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THE WAR SITUATION.

Not only does it seem probable that the Central and South American republics will follow the example of the United States and Cuba, but the feeling grows that Mexico will not give any serious trouble to her neighbors.

The United States will not only take measures to raise at once an immense war fund for her own purpose, but will provide an even greater fund in the form of a loan for the Entente Allies.

The reports from the various battle-fronts indicate that there are no heavy engagements, and the relative positions of opposing armies show little change.

Today's cables seem to indicate that a great British drive has begun on the western front.

It grows more clear as the weeks pass that the German submarine campaign must fail, and its failure means the failure of Germany.

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are ready to act up to their principles and defeat any government which betrays the people's trust.

It will be interesting to learn whether the Conservatives of Carleton, Ontario, will persist in making Mr. W. F. Garland their candidate again, in the face of the report of Sir Charles Davidson.

There is no chance of dodging the verdict of Sir Charles Davidson, any more than that of the New Brunswick Royal Commission.

Mr. Garland, when exposed, resigned his seat in parliament, but no move has been made to punish him.

The question of prohibiting liquor advertisements in provinces which have been the theatre of a good deal of discussion, and doubt has been expressed whether any province has the power to prohibit such advertising, especially when the contracts are made with firms outside the province.

The following paragraph from a Washington letter to the Toronto Globe ought to be called to Sir Robert Borden's attention.

The Standard rushes to the defence of Lieut. Gov. Wood before anybody will agree to the appointment of Royal Com-missioners who are his advisers ask for it.

A writer in the Canadian Courier says that the attorney-general of Manitoba welcomes the advent of women to public life, and their appearance in the legislature would not cause him any misgiving.

We can all sympathize with the Wyoming miners who partly hanged a man and then made him kneel and kiss the American flag after he had shouted: "Hoed-der Kaiser." It is not the Kaiser, however, but what he represents, that men hate and abhor.

The death of Dr. N. R. Colter was a severe shock to his friends, following so soon after the death of his brother, and his own retirement from the position of post office inspector.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENTS
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Turner of Woburn, Mass., formerly of Fredericton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Frances, to Elmer A. Chadwick of Arlington, Mass.

LIGHTER VEIN

A late police magistrate was a most painstaking judge in all his cases, and in important ones it was his custom to defer summing up until the next sitting of the court.

"Sir, I know it is no use you knocking your head against a brick wall; but I may add that I know of no one who could perform such an operation with less injury to himself than you."

There was a sound of breaking glass heard in the drawing-room and the following dialogue ensued:

"But, whatever does your wife say to that?" inquired the friend.

The lady visitor was kindly and well-meaning. As she chatted with a burglar who had been sentenced to six months' imprisonment, she thought she detected signs of reform in him.

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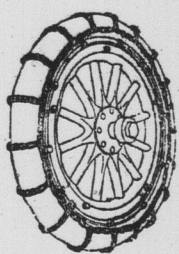
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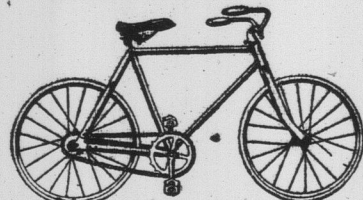
- Tire Pumps, Auto Tap and Die Sets, A. L. M. thread, 1-4 in. to 3-4 in., Adamson's Vulcanizers, Carbon Remover, Auto Jacks, Storage Jacks or Tire Savers, Valve Lifters, Finished Hex. Blank Nuts, Machine Screws, Auto Split Washers, Drills and Reamers, Cotter Pins, Fil. Lifters, Cotter all kinds, Anti-Door Rattlers, Auto Enamel.

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A Staunch Supporter of Borden and an Orangeman, He is Opposed to Imperialism and Conscription, and Would Have French Taught in Every English School

(Arthur Hawkes in Toronto Star Weekly.)

Deer. Drinking them made Thompson long to dwell nearer the delectable mountains whence they came.

This man's tenets seem contradictory until you remember that the Nile is Egypt and Egypt is the Nile.

Some Things He Says
When a war literally takes your readers to the front by the thousands, and your rivals make casualties of their advertising rates, and still you gaily face the sunrise, you can afford to do considerable bold thinking in cold, unledged lino-type.

Severe Headaches and Pains in the Back
Resulted From Deranged Kidneys and Constipation of the Bowels.

It is in vain to try to regulate and restore the healthful action of the kidneys until the liver and bowels are set right.

from kidney disease and pains in the back, but have found that by using one pill a week the kidneys and bowels are kept in good order, and I do not have any more pains in the back or head like I used to have. I was also a great sufferer from piles, and could get no relief until I used Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Mr. William Loney, Marysville, N. B., writes: "I am glad to recommend Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to anybody whose is suffering from kidney trouble or constipation. I suffered for a long time

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"I SALUTE YOU" IS ANSWER OF WILSON TO PRES. POINCARÉ.

Is Gratified at Message From France and Delighted That France and United States will Fight Shoulder to Shoulder.

Washington, April 8.—In response to President Poincaré's congratulations upon the entrance of the United States into the war, President Wilson today sent this message:

"In this trying hour, when the destinies of civilized mankind are in the balance, it has been a source of gratification and joy to me to receive your congratulations upon the step which my country has been constrained to take in opposition to the relentless policy and course of imperialist Germany.

"We stand as partners of the noble democracies whose aims and acts make for the perpetuation of the rights and freedom of man, and for the safeguarding of the true principles of human liberty. In the name of the American people, I salute you and your illustrious countrymen."

THEY WERE RUNDOWN

How often we hear it said of a man or woman that "they were rundown in health" which accounts for their present sickness. That for reason it is important that when you find you are tired, when your nerves are troublesome or your work is irksome, you should strengthen your system immediately with the blood-enriching, tissue-building food in Scott's Emulsion which contains the purest cod liver oil and is free from harmful drugs.

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