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PHONE 484. MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE CAREFUL CONSIDERATION.

War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A. M.

THE UNITED STATES AND RE- CRUITING.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9. The Governors of the various States to-day received notice from Provost Marshall that General Crowder had just one-third of the quota of 687,000 men, drafted for service in the National Army who will be called to the colors on Sept. 1st and sent to training departments. By the end of September more than 200,000 will be called into service, bringing the country's total military forces up to one million men.

KERENSKY'S APPEAL.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 9. Premier Kerensky, in an appeal to the people for support for a reconstituted Government, declared that only a rule of iron at the present plight resulting from the military situation, together with an ardent and self-sacrificing support by the people can make for a powerful creative Government with the authority to free the land of the enemy and enlist in its work of reconstruction all the living forces of the nation.

BRITISH OFFICIAL.

LONDON, Aug. 9. The text of the British official communication issued last night, follows: A heavy rain is falling. Our Allies gained further ground during the day northwest of Blazhoo. Hostile raiding parties were repulsed last night and this morning north of Rouex and in the neighborhood of Oppy. The enemy's artillery continued to show great activity east of Ypres. Yesterday, in spite of continuous wind, our aeroplanes bombarded the enemy railway tracks, sidings and trains forty miles behind the German lines, causing much damage and derailing one train and blowing up another. Bombs were also dropped the previous night on an enemy ammunition depot. One of our machines is missing.

NEW GERMAN RUSS.

PARIS, Aug. 9. The French War Office announces that the Germans have invented a new ruse to fool their opponents into the belief that their artillery batteries are still in position for action, when actually they have been withdrawn and by it to prevent untimely advances. The device consists of mechanism fitted with half a dozen globular caps, filled with an ex-

plosive which is placed on the site of the battery to be or is being withdrawn. They explode every 25 or 40 seconds, and the sound is exactly like that by a field gun. They are said to easily fool the listener into thinking it is artillery guns.

SUB. ACTIVITY AGAINST ENGLAND

LONDON, Aug. 9. A despatch from Amsterdam says it is reported from a German source that Germany intends shortly to concentrate her submarine activity exclusively against England.

RUSSIAN LOAN SUCCESSFUL.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 9. Wednesday, the first of three "liberty loan" days in Russia, proved a great success.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK WITH LOSS OF LIFE.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Aug. 9. The destruction of the British steamer Argenta with forty American muleteers on board, by a German submarine, was reported to-day by cable. Capt. Morris and 10 of the crew were lost. The survivors were landed at Glasgow. No details were given.

THE GERMAN WAY.

PARIS, Aug. 9. The French authorities learn that during the night of July when the French aeroplanes bombarded Treves and Essen, the Germans forced the French and English prisoners, both officers and men, interned at Karlsruhe, to leave their quarters and remain in the open, whence they most probably would be hit in case Karlsruhe was raided. The men were compelled to remain in these places until all danger had passed.

SECRET SUBTERRANEAN PAS- SAGE DISCOVERED.

ROME, Aug. 9. The sensation of the day here is the discovery of a secret subterranean passage from the residence of Prince Von Buelow, former German Ambassador to Rome, and the hotel Eden, the former proprietor of which was a German. It is believed the passage was used for secret meetings between diplomats and persons in various walks of life. An investigation which promises interesting disclosures, is under way.

AUSTRIAN SUBS. DESTROYED.

PARIS, Aug. 9. During a recent Italian aerial raid on Pola, two airplanes with bombs destroyed two Austrian submarines which were being repaired there.

WILL EXERCISE NO INFLUENCE.

LONDON, Aug. 9. The Press Association says it understands that the Government will exercise no influence in either direction, on the Allied labor meeting to decide

whether the Laborites shall send delegates to the Stockholm conference.

AGITATION IN SPAIN.

MADRID, Aug. 9. It is announced in official circles that the Government is preparing to employ most vigorous measures which may be necessary to put down the impending country-wide agitation in case of a general strike. It is said that a state siege may be declared.

THE IRISH CONVENTION.

