

**NDAY**  
5.30 p.m.

**Staples**  
all linen satin damask size 27 x 27 inches, 100 dozen. Monday, 4.45  
lots, good designs, 1/2 yards, at 1.98 in England, 90 cent; size 72 x 90 for use. Regularly 1.69  
Towels, size 18 x 36 for 1.95  
Children's; 28 inches Monday, yard, 25 closely napped; 35 in. Monday, yard, 12; 30 inches wide, 18

**and Boys**  
T \$7.95  
from serviceable English striped patterns; the style. Size 34 to 44. To clear 7.95  
T \$1.49  
weeds, in a good assortment, 32 to 44. To clear 1.49  
\$2.95  
An exceptional purchase of manufacturers; and very new Scotch line French Venetian and browns; double 27, or 3 to 9 years. 2.95  
one orders.

**GS.**  
broken lines, in stripe counter-soiled; sizes 59c and 75c. 43  
and drawers, Stralian 89c. Monday 68  
"brand; pure white Regularly 75c. Monday 44  
with frogs and pearl 60  
Morley's, of England; plain navy, white or 1.00  
brim, in velvet. Monday 45  
shape, 28c and 39c. 45  
red Chinese sheepskin; red shape, Monday 2.45

**Monday**  
800 pairs Fall Walk- button styles; box (lined), and patent triple oak tanned and low, red, red; English, French 1. Regularly \$3.95, 2.95  
best, good city gum and double red rubber 1.99  
3.69  
2.99  
800 pairs, made from tan Russia, calf leather; Goodwear, with new styles; leather, brown, tan, taupe or in the lot; others C, D, E; sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Monday 2.49  
pairs City and Fairy round, wide, high and Monday 48  
Regularly 76c. Monday 47  
Children's Calf Blue-McKay sole; Monday 8 to 10 1/2; Monday

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on desirable improved property; must be centrally situated. See  
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PRODS—Strong winds and gales from west and northwest; occasional showers; colder.  
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**BRITISH TROOPS DEAR BRUNT OF HEAVY ATTACK**

Black Watch and Royal Irish in Thickest of the Fighting.

**LA BASSEE IS CENTRE**

Remnant of Two German Battalions Forced to Surrender.

**Canadian Press Despatch.**  
LONDON, Oct. 25.—The Observer prints a despatch sent by correspondent in the Department of Pas de Calais, France, saying that the cutting of the dykes in the low country southeast of Arras and a large German force has been flooded out. Some estimates place the German losses there at 6,000 drowned, besides 10,000 killed and wounded. This may give some hint, the despatch adds, as to what is meant when it is declared that the fighting in this region is the most desperate of the entire war thus far.

**Canadian Press Despatch.**  
PARIS, Oct. 25.—The hardest engagement since the commencement of the war is now on from the coast down to Arras. The principal scene of conflict is around La Bassee, virtually dominating Lille, where the German troops threw themselves in masses against the allies. For the most part British troops are engaged here.

**German in Force.**  
The Germans at this point appeared to have an inexhaustible supply of men, whom they did not spare. Everywhere where one man fell two seemed to appear to fill the gap. The allies, however, have at their disposal fresh troops and succeeded in repulsing the Germans whenever they pushed a formidable attack home.

**Yser Valley Inundated.**  
The battle right along the Belgian frontier is of the most violent character, and according to latest advices placed sufficient ambulance cars at the disposal of the authorities to carry 70,000 men, while many can be transported by the river canal barges, which are fitted with beds and supplied with surgeons and nurses.

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"The most brilliantly effective screen production ever projected either in this country or in Europe."  
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Will be held at the Princess Theatre this week, matinee and evening.

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**RUSSIANS STILL IN HOT PURSUIT OF BEATEN FOE**

South of Pilitza River, However, Serious Resistance is Offered.

**AUSTRIANS REINFORCED**

Desperate Fighting Continues Along San and South of Przemysl.

