

COMING EVENTS

WATCH THE BIG SPLASH put up by the Great War Veterans Association on Labor Day. Watch it.

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DIED

SMYTH—In Brantford at her residence 67 Murray street on Wednesday Aug. 15th, Margaret S. Smyth. Funeral private, Aug. 17th. Please do not send flowers.

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THE ONTARIO RAILWAY AND MUNICIPAL BOARD

In the Matter of the application of the City of Brantford, under Paragraph 39 (a) of Section 339 of "The Municipal Act," as enacted by Section 12 (2) of "The Municipal Amendment Act, 1917," for the approval by the Board of its proposed By-Law No. 1419, to borrow \$50,000 on debentures to buy and sell APPOINTMENT FOR HEARING. The Board hereby appoints Friday, the Twenty-fourth day of August, A.D., 1917, at the hour of half past ten o'clock in the forenoon, at its chambers in the Legislative Buildings, Toronto, to hear all parties interested in and supporting or opposing the aforesaid application of the City of Brantford.

And Public Notice is hereby given that any person opposing or objecting to the approval of the said By-Law, may, prior to the said Twenty-fourth day of August, file with the Board written objections thereto, and shall also be entitled to appear before the Board and be heard in person or by counsel or agent. Dated at Toronto this Tenth day of August, A.D., 1917. (Seal) (Sd.) H. C. SMALL, Secretary.

THEFT CHARGE
By Courier Leased Wire.
Montreal, Aug. 16.—Joseph Chabouneau, St. Andre street, has been arrested charged with stealing \$4,000 from the city and district savings bank of which he was a teller. The police think he had been betting on the race horses.

CANADIANS EITHER LENS OR VICTORY AT HILL 70 FOLLOWED BY FRESH GAINS

Troops of the Dominion Push on to Noted Coal Centre After Completing Capture of Hill 70; Losses Comparatively Small, Majority Shrapnel Wounds

London, August 16.—Canadian troops are to-night in close grip on the western part of the city of Lens itself, following a brilliant morning advance whereby the Canadians captured Hill 70, a formidable defence works, and then swept on north-west of Lens. With only slight casualties to the Canadians, enemy positions were occupied on a front of two miles to a depth of about a mile. Five German counter-attacks were successfully repulsed. Several hundred German prisoners are beginning to arrive in the collection depots.

Sir Douglas Haig's report of the brilliant achievement reads: "This morning Canadian troops stormed German positions south and east of Loos on a front of two miles. The formidable defences on Hill 70, which resisted our attack in the battle of Loos in September, 1915, and had since been improved and strengthened by every method and device known to our enemies, were carried by assault.

"After storming the enemy's first line trench system on the whole of the front attacked, our troops advanced as far as the western defences of Cite St. August, penetrating the German positions to a depth of about a mile. Besides the elaborate series of trench lines and strong points forming the defences of Hill 70, the villages of Cite St. Elizabeth, Cite St. Emilie and Cite St. Laurent, as well as the Base Wood and the western half of the Hugo Wood are now in our possession. All our objectives were captured. Our casualties were slight.

"During the day five hostile counter-attacks were repulsed by our infantry or broken up by our artillery. One of these was carried out by troops of the division of Prussian Guards. The enemy's losses, both from our attack and his unsuccessful counter-attacks were heavy.

"The number of prisoners captured has not yet been ascertained, but 282, including 15 officers, reached the collecting station yesterday afternoon."

Detailed Story

By STEWART LYON
Canadian Press Correspondent With the Canadian Forces.

Canadian Headquarters in France, Aug. 16.—In the final phase of the battle of Lens which was begun this morning at dawn, the Canadian troops stormed Hill 70, the historic ground east of Loos, and also Cite St. Laurent, a mining village which forms the northerly suburb of Lens. A second successful assault, which had been arranged to take place after the capture of Hill 70 and St. Laurent, was launched at 8.30 a.m. on that part of the front to the west of Lens.

The assaulting waves included men from all parts of the Dominion. The war-worn veterans among them who answered the first call in 1914 were mingled with the recent drafts from the base and whose first action it was. All alike went forward with irre-

sistible ardor over the most difficult ground, driving the enemy back before them.

Save in the hard struggle to the east of Hill 70 our losses have been relatively small, when the far-reaching effect of the victory gained is taken into account. A very large proportion of those hit have shrapnel wounds that are not serious. The entire attack was pushed home with irresistible dash over ground that had been plowed with heavy shell by the Canadian gunners working to the limit of their endurance for over three weeks. The advance took place on a front of 4,300 yards from chalk pits midway between Hulluch and Loos, southerly to Lens.