LONDON, Aug. 9. An official report of to-day's meeting of the Irish Convention says Sir Horace Plunkett, chairman, addressed the gathering on the task before it on various schemes for governing Ireland already in existence. He then suggested procedure by which these might be thoroughly sifted and examined, and subsequently brought before the Convention for discussion. This suggestion was considered at some length, and finally it was proposed by the Chairman and seconded by the Bishop of Raphoe, and unanimously resolved that a standing committee not exceeding twenty persons, five to form a quorum, be appointed to consult with the chairman on general procedure and the exercise of other powers delegated by the Convention. It was further resolved to reappoint the committee.

STEAMER FOUNDERS.

KINGSTON, Ont., Aug. 9. This morning eleven persons were drowned in Lake Ontario by the foundering of the small steamer George A. Marsh, of Belleville. She foundered in a heavy gale.

MINERS HOLD PEACE MEETING.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 9. Eight thousand miners attended the recent mass meeting at Essen, Germany, for discussion of coal production, food and wages. The meeting developed into an impressive demonstration in favor of peace by an agreement and for democratic reforms.

EXPLOSION.

ZURICH, Aug. 9. An explosion in two store houses occurred near Cracow, Galicia, Aug. 1st. Forty-eight artillery men were killed and many injured according to Vienna newspapers.

MONTREAL RESIDENCE DYNAMI- TED.

MONTREAL, Aug. 9. The residence of Lord Athlone (formerly Sir Hugh Graham), proprietor of the Montreal Star, was dynamited last night by an unknown person. The windows in the house were blown out and a portion of the house damaged. As far as could be learned no one was injured.

ITALY'S SHIPPING LOSS.

ROME, Aug. 9. During the week ending Aug. 9, the shipping report in to-night's official says that Italian shipping losses comprised two steamers, and one small sailing vessel. In the week vessels of gross tonnage, 255,175, entered Italian ports; 442 vessels of 355,130 tons sailed.

Death of F. G. Smith.

Mrs. Joseph Peters received a cablegram, announcing the death at Chicago, Ill., of her oldest brother, Mr. Frederick G. Smith, yesterday (9th). He was a son of the late Edward Smith, Esq., of this city, and was well known here before he removed to Chicago, about 30 years ago. He is survived by his wife, sister of the late T. M. Simpson, Esq., four sons and one daughter.

Hr. Grace Notes.

Mr. William Frost, of Bay-de-Verde, was in town this forenoon on a short business trip.

We are glad to know that Mr. Walter Rogers, who has been confined to his home for several years is now sufficiently recovered to be able to take a position in the office of the Shipbuilding Co.

Rev. F. S. Coffin leaves by the morning train for Bell Island where he will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Kennedy, of the Island, will occupy the pulpit of St. Andrew's here on Sunday next.

The Presbyterian congregation held a very successful social at Connell's Farm yesterday. With few exceptions the whole congregation was present and had a most enjoyable

afternoon. Among the visitors from St. John's were Mrs. W. Barker, Mr. Parsons and Miss Jessie Parsons. Nurse Parsons and the genial Capt. W. H. Parsons were also present.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid are holding a parlor sociable in Coughlin Hall this evening.

Mrs. M. Hutchings, of St. John's is in town and will remain a couple of weeks, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Oke.

Mr. Bert Murray, C. of E. teacher at Codroy, is in town on his vacation.

Some very fine local cabbage is on sale in town now, and is retailing at 10 cents a pound. The cabbage was really as good as the price.

A man from Stevenson's Village sold his early potatoes on Saturday at 10c. a gallon. He thought that

price was sufficiently high although the potatoes were extra good.

Mr. Wm. Lamplin, of St. John's, is in town visiting his old friends. Everybody is pleased to meet Mr. Lamplin and to see him looking so well.

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Hr. Grace, Aug. 9, 1917.

HEALTH REPORT.—During the week four cases of infantile paralysis and six cases of diphtheria were reported to the Health Office. Twenty-four persons ill of the latter disease and one with scarlet fever are being treated at the hospital. Four residences were disinfected and released from quarantine.

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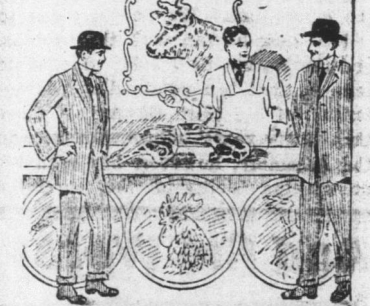
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