

his skull crushed and his right eye bruised as if from a blow. Dr Douglas G. MacRobbie, a prominent local physician, residing on Hess street. was found in a dying condition on, the floor of a storeroom on the second floor of the Crescent Oil Company, West Cannon street, shortly after 10.30 Sunday evening, but for some reason the case was not reported to the police until about 1.30 Monday morning. Death followed immediately.

Company; Joseph J. McAuliffe, 320 Aberdeen avenue, real estate agent; and Walter Scott, architect, 419 North Bay street. The three men, who were found asleep by Herbert Asselstine, 114 North Caroline street, an employe with the dying man, are being held as material witnesses. They appeared before Magistrate Jelfs yesterday morning on a nominal charge of vag-rancy and were remanded for one

were then summoned and a call was

These were later found in the room where the tragedy occurred. Scott



important because by section three it is provided that the non-resident elector may cast his vote or have it counted in any riding that he may

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

HE French and the Italians, in their new offensives yesterday, piled on top of the brilliant efforts of the British in Flanders and Artois, are taxing the German war machine to a greater degree than almost anything has taxed it since the battle of the Marne. The French have chosen to resume the battle of Verdun, instead of extending their aggressive policy to the Vosges or Lorraine, as the enemy evidently believed they were aiming at doing. The result of the first day's action astride the River Meuse comprises the taking of over 4000 unwounded prisoners and the moving of their line forward on an eleven-mile front to a depth of about a mile and a quarter. They have captured the following: Avocourt Wood, the two summits of Le Mort Homme, Corbeaux Wood, Cumieres. Talon Ridge, Champ Neuville, Hill 344, Mortmont Farm and Hill 304, north of Louvemont, and besides, they have moved out on their right flank for a considerable distance in two woods, Bois des Fosses and Bois de Chaume.

The Germans attempted to stem the advance by violent counter-attacks merce. launched against the left flank of the French. They assailed Avocourt Wood, Le Mort Homme and Hill 314, but the French barrage broke down these assaults. The French aviators flew ahead of their storming columns and their curtain of fire and turned their machine guns on the Germans crouched behind improvised barriers in wait to resist the French infantry. It took the French just 80 ministes to reach their goals, showing a great tactical improvement from the battle of the Aisne Heights.

The Italian offensive, which has begun with excellent results for the first day, will probably continue for a week or two, altho Cardona is striking home simultaneously with his left and his right. The toll of 7500 prisoners counted for the initial operations represents a really great effort. applied with tremendous force against the rocky barriers erected by the Austrian engineers. Some time ago the enemy massed a great collection of guns to strengthen this front, while he proceeded on a foraging expedition against the Rumaian wheat fields. His efforts to make his line impregnable to massed artillery and infantry attacks have been unavailing, for early news shows that the Italian artillery, strengthened by large contingents of allied artillerists and guns, has again outclassed the foe, irprise caused by the unmasking of this tremendous superiority has caused

enemy to circulate reports that he believes that the Italians intend to occeed forthwith to Trieste. He is sending out these suggestions for the prose of preparing the Austrian and German public mind for the worst, while if the Italians still plan to confine their energies to the fighting of a narrow tactical battle, he can claim a victory when they pause before the next Austrian defensive line.

As a rule the plowed up ground prevents a rapid advance of artillery after a modern battle, but the rocky roads to Trieste may make smoother going, even tho these suffer from the smashing, pulverizing effects of the profusion of high explosive shells fired by the Italians. The opening thrust brought the Italians across the Isonzo River in an attack on Monte Nero, seven and a half miles north of Gorizia. The Italian engineers showed extreme skill in the throwing of pontoons across the turgid river, while their success in this work testifies to the excellence of the barrages thrown by the the session, the legislature will adallied artillery. The most important gains, however, have graced the front journ tomorrow afternoon. between Plava and the Adriatic Sea. On this extensive fighting front the allies have captured the first defensive line of the enemy and they have advanced and engaged the Austrian reserves massed in the next line. The battle is proceeding fiercely, with the enemy resisting ferociously.

