of the Peninsular war. After he had driven the Spaniards out of the south of France, he did in a series of brilliant actions, and he eventually advanced to Bordeaux. In the present case General Haig and Foch are forcing a fortified barrier established in strong natural defensive positions formerly utilized by the French against the Duke of Marlborough in Queen Anne's war, and they have almost broken thru this defensive system. Owing to the strong power of the modern defensive system, the Germans may still delay the advance by retreating to further systems of trenches, but the main points of value in the strategy of the campaign are the important railway centres of Bapaume, Peronne, St. Quentin, Douai, Cambrai and Lille.

This war also resembles the American civil war in being a war of trenches and a war for the possession of railways. Once important junctions like those mentioned above are secured, the supplies for certain sections of the German front will be cut off. From the present position in Picardy, with the ability of the allies to advance a mile or two a day, owing to their course now being mainly downhill, the allies may be expected in a reasonable period of time miles beyond where the British are now established, with probably four or five miles between the Ancre and the Arras and to fall back to how to bring the German army to an engagement and to complete the destruction. Without the destruction of one or the other army no military decision can possibly be reached.

The captured document, signed by Gen. Von Falkenhayn, while still chief of the German general staff, asserting that the German wastage of guns in joining all German ranks to do their best to remedy this state of affairs, and makes the observation that otherwise the making good of losses and the placement of new formations in the field will be rendered impossible. This document divisions in the field.

The Italians did not make a further advance on the Carso Plateau, according to yesterday's communication. They contented themselves with the ascertained, has just found herself in a position to equip her strategic reserves, she cannot find room to use in the restricted fronts of the Isonzo and the forested direction. She timed her declaration of war upon Germany with the strategic reserve, and the exhaustion point of the German will probably take another month for these two Latin powers to develop their campaign.

The Rumanians have checked the Germans and Bulgarians in the Dobruja as announced by Bucharest and admitted by Berlin. This success dispels the German claims that they had won a decisive victory on the Transylvania. In this is true, the Rumanians will have to make the first part of Romania in entering the war is to make secure her own frontier. This accounts for delays in launching her offensive action.

In Macedonia the Serbians are battling close to Monastir in their own country and the expectation is that they will shortly reach the objective. The Serbians and Bulgarian contingents are also pressing forward. Concerning the front of the British section of the front the official communications are for the most part silent.

The new Government of Greece has surprised everybody by cursoriously sending an ultimatum to Germany to free the Greek garrison of Kavala, which the Bulgarians entered that town. What will happen next is the important part of the drama or comedy now unfolding.

FAVORS SIMPLE CHURCH SERVICE

Anglican Layman Thinks It Would Be More Acceptable to Many.

THE TASK AFTER WAR

Chief Topic for Discussion at Trinity Clerical Conference.

The Trinity Clerical alumni began the second day of their conference yesterday with a celebration of the holy communion in the chapel at 7:45 a.m. The Bishop of Ottawa acting as celebrant. His lordship delivered a short, impressive address.

At 10 a.m. the members of the association assembled in the convocation hall for business, and the consideration of papers.

The chief topic of the morning session was "The Church's Task in the New World After the War." The first paper expressed the views of a thoughtful and observant layman, Dr. W. F. Clarke, who pleaded for a better and clearer understanding between clergy and laity with reference to the church's teachings and present-day needs. He dwelt on personal contact as a means to remove difficulties and doubts, and to establish perfect sympathy and co-operation. He thought that the services of the church would be acceptable to a much larger number of ordinary men if they were simplified in language and arrangements.

Position Unique.

Dr. Clarke was followed by Archdeacon Paterson Smyth of Montreal, who, while acknowledging the greatness of the results achieved by other religious communions, thought that the Anglican position was unique and that nothing would be gained on either side by the church departing from her present attitude to the creed and practices of the first six centuries. She held great things in trust, and while Protestantism was a Catholic, looking forward to the period that will immediately follow the war, the speaker said that the church must strain every effort to grapple with this fresh tide of immigration that would flow into Canada.