**(RUSSIAN OFFICIAL)**  
PETROGRAD, Oct. 25.—The Russian general staff today issued the following statement:  
"Our troops beyond the Vistula are pressing the armies of the enemy in full retreat. North of the Pilitza River the Germans are offering only feeble resistance; they have been driven back as far as Skiernewice."  
"South of the Pilitza on the roads to Radom, we have forced the Austro-German troops to engage in a serious battle."  
"On Oct. 23 and 24, the Russian troops inflicted several defeats on the German rear guards who were attempting to hold positions along the Rivers Raska, Skiernewice and Rylka."  
"Lovinz, Skiernewice and Rawa were taken by bayonet attacks."  
"The Austrians in retreat with the Germans on the roads near Radom, having received reinforcements, and profiting by the wooded and rolling character of the region, offered stubborn resistance to our offensive, which developed into an engagement of considerable dimensions. At that place we captured prisoners, cannon and field guns."  
"Along the River San and south of Przemysl, desperate fighting continues. An attempt by the Austrians to turn the Russian left wing south of Przemysl failed, the Austrians suffering heavy losses."  
"Forty Miles From Warsaw."  
It is reported that the nearest point to Warsaw held by the troops of the Kaiser and the dual monarchy is 40 miles distant from the Polish strong-

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**German Submarine Sunk By a British Destroyer**

Badger Plunged Bow-on Into Enemy's Torpedo Boat Off Dutch Coast and Prevented Submarine From Discharging Torpedo.

**Direct Copyrighted Cable to The Toronto World.**  
LONDON, Oct. 25.—Official announcement is made that a German submarine has been rammed and sunk by the British destroyer Badger, Commander Charles Freemantle, off the Dutch coast. The Badger's bow was somewhat damaged.  
Details of the ramming of a German submarine by the British destroyer Badger indicate that the action was heroic in character, and that the commander of the Badger, Commander Charles Freemantle, acted with great presence of mind. It seems that the German craft appeared on the surface suddenly, but at a short distance from the Britisher. Captain Freemantle immediately swung his vessel to meet the foe bow on, thus reducing the probability of a hit by the German. Without waiting to train his guns on the submarine, Captain Freemantle ordered full speed ahead and rammed the German before she could fire a projectile. The little craft sank like a log. Altho the bow of the Badger was considerably crushed she made her base without trouble.

**EMPIRE LOSES CHIEF OF STAFF**

Sir Charles Douglas, First Military Member of the British Army Council, is Dead.

**Canadian Press Despatch.**  
LONDON, Oct. 25, 6:50 p.m.—Gen. Sir Charles Whittingham Horsley Douglas, chief of the imperial general staff and first military member of the army council, died today.  
Gen. Sir Charles Douglas was appointed chief of staff of the British army on April 1 last, following the resignation of Sir John French, the present commander of the British expeditionary force on the continent. Sir Charles was born in 1850 and had served in all Great Britain's wars since the Afghan campaign of 1878. He had been inspector-general of the home forces since 1912, when he was made chief of the general staff.

**BALKAN ALLIES REPEL ATTACKS**

Heavy Fighting on Frontier of Bosnia — Montenegrians Finally Forced to Yield Slightly.

**Canadian Press Despatch.**  
NISH, Oct. 25 (by way of London).—The Serbian war office has issued the following:  
On October 19 a detachment of the enemy advanced from Modropolje, north of Kalmovik (Herzegovina), against the flank of the Montenegrin troops east position at Kalmovik. A Montenegrin detachment from Boravitz, perceiving the enemy's movement, attacked their flank and defeated them, capturing a mountain gun, nine caissons and a large number of rifles.  
On October 21 a battle took place along the Bosnian front, both Serbians and Montenegrins taking part. The Balkan allies repelled all attacks and took 200 prisoners, including one field officer and four subalterns.  
In view of the enemy's severe attacks, the Montenegrin troops have been compelled to fall back a little behind their positions.  
An official statement issued at Vienna on Friday said that Serbian and Montenegrin forces which had penetrated the southeastern Bosnian frontier, were defeated on October 22, after a battle of three days.

**MONTENEGRIANS CLAIM VICTORY.**

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LONDON, Oct. 25.—A despatch from Nish, Serbia, to a news agency, says that a detachment of the enemy attacked the Montenegrins occupying a position east of Kalmovik. The Montenegrins were reinforced by troops brought from Boravitz, and assumed the offensive, inflicting a crushing defeat upon the Austrians, who abandoned their mountain cannon and a large number of rifles.  
Last Wednesday a violent battle was fought near Bosnia, in which the enemy was routed and 200 Austrians were taken prisoners.

**TSINGTAU HAS FALLEN UNCONFIRMED REPORT**

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TOKYO, Oct. 25.—It is reported here that Tsingtau has fallen to the combined British and Japanese forces. There is no confirmation of this report and official circles refuse to comment upon it.

**"BOBS" PLEASED WITH SHOWING OF CONTINGENT**

Great Soldier Visited Salisbury Camp Amid Downpour of Rain.

**CANADIANS FOR EGYPT?**

Berlin So Informed by Constantinople — Many Week-End Visits.

