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**TOWN QUIET.**—Matters were quiet  
 as police circles Saturday night and  
 only one arrest was made.  
**PIANOS AND ORGANS.**—CHESLEY  
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**AT CADIZ.**—The schr. Falka left  
 for Cadiz on Friday last, for Cadiz to  
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# TO-DAY'S Messages.

## 10.20 A.M.

### ON THE BRITISH FRONT.

LONDON, To-day.  
 A British official issued last night reads: There was a considerable amount of activity last night on various parts of our front. The enemy bombarded our trenches vigorously at many points from the River Bouve to Wicourt. About midnight this bombardment, accompanied by two ineffective discharges, was made westward of the Vimy ridge. There were no infantry attacks. Further south we carried out two successful raids, one near the River Lys, the second near Givenchy. In both cases our parties accomplished some useful bombing, returning safely. Near Hulluch, north of Arras, we exploded mines with success. To-day has been devoid of any particular incident, except for combined mining activity in the vicinity of Loos, where three further mines were sprung, one by the enemy and two by us. Of the latter, one caused serious damage to the enemy's underground works.

## 2 00 P. M.

### FURTHER RUSSIAN PROGRESS.

PETROGRAD, To-day.  
 An official statement from general headquarters issued yesterday reads: The Emperor received this morning the following from the Emperor of Japan: "With great pleasure I have received the agreeable news of the glorious victory gained by your valiant army in Galicia. I hasten to express to your Imperial Majesty my sincerest congratulations on the occasion of the high military feat of your army." Signed, Yoshihito. In order to arrest our advance on Lemberg the enemy, strengthened by elements brought from other fronts, made furious counter attacks at many points against the troops of General Brusiloff west of the town of Kolkli on the Styr. Last evening the enemy, under violent fire from our artillery, took the offensive in the region of the village of Gadomitche. His attack was repulsed, and our troops, pressing on the enemy's heels, broke through his position on the northern bank of the Styr, taking 15 officers and more than 800 men prisoners. Northwest of Rokl Rokitche on the Stockhod River, in the course of a hot engagement with the Germans, our troops, commanded by Gen. Kislyiz, captured by a brilliant attack the village of Svidnik, taking 4 officers and 850 men prisoners. The Hussars of White Russia, supported by the fire of the horse artillery, brilliantly charging through three extended lines of the enemy, also subdued two Austrian companies. Our cavalry at noon yesterday occupied Radziviloff after dislodging the enemy, when it continued to drive them back upon Brody, northeast. The enemy were driven out of Staryl Moyal and Potchaleff as well as from the old Convent of Potchaleff. Both places were occupied by our troops yesterday. An army corps commander, who was an eye witness of yesterday's fighting in one of the Stripa districts, says: "The enemy was in flight on the entire battlefield, thrown into the utmost confusion by salvos from our batteries. Germans and Austrians intermingled fell in hundreds and brigades. Our batteries at full gallop occupied the open positions, whence they fired point blank on the fugitives. The dash of our troops was irresistible."

### GERMANS REPULSED.

PARIS, To-day.  
 Several attacks by the Germans on the new French positions in the Deadman's Hill region to the north-west of Verdun were repulsed. The French are maintaining their recent gains, the War Office announced this afternoon. The Germans suffered heavy losses, as they did also in a futile attack on the French trenches in the Thiamont sector to the east of the Meuse.

### MRS. ASTOR TO RE-WED.

NEW YORK, To-day.  
 The Brooklyn Eagle announces the engagement of Mrs. John Jacob Astor, widow of Col. J. J. Astor, who lost his life in the Titanic, to William J. Dick, of Brooklyn. The wedding will take place on June 19th. Dick is a sugar refiner. Mrs. Astor was married to the Talmage. She will be forced by her marriage to surrender an income trust of five million dollars bequeathed to her by Col. Astor in his will, for so long as during her natural life she shall remain his widow. The will provided that in case of her marriage the fund should go to Col. Astor's son, Vincent Astor.