Rev. Dr. Symonds, who spoke next, agreed with Dr. Clarke in many respects, maintaining that the church was tardy in action and had sometimes been content to follow when she should have led. He welcomed re-union with the Orthodox Greek Church.

In the general discussion that ensued Canon Plumptre, Rural Dean Cayley, Canon Plumptre and Rev. E. A. Anderson took part. In summing up the views that the church should always be required to lead, but rather to lay down principles for the guidance of leaders in society and the state.

LEAVE FOR SERVICE OVERSEAS

LONDON, Ont., Sept. 20.—A draft of 28 junior officers, who are to fill up active service units at the front, left London tonight at 7:08 o'clock, over the G. T. R. Express for England. It was intended that 30 officers should comprise the draft, but medical examinations at the last moment plucked two of them.

Reluctant to Surrender

In response, Gen. Callaris, the minister of war, sent this message: "To Transport yourselves immediately with all your forces, and, if possible, all supplies, to Volo, arranging there with the British army. Embark preferably on Greek ships, but if there are none on the ships of any other nationality. The civil authorities and police must remain at Kavala and await the Greeks are being these telegrams as a basis for the contention that Gen. Hadjiopoulos did not wish to surrender to the Bulgarians and that therefore he and all his forces are now being kept prisoners, instead of being treated as neutrals.

The Greek forces in the easternmost part of Macedonia, till off by the Bulgarian occupation of Kavala are reported to have been transported to Philippopolis, where they also are being held prisoners.

In the Journal Official of Paris today, announcement is made of the blockade of the Greek coast from the mouth of the River Struma to the Greco-Bulgarian frontier, effective from Sept. 15. The blockade is demanded on account of the occupation by the Bulgarians of the Greek seaport of Kavala.

Dominion-Wide Prohibition Is Urged as the Next Step

By a Staff Reporter.

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 20.—Discussing the extent of prohibition in the provinces, The Ottawa Journal points out that Quebec is the only one which has not passed a prohibitory law, and says: "The next logical step is for the Dominion Government to prohibit the importation and manufacture of intoxicating liquors. Every province in the country save one having set its face against prohibition to the limit of provincial power, and the will of the majority in Canada being clear, the only sensible thing is to make prohibition as effective as possible."

Section Foreman Was Killed By Michigan Central Train

ST. THOMAS, Sept. 20.—John Smith, foreman of the Michigan Central freight train, was killed today by a train this morning. Smith had been lifting the rails and did not have time to get the track back out of the way of the train. Smith rushed to assist them and met his death.

STATION AT DELHI BURNED.

Special to The Toronto World.

DELHI, Sept. 20.—Fire broke out in the G.T.R. freight sheds today about 1 o'clock, totally destroying the depot and agent's house attached. Two freight cars on the switch in front of the station were also burned. A strong wind was blowing and several houses caught fire from the sparks, but were quickly extinguished. The cause of the fire was a spark from a passing train.

CAPT. PATTERSON WOUNDED.

Special to The Toronto World.

ST. CATHARINES, Sept. 20.—Capt. Patterson, formerly of the 1st Battalion, was wounded in action on Sept. 15, according to official notice received by his sister.

THE CANADIAN WAR LOAN

The Royal Bank of Canada

will receive subscriptions to the loan at all its branches in Canada.

In order to encourage small investors to participate, the Bank will consider the application of any depositor in its Savings Department for a loan up to \$900 to enable the depositor to purchase a \$1,000 bond. Such loans will bear interest at 6 p.c., and will be repayable in monthly instalments.

Those who desire to take advantage of this offer should consult with any Manager of the Bank without delay.

Subscriptions must be deposited with the Bank before September 23rd.

GERMANY MUST RETURN TROOPS

Greece Will Not Permit Stealing Away of Kavala Garrison.

ALLIES NOT CONVINCED TO ATTEND CONGRESS

Recognition of New Greek Ministry Has Not Been Extended.

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hope of breaking the general alliance of the entente and resuming negotiations for the entrance of Greece into the war.

Light on Kavala Affair.

