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WEEKLY WAR SUMMARY

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On the diplomatic side, the developments have been only what was to have been expected. A reply to the Allies' ultimatum to Berlin, conveyed by President Wilson, after consultation between Washington and the capitals of the other Allied nations, was sent from Berlin last Sunday, signed by the latest puppet and mouthpiece of the Prussian autocratic military system, namely, Solf, who wears the title of Imperial Foreign Secretary, and who, like the Imperial Chancellor and all the other ministers of the Imperial German Cabinet are appointed by, and dismissed by the Emperor, and are accountable only to him, as being his personal servants. Solf's note protests, as all the world knew it would, that the constitutional structure of the German Empire has already been made over so completely that it has become a "people's government," and that, therefore, the Allies should grant an armistice. Which, of course, leaves the diplomatic situation precisely where it was a week ago.

With the Prussian General Staff thus compelling the German government to do its utmost to secure, if possible, an armistice by diplomacy, and with the Allied governments holding immovably to their ultimatum that Marshal Foch and his counsel of Allied generals have the say in that regard, and that there can be no negotiating with the existing system at Berlin, however much it may endeavor to camouflage itself as democratic, the German armies, as they are driven back farther towards the Rhine are finding themselves on their prepared lines of resistance; nevertheless the Allied successes continue, though in not a few sections the fighting is harder.

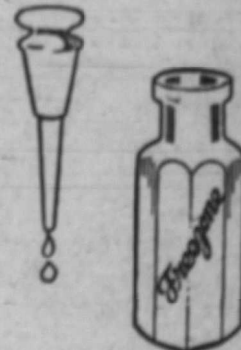
Postponed Sales

As a result of the influenza epidemic that is spreading throughout the three western provinces, during the past few weeks, it has been found necessary to cancel several of the livestock sales that were advertised in The Guide. The sale of Jas. Kirby, Hartlake, Alta., advertised for October 31, and that of W. D. McLennan, Airdrie, Alta., on November 1, have been postponed until the week of the Calgary Fat Stock Show. P. M. Brett & Co.'s sale of Clydesdales and Shorthorns, has also been called off for the present. Future announcements regarding these sales together with any others that may be held over, will appear in subsequent issues of The Guide.

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