### AT VERDUN.

PARIS, To-day.  
 An official issued by the War Office tonight reads: On the front north of Verdun, artillery action took on a certain intensity in the region of Hill 304 and in the sector north of Thiamont fortifications. There was no infantry attack. The day was calm on the rest of the front except in the Argonne where mine fighting continued actively in the regions of Bolzins, Vaugainne and Lalignemont. The Belgian communication reads: Dur-

ing the morning the Belgian batteries and French artillery carried out a destructive fire on the German works north of Dixmude.

### U. S. MILITIA CALLED OUT.

WASHINGTON, To-day.  
 President Wilson has called out the militia for service on the Mexican border.

### GENERAL MERCER KILLED.

LONDON, To-day.  
 Brigadier General Mercer, Third Canadian Division in France, heretofore reported missing, is now unofficially reported killed.

### SARDINIA SUNK.

LONDON, To-day.  
 The British steamer Sardinia, 545 tons, has been sunk, Lloyds shipping agency to-day announced.

### MEXICAN SITUATION SERIOUS.

WASHINGTON, To-day.  
 Virtually the entire mobile strength of the national guard in all the States of the district of Columbia were ordered to be mustered into the Federal service to-night by President Wilson. About 100,000 men are expected to respond to the call. They will be mobilized immediately for such service on the Mexican border as may later be assigned to them. General Frederick Funston, Commanding the border forces, will designate the time and place for movements of the guardsmen on the international line as occasion shall require.

### RUSSIANS PRESSING ON KOVEL.

LONDON, To-day.  
 Heavy fighting between Russians advancing toward Kovel and Germans under General Von Linsingen is reported by the Berlin Tageblatt correspondent at Austrian headquarters. According to an Amsterdam despatch the Russians are superior in numbers and the despatch asserts that the Tageblatt account of fighting is worded so as to prepare Berlin for news of another Teutonic retreat.

### ECONOMIC CONFERENCE CONCLUDED.

PARIS, To-day.  
 The Economic Conference of the Entente Allies before adjourning on Saturday adopted unanimously the resolutions which it was decided to make public next Wednesday in the Allied countries. Baron de Brouqueville, in closing his address, declared that the purpose of the Conference had been entirely realized. Immediate collaboration, for which a basis had been formulated, marked the opening of a new era, he said. It was a profound error, Baron de Brouqueville declared, to admit that the Conference had been working for a war while in truth it was a preservative and beneficial union against war. Liberty, honesty and justice would be the safeguard, he asserted, and the Conference ignored any other motive. The decision taken was a new gauge of continuity, said the Baron, which words were formally approved by all the delegates.

### VERDUN BATTLE CONTINUES.

PARIS, To-day.  
 A German infantry attack on the French position north of Hill 321 was repulsed by French batteries yesterday, according to an official statement. The Germans are continuing their bombardment at Deadman's Hill and in the Chattancourt region.

### U. S. IN ARMS.

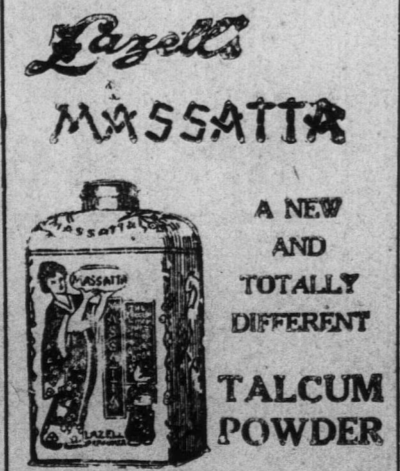
WASHINGTON, To-day.  
 Not since the Spanish war has the United States seen such military activity as to-day. More than 100,000 National Guardsmen in 45 States were under orders to mobilize for Mexican service, and constitute virtually the entire military strength of the nation. President Wilson issued the orders yesterday, when it became apparent that the threatening conditions in Northern Mexico were not improving.

