

THE HERALD.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15TH, 1916

The Saskatchewan Grain Growers Association has presented forty carloads of flour to Great Britain.

CANADA'S trade for the year ending with May totalled \$1,563,230,513, an increase of about half a million over the aggregate in 1913.

Four candidates are in the field for South Toronto—James A. Norris, Conservative; H. H. Dewar, K.C., Liberal; G. Waldron, Ind. Lib. and anti-prohibitionist; James M. Connor, Social Democrat. Polling, takes place next Monday.

AFTER a thorough canvass of various points throughout Western Canada, Dr. McGill, of the Dominion Grain Commission, is quoted in Calgary as saying that Alberta would have a crop as good as last year, that the Dominion would have a billion dollar grain crop and that the grain crop of the three prairie provinces would be little if any behind that of last year.

ONTARIO BEHIND WITH MUNITIONS.

"The deliveries of munitions from Ontario are running far behind the quantities promised, and we are seriously apprehensive if the existing conditions cannot be bettered."

Such is the statement of the Imperial Munitions Board to the Provincial Organization of Resources Committee, which has been conducting a preliminary investigation into labor conditions in munitions plants in Toronto, Hamilton and other Ontario cities.

This shortage in production has been largely due to the fact that there has been a very inadequate supply of labor sufficiently skilled to make deliveries effective. This has hampered factories turning out steel forgings and component parts, which, in turn, have adversely affected operations at the machining and assembling plants. But these, also, have been unable to make deliveries as scheduled, even when they are fully supplied with forgings and component parts, largely owing to the shortage of labor.

The Provincial Committee, therefore, in bringing these facts to the attention of the public, desires:

1. To call the attention of all those engaged in the munitions and all the allied industries to the importance of their service and the great responsibility resting upon them as individuals to co-operate and do all in their power to secure a steady and increased supply of munitions for our forces at the front.

2. To urge upon all those who are ineligible for overseas service and who are anxious to voluntarily do their best in this great struggle, (especially those now engaged in non-productive work or in the production of commodities which are luxurious more or less), to consider employment on munitions their next best service to going overseas.

3. To urge Women's Emergency Corps to register women for munition work or for work which will release men for the munitions industry.

There is no need to emphasize the importance of the highest possible production of munitions. The lives of our boys and the success of their endeavours depend upon it. Statements from the highest authorities in Great Britain and from the front bear no small tribute to the part that munition workers are playing in bringing the war to a successful conclusion.

The Officer Commanding a brigade of Canadian artillery, who returned from the front last week, said: The Germans will never break through now. Before they had munitions, guns, equipment—everything but the "nerve." All we had was "nerve." But now we have good guns and plenty of good ammunition. Whereas formerly we were limited to 10 to 15 rounds a gun a day, now we use 500 to 1,000 a gun, and one week later we kept going all week night and day. It's all important that the supply of munitions be kept up and increased.

Efforts to use women in munition plants are meeting with good success. In a number of places women have been registered, and are waiting to be called to work as soon as necessary arrangements can be made. In Welland, for instance, 95 women responded last week to the call of a factory there which needs 150 to 200 women. Fifty per cent. of those who answered the call had never been in regular employment before.

Wages in munitions plants should be such as to attract a large number of workers. Four to seven, and even ten dollars a day is not uncommon, for men employed on the piecework basis.

"If you can't be the man behind the gun, be the man behind the man behind the gun."

An important Anglo-Italian conference will be held in Italy this week.

A Teuton submarine was driven off by the gunfire of an Italian submarine.

The Turkish forces were further pursued by British cavalry east of the Suez Canal.

A new simultaneous movement of all the allied forces was begun in German East Africa.

A new hospital for mentally disabled soldiers has been opened by the Dominion Hospitals Commission.

John W. Eve of Bermuda, a final year student in medicine at Queen's University, was drowned when upset from a canoe, a companion who could swim being rescued.

TEUTONS RETREATING

Russians Are Smashing Through on a Wide Front.

General Brusiloff's Armies Are Converging on Lemberg and Halicz and Brzany Are Within Range of Russian Guns—Four Important Towns Have Been Taken—Nearly 85,000 Officers and Men Captured.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—The semi-circle formed by the Russian army chain in Galicia from the region south of Brody to the area south of Stanislaw has been drawn an average of 10 miles closer to Lemberg during the last 24 hours. Swiftly rolling up the armies of the Austrian throne heir in the direction of the Galician capital, the main goal of General Brusiloff's drive in the south, the Muscovite forces drove the Teuton defenders from the greater part of their positions on the four great streams which formed the main natural obstacles on the road to Lemberg from the south-east: the Sereth, Stripa, Koropiec, and Zlota Lipa. Though fighting desperate rearguard actions, the Austro-German troops are rapidly retreating on the whole front from the head waters of the Sereth down to the eastern and southern approaches of Halicz, the withdrawal having become necessary with the fall of Stanislaw last Thursday.