**Canadian Associated Press Cable.**  
LONDON, Oct. 25.—Lord Roberts made his round of Salisbury camp in almost uninterrupted rain. His stay extended over four hours, during which the officers of every brigade came under his notice, several battalions also parading for inspection. Before leaving camp the veteran soldier expressed his keen pleasure at everything that he has seen. He extended his congratulations to Divisional Staff Bishop Taylor Smith, chaplain general of the forces. On his visit to the camp, he was attended by Major Stacy, divisional chaplain.  
Services were held at Bustard, West Down South, but owing to the wet, there was no parade, services being held in the marquee.  
A noteworthy fact on the voyage to England was that holy communion was celebrated daily on these transports carrying chaplains.  
Lord Kitchener issued a notice appealing to the public to avoid treating men who have recently landed in colors to drinks and to give them every assistance in resisting the temptations often placed before them. His honor suggests that in places where the soldiers are stationed committees should be formed to educate public opinion on the subject.  
Major Rivers Bulkeley, who was a member of the Scots Guards, married Miss Pelly, who was a lady-in-waiting to the Princess Patricia, and who is now in England with her infant son on April 13, 1912. The marriage in London which was attended by members of the royal family, attracted wide attention, and the wedding gifts included many from Ottawa, where Major Rivers Bulkeley and Miss Pelly had been most popular.

**REBELLIOUS BOER COMMANDING THOUSAND MEN, INCLUDING GERMANS, ATTACKED KEIMOS.**

Canadian Press Despatch.  
LONDON, Oct. 25.—The Pretoria, Transvaal, correspondent of Reuters' Telegram Co. has forwarded the following official statement:  
"Lieut.-Col. Maritz (the head of the rebellion in British South Africa) attacked Keimos (Cape Province) at 5 o'clock on the morning of Oct. 23, with a force of 1000 men, including several hundred Germans and artillery and machine guns. Our casualties were ten wounded. The enemy left two dead one German and the other a native."

**GERMANY HOPES TO TAKE CANADA**

Landing of Troops Would Not Be Violation of Monroe Doctrine, is Contention.

**Canadian Press Despatch.**  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Germany's right to land troops in Canada, if possible, and thus secure at least a temporary foothold on the American continent, was upheld today by Count von Bismarck, German ambassador here, who declared this would not be a violation of the Monroe doctrine. The ambassador suggested that, as Canada was sending soldiers to Europe to fight against his country, the United States should not consider it in any sense an infringement on the Monroe doctrine if Germany should land an armed force on Canadian soil.  
"Discussing his now much-talked-of note of September 3 to the state department here, explaining the attitude of the German Government towards the Monroe doctrine and giving assurances that Germany was not contemplating any South American colonization scheme in event of victory over the allies, the ambassador said only South America was referred to at that time because there had never been a question raised as to German attempts to seek colonization in any other part of the American hemisphere."

**GERMANS LEAVING LODZ.**

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PETROGRAD, Oct. 25.—The Germans are hurriedly quitting Lodz and making for the River Warta. The Russians pursued the German troops between Radom and Ivangorod. After the battle they came into contact with Austrian troops which evidently had been used by the Germans to cover their retreat.

**PRINCE OF WALES' AND OTHER FUNDS NOW AMOUNT TO MORE THAN TWENTY MILLIONS.**

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LONDON, Oct. 25.—The Prince of Wales' Fund has reached a total of \$16,930,000. A great part of it is being used for the relief of Belgian refugees, and the balance is to be devoted to the aid of soldiers wounded in the conflict and their dependents.  
More than \$2,500,000 has been raised by The Times for sick and wounded five hundred motor ambulances have been purchased with this sum and are being sent to France as rapidly as deliveries can be made. Two hundred private automobiles have also been donated for this work.  
The Queen Mary Fund, intended to help destitute women, has reached the \$400,000 mark, and The Telegraph has secured \$200,000 for the Belgians. The Fall Mall Gazette secured \$125,000 for this same purpose.

**FRENCH MAKE GAINS IN VIOLENT FIGHTS; GERMANS CROSS YSER**

Valleys and Passes in Alsace Now Occupied by French Armies, Who Also Have Retaken Several Villages—Germans Cross the Yser River, But Belgian Line Still Holds—Great Assault Expected at Lille, Where Both Sides Are Concentrating—British Marines May Land to Take Part in Fighting—Von Moltke's Resignation Accepted—British Fleet in the Dardanelles Said to Be Engaged—Violent Attacks by Enemy Repulsed From the Sea to Arras.

