## CONSCRIPTION NOW

Lord Shaughnessy Points Out Path of Duty to French-Canadians

Montreal, Oct. 16,-The following statement counseling French-Canadiestatement counseling French-Canadians to accept the selective military service act new that it is law, urging the ams to accept the selective military serextension of the measure, if necessary, to all branches of industry furnishing war material and suggesting punishment for all frothy jingos whose only contribution to the war is their language, was issued today by Lord Shaughnessy, head of the Canadian Pacific railway system, to the French press of this province.

"There is a germ in my system that renders obnoxious every form of legislation calculated to invade the personal liberty of the subject, save such as may be necessary for the safety of the nation and for the peace, health and gen-

eral welfare of the people.
"Enforced military service in time of "Enforced military service in time of peace, as it existed in some foreign countries, would come within my category of objectionable measures because it has the effect of taking a man from this profinery averation, and for given his ordinary avocation, and, for given periods, making him subject to military regulations, under the control of military officials, not because of any

periods, making him subject to military regulations, under the control of military officials, not because of any danger immediately impending, but because that within his lifetime something may occur to involve the nation in war, making trained military forces necessary.

Navy Was Ready

"At the outbreak of the present war, Britain's navy was ready and the splendid achievements of that arm of the service, saving as they did a situation fraught with most serious danger, will always be a source of gratification and pride, but the regular land forces consisted of a mere handful of men, barely sufficient for the maintenance of order at home, and it became a matter of momentous importance that a large army of citizen soldiers should be organized, equipped, trained and forwarded to the fighting front with the utmost promptness. This work was undertaken by the late Lord Kitchener and immediately all of the overseas dominions of the empire expressed their willingness and, indeed, determination to supplement and to assist the army of the king by sending troops and meeting other requirements to the limit of their respective resources. Canada was among the first to declare that the war in which Britain and France were engaged for the defense of human liberty was Canada's war also, a declaration that was sounddefense of human liberty was Canada's war also, a declaration that was sounded throughout the Dominion from coast to coast by an overwhelming majority to coast by an overwhelming majority.

"They call to us for further supply of men to fill the gaps in their depleted ranks and failure to respond to that call would not only be a lasting disgrace to Canada, but might be a matter of no small moment in determining the outcome of the struggle.

Freedom of Canada "Although we are remote from the scene of conflict, and therefore out of direct touch with its horrors, it is absurd to assume that our interest in the outcome is different in any degree from that of any of the people of the entente allies. If by any chance the central powers succeed in defeating Britain and her allies our freedom would be gone. We would be under the thumb of a relentless foe and we would be reduced to a species of vassalage. All our independence, all our hopes and aspirations and those of our children for

generations to come are bound up inenerations to come are bound up in-issolubly in the defeat of our enemies.
"Frothy fingoism and incendiary dissolubly in the defeat of our enemies speeches, emanating as a rule from those whose only contribution to the war is in the form of language, and which may tend to encourage domestic strife, should be suppressed and every utterance that savors of disloyalty should bring prompt punishment to the

"Conscription is now the law of the country. It is now the sacred duty of every good citizen of Canada loyally and willingly to assist the authorities in putting the selective conscription law into effect with smoothness and impartiality, reserving his criticism of policy and practise until the war is

Neglecting Duty

"Those who, like myself, have seen all our relatives of military age go overseas and who have experienced the sadness of loss and separation annot help feeling compassion at parents whose affection for their sons makes them exaggerate the terrors of military service, but for the young men themselves there is no such feeling because, if being fit for service and having none of the recognized grounds on which to demand immunity they are unwilling to take any posts that may be assigned to them in this hour of danger, they are neglecting their duty as citizens and selfishly evading their share of the burden that the country has to bear."

HELPS FOOD CONTROLLER
H. B. Thomson of Victoria Appointed to Help Mr. Hanna.

Ottawa, Oct. 16.—H. B. Thomson, general manager of the firm of Turner, Beeton and Company, of Victoria, will represent the food controller in important missions which may be necessary from time to time. Mr Hanna announced today that he had invited Mr. Thomson to assist in the work of organization of food resources and that he invitation had been accepted. Mr. Thomson will be the personal representative of the food centroller. He is giving his services without remuneration. He has already been in New York and Washington at Mr. Hanna's request, in connection with the sugar situation and other matters of interest.

FEMALE RASPUTIN RETURNS

Petrograd, Oct. 16.-Mile. Virubova, who has been called "the female Raswho has been called the remare has putin of Russia," and who was a close friend of the former empress, has returned to Petrograd with the other exites sent to Helsingfors, Finland, by exiles sent to Helsingfors, Finland, by the provisional government. They were returned by the council of workmen's and soldiers' delegates of Helsingfors, which refused to permit them to stay in Finland.

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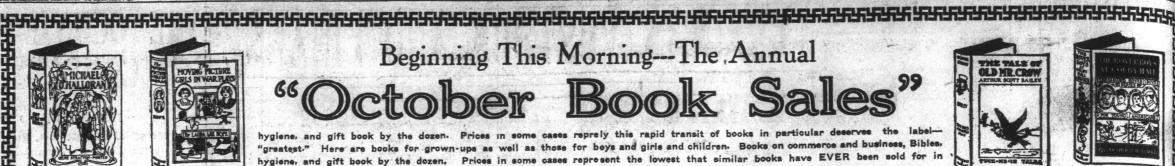
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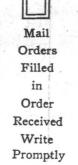
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WHITE ENGLISH LONGCLOTH-

500 yards, fine weave; free from starch and filling; 36-inch. Price, per yard ......18¢

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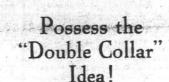
44-IN. COLORED WOOL SERGES, \$2.50 YARD In nigger, Russia, old rose, Copenhagen, purple and navy blue; 44inch All-Wool Navy Blue Serges; heavy weight, for fall suits or coats; guaranteed fast dye.

Classic Boot for School Girls

Not a dressier, more durable school boot made than this very same "Classic." The name is almost a household word in Canada. Fashioned by a company specializing in women's and young girls' footwear for two or more decades. They must know their business! These new stocks include gunmetal calf and kid styles, both in lace and button models. Extra weight soles and very becoming boots they are.

Sizes 8 to  $10\frac{1}{2}$  - \$3.25 Sizes 11 to 2 - \$3.85

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We have 20 of them and in the dandiestlooking check-a dark (nigger head) brown and a lighter-more golden brown. Smart box back, button through front; sizes 35 to 44. You'd look well in one of these. Attached velvet collar and a plain self fabric collar accompany each coat without extra

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Finished Zibeline, Striped Velour, Velour Finished Coating and kindred textures. Such materials make up into lovely coatssoft draping, hanging loose in that jaunty fashion so much in vogue at present. Coats of fancy striped velour

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More News Concerning Women's

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Combinations

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