As a result of Saturday's and Sunday's fighting the two southern "gates" of Lemberg, Halicz and Brzany are now in the range of the Russian artillery and their fall is near.

Four important towns fell to the Russians during the last 24 hours. The possession of each serves to tighten their grip on Lemberg. They are: Ezerna (Jezierzna), between the Stripa and Sereth Rivers, 63 miles south-east of Lemberg. Podgalec (Podhalce), on the Koropiec, 30 miles to the north-east of Stanislaw, and only 15 miles south of Brzany. From Podgalec a trunk railway runs north-west through Brzany directly to Lemberg, which is 61 miles away as the crow flies. Horozonka, west of the Zlota Lipa, ten miles north of Halicz, Maryampol, on the Dniester, 10 miles to the south-east of Halicz.

Thus Halicz is being encircled and the Teuton lines there, menaced since the fall of Stanislaw, have become untenable.

In the north, just south of the headwaters of the Sereth the Russian army, under Gen. Sakharoff, has reached Oleuv (Olejew). Here the Czar's forces are only 53 miles from Lemberg, but the drive on the Galician capital is directed from the south, with Brody as the pivot point of the giant swing.

The huge, semi-circle right rests on the lines in the Sereth Valley, the centre is pushing ahead against Brezany, and the left threatens Halicz. These two latter points taken, the road to Lemberg is practically clear, and the Russians are in a position to take the last lap of their drive along three railways, with the Transversal railway, Tarnopol-Strip, serving excellently as a supply line.

Sunday night's Russian War Office statement enumerates captures of prisoners in the Galician fighting, giving a total of nearly 85,000 officers and men. Of these captures 27,534 alone were made by the armies of Generals Sakharoff (south of Brody) and Letchitsky (Buczacz and Stanislaw fronts), within the last thirteen days. The balance is made up of prisoners taken by General Tcherbatcheff (middle Sereth front), from June 5 up to date—1,263 officers and 55,158 men.

General Letchitsky's forces captured 12 officers and 1,000 men in the last 24 hours on the Bystritsa River.

In the Carpathians where a week ago the fortunes of battle showed inclinations to favor the Teutons, the Russian advance being temporarily checked, the Archduke Karl Franz Joseph's right wing is now retreating before a renewed Russian offensive. Attempts by the Teutons to wrest the initiative from the Muscovites and prevent the gradual separation from the Austro-German northern armies, failed, according to Sunday night's Petrograd report.

EMMANUEL PRAISES TROOPS

Italy, Rejoicing, Claps Gorizia to Her Bosom, Says King.

ROME, Aug. 14.—King Victor Emmanuel has addressed the following proclamation to the army:

"But a short time has elapsed since you interposed an insurmountable barrier to powerful enemy forces attempting to invade the rich Italian plains from the Trentino."

"To-day you have conquered strongly fortified enemy positions. It is through your bravery that Italy, rejoicing, claps Gorizia to her bosom. This particularly is an important step on the glorious march leading to the fulfilment of our national aspirations."

"Soldiers of Italy, you will achieve the victory which already looms on the horizon. Let the memory of your brothers gloriously fallen be an example, and encourage you in your struggle against the secular enemy of the race."

"I am proud to be your chief, and thank you in the name of the fatherland, which looks upon you with admiration, love, and gratitude."

Independence of Poland.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—A despatch from Vienna by way of Amsterdam says that in a few days the central empires will issue a proclamation declaring the independence of Poland.

It is proposed to call on the Poles to form a national army for the defence of their country.

ITALIANS IN TOLMINO.

Cadorna's Forces Have Occupied Suburbs of Important Town.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—A Central News despatch from Rome quotes the idea Nazionale to the effect that the Italians have occupied the outermost suburbs of Tolmino.

Ushering in the second phase of General Cadorna's great drive on the Isonzo, aimed at clearing the heights east and south-east of Gorizia of the defenders and pushing through to Trieste, and ultimately Laibach, the heaviest guns at the disposal of the Italian chief showered torrents of shells upon the coveted heights during the past two days. The bombardment was met by an equally strong fire from the Austrian heavy artillery.

Confronted by a stiffening resistance, punctuated with determined Austrian counter-attacks, the Italian offensive on the Isonzo front has lost much of its headway. Progress is reported, however, by the War Office at Rome, the advance on the Carso plateau having been pushed three-fifths of a mile beyond Opochiasella, whose capture was announced Saturday.

To the south near Monfalcone two heights have been carried, while east of Gorizia an advance is reported. The Italian drive has netted more than 15,000 prisoners since its inception. In the same period Vienna reports the capture of 5,000 Italians.