Attacked in Crescent Form

Loos lay within our lines about half a mile west of the jumping-off trench. The chief objective of the assaulting waves was Hill 70, north-east of Loos and regarded as the key to Lens from the artillery's point of view, and Cite St. Laurent, the suburb of Lens. To secure these positions it was necessary to penetrate the enemy's lines in crescent form, the greatest depth of advance easterly being about fifteen hundred yards to a point between Hill 70 and St. Laurent, where machine guns were known to have been installed behind recently-constructed wire entanglements, woven in and out among the debris of rows of miners' houses. Detection and destruction of wires under the conditions was very difficult and it was recognized that here, if anywhere, the assaulting troops would have hard going.

Star Backstop

Eleven catchers in the big leagues, almost one for every club, enjoy the reputation of being stars of the first water. In addition, there are several more acknowledged fine catchers and good ball players in other positions.

There is not another position—not even the outfield with its surplus of performers—which boasts the same number of high-class stars—men who excel day in and day out.

The White Sox have Ray Schalk; the Athletics Schang; Thomas is with the Red Sox; Walters though a youth, is making baseball history for the Yankees; Lew McCarty is one of the best ball players in the big leagues; Bill Rariden is still a star; Frank Snyder of the Cardinals is the particular bait of every big league manager; Steve O'Leary of the Indians is a star; Bill Killefer, despite his long service, still looms far ahead of many rivals; Art Wilson has developed into a high class man under the direction of Fred Mitchell; Hank Gowdy, hero of the 1914 world's series, still stands as a high-class performer.

In addition to this illustrious list there is Ivy Wingo of the Reds, who can go into the outfield and play hang-up game of baseball. Frank Snyder and Lew McCarty have played first acceptably. Wallie Schang has done duty at third base and the outfield besides his catching chores.

Few catchers are as good as the British Columbia. The new route to Alaska will be shown in an attractive manner, while the Transcontinental Line, connecting Eastern and Western Canada and opening up opportunities for thousands of home-seekers in New Ontario will have a prominent place in the exhibit. Rep- resentatives competent to give all information concerning the territories served by the Grand Trunk System will be in attendance.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they do not reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood, and relieves and soon the cure is so relieved that it lifts out without pain. It is a sticky substance which dries when applied and never inflames or even irritates the adjoining skin.

ITALIAN LOSSES.

Rome Aug. 16.—The Italian merchant marine losses for the week ending August 12, comprise six steamers and five sailing vessels, one of the latter being above 100 tons. Five hundred and fifty vessels of all nationalities, of a tonnage of 339,245, entered port, and 503 of a tonnage of 414,775 left.

ed of considerable ability in the development of stage entertainments, will be much missed in town.

Much dissatisfaction is felt in town at the irregular time system carried out on the Lake Erie and Northern Railway. For sometime past it has been almost impossible to make connection with other roads owing to the lateness of the train service on the Lake Erie.

Mrs. Robert Waterland (nee Margaret Kelly) of Detroit, is visiting with relatives in town.

Miss Ida Sewall left yesterday to spend her holidays at Buffalo and Crystal Beach.

Mrs. S. C. Neil of Detroit is renewing old acquaintances in town.

Miss Elliott is spending her vacation at Orillia, with her sister, Mrs. Wm. McLarty.

UMBRELLA MAKER DEAD

Montreal, Aug. 16.—Frederick W. Gross, head of the Dominion Umbrella Company, was missing all Tuesday night. Late yesterday he was found dead in his garage at 529 Grosvenor avenue, Westmont, having died of heart failure beside his car. He was 48 years of age, and had two stores here. He was prominent in club life, being a member of the M. A. A. A., the Caledonia, St. Georges and Canada clubs.

SEEMS EVERYONE IS ANXIOUS TO TRY IT

Recent Discovery of Ether Compound That Drives Up Corns so They Life Out.

Good news spreads rapidly and druggists here are kept busy dispensing Frezzone, the recent discovery of a Cincinnati man, which is said to loosen any corn so it lifts out with the fingers.

A quarter of an ounce costs very little at any pharmacy, but is said to be sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus. You apply just a few drops on the tender, aching corn and instantly the soreness is relieved and soon the corn is so relieved that it lifts out without pain. It is a sticky substance which dries when applied and never inflames or even irritates the adjoining skin.

This discovery will prevent thousands of deaths annually from lockjaw and infection heretofore resulting from the suicidal habit of cutting corns.

HEAVY BATTLE ON ROUMANIAN FRONT

Russians Repel Teutons From Trenches in Kredcheni Region

London, Aug. 15.—The Rumanian Press Bureau announces that King Ferdinand and the Rumanian Government are still at Jassy, North-eastern Roumania.