The press has been furnished with the official text of the despatches exchanged between the commander of the Greek fourth army and the minister of war thru the admiral of the British fleet, demonstrating, according to the Greeks, that the great government made every effort to extricate the Greek army from Kavala. On Sept. 15, Gen. Hadjiopoulos, the commander of the Greek fourth army, telegraphed to the British admiral: "The Bulgarians wish to surrender immediately to the British. The Bulgarians are prepared to bombard the city tomorrow."

The British admiral thereupon sent the following message: "Do you wish me to permit the Greek troops to embark on Greek ships?"

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Eleven Wounded, Two Killed From Cornwall and Vicinity

Special to The Toronto World.

CORNWALL, Ont., Sept. 20.—This district suffered severely from casualties within the last few days, according to advices received from Ottawa. The list includes Pte. Walter Smith, son of R. R. No. 1, Cornwall, killed; Major Martin Louis Shepherd, son of Postmaster Shepherd, of Alexandria, killed; and the following: Pte. John McLean, Lance-Corporal R. Ullman, Cornwall; Lance-Corporal Alex. Neil McLeod, Dalkeith; Pte. Corporal John Cameron, Dundas; Pte. Williamstown; Pte. Angus McLeod, Dalkeith; Pte. Hugh Stewart, Dundas; Pte. Merley, Pte. Stewart, E. Fulton, all of Chesterville; James Earl Gates, Winchester Springs.

Three St. Thomas Casualties One Killed and Two Wounded

Special to The Toronto World.

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Sept. 20.—George Luscombe, of St. Thomas, was notified today that his son, Pte. Geo. Luscombe, had died of wounds on Sept. 11. Pte. Luscombe was 18 years of age, and prior to enlisting was employed at the Michigan Central Locomotive Department.

Mrs. E. Corbin received word today that her son, Pte. Bernard Corbin, had been admitted to the hospital at Brissenden, suffering from severe wounds in the shoulder. Pte. Corbin enlisted here with the 33rd Battalion. His brother, Corporal Corbin, was killed in action on Sept. 8.

Pte. Wesley Brown, of St. Thomas, who enlisted with the 15th Battalion, is also reported wounded. His parents in Brissenden, Ontario, today received word that their son, Pte. Brown, was employed with the Michigan Central Railway here when he joined the colors.

Two Causes For Spoiled Marriage

Husband Says "Too Much Movies," But Partner Blames His Mother.

QUARREL OVER BABY

Custody of Child Brings Trouble to Harold Cronk and Wife.

"Too much movies," according to the husband, "is such a mother-in-law," according to the wife, has wrecked the married life of two young folks who married at the immature age of seventeen, and now in the fourth year of their marriage love has given place to something akin to hatred.

The principals are Harold and Susan Cronk, and for some time their child has been the cause of local argument. The juvenile court gave the custody of the child to each of the grandmothers for two months at a time, and had it weighed each week by a city nurse in the city hall. The case was taken to the Ontario court after a legal battle in the hall on June 29, the parties had a physical tussle outside on the way.

The father, who was then in khaki as a member of the 150th Battalion, took the child out of its cot, ran back to the house and obtained the protection of the constables there.

The wife, unable to see the child, grabbed the husband's mother, and as a result of the quarrel Judge Wetherby charged along with her mother, Mrs. Wainwright, with assaulting the paternal grandmother, Mrs. Victoria Cronk, Colonel as Peacekeeper.

The husband has been discharged as a medically unfit from the 150th Sportsmen's Battalion, but is now driving a motorcycle for the Canadian Red Cross. Lieut.-Col. Greer, O.C. the Sportsmen's Battalion, to which Cronk belonged, was acting as crown attorney and was familiar with the trouble between husband and wife, having been consulted by both parties.

Cronk said he saw his wife put her arms around his mother and bite her, and the mother-in-law attacked her from the rear. In cross-examination he was asked, "Does your father drink?" "Not now, the bars are closed," was the answer, that caused uneasily laughter in the court.

Mrs. Cronk, testified that she had been advised by her mother to go to the best thing she does. My son has had a very bad time, she said.

"And I've had many a black eye," she said, "but I've had my seat alongside her."

Denies Striking.

