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THE SITUATION.

The news with regard to Roumania is distinctly better. The counter offensive against Falkenhayn on the Transylvania frontier is regaining power and strong positions have been occupied and many guns taken.

On the Somme front, both the British and the French have made still further progress in their drives towards Bapaume and Peronne.

There is a like report of further ground gained on the Macedonian front in the drive of French and Serbian forces towards Monastir.

The talk of a general offensive by the Russians in Volhynia and Galicia has apparently been commenced.

The King of Greece has again submitted to demands of the Allies, and after refusing the request of the French military attache to remove troops from Thessaly, has now given that order.

THE PRESIDENTIAL CONTEST

As the Presidential contest in the United States is nearing a finish, there is apparently a good deal of a swing towards Wilson.

Without much doubt the war is playing a considerable part in the matter. The Teutons are down on Wilson, although for what reason, will constitute a good deal of a puzzle to the average outsider.

The existing administration has certainly allowed Berlin to put it all over Uncle Sam, and the Lusitania outrage is still unavenged.

More-over, as the chief neutral nation, our neighbors are sitting idly by while the Huns are sinking the ships of other neutrals, without protest or hindrance.

Now there are a very great many people in the States who are going to vote Wilson because of this very thing. The idea of any man in the White House finding himself even under partial obligation to the hyphens for that fact, is naturally abhorrent to a whole lot of right-thinking people.

POPE BENEDEICT AND THE SCHOOL QUESTION

The encyclical letter recently sent to the Canadian Bishops from the Vatican, not only enjoins peace among the Catholics in the language dispute, but also reminds them of the rights of the State. On this latter point, the pronouncement says:—"Nobody can deny that the civil Government of Ontario has the right to exact that children should learn English in the schools, and likewise that the Catholics of Ontario legitimately require that it should be perfectly taught, in order that their sons should be placed on the same level in this respect with non-Catholic children who frequent the neutral schools and that they should not be eventually lost fitted for the higher schools or be disqualified for civil employments. Nor on the other hand

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Hindenburg Credits French With Being Good Fighters

By Courier Lensed Wire. Berlin, Oct. 30.—(By wireless to Seyville)—Field Marshal Von Hindenburg, German chief of staff, is quoted by the Overseas News Agency as follows: "The French show great tenacity, but they are exterminating lives by their method of fighting. All their tenacity will be of no avail, for in the end there will be none of them left. This fate of the French nation is owing above all else to the British. If the British ask next spring for one more offensive campaign they will rob France of the remainder of her army, and her national strength."

"Attempts of this kind must always be condemned." (This is the first report to reach the United States of an attempt against the life of Queen Marie of Roumania.) The Field Marshal then spoke about the visit to Berlin of the Turkish minister of war, Enver Pasha, whom he called a "clear, honest and trustworthy man, and an excellent soldier."

Action Against Newspapermen

By Winnipeg, Oct. 30.—The court of King's Bench will consider on December 11 or possibly at a still later date, the application made by Isaac Pitblado, K.C., on behalf of the attorney-general to commit to jail for contempt of court Knox Magee, editor of the Winnipeg Saturday Post. An adjournment was granted the defense when the case was called this morning and the engagements of some of the judges necessitate its being a long one.

is there any reason to contest the right of French-Canadians living in the Province, to claim, in a suitable way, however, that French should be taught in the schools attended by a certain number of their children; nor are they indeed to be blamed for upholding what is so dear to them."

NOTES AND COMMENTS

There are now 3,500 female clerks in Canadian banks. Some credit will be apt to remark that they ought to make excellent tillers.

King Constantine has been forced to give way some more. The kind of Greece he has on his hands now is making his hold pretty slippery.

Hamilton Herald (Independent)—That Sir Wilfrid Laurier made a tactical blunder when he declined to cooperate with Sir Robert Borden in the work of national service for military purposes is becoming more and more evident. Even Liberal journals express their regret that the Opposition leader threw away such a golden opportunity, and such excuses as are made for his action are half-hearted and insincere. It is a pity."

