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THE SITUATION Almost like a bolt from the blue has come the fact that the Allies have made important gains by another drive south of Soissons. It was generally believed by the military critics that the brilliant counter attack had reached a finale but Foch has come along with another advance of two miles and the taking of many more villages and several strong strategic positions.

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what looked at first impossible. The launching of the first boat to-day is an augury that the whole twelve that are to be afloat this fall will be completed on time.

Credit is to be accorded, not only to the energy of the company and the organizing ability of the heads of the plant, but also to the workmen, who have labored faithfully and well, and have shown that Canadian labor can rise to the occasion and adapt itself to tasks that call for its resourcefulness and skill.

The fact that warships for France are being made in Fort William, Canada, is one which four years ago would have been deemed as incredible as a fairy tale. That such an event has become possible is an augury of the industrial extent that should follow the entente that has been prosecuting the war. The co-operation of the allied nations of to-day will be followed by a commercial agreement under which the trade of all the nations concerned will be made to prosper by mutual aid, rather than by an interminable struggle for existence.

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The adaptability of Canadian industry to an emergency is well illustrated by the launching today of the first of the naval ships from the yards of the Canadian Car and Foundry Company.

WHEAT PRICE TO BE FIXED Will be Decided at Meeting of Grain Supervisors on August 20th

OTAWA, Aug. 1.—The price to be paid for the wheat of the 1918 crop will be fixed by the Board of Grain Supervisors at a meeting to be held on August 20. The price for last year's crop was set on the basis of \$2.21 a bushel for No. 1 Northern at Fort William.

Members of the Board of Grain Supervisors and representatives of the banks and the Winnipeg Grain Exchange have been in Ottawa discussing various aspects of the problem of marketing and financing the grain soon to be harvested. In order to protect the interests of the grain growers, the Government has been asked to guarantee the continuance of the price to be fixed until the crop has been disposed of.

There has also been under discussion a proposal that the facilities for buying and handling grain created by the Canadian Grain Dealers be utilized. The British Wheat Export Company has for some time been the only purchaser of wheat for export, and the dealers' business has suffered.

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ANNUAL PICNIC OF WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

North Brant Branch Held Gathering at Paris on Wednesday

Paris, Aug. 2.—(By Our Own Correspondent)—The annual picnic of the Paris Branch of the North Brant Women's Institute was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clarence Potruif, Brantford, and the day being ideal brought forth many members who thoroughly enjoyed themselves in the company of their friends.

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By JANE PHELPS

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