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Imperial Conference.

CANADIAN CANALS SHOW

Tons Passed Thru Last Year.

as against 7,750,957 tons the previous

year. Wheat accounted for the larg-

BIG TRAFFIC INCREASE

respondent adds that he failed on his recent visit to the Canadian front to find any officer of high position who the subject to a special committee. Would Reform Senate. Mr. German, Welland, moved the adoption of an address to the imperial expects to see Canada again just yet. They are more than satisfied with the

government praying for an amend-ment of the B.N.A. Act in respect to the Dominion senate. The German progress which is being made, but they realize there is hard fighting and much of it before the army can pick up and go home. (Concluded on Page 4, Column 4).

STRONG ARTILLERY FIRE PREFERENCE QUESTION UPON WESTERN FRONT NOT INTERFERED WITH

Imperial War Cabinet Has Not Germans Claim Repulsing British Attacks at Roeux. Taken it From Hands of

Berlin, via London, May 7.-The offi-cial communication issued this evening says:

London, May 7 .- (Via Reuter's Ot-"On the Arras front strong artillery tawa agency.)-In the house of com-mons, Mr. Newins asked whether the fire continues on some sectors. At Roeux and between Fontaine and Reinquestion of preference had been taken court British attacks have been re-pulsed with sanguinary losses. At Bullecourt the fighting continues. from the hands of the imperial con-Right Hon. Walter Long, colonial

"On the Aisne strong attacks on both sides of the Graonelle failed." secretary, replied that an impression that the conference was not wholly

ADMIRAL STOREY PROMOTED. satisfied with the treatment of the

troi American waters and thus re-lieve the allied vessels on duty here for two and a half years, no state-

est portion of the increase, no less ment of naval policy is expected.

than 185,003,667 bushels passing thru. Whether American vessels will cross

question would be wholly incorrect. "The resolution was debated in the Vancouver, B.C., May 7 .- Rear-Adimperial war cabinet and the dominmiral W. O. Storey, admiral superin-tendent at Esquimalt, has been prohearty support. It was moved in the conference by the prime minister of moted to be vice-admiral.



the matter from the hands of the imperial conference would show an im-Important Negotiations Proceed in London---Washington perfect appreciation of the powers of the conference, and would be warmiy resented by the dominions." Maintains Great Secrecy Over Conferences---Plans

Develop to Overcome Submarines.

Washington, D.C., May 7 .- Navar to the other side and engage in an co-operation between the United offensive campaign, either in British waters or nearer the German bases. Twenty-Three and a Half Million States and the allies against Germany probably will become known only is being negotiated largely in London, thru the announcement of some de-

it was learned today, instead of here cisive action, if there is one. at Washington, as in the case with Submarine Discussions. Admiral De Chair, head of the at Washington, as in the case with By a Staff Reporter. Ottawa, May 7.-Traffic thru military and other subjects. Rearnaval contingent with the British war the Canadian canals last year showed Admiral Sims, who was on his way to an enormous increase over the previ-ous year. The who'e business, accord-ing to the annual report laid on the who has just attended the allied naval ferences with the bureau chiefs. He mission here, spent most of today at table of the commons today, was 23,583,491 tons, and the increase was 5,384,698 tons. The largest increase was, of course, at Sault Ste, Marie. The total traffic which passed thru the canal there was 16,813,649 tons, as against 7.50,957 tors the anticipal anticipal and the submarine menace. In a general way nical discussions about submarines,

British Admiralty, and facilitating

(Concluded on Page 7, Column 2).

in Paris.

Special to The Torento World. Niagara Falls, May 7.-Mrs. Elizabeth Srively, presumably the oldest woman in Canada, died last evening at the General Hospital, this city, in her one hundred and second year. Mrs. Snively was born in Lundy's Lane and resided continuously in this city. Her husband died here 50 years ago. She is survived by one bro-ther, Alem Green, this city, and two deughters, Mrs. Woodward, Grand Rapids, Mich., and Mrs. Richerd Coulson, this city; end e. host of grand and great-grandchildren. She will be buried in Lundy's Lane Centery Tuesday. Paris, May 7.-The United States was represented for the first time in the allied war conferences by Rear-Admiral William S. Sims, who was present at the recent council of war here. In connection, with the confer-ences of the English and French war ences of the English and French war missions at Washington, those at Paris are likely to be followed by de-cisions as to the part the United States will actually take in the war. Five nations, on whom the brunt of the campaign against the central powers is now falling, were represent-ed at the war council, namely, Great Britain, France, Italy, Russia, and the United States. While Great Britain and France were represented by mili-

supply of coal at the earliest possible moment. and France were represented by mili-tary and naval officers of the highest rank, including Major-General Sir.Wm. R. Robertson, Field-Marshal Haig, First Sea Lord, Admiral Sir John R.

