

The Evening Times and Star

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THE WAR NEWS

The Emperor of Russia, after a year of war, and at the moment when his armies have been driven back and the evacuation of Warsaw is regarded as inevitable, says:

"I hereby solemnly declare that we will not conclude peace until the last enemy soldier has left our land."

The Russian minister of war says that Russia and her allies must continue the war, should it come last several years until the enemy is completely crushed.

As the war progresses the part played by airmen is likely to grow in importance. In this field the Allies are stronger than the enemy.

The letter of Mr. P. J. Venot, printed in today's Times, reveals the lengths to which his political enemies will go in their efforts to besmear his reputation and distract public attention from their own misdeeds.

The Kaiser in a manifesto just issued says that before God and history his conscience is clear. While he may have a convenient conscience he is not wise to anticipate the verdict of history.

It is reported that three Americans were killed when the Leyland liner Iberian was sunk on Saturday by a German submarine.

It is still impossible to say what the French and British propose to do. The Russian press urges that they relieve the pressure in the east by a drive in the west.

Referring to the development of the Warsaw region by the enemy, the Russian minister of war said yesterday:

"Under the circumstances, we shall perhaps yield to the enemy a portion of this region, falling back on positions where our army will prepare for a resumption of the offensive."

The Winnipeg Telegram has added an additional column to its pages, and announces other improvements, costing in all about \$12,000.

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THE LATE J. ALBRIGHTON CLARKE. The presence of many friends, including a delegation of Knights of Pythias, at the funeral of J. Albrighton Clarke, at the magnificent funeral tributes, which filled a barouche, gave testimony to the deep sorrow aroused by Mr. Clarke's death.

THE CANADIAN COURIER TELLS OF AN OLD MAN who, by keeping a little shop, had saved \$700. He drew out his savings and gave them, with the remark that since he could not go his money would purchase a machine gun, which it was claimed would do the work of many men.

Today's cables tell of very heavy losses sustained by the Austrians and Germans in their great drive in the east. Apparently, also, the Russians are retiring in good order.

A direct car service to East St. John is necessary and long overdue, and the news that it is soon to be provided will be hailed with satisfaction.

Benjamin Benedict urges the heads of the belligerent nations to end the war. That is what the Allies are trying to do—not only to end this war but to make such war in future impossible. In that they deserve the sympathy of the church.

Sir Robert Borden, as the representative of Canada, has been decorated with the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor. There are some Nationalists in Montreal, disciples of Mr. Bourassa, who will doubtless object to Sir Robert's acceptance of the honor.

It happened in Topoka. Three clothing stores were on the same block. One morning the middle proprietor saw the right of him a sign, "Bargain Sale," and to the left, "Closing Out at Cost."

think they have a right to object. Canada, however, appreciates the honor paid to her first minister by her great ally.

PROCLAMATION

Fredericton, July 28.—His Honor the Lieut. Governor respectfully requests that Wednesday, the fourth day of August, be observed throughout the province as the first anniversary of Great Britain's declaration of war against Germany and that on that day clergyman of the several churches and others, in sermons and addresses, impress upon their hearers the determination to continue to victory the struggle for justice and liberty in which our nation and her allies are engaged.

LIGHTER VEIN

A young man who last June received his diploma has been looking around successfully for a position, for employment and for a job.

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We still have plenty of our 15-Jewel Swiss-made watches, containing 18,000 parts, made in Toronto and is handled by practically all stores.

WILL BRITAIN MAKE COTTON CONTRABAND?

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ALLAN GUNDRY

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This is What They Cost Put INTO YOUR STOVE: 8-18 Stoves with water front, \$1.50; 8-18 Stoves without water front, \$1.25; 8-20 Stoves with water front, \$1.25; 8-20 Stoves without water front, \$1.50.

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Men's ViciKid Laced Boots

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ENAMELLED WARE BARGAIN

- Saucepans..... 6c, 8c, 10c, 14c 5c. Tea Kettles..... 8c, 10c, 14c, 20c Wash Basins..... 7c 2c. Spoons..... 17c, 25c 5c. Tooth Brushes..... 5c 15c. Tooth Brushes..... 2 for 15c Scrub Brushes..... 2 for 15c 50c. Hair Brushes..... 2 for 15c 15c. Dressing Combs..... 10c 25c. Dressing Combs..... 15c 15c. Dressing Combs..... 25c Pearl Buttons..... 25c

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FIRE INSURANCE

The Royal Exchange Assurance (Founded 1720), "is doing its bit" by holding open the jobs and paying the salaries of 260 of its staff engaged in the war. This company has \$35,000,000.00 in cash assets.

VENICE PROTECTED AGAINST ATTACKS

Rome, July 18.—(Correspondence)—While life in the other great cities of Italy goes on much as usual during the war, without the usual summer air of festivity perhaps, and with a graver expression on the faces of the inhabitants, Venice, the Queen of the Adriatic is transformed and the life of her people is entirely changed.

RED CEDAR CLAPBOARDS

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PARIS FEELS DIFFICULTIES OF DODGING WAR PRICES

Paris, July 18.—(Correspondence)—Paris is beginning to feel the difficulties of dodging war prices, particularly food prices. Everything was so cheap in the beginning, and remained so for months, that it was possible for restaurants to make slight and gradual encroachments that were not noticeable to the public.