Signature Was Not Genuine

By Courier Lensed Wire. Washington, Oct. 30.—Acceptance by the state department to-day of an explanation by Mexican ambassador Arredondo denying the authenticity of a statement over the signature of Luis Cabrera assailing the American Government for permitting aid to reach Villa from this side of the border was expected to close the incident. The statement had threatened serious complications.

Mr. Arredondo made known his purpose last night of calling at the state department to-day to explain that the statement was put out by an employe of the Mexican news bureau, without the knowledge or consent of either the embassy or Mr. Cabrera.

Music and Drama

"Some Baby" At The Grand. In speaking of a newly produced play recently one of the New York critics wrote "every season produces at least one-side splitting farce. Two years ago it was 'Twin Beds'; last year 'Some Baby'; and this season it is apt to be 'Somebody's Luggage.'"

"Some Baby" comes to The Grand Opera House this week, presented by a most capable company it is promised, numbering among others Don MacMillan, who will be seen as the eccentric old doctor, Relyea.

This is the pivotal character of the farce, and Mr. MacMillan is said to be the ideal of it, giving his portrayal an honesty of method and an unctuous humor that makes the old physician both lovable and laughable. It is a jolly farce and Don MacMillan is happily cast for a part that, ascending to stage parlance, "fits him down to the ground."

The British-American Hotel, the oldest hostelry in Kingston, will close its doors to guests to-night. This hotel dates back 120 years.

TRAIN DERAILED NEAR ST. GEORGE

Seventeen Cars of Merchandise Hurdled Over Embankment

TRAFFIC BLOCKED

Damage Done is Considerable—No Lives Were Lost

Through a cause as yet not definitely known, the fast manifest train on the G. T. R. line, due Saturday night for New York, and drawing 63 cars, became derailed at a distance of some 200 feet west of the St. George bridge. 17 cars of grain and merchandise of various kinds going over the embankment and their contents being badly scattered at the bottom. The engine, halfway across the bridge at the time, became derailed, and remained hanging, blocking the traffic on the line until it was cleared once more yesterday by a steam derrick rushed in from the east. The majority of last night was consumed, however, in the task of recovering the loads spilled from the overturned cars. Without fixing a definite estimate upon the damage sustained, it is from Hamilton. The majority of last night was consumed, however, in the task of recovering the loads spilled from the overturned cars.

Anniversary Services Held

Very successful anniversary services were held at the Riverside Baptist church on Sunday. Rev. Clifford J. Loney of Stanley Avenue Baptist church, Hamilton, was the special speaker and delivered excellent and helpful sermons to the large and appreciative congregations. At the opening of the Bible School, Mr. Loney gave an illustrated talk on "What the Flags teach us," during which he commanded the rapt attention of the boys and girls, pointing out many lessons from the flags. The music, under the direction of Mr. Fred Harcourt was exceptionally well rendered by the choir. The following being the anthems, "He shall come down like rain," McPhall; "Come let us sing," Jacob; "O Give thanks unto the Lord," Evilsizer; "He shall feed his flock," Ogen, and "The Glory of God," Leslie. The Harcourt, Miss E. Chapman and Mr. H. A. Pettit. The church continues to enjoy marked prosperity under the leadership of its popular pastor, Rev. T. E. Richards, this year's records revealing the best year in the church's history.

DIED

RANDALL—In Brantford on Sunday, October, 29th, Margaret, beloved wife of Thomas Randall, aged 65 years. Funeral takes place on Tuesday afternoon, October 31st, from her late residence 43 Dufferin Ave. Interment at Paris. Service at the house at 1.30 o'clock.