### BRITISH CASUALTIES.

LONDON, To-day.  
 The casualty list for the past week contains the names of 365 officers, of whom 83 were killed, and of 7,286 men, of whom 1,646 were killed.

### Train Notes.

The outgoing express is due at Port aux Basques at midnight.  
 The incoming express is due at 3 p.m. to-day.  
 The local train from Carbonar arrived in the city at noon to-day.  
 The Trepassey train reached town at 11.30 a.m. to-day.



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# 1st Nfld. REGIMENT. Casualty List.

JUNE 19.  
 453.—Private Edward J. Hoare, 52 Prescott St. Died of enteric, Egypt, June 14.  
 1519.—Private William J. Lamont, Bell Island. Wounded dangerously, June 17.  
 J. R. BENNETT, Colonial Secretary.

## Council Nominations.

The following candidates were to-day nominated for the offices of Mayor and Councillors. From this number a Mayor and six Councillors will be elected on Thursday, June 29th:

### CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR.

William Gilbert Gosling (merchant)—Proposed by T. J. Edens (grocer); seconded, R. F. Horwood (lumber merchant. Witness, M. Power, wharfinger.

W. A. O'D. Kelly (dealer in building supplies)—Proposed by John Davcy (contractor); seconded by Hy. Gear (hardware merchant). Witness, Jozas C. Barter (architect.)

### COUNCILLORS.

I. C. Morris (sailmaker)—Proposed by R. A. Templeton (merchant); seconded by H. E. Cowan (merchant). Witness, Tobias R. Jackman (grocer).

Charles P. Ayre (merchant)—Proposed by Wm. Linegar (cooper); seconded by Samuel G. Collier (carriage builder). Witness, John P. Curtin (druggist.)

F. W. Bradshaw (Commission Merchant)—Proposed Geo. Neal; seconded by J. J. O'Brien (grocer); witness W. F. Trelligan (store keeper).

F. McNamara (Merchant)—Proposed James F. Parker (manufacturer); seconded Thomas Lawrence (manufacturer); witness L. A. Diamond (accountant).

James McGrath (Delegate Longshoremen's Union)—Proposer, Mon. M. P. Gibbs, K.C.; seconded, Freeman Moores (tallyman); witness, James Hudson (laborer).

N. J. Vinnicombe (Licensed Victualler)—Proposer, M. J. Kennedy (contractor and builder); seconded, Andrew Carnell (carriage builder); witness, J. C. Parsons (photographer).

James Sinclair Tall, M.D.; Proposer, George Langmead (watchmaker); seconded, W. F. Kenny (ham and bacon dealer); witness, B. McGrath (lumberman).

John J. Mullally (Master Cooper)—Proposer, Wm. Bolt (master cooper); seconded, Henry Bartlett (contractor); witness, Arthur C. Peters (accountant).

Henry J. Brownrigg (Commission Merchant)—Proposer, John F. Coaker (contractor); seconded, Michael W. Myrick (mechanic); witness, M. Pike (grocer).

Thomas M. White (Mechanic)—Proposer, James T. Martin (mortician); seconded, John J. Coaker (contractor); witness, Joseph E. Butler (storeroom keeper).

John W. Withers (King's Printer)—Proposer, Wm. R. Howley, K.C.; seconded, H. E. Cowan (merchant); witness, W. H. Goodland (printer).

## Widowed Mother Meets With Accident.

At 11 o'clock this morning, Mrs. Martha Lush, a widowed mother, of five children, two of whom depend entirely on her for support, met with a nasty accident by falling over a gallery at the rear of her home, Water Street West, opposite Horwood Lumber Co. It appears that the poor woman was in the act of picking up some clothes-pins, when the feeble structure threatened to give way, and in an effort to get back to the house she lost her balance and fell about four feet to the ground. She was picked up by some men working in the Reid Co.'s freight sheds, and on examination it was found that the right arm was slightly bent and badly bruised, while a deep gash, about three inches long, was inflicted on the left forehead. After a vain search for a doctor, who could nowhere be found, the ambulance was sent for and conveyed, suffering woman to hospital. Mrs. Lush, since the death of her husband some years ago, has kept her little home together by hard work, which is no easy matter considering the high cost of living. She is 45 years of age.