Jellicoe, Generals Nivelle and Petain and Vice-Admiral De Leon, the par-ticipation of the United States was

confined to the naval side, only Rear-Admiral Sims and Lieut.-Commander William R. Sayles, the naval attache, war aims until after the Stockholm Socialistic conference. attending.

TURKS REPORT KILLING OF TEN RUSS TROOPERS

Constantinople Also Reports Airplane Raid on British

Headquarters.

Constantinople, via London, May 7. -An official communication issued today says:

which crossed the upper Diala River were repulsed, leaving ten dead be-"Sinai Peninsula-Six of our aero-

planes have dropped hombs on the enemy headquarters and also on his aerodromes."

BULLETINS

LABORING CLASSES WANT COAL.

LLOYD GEORGE BACK FROM FRANCE.

Violent Counter-Attacks. "Very violent counter-attacks, pre-ceded by intense bombardments, were launched against our positions at Froldmont farm, on the Cerny-Hurte-hise front, and on the Craonne and Vauclerc heights. The fighting, which assumed a most violent character, ter-minated to the advantage of our troops, which victoriously resisted the most furious assaults and maintained their positions everywhere. The Gertheir positions everywhere. The Gertheir positions everywhere. The Ger-mans were mowed down in masses by our heavy and field artillery and ma-chine guns, suffering large losses in these engagements. The number of our prisoners is now more than 6200. "This brings up the total number of prisoners taken by French troops in the fighting since April 16 to about 29 000 London, Ont., May 7 .- A strong demonstration was made here tonight by the laboring classes of London. Following a big parade, headed by a brass band, the laboring people literally stormed the city hall, demanding a municipal coal yard. The council decided there was an emergency at hand and the board of control was instructed to obtain a 29,000

23,000. "On the remainder of the front' there were intermittent artillery en-gagements. We broke up several sur-prise attacks by the enemy, particu-larly in the Argonne, near Bolante and Grurie wood. We made several successful incursions into the German lines, near Sonvaux Hill and east of Moncel."

Gompers Appeals to Russia To Avoid Premature Peace

Washington, May 7.—A ples against a premature peace for Russia and remew-ed assurances that American wage-earn-ers and the American people are in hearty sympathy with the Russian demo-cratic movement are included in a cable-gram sent by President Samuel Gomp-ers of the American Federation of La-bor to the executive committee of the council of workmen's and soldiers' depu-ties at Petrograd today.

DINEEN'S ATTRACTIVE SELLING.

Selling is continuing at Dineen's

London, May 7.--Premier Lloyd George and his colleagues, who have been attending a war conference of the allies in France, have returned safely to London.

HOLLWEG AFRAID TO REPLY.

London, May 7 .- According to a Reuter despatch from Amsterdam, the pan-German newspapers in Berlin continue their attacks on the German chancellor. The Neuste Rechisten accuses Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollwey of delaying his reply to the reichstag interpellations regarding Germany'

> HUN EXTORTION IN BELGIUM. Havre, May 7 .- The Societe Generale, one of the largest Belgian

banks, has been fined 250,000 marks by the German authorities. The fine was levied under the pretext that the bank was in correspondence with the Belgian Government.

ANOTHER HUNGARIAN WAR LOAN.

London, May 8.—A despatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from Amsterdam says reports received there from Budapest are to the effect that the sixth Hungarian war loan will be issued in the middle of May. The loan will be a six per cent. state issue. BRITAIN TO CONTROL LIQUOR. London, Tuesday, May 8.—The Times this morning claims it has authority for stating that the government has adopted in principle the southory of state purchase of the lignor trade. Selling is continuing at Dineen's during the alterations and repairs to the building, following the fire stock still remains to be sold at prices that made the fire sale an unusually com-plete success. Visit Dineen's if you have in mind the selection of ladies' hats or millinery, raincoats or sweat-ers. On the ground floor and base-ment, men's hats of every variety, and raincoats. Dineen's, 140 Yonge street.

policy of state purchase of the liquor trade.

"Two squadrons of Russian cavalry

their long efforts to suppress the submarine menace. In a general way

he is acting as an intermediary to the