

BELIEVE SIX MONTHS GERMANY'S LIMIT

ANOTHER BIG SHIPMENT OF BRITISH GOLD AT NEW YORK

\$20,000,000 in Gold and 25 Millions in Securities to Strengthen British Credit Landed at New York Under Heavy Guard—Convoyed to Halifax by Warship.

New York, Aug. 29.—Nearly \$20,000,000 in gold, and securities worth about \$25,000,000, the second largest shipment sent from London to strengthen British credit in this country, arrived here early today on a special train of steel cars, guarded by thirty-eight armed men. The shipment came direct by rail from Halifax, N. S., to which port it was conveyed by a British warship, conveyed by smaller craft. On the way to New York the train was preceded by a pilot engine and car.

AUSTRALIA TO FLOAT A \$100,000,000 WAR LOAN

Will be Floated in the Commonwealth, Issued as Required and to Bear 4 1/2 Per Cent. at Par—Available to Small Investors by Minimum Bonds of \$50 to \$500.

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—The Commonwealth financial year which closed on June 30 last resulted in a deficit of nearly eighty million dollars, writes D. H. Ross, Canadian trade commissioner in Australia to the trade and commerce department. The year, however, opened with an accumulated surplus of six millions so that the net deficit was less by that amount.

GERMANY SHOWING EFFECTS OF GREAT FINANCIAL STRAIN

London, Aug. 29.—Financial circles here include more optimists than most of the well-informed centres of opinion, for which a prominent financier gave the following reasons today. Optimists think that Germany cannot continue fighting for more than six months, as another year's war would require hundreds of thousands of tons of copper, also a large quantity of manganese. The navy prevents the import of both, as contraband and munitions cannot be made without them. It is known that Germans now

MORE FUNDS NEEDED TO GET COMFORTS FOR CANADIAN PRISONERS IN GERMANY

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—Her Royal Highness, the Duchess of Connaught, has been informed that the Canadian prisoners of war are to receive one mark (25 cents) per week and not seven marks (\$1.75) per week as was recently stated in the press, and therefore funds are still required to supply food and comforts for the prisoners in Germany.

CHRISTMAS TRADE IN U.S. WILL BE HARD HIT

Millions of Dollars Worth of Goods Ordered in Germany But Cannot be Delivered.

Berlin, via London, Aug. 29.—American business men in Germany are taking the gloomiest view of the fate of great quantities of goods ordered in Germany for the American Christmas trade. They say that the loss on these goods will amount to millions. Orders totalling about \$50,000,000 for such wares as toys, Bohemian glassware, bronzes, Christmas cards and optical specialties had been placed, mostly last autumn, for summer delivery. It is stated, this being an usual practice, in order to give American wholesale dealers an opportunity to place the goods. The articles are all of a reasonable value and become virtually valueless unless delivered immediately. However, the British or der-council, although not effective when the orders for the goods were placed prevents such a delivery.

TRAIN HITS AUTO KILLING 5 OCCUPANTS

Hamilton, Ont., Aug. 28.—The noon express on the T. H. and B., crashed into an automobile at the Ancaster crossing, killing three persons outright and injuring three other occupants of the car, who are expected to die.

HILLSBOROUGH MAN FOUND UNCONSCIOUS, DIED FEW HOURS LATER

Special to The Standard. Hillsborough, Aug. 29.—James Cook, of Hillsborough, a middle aged man, left his home on Saturday night, between eleven and twelve o'clock, and was found unconscious on Sunday morning, about eleven o'clock, with a bottle of bay rum in his pocket. He was taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Robert Slater, where he died last night. Dr. Kirby viewed the body, but found no signs of foul play. There will be no inquest.

BULGARIAN PARLIAMENT TO BE CONVOKED BEFORE DECLARING FOR WAR

Sofia, Bulgaria, Aug. 28, via London (1.18 p. m.).—An inspired statement, appearing in a publication controlled by the government, contains the announcement that it conditions affecting Bulgaria should be modified by the granting of Bulgaria's territorial demands to such an extent as to call for intervention in the war, the government will convocate parliament immediately.

FRENCH AVIATORS AGAIN SUCCESSFULLY RAID POSITIONS OF GERMANY

Paris, Aug. 29.—Another raid by French aeroplanes on military establishments of the Germans was announced by the War Office today. Barracks and railway stations in the Ardennes and the Arconnes were attacked. "Violent German attacks near Marle Therese and west of the forest of Malincourt were repulsed.

OFFICIAL REPORTS

ITALY

Rome, via Paris, Aug. 29.—The following official statement from the general headquarters of the Italian army, dated August 29, was made public tonight: "In the Valaiana, the destruction by the Austrians of several bridges on the main highroad and railroad at the bottom of the valley between Roncegno and Nevaldo is reported.

GERMANY

Berlin, Aug. 29, via London.—The new Austro-German offensive movement in Eastern Galicia has forced a Russian retreat over a long section of the front. This announcement was made today by army headquarters, which also stated that the resistance of the Russians in the north near Kovno had been broken, and that in the centre of the line Prince Leopold's forces, pursuing the Russians fur two days, had almost overtaken their right wing.