The Austrians are using Slav troops almost exclusively on this front and these men are making a brave resistance, partly because they are pers who naturally brave and partly because the Austrian Government, for purposes the bill absented themselves, and four of political repression, has long fomented strife and hatred between the Slavs and Italians. Altho Trieste has been an Italian city from time almost immemorial, the Vienna government has been planting Slav colonies in the

city and has been placing the Slavs in a dominant position. This and other things have created and intensified the bad blood between the two races.

The Canadians, in patrol encounters, made some additional progress in the northwestern outskirts of Lens. The British dispersed a counter-attacking force near their new positions north of Epehy. Their aircraft went out and did some useful photographing, while their bombarding machines wrecked a German train and did much damage to German aerodromes, pumps and stations. German aircraft worked in large formations well behind their own lines, Sir Douglas Haig reports, but they did not succeed in hind their own muss, but bounds, dumps and stations. The British downed Macedonia, which is under occupation

two, drove down four others and shot down a seventh Hun machine, but by the entente allied troops, was de-stroyed by fire on Saturday. Eighty six British machines are missing. The success against the German positions southeast of Ypres on Sunday, it appears, was exclusively the work of the tanks. They cleared up a rectangle a mile wide and a thousand yards deep. with the loss of only 15 casualties. The Germans fled at their approach from ther new-fangled defences.

except \$1,330,333 still in the posses sion of the company. The Canadian Bank of Commerce **BELGIANS OPPOSE**

he said, had not subscribed for any of this issue. It was, however, the pledge of some common stock of the Canadian Northern Company, and Sir Edward Kemp held 120 shares of stock in the Canadian Bank of Com-

With some irritation Sir Thomas said that he would further gratify the inordinate curiosity about his private affairs evinced by the member for Laprairie by saying that he had not held any shares of stock in the National Trust Company since

1911. He had never held more that 10 shares, or just enough to qualify him as a director. He was interested company as general manager, but not as a proprietor.

BUSINESS PROFITS WILL PAY BIG TAX

Both Houses of Newfoundland

ENGAGE IN FIGHT

the world. We shall have justice, independence. Iberty and enduring peace after a little while. But these Legislature Agree on aims are not possible by arbitration. We shall gain them only by fighting to the end." Impost.

St. John's, Nfld., Aug. 20. - Both houses of the legislature in extra-ordinary session, passed today a bill HOGANSBURG INDIANS evying a wix on business profits

later, both houses passed another ac designed to prevent the upper house from interfering with the passage of financial bills. As these two measures The extraordinary session was made necessary by the action of the upper house at the last session in

defeating the bill passed by the low-er house for the purpose of taxing business profits. Today nine memhad previously voted against

vacancies were filled by the government by special appointment CONFLAGRATION BURNS

ONE-HALF OF SALONICA

Eighty Thousand People Left Homeless-Allies Get Fire Under Control. London, Aug. 20 .- More than half

the walled city of Salonica, in Greek, GREEK BOXER ENLISTS

stroyed by fire on Saturday. Eighty thousand people who were rendered homeless were being removed to neigh-boring villages last evening, according to a despatch received in London. The fire is new under control. Chicago, Aug. 20.—George "Knock-out" Brown, a Greek middleweight boxer, passed physical examination and was accepted for military service-today. Brown did not claim exemp-tion.

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out by the proclamation of the gov-ernor-general under the Conscription 10W. The Fight Opens.

ENGINEERS.

Wounded-A. Armour, Almonte; S. T. Lea, Sault Ste. 'Marie, Ont.; J. J. Rus-sell, Cornwall; R. H. Johnson, England; G. Simpson, England; Lleut. H. C. Ched-zey, England; Lleut. C. S. Osborne, Vancouver; V. Edge, Port Haney, B.C.; W. W. Boag, England; J. Russell, Dig-by, N.S.; F. White, England. Died of wounds-W. Payton, Almonte P.O., Ont. SERVICES.