## Purloined a Rug.

A school boy was arrested under warrant on Saturday night, charged with the larceny of a carriage rug belonging to cabman M. Kelly. During last week the school boy had been playing the truant and stole the rug from Kelly's stable to cover himself at night time, he being found underneath a house wrapped in the rug by the police. The lad admitted the theft to-day to Judge Hutchings. He was liberated on a bond being signed by his mother for his future good behaviour.

## Salmon Fishery on West Coast

Mr. J. W. N. Johnstone, General Passenger Agent of the Reid Nfld. Co., received a message from South Branch Saturday evening stating: The following salmon caught week ending June 17th: B. Cormier (resident), 2; weight 8 and 23 lbs. S. W. McIsaac, (resident), 1; weight 7 lbs. G. B. French (tourist, staying at Tompkin's bungalow), 3; weight from 10 to 14 lbs. S. W. McIsaac, guide. Tompkins opened bungalow yesterday. (Sgd.) J. GILLMAN.

## Doctor Grenfell's Montreal Lecture.

In a letter to his brother, Rev. Dr. Curtis of this city, the Rev. J. K. Curtis, B.A., of Montreal, makes the following reference to Dr. Grenfell's lecture, which has been the subject of so much local comment. The Rev. gentleman remarks:—

"I should very much like to say a word to contradict the erroneous reports that seem to be current, re the lecture given by Dr. Grenfell in the Ritz Carlton Hotel in this city. Perhaps it is sufficient to say that he in no way reflected on the good name of the people with whom he is working, and to whose well-being he has given so much of his life. On the contrary his address was most kindly in its references to the people, where such could be given, and repeated references were made to their efforts to help in the Empire's struggle, and most heartily applauded. These remarks apply to Newfoundland and Labrador. "I had the pleasure of moving a vote of thanks to the lecturer, and I am frank to say that had anything been said that had carried reflection on the morals, etc. of the people, I'd have been as anxious to have as publicly refuted it, as to endorse the remarks made. Dr. Grenfell did not know that I was in the audience until then."

## Red Lions Vs. Wanderers.

The second baseball match will be played Wednesday afternoon between the Wanderers (last year's champions) and the Red Lions. The Wanderers will use practically the same team as last year, except that they will be strengthened by the addition of pitcher Brown, who was unable to play through illness last season. However, King and Ford will be the regular Battery for the blue and whites. The Red Lions also have a strong aggregation. Cooney and Hiltz have again decided to don the armour and will resume control of the battery.

## Here and There.

ROPER'S, Noon.—Bar. 29.50; ther. 59.  
 REACHED BOSTON.—The Church ship Amazon arrived at Boston on Friday last.  
 LEAGUE FOOTBALL.—St. George's Field this evening at 7 o'clock sharp. Terra Novas vs. B. I. S.—June 19, 11.  
 WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is calm and fine, with temperature 50 to 80 above.  
 ONE CENT INCREASE FOR MINERS.—The Dominion Iron and Steel Co. and the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co., Bell Island, have agreed to increase the wages of every man working in their employ by one cent an hour. This will be about \$2.60 per month for each man in addition to his rate of pay.



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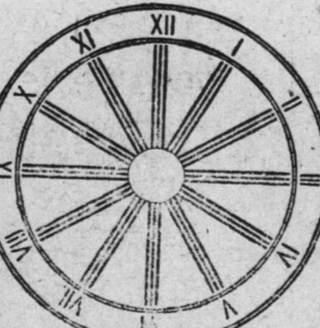
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