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War Clouds Rise in the East. Italy Assembles Her Fleet.

Anthracite Miners Agree to Protect Mines Against Flooding—British Missionaries Murdered by Chinese Bandits—Irish Election Returns not yet Complete.

ITALIAN FLEET PREPARED.
LONDON, Aug. 31.
A despatch to the Evening News from Milan says the Italian fleet in the harbor has received orders to be prepared to sail in the event of a movement against Greece.

ITALIAN FLEET ASSEMBLED.
PARIS, Aug. 30.
A Paris (Italy) despatch to the Petrusienne says that although the fleet orders have been given to the Allied Press not to divulge military news it is understood that the Italian fleet has been ordered to congregate at Tarento, Italy. If the Government accepts the Italian demand only one division of the fleet will go to Piræus to receive the prize demanded in respect to the capture of the Italian boundary commission. Intense feeling throughout Italy against the Greeks is being reported. The Albanian legation in Rome has issued a statement denouncing the Italian members of the frontier delimitation commission as being riding in a separate motor car while the Albanian members, seated with the Greek members, were attacked by the Greek members and shot to death.

MINES SAVING AGREEMENT.
HARRISBURG, Pa., Aug. 31.
An agreement was reached to-day between the policy committee of the anthracite operators and officials of the United Mine Workers Union, which will employ as pump men, engineers and maintenance men, will be allowed to stay at work after Sept. 1st, even if the suspension of work now ordered, becomes effective. The men in the classifications are needed to prevent the mines from flooding.

BRITISH MISSIONARIES SHOT BY CHINESE BANDITS.
SHANGHAI, Aug. 31.
Rev. W. A. Whittey and Rev. F. C. G. British Missionaries of the British Missionary Society were shot and killed by bandits when travelling in Szechwan Province, August 14th.

IRISH ELECTION RETURNS.
DUBLIN, Aug. 31.
The election situation to-night, with unofficial returns and estimates continually coming in is such that it is almost impossible to form any accurate idea of how the returns stand. No court is yet complete for any constituency, and those of the candidates whose names have been mentioned as possibly elected, have not yet been officially declared.

COUNCIL OF AMBASSADORS TO MEET.
PARIS, Aug. 31.
The Inter-Allied Council of Ambassadors will meet here to-morrow to consider the situation created by the assassination of the Italian Mission in Albania and the demands made upon Athens by the Rome Government.

Look out for the Independent.
July 12th

Now is the time to get after the flies. You can't stop them from getting in the house even with screens, but you can either catch or get rid of them very easily after they get inside by the use of either of the following articles:

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July 20th.

The Broadway Rose is Coming Here.

SOMETHING THE PUBLIC WILL APPRECIATE.

"The Broadway Rose" is now en route to St. John's and all who like something out of the ordinary will have the opportunity to participate on Monday next when she will make her initial appearance in the Nickel Theatre. Mae Murray is at home in "Broadway Rose" for two reasons; first, she is a dancer and as such she is always at her best, and second, she is surrounded with gorgeous settings that furnish a picturesque and beautiful background for the stunning costumes of the production in general. And this photoplay is indeed a production, stupendously typical Mae Murrayish. There are the pretentiously luxurious cabaret settings emphasized and consistently carried out with similarly beautiful interiors that intensify the value of the picture as a production. These Mae Murray productions are always a tribute to the directorial genius of Leonard and in this instance "Broadway Rose" represents about the very best thing he has done. It's an irresistible attraction—one that you cannot afford to miss at any cost. At the Nickel, the home of the best, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next.

Ships That Left no Trace.

A correspondent in referring to an article entitled "Ships That Left No Trace," which appeared in our issue on Wednesday, states that it was correct in most details, but as far as his recollection goes (and we have great faith in his memory—Ed.), the City of Boston was East bound from Halifax with many buyers from the Maritime Provinces on board. The writer passed the spot just east of St. John's where she is supposed to have gone down soon after her disappearance. In the loss of H.M.S. Captain six months later, our correspondent had personal interest. She overtook in a gale near Oporto, and 18 of her crew of over five hundred alone survived to tell the tale. Her Captain, Sir John Burgoyne, refused to be taken out of the water into the one boat that floated. The mystery of the Lion near Baccalieu was on a par with even that of the Waratah.

Finds New Fishing Bank.

A new fishing bank, 200 by 90 miles, off the coast of Labrador, has been discovered by Capt. Daniel McDonald, formerly skipper of the British trawler Sir John French. Captain McDonald believes it to be a valuable acquisition to the already known fishing banks, abounding in codfish and halibut, but he has not yet made known the exact location, although he has it accurately charted.

The bank runs 200 miles southerly and 90 miles in an easterly direction. It is something of a kite shape. The shallowest water is 75 fathoms and the same sounding varying but little, was prevalent over a large part of the bank.

Capt. McDonald believes that the bank has been fished out before, but never charted. There seemed to be plenty of codfish and halibut. The quality of the halibut is exceptional and fish of the same quality which he took in this venture have never been caught in those waters previous to this trip.

Capt. McDonald will communicate with the authorities in Washington shortly and will call the new find McDonald bank.

Shortly before reaching the new fishing ground, Capt. McDonald sighted seven polar bears on the drift ice and leobers. They were within sight of and within a few miles of the land and were off the Labrador coast. The country was wild and in about longitude 54 west, and latitude 63.30 north.

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"German Made" Poppies Are Not Wanted in Canada.

ATTEMPT TO UNLOAD FOREIGN MADE ARTICLE IN CANADA FOR USE ON ARMISTICE DAY FEUSTRATED.

OTTAWA, Aug. 20—An attempt to unload German-made cloth poppies from the United States into Canada for distribution on Armistice Day was revealed to-day by Dominion officials of the G. W. V. A. Branches of the association throughout the country have reported receiving circulars offering to supply poppies through a Toronto commercial agency. These are said to be imported from the States where large stocks remain unused from Memorial Day as a result of the discovery that they have been made in Germany. These stocks were originally purchased by an American ex-soldier organization from a French agency which represented that they had been made by war widows and orphans in France. Just prior to Memorial Day, German packing slips were discovered.

A short time ago the G.W.V.A. of Canada was offered the surplus stocks at a low price but promptly refused. In accordance with plans devised last year the manufacture of poppy ribbons for distribution in Canada next Armistice Day had already been placed in the hands of disabled Canadian soldiers through the vet craft workshops.

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