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Allies Are Urged By British Press To Seize Ex-Kaiser

TIDAL WAVE SWEEPS UP THE ST. LAWRENCE RIVER

ELECTED DIRECTORS OF LONDON'S CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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1 James Gray, 2 George M. Reid, 3 Ray Lawson, 4 Dr. E. E. Braithwaite, 5 Mayor C. R. Somerville, 6 E. S. Little, 7 Frank G. Jewell, 8 John Bridge, 9 Geo. H. Belton, her crews swimming ashore, while the steam barge J. A. Termblay last night read: "Help: need immediate assistance."

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OUT TOMORROW AND WILL SURRENDER ON THURSDAY

King George and Prince of Wales To Review the Grand Fleet at Rosyth Before Ships Sail To Assigned Place To Take Over Enemy Warships

FIRST SECTION LEAVES. on Wednesday and will be taken over by the Allies on Thursday. King George of the German fleet to be delivered to the Allies left Kiel on Sunday for the North Sea. This section of the fleet the battleships Bayern, wous assigned for the surrender ceremony. North Sea. This section of the fleet comprised the battleships Bayern, Grosser Kurfuerst, Kronprinz Wilhelm, Markgraf, Koenig Albert and Kaiserin, and the battle cruisers Seydlitz and Moltke.

London, Nov. 18.—The program for the surrender of the German fleet, as London, Nov. 18.—The program for ceived here says that at a meeting of the surrender of the German fleet, as the result of conference held between November 15, it was resolved to take British and German naval authorities is the submarines out whenever the necesthat the ships will leave German ports

WIRELESS INVENTION REMOVES OBSTACLES TO CLEAR SENDING

Radio Messages Will Be Perfected by Elimination of the "Static."

New York, Nov. 19.—An invention which has taken the "static" out of wireless telegraphy, removing thereby the greatest obstacle to the clear transmission of radio messages, has been perfected by Roy A. Weagant, chief engineer of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of America, it was annunced last night graph Company of America, it was announced last night.

According to Edward J. Nally, vice-president and general manager of the company, who made the announcement, the invention not only makes possible the sending of clear radio messages regardless of atmospheric conditions, but eliminates "interference," thereby making possible the operation of innumerable radio stations without "crossing" of messages. of messages.

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The invention, Mr. Nally said, also does away with the necessity of constructing huge wireless towers.

Mr. Weagant, who is but 37, has been working on the problem of "static" for 15 years and took out patent papers on his invention shortly before the United States entered the war. By agreement with Mr. Weagant and the Marconi Company, the Government kept the invention secret, disclosing it only to the allied nations.

ONE KILLED, FOUR ARE

HURT IN COLLISION Cornwall, Nov. 19.—As the result of a collision between a street car and an automobile here last night, Mrs. Henry Haines is dead, and four other occupants of the car are patients in the Hotel Dieu Hospital suffering from cuts and bruses.

AT GALLIPOLI

Turks Turn Over Cannon and Reserves of Munitions.

Saloniki, Nov. 18.—Over the shell-pit-ted ground of Gallipoli point the British landed peacefully at dusk tonight, using as stepping stones the bullet-riddled hulks grounded under fire in 1915. From these vessels thousands went toward the Turkish batteries and death during the ill-fated campaign three years ago ill-fated campaign three years ago the ill-fated campaign three years ago. The British are occupying the forts along the lower Dardanelles, which the Turks are turning over. They have al-Turks are turning over. They have already placed 200 cannon in the hands of the British. In the material which has been turned over are 20 big reserves of munitions and arms of German origin.

HEAD OF MORMON CHURCH IS DEAD

Joseph F. Smith Succumbs at

ELECTIONS CANNOT BE HELD UNTIL JANUARY today after a long illness. Death was due indirectly to a parallytic stroke suffered last April. Notwithstanding his illness, President Smith attended the recent semi-annual conference of the church, held the first week of October, and spoke strongly against polygamous marriages, which it was rumored had been surreptitiously performed during the last few years. Government Is Determined in Mean-Amsterdam, Nov. 19.—Freidrich Ebert, the last few years.

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW-RAIN OR SNOW.