Petrograd, Aug. 15.—Austro-German forces, after a series of battles, yesterday occupied the Russo-Rumanian positions on a height west of Ocna, on the Rumanian front, says to-day's official statement issued by the Russian War Department. The Teutons, by an energetic attack, penetrated the Russian trenches in the region of Kredcheni, but after were driven out by a counter-attack. The text of the statement reads:

"Western front—Fusillades were more animated in the direction of Vilna and Tarnopol.

"Rumanian front.—In the region of Ocna the battles continued with less intensity. The enemy after a series of attacks, succeeded in occupying one of the heights seven versts west of Ocna.

"An enemy attack in the region of the valley of the River Casimul was repulsed by the Rumanians.

"In the direction of Pokahani, the enemy yesterday made no attack. "In region of Kredcheni, the enemy launched an energetic attack against our positions, but after penetrating a portion of our trenches he was driven out again by a counter-attack and the situation was restored."

Enemy Claims, 3,000 Prisoners.

Berlin, Aug. 15.—Austro-German forces in the lowlands of the Sereth River, on the Rumanian front, yesterday stormed the bridgehead at Baltaretu, on the west bank of the river, according to the official statement issued to-day by the German General Staff. The Russians and Rumanians lost on the Sereth and in the mountains, the statement adds, more than 3,000 prisoners.

Troops under Field Marshal von Mackensen are pursuing the retreating Russo-Rumanian forces in the mountain land on both sides of the River Putna. On the fringe of mountains, the Teutons yesterday captured Straoani, northwest of Paltinu.

THE GRAND TRUNK AT TORONTO EXHIBITION

The work of installing the Grand Trunk exhibit at the Canadian National Exhibition at Toronto, which opens on August 25th, is now being proceeded with, and a most attractive display of Canada's beauties and resources is promised. Many new ideas are being introduced this year and the Grand Trunk building will be one of the features of the Exhibition.

In addition to a comprehensive display on the principal attractions of Eastern Canada, including enlargements from direct photographic negatives recently taken, the Grand Trunk building will be one of the features of the Exhibition.

All phases of life in the splendid Western Canada territory served by the Grand Trunk Pacific will be depicted and there will be samples of soil, dairy and farm products and specimens of the rich mineral wealth of British Columbia. The new route to Alaska will be shown in an attractive manner, while the Transcontinental Line, connecting Eastern and Western Canada and opening up opportunities for thousands of home-seekers in New Ontario will have a prominent place in the exhibit. Rep- resentatives competent to give all information concerning the territories served by the Grand Trunk System will be in attendance.

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LADIES' SKIRT.

By Anabel Worthington.



A clever way to use remnants in a really up to date skirt is suggested in No. 8383. This season it is quite permissible to combine two entirely different materials, and the fashion dictators are advocating such odd combinations as pongee and gingham, silk and serge, taffeta and organdy, etc. The model shown here has two gores with a curved division just below the hips, which gives the barrel effect. The skirt is gathered all around the slightly raised waistline. A plaid taffeta with dark blue ground combined with navy blue French serge makes a very attractive appearance.

The two-gored skirt pattern, No. 8383, is cut in five sizes, 24 to 32 inches waist measure. Width at lower edge of skirt is 2 yards. As on the figure, the 24 inch size requires 1 1/2 yards 36 inch plaid material and 2 1/2 yards 36 inch plain material. To obtain this pattern send ten cents to the office of this publication.

DOMINION STEEL BEAT LONDON TE

Munition Men Rallied in Seventh, Breaking By Scoring 7 Runs

GAME POORLY PLAY

McElvie Quits Dominion Steel To Play For B Labels

The Dominion Steel yesterday snatched victory from a rallying after the London Blue els had gained a two run lead doubling the score on their own. When the visitors came in the ninth with two more, their score, the munition men set to a pace and in the seventh met J. Gadsby, ex-Canadian, who failed in its purpose, an len was safe on McElvie's Eddie Sears and Smith both through with singles, the latter finishing stealing second, while Ven went out at first.

London Blue Labels.

A.B.R.H.P.O.
Doherty, s.s. 1 0 3
Dismore, cf. 3 0 1
Armstrong, c. 5 0 1
Delaney, 3 b. 5 0 2
Gadsby, p.c.f. 1b 4 1 2
Smith, lf. 4 2 4
McKelvie, 1b. cf. 4 0 6
Slickney, 2b 4 0 2
Mitchell, rf. 4 0 1

Dominion Steel Products.

A.B.R.H.P.O.
Venning, rf. 2.B.3 1 1 2
Bradley, cf. 3 2 1 0
Henry, ss. 3 0 1
F. Sears, 3b. 5 0 1

38 4 6 24 1

THE MUSK

"Mrs. Green (a well informed lady) says to Fred, you are careful boy, when you shooting a 'un shootin' a thousand?"

Cedric chose

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