AUSTRIA

Vienna, via London, Aug. 29.—The following Austrian official statement was given out tonight: "Our successes east of Vladimir-Volyanski, and on the Zlota Lipka, broke the enemy's resistance on a front of 20 kilometers. (12 1/2 miles). Everywhere in their retreat the Russians set fire to villages and destroyed settlements. The number of prisoners who have fallen into our hands has increased to 10,000.

LIKELY REFERS TO TORPEDOING OF ROYAL EDWARD

Passengers on Holland-American Liner Reaching Amsterdam Bring Story of Sinking off Scilly Islands, of Transport with 2,000 Canadian Troops.

Berlin, Aug. 29.—(By wireless to Sayville)—Passengers who arrived at Amsterdam yesterday afternoon on the Holland-American steamship Ryndam, brought a report that a British transport carrying 2,000 Canadian troops was torpedoed on Aug. 15 off the Scilly Islands. It is said that about 1,000 were saved.

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—The military authorities issued the following official statement regarding the above report: "Between the 21st of July and 24th of August only two troopships with more than three hundred troops on board have been despatched from Canada, and they have both arrived safely at their destinations. Moreover, every troopship bearing Canadian troops which was at sea on August 15th has arrived safely at its destination. There is no Canadian troopship overdue, and if the story coming via Sayville has any basis of truth it must refer to the torpedoing of the Canadian Northern steamship Royal Edward in the Aegean Sea, the report of which event reached Canada August 17."

regiments and two Alpine battalions attacked but were repulsed in hand-to-hand fighting. Some attacks against the bridge west of Tolmino and in the region north of this passage, and four attacks on the front Mrzilivrh-Sgemme, also were repulsed. An attack, attempted with considerable forces against the Filtsch region also was checked. All the positions remain strongly in our hands.

CANADIAN KILLED DURING THE RECENT FIGHTING IN MEXICO

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—Enquiry has been made of officials here for the relative of one Marshall Miller, a native of Canada, who was recently killed by a stray bullet during the fighting which took place in connection with the capture of the city of Mexico by the forces of Gen. Carranza, on the 2nd instant. Nothing further is stated.

CITIZENS' COMMITTEE IN WARSAW TO RAISE LOAN

Warsaw, via London, Aug. 29.—A committee of citizens which is charging the functions of city government here has voted to raise a loan of 50,000,000 rubles (\$2,500,000). The committee on schools has applied to the German civil government for permission to obtain from Galicia, school books published in Polish language for use in the schools here. The Russians carried with them nearly all the books, and other movable property from the public library and educational institutions. The German military authorities have installed themselves in the Russian government buildings.

HON. MR. PUGSLEY MARRIED IN BOSTON SATURDAY

Boston, Aug. 29.—Announcement was made today that Hon. William Pugsley, member of the Canadian parliament, from St. John, N. B., and Minister of Public Works in the cabinet of former Premier Laurier, of Canada, was married here yesterday to Miss Gertrude MacDonald, of St. John, N. B., formerly his private secretary. The ceremony, which was a quiet one, was performed in Trinity church by Rev. E. H. Marriot.

Edna Mildred Barker. After a week's illness Edna Mildred, youngest daughter of George B. and Jennie Barker passed away yesterday evening at her parents' residence, 41 Garden street, aged fifteen years. She leaves, besides her parents, one brother and five sisters. The brother is Walter B. of New York; the sisters, Mrs. Frank Allwood, of this city; Mrs. Sidney Courtneil, of Boston; Miss Ella M. Amy A. and Mabel H., all residing at home. The funeral will take place tomorrow from the deceased's late home.

BORN.
MCINTYRE—On the 29th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. McIntyre, 8 Courtenay Street—a son.

MARRIED.
DUPLISEA-HOWE—At the Parsonage of the Rev. P. B. Hayward, Fairville, on August the 24th, Mary L. Howe, of Hoyt Station, and Arthur Duplisea, of Inniskillen.

DIED.
BARKER—At the residence of her parents, 41 Garden street, in the evening of the 29th inst., after a short illness, Edna Mildred, youngest daughter of George B. and Jennie Barker, in the fifteenth year of her age, leaving besides her parents, one brother and five sisters to mourn.

A BOOST FOR CANADA

London Paper Paints Bright Picture of Dominion's Financial Position and Prospects.
London, Aug. 29.—Today's Observer has a lengthy article eulogizing the financial position and prospects of Canada. It says: "The Canadian harvest news is much liked, and is naturally having a material influence on prices. With a big surplus and high prices current, owing to the Dardanelles being still unforced, the Dominion should greatly benefit. Moreover, it is distinctly encouraging to learn that a considerable impetus has been given to general trade, and that the volume of orders from country districts is increasing largely."

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TONIGHT OPERA HOUSE LAST WEEK
ALL NEW SHOW—No Repeats—Empire Musical Comedy Co. "Is My Marriage a Failure"—That Quartette. New Costumes Scenery Music
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Opening Play—"Within the Law."

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DR. J. SUCCU RECE SH

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