Amsterdam, Nov. 19.—Freidrich Ebert, the German premier, told the Vossische Zeitung on Friday that the Government was firmly determined to summon the constituent assembly, but that it was impossible to effectively hold the elections before January, by which time the troops will have returned home. He considered untenable the objection that delay would hinder the gathering of the peace delegates. LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 56; lowest, 45. The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 47; lowest, 37. GENERAL PETAIN TO BE PROMOTED TO THE

Calgary

Port Arthur.

Father Point.... 36

Parls, Nov. 19.—General Petain, com-mander-in-chief of the French armies. Is to be raised to the rank of Marshai of France, the Cabinet Council has de-cided

RANK OF MARSHAL

SUB CREWS AWAIT ORDERS. London, Nov. 19.—Considering the arrender of German ships to the

EBERT SAYS GERMAN

time to Summon Assembly.

a German wireless message re

POSTAL PRIVILEGES OF GERMAN PRINCES HAVE BEEN SUPPRESSED

Paris, Nov. 19—The German postoffice department has suppressed the postal privileges of the German ruling princes who have not yet abdicated, according to a telegram from Dresden.

Port Sound... Parry Sound... Port Stanley... Buffalo 52 Buffalo 55 56 BELGIAN GOVT. TAKES

Impressive Ceremony Marks Departure From Havre.

Weather Notes. Paris, Nov. 19.—An impressive ceremony took place Monday in the town hall of Havre, when the Belgian Government, which has been in Havre since the fall of 1914, took leave of the municipal authorities. The departments of the Belgian Government are being transferred to liberated Belgium.

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March Under the Arch of Triumph

Paris, Nov. 19.-When allied troops march under the Arch of Triumph at the close of the war, allied sovereigns and chief magistrates will be present, says the Matin.

It is understood that the kings of England, Italy, Belgium and Serbia, Prince Alexander of Greece, President Wilson, a Japanese royal prince, representing the Mikado, and official representatives of China, Portugal, Rumania and the South American republics will be present. It is said that each ally will be represented by a crack regiment which has fought in the most notable battles of the war

GERMAN BAND AT THE HEAD OF MARCH DOWN THE UNTER DEN LINDEN PLAYS "MARSEILLAISE"

First Time Such a Thing Has Occurred Since the Founding of the German Empire — Saner Councils Expected To Dictate Governmental Policy

Home In Salt Lake City.

Berlin, Nov. 14.—By the Associated Press.—For the first time since the founding of the German Empire the Marseillaise" was played by a German band heading a procession down Unter den Linden today. Present indications are that saner councils will dictate governments of Letter Day Saints (Mormon), died at his home here early today after a long illness. Death was due indirectly to a paralytic stroke suffered last April. Notwithstanding his illness, President Smith attended the Smi

RUSSIA MAY BE ESTABLISHED AS FEDERAL STATE

Gen. Skoropadski Declares the President Wilson's Intended Ukraine Will Enter New Government.

Toronto, Nov. 19—3 a.m. Forecasts.
Today—Strong winds and gales, buthwest to northwest; cooler, with London, Nov. 19.-Gen. Skoropadski the hetman of the Ukraine, according southwest to northwest; cooler, with occasional showers.

Wednesday—Strong west to northwest winds; cool, with a few passing showers of rain or snow.

Temperatures.

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PEACE CONFERENCE **NEARLY COMPLETED**

ARRANGEMENTS FOR

Visit To Paris Attracting Great Attention.

London, Nov. 19—Plans for the approaching peace conference are discussed prominently by some of the morning newspapers, and, according to the Dally Express, arrangements are pearing completion.

Plant of T. E. Bissell & Co. Partly Destroyed. wireless, has issued a statement to the Ukrainians calling attention to the imminent establishment of Russia as a federal state. He declares that the Ukraine will enter this new government.

BERLIN REVOLUTION

IS UNDER CONTROL

Order Is Being Maintained With an Iron Hand.

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The Express, which is generally well-informed on political matters, adds that the British delegates have not yet been selected finally, but probably will include Premier Lloyd George, A. Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer; A. J. Balfour, the foreign secretary; Earl Reading, a Labor representative, and a representative of the Dominions.