QUINLAN—On Sunday, Oct. 29th, 1916, Marjorie Catherine Quinlan, aged twenty-five years. The funeral will take place from the residence of her father, John J. Quinlan, Harris Ave., on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock to St. Basil's church. Interment in St. Joseph's cemetery. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

Can't Find Dandruff

Every bit of dandruff disappears after one or two applications of Dandruff rubbed well into the scalp with the finger tips. Get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store and save your hair. After a few applications you can't find a particle of dandruff or any itching hair, and the scalp will never itch.

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\$3.25 A PAIR

Crib Blankets. Teddy Bear and plain crib blankets, in pink or sky, in two sizes, at 60c, 75c, 95c ea.

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\$2.95 ea.

57 Pairs Fine Wool BLANKETS \$2.95 and \$3.25 a pair



These are splendid warm wool blankets full 60 x 80 inch sizes, with some 64 x 84, being a special purchase bought very much under to-day's value over eight months ago. They come in pink or blue borders, and are a grand wearing, soft, blanket. They are sold in trade at \$5.00 and \$5.50 a pair. We will let this lot while they last at

\$3.25 and \$2.95 A PAIR. These are some bargains.

80 Pairs Finest Imported Scotch Piece Wool Blankets. We have just received from Scotland, from the greatest manufacturers of pure wool blankets, 2 cases extra fine pure wool blankets. These were placed on order nearly one year ago, consequently the value to-day is 50 per cent higher than when these were bought—which places us in a position to give you exceedingly good value in blankets.

These blankets are lovely soft lofts blankets. Every pair is singly whipped and comes in, All Plain White, Sky Borders and Pink Borders. The Sizes are 62x74 inches, 66x85 inches and 72x90 inches. The prices run

\$6.95, \$7.95, \$8.50 and \$10.00 A PAIR

Novelty Scrim Curtains \$1.50 to \$3.95. Lovely Range Novelty Scrim Curtains, White Ivory and Arab Lace edge and insert, a large assortment, and extra good values.

Nottingham Lace Curtains, \$3.95 85c. up to, per pair. White Bed Spreads. White Bed Spreads, 2 specials at \$1.25 and each \$1.65

Curtains and Draperies An Important Sale. Probably you've a long list of things to be done for the home. Fresh curtains and other draperies are among them, our special sale offerings will interest you very much.

45c Marquisette Curtain Material 29c 20c Curtain Scrim, all shades. 15c 50c Bungalow Net, special. 35c 30c colored Bordered Scrim. 19c 25c Chintz Prints, 36 in. wide. 20c 50c Cretones, beautiful colors. 35c

Flannelette Blankets. 1000 pairs large size, best quality flannelette blankets, in white or grey, pink or blue borders. Our special sale price \$1.55 a pair

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\$2.95, \$4.25, \$4.95, \$6.75 and \$9.75 Cream Wool Shawls, large size for babies. Each \$1.50

LOCAL

REVISED LIST. A revision of the voters' list for the County of Brant, was completed at Farrington school by Judge on Saturday.

NEAR TILLSONBURG. A case of an infantile paralysis appeared two miles north of Tillsonburg, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Aldridge having been stricken.

WON CUP. Mr. A. S. Towers was successful in defeating Mr. S. Alfred Jones in the finals for the silver cup presented by Mr. W. F. Cocksitt, M. I.

WANTS POSITION. An application has been received by City Clerk H. F. Leonard from Edward Pickles, requesting that he be considered for any vacancy may occur or that exists at present in any of the offices in the city.

SERVICE AT Y. M. C. A. The service held yesterday afternoon in the Y.M.C.A. was the most successful that has yet been held in Detroit, was present, and sang during the course of the programme, short address was also delivered by Rev. Llewellyn Brown.

INSURANCE COMMISSION. A communication has been received from City Clerk H. F. Leonard from member of the Ontario Insurance Commission, which is conducting investigation into the methods employed by fire, automobile, glass and accident insurance companies and into the difference rates prevailing in various places. An opportunity will be given to the council, if so desired, to obtain appointment to the board on question before the commission, next meeting of that body will held in Toronto on Monday, Nov. 6th.

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