Mrs. Wainwright, Cronk's mother-in-law, testified that she did not strike Mrs. Cronk, but her daughter had grabbed her and was going to hit her when she struck Mrs. Wainwright, preventing her being struck. She had not struck Mrs. Cronk, and neither had her daughter.

Mrs. Susan Cronk, the wife, said she was on the stairs in order to support her mother. She had always been on the stairs, and her husband had tried to make her strike Mrs. Cronk, but she had made a mistake.

After Mrs. Wainwright and Miss Minty gave evidence regarding the marks alleged to have been on Mrs. Cronk's face, she went to the jury, who returned a verdict of not guilty in the case of Mrs. Wainwright, and of common assault in the case of her daughter, with a recommendation for mercy.

The court found over Mrs. Susan Cronk to keep the peace, accepting her own bond for \$200.

ALLIES TO FORCE WINTER CAMPAIGN

Lord Derby Says Germans in West Will Have No Rest.

HARD FIGHTING AHEAD

But Allies Have Only to Persevere to Ensure Triumph.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—"I wish I could pick one of my horses as a winner with the certainty of victory for the entente allies," said Lord Derby, the British under-secretary of war, on his return from a visit to France.

"We now have a European army with better guns, better rifles and better training than any other country in the world today, but I do not agree with the people who expect the war to end within six months, as it must surely continue over the winter."

"We are fighting the best organized nation in the world, and it would be a reflection on our troops not to admit that the Germans are showing extraordinary bravery. Two years ago they had a great chance to win. They still are exceedingly strong in engines of destruction, but we at least cannot help feeling that our men individually are better. Soon we hope to have a distinct margin of superiority."

Mobilization is Thoro.

"We are able to continue to increase the arms, munitions and food of our troops, and we will get more men if needed, but no concrete proposals have been made yet to increase the age limit. I am sure that such a proposal will be made, and I am sure that my policy was in favor of mobilizing every man in this country under the age of 60, so that each could be placed in his proper place, either fighting, making munitions or carrying on the ordinary business of the country."

Recent raids of the military on stations and places of amusement are pretty plainly proved there are very few snickers left, and that the eligible men under the present command are either in the army or are properly badged for service.

"I found every one at the front cheerful. You may rest assured the offensive will be continued. If there seems to be a lull it will be interesting to make a study of the German

BRITAIN BACKED BY LABORING CLASSES

Determined to See Nation Victorious, Says Trades Union Leader.

J. E. Williams First English Representative at Candian Session.

"The laboring classes of England were never more united in their determination to see the war to a successful conclusion," declared J. E. Williams, London, general secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, to The World last night.

Mr. Williams says, English labor will have nothing to do with any complete peace proposals to force an armistice on the Canadian Congress.

Mr. Williams arrived in Toronto yesterday to attend the Canadian labor congress. He was a member of the Trades Union Congress in England and was the first to be chosen to represent the old country laboring people at the Canadian session. He is stopping at the Prince George Hotel.

Recruiting amongst the laboring men, Mr. Williams said, is proceeding without a hitch. "There was some disappointment along the arrangements at first," he says, "but the big railway and industrial corporations sought to force into the army some of the more active labor representatives irrespective of other qualifications. I represent the railwaymen in England, and we have all our representatives appointed, consisting of three labor and industrial representatives and presided over by a judge, which will pass on questions of the commission alone, the Mr. Williams says, has discouraged any such attempts on the part of the corporations."

DR. HUNTER'S VIEWS

With Downfall of Enemy, Form of Speech Falls Into Oblivion.

The introduction of Russian as an alternative language option to German or the reduction of the importance of German on account of post-graduate study being diverted to places other than Germany has never been discussed by the board of governors of the University of Toronto, was the statement of President Falconer yesterday.

When asked if it might be discussed this year, he said that the great difficulty he saw in the way of introducing Russian was the difficulty of obtaining suitable teachers. This meant that German would have its usual important place in the university calendar this year.