President Wilson's promised visit to Paris attracts general attention. There is some speculation whether he will take an active share throughout the company will reduce the company will be some \$75,000, covered by insurance. It is thought the company will be some \$75,000, covered by insurance. It is thought the company will be some \$75,000, covered by insurance is some speculation whether he will take an active share throughout the conference, or will leave American interests in the hands of Secretary of State Lansing and Col. House.

FRENCH ADVANCE GUARDS

OCEAN STEAMER SIGNALS.
Cape Race, Nov. 19.—Steamer Oscar
II., from Copenhagen and Christiania,
for New York, signaled Monday when
1,350 miles east of Ambrose Channel.
Due in New York Friday

80 COLUMNS.

Flooding Towns and Villages.

CAUSED BY A BIG STORM

Shipping Along the Eastern Coast Sustains Heavy Losses.

GREAT DAMAGE oH mf wytaoinfwyoo Quebec, Nov. 19.—The tidal wave which swept up the River St. Lawrence last night dld immense damage to will have a property of the conditions last night did immense damage to villages and towns between Quebec and Three Rivers. It was caused by the heavy storm of Sunday and Monday. In Quebec the cellars and even the first stories of Lower Town were flooded. Along the line of the Quebec Rallway between the city and St. Anne de Beaupre stretches of the roadbed were washed out and traffic will be suspended for at least two days.

A number of summer houses were carried away at Boschatel, several being moved 60 feet.

Causti in the terrific windstorm that raged on the gulf last night two vessels are in a precarbous position. An unknown steamer was swept ashore at Fox River, Gaspe, and is a total wreck, her crews swimming ashore, while the steam barge J. A. Tremblay last night the several position and towns to the former ruler placing himself or being discussion of the new rulers of Germany would be welcomed in other quarters. These rulers, the Morning Post argues, should be able to execute budgment upon him and in so doing would only be acting as fitting instruments of justice.

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AND FIRE AT BATISCAN.

Three Rivers, Quebec, Nov. 19.— Threatened at the same time with de-struction, both by a conflagration and a tidal wave, the small town of Batiscan was nearly destroyed today. Was nearly destroyed today.

The tide started rising during the night and at 10 o'clock this morning a large tract of the Montreal-Quebec provincial highway was washed out. Telegraph and telephone poles are down on graph and telephone poles are down on a stretch of many acres, and a number of houses are surrendered by waters.

Flames broke out in the postoffice and quickly spread to adjoining houses, a number of which were burned to the ground. Firemen sent from here saved the village after a hard fight. At noon today a huge landslide occurred, bringing it into the river part of the Montreal highway.

points along the coast.

In addition to the steamship Cascapaedia, which was abandoned and set on fire by her crew after drifting helplessly in the storm off Cape Race Sunday, the steamer Lake Manitoba and two schooners met with mishaps. The Lake Manitoba, of 9,674 gross tons, was being towed in here today by a Gavern.

Lake Manitoba, of 9,674 gross tons, was being towed in here today by a Government cruiser. The schooner Daisy Vaughn was driven ashore by the storm near Port Hood, and was a total wreck, and the schooner Richard Linthicum was badly damaged when she struck on Bunkers Island. The Linthicum was towed back to Yarmouth, leaking.

Last reports from the Cascapaedia was that the hulk was still afloat, but a mass of flames. After firing the ship, so that she would not be a menace to navigation, all hands on board were taken off by the British steamer Bellrophon. The Cascapaedia sailed from this port for St. Johns, Nfid., late Thursday, with a full cargo, much of which originated in New York and Boston.

\$75,000 DAMAGE DONE BY FIRE IN **ELORA FACTORY**

Partly Destroyed.

REACH TOWN OF ST. LOUIS Paris, Nov. 19. — French advance guards yesterday entered the town of St. Louis, opposite Basie, Switzerland. HIGH COMMISSIONER TO TURKEY.
Rome, Nov. 19.—Count Carlo Sforza,
former Italian minister to China, has arrived at Constantinople, having been appointed high commissioner for Italy in
Turkey.

GREAT DAMAGE ALLIES ARE URGED TO SEIZE IS CAUSED BY EX-KAISER AND PREVENT

Sweeps Up the St. Lawrence, Fears Are Entertained by London Press That the Former Emperor, If Allowed To R eturn To Germany Might Head Reactionists and Bring on Another War.

