### The Evening Times and Star

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THE WAR NEWS

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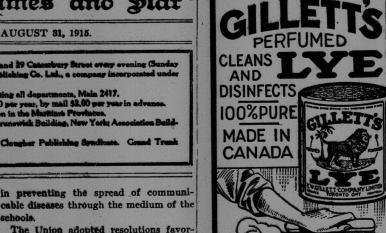
The most careful reading of the news does not lend encouragement to the hope for speedy success by the Allies. It is to be a long, hard and costly struggle, with another winter in the trenches. The winter will give the Allies time to mobilize their men and materials, and prepare for the campaign of next spring and summer. There is still no satisfactory news from the Balkans, and operations in the Dardanelles have not yet produced anything like the desired result. The wearing down process must be depended on all along the line, and the assurance of final victory lies in the calcular to the hope of the care of the care of the horder of the care of the families concerned, be compelled to mend its ways or go to the industrial farm. In connection with the treatment of delinquents, not guilty of serious crimes, the Union also expressed approval of the indeterminate sentence, which holds the penalty over the head of the calprit and places a continuous pre-

nounce that there will be no elections till after the war. If the elections are held before the war is over the people will understand that the government is afraid to wait, and regards its own safety as of greater importance than the safety of the Empire. Its term does not expire for more than a year, and there is no need of discussing the matter at all, but for the fear of the government that the longer it waits the worse its defeat will be. Sir Wilfrid Laurier made a fair and statesmanlike proposal to Sir Robert Borden, but the latter has not replied, either one way of the other. If he or the Standard thinks that the government can jockey the Liberals into giving it an extended lease of power after the war is over, without an appeal to the results are a perfectly as a perfect of the war is over, without an appeal to the results are from Germany relative to that government can jockey the Liberals into giving it an extended lease of power after the war is over, without an appeal to the results are from Germany relative to that government can jockey the Liberals into giving it an extended lease of power after the war is over, without an appeal to the results are from Germany relative to that government can jockey the Liberals into giving it an extended lease of power after the war is over, without an appeal to the results are from Germany relative to that government can jockey the Liberals into giving it an extended lease of power after the war is over; without an appeal to the results are from Germany relative to that give the clost his life on service, Lieutenant Cammell. to giving it an extended lease of power after the war is over, without an appeal to the people, they are greatly mistaken. Canada's present duty is to prosecute the war, with the least possible partisan discussion. After the war the people will want an opportunity to express their views on certain matters of home government which have been brought to their attention by Royal Commissions and in other ways. The Standard appears to think that the fate of Canada depends upon the continuance of the Borden government in power. That view is not shared by the majority of the people. An arrangement satity of the people. An arrangement sat-isfactory to both political parties should ic potatoes and intimates that he is about be made, however, along the lines sug-gested by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and it Who will take his place? Will the gov-

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people realize how greatly even small physical defects, which could easily be remedied when taken in time, interfere with the mental development and training of children, they will not merely assent to but insist upon medical inspection, which is also of the greatest value



LIGHTER VEIN.

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The military correspondent of the London Times very sharply criticizes the British conduct of the war from the beginning. The miners' strike has caused much uneasiness in England. There is said to be a split in the cabinet on the care of the care of these unfortunates, when the care of these unfortunates, and the name of Mr. J. J. Kelso is known from one end of Canada to the other. They have also in Ontario a department which has the care of feeble-minded children. Nova Scotia is likely soon to have proper provision for the care of these unfortunates, when the care of these unfortunates, when the care of the Canada to the name of Mr. J. J. Kelso is known from one end of Canada to the other. They have also in Ontario a department which has the care of feeble-minded children. Nova Scotia is likely soon to have proper provision of consequents of the Canada to the other. They have also in Ontario a department which has the care of feeble-minded children. Nova Scotia is likely soon to have proper provision of consequents of the Canada to the other. They have also in Ontario a department which has the care of feeble-minded children. Nova Scotia is likely soon to have proper provision of consequents of the Canada to the other. They have also in Ontario a department which has the care of feeble-minded children. Nova Scotia is likely soon to have proper provision of consequents of the Canada to the other. They have also in Ontario a department which has the care of feeble-minded children. Nova Scotia is likely soon to have proper provision of consequents of the Canada to the other. They have also in Ontario a department which has the care of feeble-minded children. Nova so in Ontario a department which has the care of feeble-minded children. Nova so in Ontario a department which has the care of feeble-minded children. Nova so in Ontario a department which has the care of feeble-minded children. Nova so in Ontario a department which has the care of feeble-minded children. Nova so in Ontario a department which has the car vision for the care of these unfortunates, who, if not cared for, will certainly inwere the causes of the Revolutionary War?"

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is up to Sir Robert Borden, if he is a patriotic statesman, to take the initia- or refuse to permit an investigation. The LAST WEEK'S CONVENTION

Correspondence between Mr. E. S. Carter and Commissioner Chandler, published today, makes interesting reading.

notable for the attention given to sub-jects relating to social welfare. The attention in this city and province. Union declared itself in favor of schools

New Brunswick, which should have filled
for industrial training, and of evening the ranks of the 64th Battalion, is schools for technical workers. Prof. Sex-ton's address on this subject was a fit-the ranks of the 55th are still unfilled. ting introduction to the discussion, and Moreover, we are told that another 40,000 the example of Nova Scotia is an in- to 50,000 men must be mobilized in Canpiration to New Brunswick.

Dr. Melvin's recommendations, that the

RED CROSS NOTES

health officer at the head, with proper provision for an accurate registration of vital statistics and a co-ordination of public health work in all parts of the province appealed so strongly to the Union that the matter was referred to a special committee, from which we may expect a comprehensive and valuable report at next year's convention, even if no more definite action should be taken in the meantime. The existing conditions in regard to public health matters, and especially the registration of vital statistics, are not creditable to the province, which is far behind other provinces in this respect.

Dr. Mullin's paper on medical inspection in the schools might well have been followed by a resolution of the Union strongly urging the universal adoption of the system, but there was not time for full discussion, and it may have been felt that a further campaign of education is needed before a satisfactory response can be hoped for. When the people realize how greatly even small physical defects, which could easily be hall head to the province of the walls of the province of the international committee of the Red Cross at Geneva publishes an order issued from the German War Office with reference to the correspondence of prisoners are to be allowed to write two letters a month, not exceeding four pages and six pages of ordinary size in the case of soldiers and officers respectively. In addition one post card a week is allowed. Exceptions to the rule are permitted in the case of family affairs or urgent private business. Prisoners are required to impress on their families the desirability of not writing too often, of restricting the length of their letters, and of writing clearly and legibly.

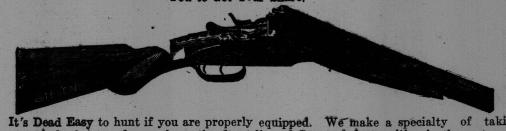
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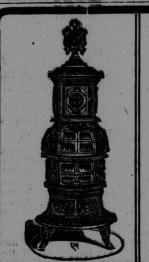
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