**PARIS, Oct. 25.—**The success of the allies in repulsing the furious attacks of the Germans, as indicated in Saturday's official statement, was the basis of encouragement to the French and English when the battle of the north was resumed today.  
The Germans, in a mighty effort to gain a victory, continue rushing up all the reinforcements that can be spared.  
Many of the German soldiers at Dixmude have come from Berlin within the last few days. Arriving at the scene of battle they have been sent at once into the trenches, which were waist high with water. The Belgians, under cover of a fog, approached the trenches, and at the point of the bayonet made prisoners of a large number of the invaders. At the same time the contest was resumed at numerous other points, but the result was different and the casualty lists were large.

**NO DISCOURAGEMENT ANYWHERE.**

The fact that the allies have advanced appreciably east of Nieuport, as officially announced, has helped to reassure them, since in this vicinity the British naval guns hardly could continue to exercise an influence in gaining ground. The slight retrogression at other points, which was counterbalanced by progress somewhere else, was considered as inevitable in a great conflict of this kind, and apparently it did not cause the slightest discouragement.  
The strategic consequences of this battle of the north, it is felt in some quarters, will be greater to the Germans than to the allies. If it should be necessary for the latter to withdraw it would be upon the normal lines of the allies without risk; it is declared, and the bending of the left wing would not compromise the situation in general. The French also are confident as to the line at other points.

**HALF OF TROOPS NOT FIGHTING.**

Fifty per cent. of the troops on the right wing have not had their baptism of fire, according to word received here. Gen. Joffre, commander-in-chief of the French forces, is said to be a sparer of men, by necessity, perhaps, but especially on account of humanity. His calmness on the field of battle is said to be extraordinary. He is precise in his orders, and has absolute knowledge of the ground and of his men.  
The question of the return of the government to Paris from Bordeaux, in view of the necessity of voting emergency bills and credits, is being discussed. The suggestion is made that after the deputies have finished sitting here they should go back to Bordeaux.

**SITUATION IS UNCERTAIN.**

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LONDON, Oct. 25.—The situation on the front in Flanders tonight is uncertain for the most part. It is known authoritatively that the Belgians continue to hold their lines around Dixmude. One report says that the Germans have fallen back from Dixmude in the direction of Thielt. Despite the fact that heavy artillery protected this retirement, a column of French infantry succeeded in cutting off several thousand prisoners.  
The following official communication was issued by the French War Office tonight: "The action has continued under the same conditions as on preceding days. A battle of a very violent character is in progress between Nieuport and the River Lys. The German forces have succeeded in crossing the Yser between Nieuport and Dixmude."  
"To the west and south of Lille, spirited attacks by the enemy have been repulsed."  
"Between the Oise and the Argonne there is nothing to report, except several small advances by our troops to the northwest of Soissons and in the region of Craonne."  
"On the heights of the Meuse there is an artillery engagement. In the Woivre region our heavy artillery holds today under its fire the road connecting Thiancourt, Nonard, Buxerelles and Joinville, which is one of the principal lines of communications of the Germans near St. Mihiel."  
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The last previous French official statement, issued late Saturday night, said that from the sea to the region to the south of Arras violent attacks of the Germans had been everywhere repulsed, and that "west of the Argonne region we have carried the Village of Melicourt, which commands the road leading from Varennes to the valley of the Aisne."  
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The Sunday afternoon French official communication follows: "There is no change to report between the sea and the region around Arras."  
"In the Argonne region our situation is maintained under the conditions announced yesterday."  
"On the upper Meuse our field artillery has destroyed three more German batteries, one of which was composed of guns of heavy calibre."  
The last previous French official statement, issued late Saturday night, said that from the sea to the region to the south of Arras violent attacks of the Germans had been everywhere repulsed, and that "west of the Argonne region we have carried the Village of Melicourt, which commands the road leading from Varennes to the valley of the Aisne."  
A correspondent at Sluis, Holland, sends the following on the fighting in Flanders: "The Germans are guarding the lighthouse at Knocke, close to the Dutch frontier on the North Sea, as a measure of precaution against a possible landing by the British. The sand dunes also are being guarded. German marines have occupied the Village of Hevst and the villages between Sluis and Bruges."  
"GREAT MOVEMENTS OF TROOPS."  
"Great movements of troops have taken place from Bruges, and yesterday an army corps arrived from Antwerp, Bruges and Ghent, on the way to Thourout and Westende, from which points many wounded are being brought back."  
"Long trains conveying wounded soldiers have arrived at Bruges, where it is impossible to accommodate all the unfortunate. The