London, Nov. 19.—Rumors that William Hohenzollern, the former German emperor, may possibly return to Germany as supported by the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger's hint that he would not be refused an entry to that country, have created a considerable stir here. They are featured by several of the morning is situation, which is rendered more doubtful by accounts of the activity of the German propagandists in several countries. The fear mainly is that the former emperor would sooner or later become the centre of a reactionary movement in Germany, when the present revolutionary storm has blown over, and the advocates of this view consequently fear his return to his former emperor is back of Chanceller Ebert, Former Chancellor Maximilian of Bader and Field Marshal von Hindenburg, and the empire.

THOUSANDS OF ALLIED SOLDIERS HELD IN ENEMY PRISONS JOIN FRENCH ON WAY INTO GERMANY

Inhabitants of Alsace-Lorraine Welcome With Unbounded Manifestations of Joy the Victorious Troops Going To Occupy Territory West of the Rhine.

paris, Nov. 18.—Progress by French troops are also in the Jamosta huge landslide occurred, bringing the into the river part of the Montreal highway.

VESSELS CAUGHT IN

STORM ARE DAMAGED.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 19.—Widespread shipping damage, due to the severestorm that swept over this section last week, was reported today upon the restoration of wire communication with points along the coast.

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SIR THOMAS WHITE **WELCOMES DELEGATES** TO THE CONFERENCE

Questions of Vital Importance To Be Discussed at Sessions.

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—From the standpoint of attendance, the conference between members of the Dominion Government and provincial premiers and
ministers, which opened here this morning, is the largest on record. All the
provincial premiers are in attendance,
and in addition each province is represented by from one to three additional
ministers.

Amount.

Toronto, Nov. 19.—Revised figures
ssued at 11 a.m. today of the total subscriptions to the Victory Loan show a
net increase of \$30,650 over the amount
announced last night. The revised total
is \$676,057,867. sented by from one to three additional ministers.

The subjects to be discussed by the conference will cover a wide range, and will include soldiers' land settlement, the development of waste lands, the transfer to the western provinces of their natural resources, demobilization

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Variations from the provincial summaries given out last night were as follows:

Ontario, \$323,682,950; Quebec (outside Montreal), \$32,324,300; Nova Scotia, \$30,102,500; Prince Edward Island, \$2,000,000. their natural resources, demobilization of Canada's military forces after peace. of Canada's military forces after peace, the repatriation of overseas soldiers, increased production and cognate subjects.

Welcomed by Acting Premier.

The provincial ministers were welcomed to the capital by Sir Thomas White, acting premier, who, in a brief speech, referred to the importance of the matters to be considered, and expressed the conviction that important results would attend the deliberations of the conference.

The business of the conference was taken up immediately on the conclusion of Sir Thomas White's remarks, with Hon. F. B. Carvell, minister of public works, presiding.

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It is probable that all the federal ministers at present in the capital will be in attendance at various times. Those present in the capital will be in attendance at various times. Those present when the deliberations opened this morning included Sir Thomas White, Hon. F. B. Carvell, Hon. J. A Calder, Hon. F. B. Carvell, Hon. J. A Calder, Hon. Arthur Meighen, Sir James Lougheed and Major-General Mewburn.

W. F. O'Connor, K.C., and G. Osborne, Parliamentary counsel, are representing the Dominion Government at the conference in a legal sense.

Cobourg and Gotha advocates the joining of the Duchy of Bavaria.

The Soldiers and Workers' Council at Cassel, to where German main head-quarters has been transferred, says that Field Marshal von Hindenburg is under the protection of the Council. Confidence is expresed that he will be secure from molestation, but it is added that he and others at headquarters carry arms.

STEAMER ORDUNA ARRIVES.

New York, Nov. 19.—Sfeamer Orduna from Liverpool, with passengers main and cargo.

REVISED TOTAL OF LOAN SHOWS \$676,057,867

Ontario Residents Subscribed \$329,682,950 of Whole

HUN PRINCIPALITIES DECLARED REPUBLICS

Field Marshal von Hindenburg Under Protection of Council.

London, Nov. 19.—The principalities of Schwarzburg - Rudoistadt and Schaumburg-Lippe have been declared republics, according to a German wireless message. The Diet of Saxe-Cobourg and Gotha advocates the joining of the Duchy of Bavaria.

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