

HARRY SHORT SINKING FAST

Received Bullet Wound Last Friday Night — No Hope Held Out for Recovery Early This Morning.

Harry Short was reported at 2.30 o'clock this morning to be in a very critical condition in the General Public Hospital and little hopes were held out for his recovery.

ONTARIO FARMERS NOT IN AGREEMENT

Have Not Committed Themselves as Yet to the Western Platform.

Toronto, Dec. 5.—It is not in our platform that we are not going to organize a party," said Mr. R. H. Herbert, president of the Ontario Farmers of Ontario, on his return to Ontario today from a western Ontario trip.

STEAMSHIPS BACK TO PRIVATE CONTROL

Four Lines Which Had Been Taken Over by the Government Have Been Returned to Their Owners.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The Clyde, Mallory, Merchants and Miners and Southern Steamship Companies were distinguished from federal control tonight by order of Director General McAdoo.

MORE ABUSE OF PRISONERS

Serious Conditions at Prison Camps in Saxony—Allies Will be Forced to Act.

Paris, Dec. 5.—Incidents of serious gravity occurred within the last few days in a prison camp in Saxony where Allied prisoners are confined.

IF BACKACHE OR KIDNEYS BOTHER

Eat less meat, also take glass of Salts before eating breakfast.

CARTER'S

REMEDY FOR BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, HEADACHE, COLIC, DIARRHOEA, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE BOWELS.

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Keep your Eye on This Packet Black or Green

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California Syrup of Figs

can't harm children and they love it.

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When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, colic, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's use. In a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing.

Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

OLYMPIC IS LATE

Halifax, Dec. 5.—H. M. transport Olympic, supposed to be here, missing this port from England with military and civilian passengers, has not yet been reported by wireless, local transport officers said today.

They added that they had no definite word of the date of the steamer's sailing from the other side. The hospital ship Arcturion is due here Friday with eight hundred wounded of floor and men on board.

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