"On the Gorizia area," says the official report from Rome, "the enemy, reinforced, continued to resist on the hills east of the town, supported by heavy artillery and fire from Nainsizza plateau."

Monte San Michele, complete possession of which is vital to a further advance by the Italians, is still partly held by the defenders, and intent upon reducing this strong position the Italians battered it with their big shells.

Fully recovered from the shock of the blow that netted the Italians Gorizia, the Austrians are rushing fresh reserves and new artillery to the Isonzo front to check the advance of Cadorna's troops. Thousands of men have been observed, according to Rome, strengthening the defence of the Austrians along the Vipacchio line. Violent battles still rage on the Carso plateau.

Rome further reports officially the crossing of the Vallone and the capture of the western slopes of Monte Nablomen and the summit of Ornirid heights, as well as the occupation of Opochiasella, 270 Austrians being made prisoners. These successes were scored on the western part of the front. A position on Monte Tofano also was taken.

Around Tolmino, to the north of Gorizia, a bitter battle is in progress. Rome despatches predict the early fall of the stronghold.

DEUTSCHLAND SUNK?

French Cruiser Reports Destruction of Big German Submersible.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Aug. 14.—The German merchant submarine Deutschland was sunk by a British patrol boat on the morning of August 8, according to a statement made here by an orderly of Captain Lique, commanding the French armored cruiser Admiral Aube, which put into port Saturday.

Captain Lique Saturday night refused to confirm or deny the report. The orderly said that the cruiser received a wireless message from a British patrol boat in the Atlantic last Tuesday, saying she had sunk the German merchant submarine that morning.

The French armored cruiser Admiral Aube came into this port Saturday with supplies and coal exhausted. She dropped anchor near the Austrian steamship Licia, tied up here since the beginning of the war. It is reported that Captain Lique has been keeping his cruiser near this port for the last two weeks, watching for the German submarine Bremen.

United States naval officers and customs officials boarded the cruiser. Under international law, she is entitled to supplies in limited quantities.

The Aube is the first entente warship to seek supplies in an American port.

DRIVING BACK TURKS.

British Army in Egypt is Still in Pursuit of Enemy at Suez.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—British forces in Egypt are still driving back the Turks who were defeated in the recent battle east of the Suez Canal. The following announcement in regard to this campaign was given out here Sunday:

"Our cavalry is still in pursuit of the Turkish rearguard, and yesterday evening had driven back the Turks to a position east of Birsh-el-Manca. Although no materials or stores were found at Birsh-el-Abd, there were large heaps of ashes in the vicinity of the abandoned Turkish position."

Projectiles Fell in Red Cross Zone.

SALONICA, Aug. 14.—The following statement Sunday was issued by the French command-in-chief: "German aeroplanes four times bombarded the outskirts of Vertskop. West the projectiles fell in the Red Cross zone. On the front there were some skirmishes and the usual cannonading, except in the region of Lake Doiran, where the artillery fire was heavy."

Anglo-Italian Agreement.

ROME, Aug. 14.—Premier Boselli and Walter Runciman will confer at Turin Tuesday. Great importance is attached to the meeting. The Anglo-Italian economic agreement is expected to be ratified and signed.

The late Hon. J. J. Foy left an estate valued at \$135,000.

Conscience.

"On what grounds do you desire to withdraw the plea of 'not guilty'?" "On the simple ground that we are guilty. However, we must call the attention of your honor to the regrettable fact that the statute of limitations lets us out. Too bad we were not asked about this matter earlier."

Meteors.

Swift meteors become visible at an average height of eighty-four miles and disappear at fifty-six miles, while the very slow meteors come in sight at about sixty-five miles and fade away at thirty-eight miles. Of the very slow meteors those that become visible at the greatest heights come twenty miles nearer the earth than those of very low radiant.

Cruel.

Old Aunt (on her deathbed)—I am just making my will, my dear Heinrich. I know, alas, too well that you are not religiously disposed and have no desire to promote the cause of—

Nephew (hastily)—Beg your pardon, aunt; quite the contrary.

Aunt—Heaven be praised! Then you will be glad to hear that I have left all my property to the church!

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to "cure" with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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BECKWITH COUNCIL.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the Township of Beckwith will meet at the Township Hall on Saturday, August 19th, 1916, at 10 o'clock a.m. for General Business. Petitioners are requested to send in their road returns.

J. W. ROBERTSON, Tp. Clerk.

NOTICE.

ALL HOUSEKEEPERS are advised to boil the water they use for drinking purposes at present as a precaution against germs.

J. M. SINCLAIR, M.D., M.H.O. Carleton Place, Aug. 8th, 1916.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED hereby gives notice that he will not be held responsible for any goods purchased in his name, or debts contracted on his behalf except in his written order.

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