Cornwall. Aug. 20.—an Indian named Louis Casey. known by the nickname of "Court," sged about 40 years, a far-mer near Hogansburg, an Indian reser-vation across the river from here, is in dition as the result of an altercation last nicht with his wother-in-law, an-other Indian, named Lorne Swamp. From the general hospital in a precarious con-dition as the result of an altercation last nicht with his wother-in-law, an-other Indian, named Lorne Swamp. From the meagre details available it would ap-pear that some one told Casey, who was near McKinnon's general store, that he was wanted down by the bridge. Casey had been scriously wounded in the left lung, as well as having several gashes about his head, face, neck and arm, one was being almost as large as if made with an ax. So far as could be as-certained there was no motive for the assault. A number of villagers soon sathered and a physician dressed Casey's wounds sufficiently to allow him to be brought to the general hospital here. A statement was taken from Casey by a daputy sweriff, as it was not anticipated that he would be alvo when Cornwall was reached. However, tonight he is still-holding his own and his physician has hopes that he will recover, unless com-

holding his own and his physician has hopes that he will recover, unless com-plications develop. Swamp has not yet been arrested, but the authorities are af-

waska. Ont. 111-C. J. Holland, Rochester, N.Y. ARTILLERY.

Died of wounds-W. J. Bunclark, Cobalt. Wounded-W. 'B. McLeod, Trenton, N.S.; T. H. Irwin, Akron, Ohio; J. Thomson, Ireland; J. J. Edwards, Jog-sin Mines, N.S.: C. Climo, Cobourg; W. Melville, Hamilton; V. E. Parke, Inger-soll, Ont.: V. R. Beattle, Leeds, Que.; W.₄ F. Hill, Winnipeg; H. A. Bridger, England; W. E. Edgar, Kingston, Ont.

 POPE PEACE PLAN
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Hoobs, Singland, C. Brewster, Burnalo, be time to discuss where they should N.Y.
W.Y.
Wounded and gassed—W. A. Bolton, Tottenham, Ont.; W. B. Poplestone, Winnipeg; T. H. Benson, Chicago; E. Colberg, Norwa.
Gas poisoning—W. S. Allen, Vancouver; A. J. Basset, Shell shock—Lance-Corp. A. C. Bennard, New Sarepta, Alb.
III—J. E. Swackhammer, Beamsville, Ont.; C. H. McKillop, Pine Ridge, N.R.; Lance-Corp. C. M. Campbell, Warman, Sask.; H. P. McArthur, Mossomin, Sask.; E. Gavlik, Russia; J. Busby, Guelph; E. A. Lawrence, Mexico.
Hon. Wm. Pugsley said there were many officers and soldiers in the Canadian expeditionary force who had never seen Canada and knew nothing about the country. Forces had been raised in the West Indies and attached to the C. E. F. A number of British officers had been transferred to canadian battalions, and probably a number of men in England had enlister on afcount of the higher pay. All these were brave men, but they had the right to vote in other countries and should not also vote in this country. 82 Queen N.

on abcoant of the higher pay. All these were brave men, but they had the right to vote in other countries and should not also vote in this country. Mr. Morphy (North Perth) and Col-onel Taylor (New Westminster) de-fended the section, which they said was principally intended to apply to Canadians living in the United States at the outbreak of the war, but who afterwards returned to Canada to en-list. If these men had come back to Canada to live for no better purpose than to make money they would have been repatriated and enfranchised in three months time. Surely they were entitled to again be considered Cana-dians and given the franchise after they had spent two or three years in Toronto Sunday World

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was not a new thing for non-resi-dents of Canada to take part in gen-eral ejections. In Nova Scotia any British subject who owned real estate could vote for members of the legis-lature and members of parliament even those who lived in the United

select. The Libernis therefore argued that the government intended to "hive" or colonize military voters in toose constituencies, and thereby win the election.

age. Judge Doherty thought the cla denied that the government was The clause finally stood over betempting any sharp practice. It resident electors would have to cause upon examination it was found broad enough to place in the military somewhere, and he could think of no better plan than to allow them to set voter class all the men of Canada be-twoen 20 and 35 who will be called lect the ridings in which they dee their votes to be recorded. It would not be fair to dump them all into cerey desired It would Act. Practically no progress was therefore made with the bill beyond giving it a second reading and a long discussion in committee, but consid-eration of it may be resumed tomorvote in Quebec County merely cause that county happened to in-clude the Valcartier Camp.

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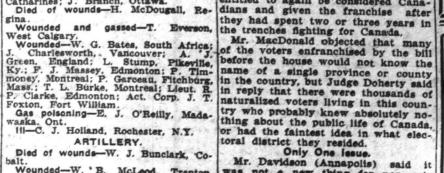
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