Dr. John Hunter, who moved that the teaching of German in high schools in Toronto be superseded by Russian, saw no difficulty in the way of teaching it if desired. Everything German, he said, was now being condemned and being torn to pieces. German supremacy was being disputed, and for the future he saw the same fate for the German language as befell the Roman on the fall of that empire. With Germany's overthrow Russia was springing into the limelight, and the reforms she had enacted and her accomplishments in the war had surprised the world. He did not think Canadians should lag in their appreciation of the new place Russia would occupy.

BRIG-GEN. SEELY IS VICTOR IN BY-ELECTION

Lieut. Turnbull, His Opponent, Receives a Fairly Substantial Vote.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—Brig-Gen. J. E. B. Seely, the coalition candidate, has been elected to the house of commons for the Mansfield division of Nottinghamshire, over Lieut. Arthur Turnbull, Independent. The vote was: Seely 7597, Turnbull 4456.

Lieut. Turnbull will be remembered as the man who jumped from the strangers' gallery in the house of commons last March in an attempt to arouse the members to the necessity of supplying the British troops with steel helmets. This is the third by-election that he has contested. On other occasions he received an infinitesimal vote.

The by-election in Mansfield was necessitated by the vacancy created by the death of Sir Arthur Basil Markham.

ENGINE SPARKS CAUSED FIRE.

The spark of an engine resulted in \$150.00 damage to house 2 and 803 St. Clarens avenue yesterday afternoon.

casualty list.

Mr. Roche will not be allowed to go into winter quarters. "In company with Joffre and Haig I watched the trials of the famous 'tanks,' a sight which provoked unstrained laughter, despite the terrible power they displayed, crossing trenches, butting their way thru wire entanglements and even 'ru groves of trees."

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GERMAN RETAINED BY THE UNIVERSITY

President Falconer Says Russian Language Not Considered Successor.

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DOBRUDJA BATTLE RAGING FIERCELY

Bucharest Reports Success But Sofia Makes Counter Claim.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—Rumanian troops have gained a victory over the Teutonic-Bulgarian forces in the Enliga region of Dobruja, 18 miles south of the Constantza-Cerna-Vol railway, it was officially announced at Bucharest today. It is stated that the Rumanians are directing attack upon "the principal enemy forces according to movements prescribed by command."

It is stated that a great battle is proceeding on the line of the Morina-Manastir - Baboju - Goroja - Kopadina-Tusla, and makes claim that the Bulgarians are having the advantage.

The German war office, referring to this battle, describes it as stubborn and with fluctuating fortunes, and says that the Russo-Rumanian forces, which have been heavily reinforced, are making obstinate resistance to attacks.

It is stated by Berlin that the Rumanians have been driven back over the Surduk Pass in Transylvania. Surduk Pass is one of the several mountain routes thru which the Rumanians advanced on the declaration of war against Austria-Hungary. It emerges from the Transylvanian Alps on the Hungarian side at a point about 30 miles southwest of Hermannstadt. Austrian troops have defeated the Rumanians southeast of Hoetsing in Transylvania, says the official statement issued today by Austro-Hungarian general headquarters. The Austrians have recaptured Petroseny and the Surduk Pass, in the Transylvania Alps, it is stated.

Soldier Asks The World to Help Him to Locate Brothers

Pte. Hull, fighting in the trenches in France, asks The Toronto World to help him locate his two brothers, last heard of in Brussels and Monrevis, Ontario. His letter reads:

Editor:—You do me the favor of inserting in your paper an inquiry for my two brothers whom I have not heard from for about 8 years? Their names are Charles Sydney Hull, last heard of at Brussels, Ontario, and Arthur John Hull, last heard of at Monrevis, Ontario. Please address communications to:

6486 Pte. Ernest A. Hull, 3rd Troop, 1st Service Squadron, 21st Lancers, B. E. F., France.

Railway Strike in Britain Is Avoided by Settlement

LONDON, Sept. 20.—The railway crisis arising out of the demands of the men for an increase of 10 shillings a week in their wages has been settled on the basis of doubling the war bonus. This is a compromise, giving the men half of the 10 shillings demanded.

The resumption of the negotiations between the railway companies and representatives of the men, effected thru the mediation of Walter Runciman, president of the board of trade, has resulted in this settlement.