

CANADA NOW HAS
SUPERABUNDANCE
OF MILITIA CHIEFSThree "Ministers" at Work,
With Others Aiding.

PERLEY HAS BIG END

Jurisdiction Far Greater Than
Any Other in This
Country.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
OTTAWA, Nov. 2.—The three Canadian ministers of militia were all at work today. Gen. Sir Sam Hughes was in his office at militia headquarters on Slater street; Parliamentary Militia Secretary McCurdy was busy with administrative functions in his office just across the hall from that of Gen. Hughes, and Sir George Perley, the newly-made minister of overseas forces, was busy in his London office. It would seem that Sir George Perley is in for a busy time. He has in the first place to organize a militia depot in England. When this is done he will have administrative control over some 250,000 Canadian troops in the trenches at the front and in training in England. As there will soon be less than a 100,000 Canadian troops in the Dominion, it would appear that Sir George Perley has been given the lion's share of the military job.

Still More.
In addition to the three mentioned above there are really a couple more ministers of militia. Hon. A. E. Kemp, chairman of the Canadian war purchases commission, is practically minister of militia for war supplies. His portfolio is by no means a small one, as it has the spending of millions. The fifth on the list is Sir James Loughheed, chairman of the military hospitals commission. He is at the head of a great

CALLS ON ROYALISTS
TO STAND AGAINST
REVOLUTIONISTS

KING CONSTANTINE.

organization, which is intrusted with the task of looking after those soldiers who have returned suffering from wounds. He is doing the work well. Here is sixth.

It may be found that there is still another, making the sixth minister of militia. This is Hon. R. E. Bennett, chairman of the national service commission. It is hardly in operation yet. When it is in full swing it produces more recruits for overseas service than will qualify Mr. Bennett for the minister of the national service commission. If it has the effect of keeping men in Canada rather than sending them overseas it will mean that Canada can claim to have only five more or less ministers of militia.

SUCCESSFUL RED CROSS TEA.
Ottawa, Nov. 2.—Several young ladies of this town gave a tea in the armory in aid of the local Red Cross Society. The armory was artistically decorated with Halloween emblems, etc. The affair was a great success. Proceeds amounted to about \$30.

FORD STOCKHOLDERS
ISSUE WRIT AGAINST
HENRY FORD HIMSELFWould Restrain Investments
of Surplus Profits.

HIS SCHEMES RECKLESS

Action Comes of Announce-
ment Stopping Special
Dividends.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
DETROIT, Nov. 2.—Temporary writ of injunction against Henry Ford to restrain the Ford Motor Company from distributing and investing as fixed capital its assets and surplus profits that would otherwise be available for dividends, was issued by Judge Mandell in Wayne circuit court here late this afternoon.

The plaintiffs, John F. Dodge and Horace E. Dodge, who are stockholders in the company, and also owners of Dodge Bros. motor car plant, want the accumulation of cash surplus distributed among the stockholders in the form of special dividends.

The cause of the writ, according to the Dodge bill of complaint, was the declaration by Mr. Ford at end of the last fiscal year that no special dividends would in future be declared by the company, and that surplus earnings would be used to extend the business. From January, 1914, to October, 1915, the bill recites, special dividends aggregating \$24,000,000 were distributed among stockholders in addition to the regular monthly dividends of 5 per cent. Though the earnings of the company for the year ending July 31, 1916, were \$30,000,000, the declaration was made, the bill continues, that no special dividends would be declared then or at any time in the future.

The announced policy of Mr. Ford to

engage in a multiplicity of undertakings
was declared in the bill to be reckless
in the extreme, and to the serious
jeopardy of the interests of stock-
holders.CADORNA DELIVERED
SHREWD, HARD BLOW
ON WAY TO TRIESTItalian Commander Shows the
Master Hand in Carso
Campaign.

[Canadian Press.]
London, Nov. 2.—The Times comments this morning as follows upon the Italian victory near Gorizia and on the Carso:

"Once more General Cadorna has struck a shrewd, successful blow. Since the great attack in early August, which led to the taking of Gorizia, the sweeping advance of Cadorna's troops on the Carso has never really stopped."

"The same master hand that secretly transferred a large army and 92 batteries from the Trentino to the Isonzo front in one week evidently controlled the subsequent operations."

"The influence of the new Italian success upon the Austrians will be considerable. For the fourth time since the beginning of August General Cadorna has left the Austrians in a complete Austrian army corps. Much hard fighting is doubtless in store for King Victor Emmanuel's troops before they can reach the positions commanding Triest and the railway communications of the Istrian Peninsula, but the enemy will fight with the foreboding of defeat in his heart."

MORGAN CONFERS WITH
MIDDLE WEST BANKERSDiscusses Purchases Made by Entente
Allies in United States.

[Canadian Press.]
Chicago, Ill., Nov. 2.—Henry P. Morgan, of J. P. Morgan & Co., who has just returned from Europe, where he arranged for the floating of \$300,000,000 British collateral loan, here today for the purpose of holding conferences with bankers of the middle west. The conferences, it is said, will relate to the general situation, which has developed from the purchases which have been made in this country by the Entente Allies, and the credits which have been extended under the big loans. Mr. Morgan, it is said, desires to learn the attitude of western bankers regarding the loan.

DEAD IN 101ST YEAR.

[Canadian Press.]
Valleyfield, Que., Nov. 2.—Mrs. Emily Leclair, widow of Moses Leclair, is dead at the age of 101 years and four months. She leaves two sons and a daughter, the latter being 70 years of age.

SYRUP OF FIGS
FOR CROSS, SICK,
FEVERISH CHILDLook, Mother! Is tongue coat-
ed, breath feverish and
stomach sour?Harmless "fruit laxatives"
the best to clean tender
liver and bowels.

Mother, can you rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs" because a few hours later the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, and they become tightly packed, liver gets sluggish and stomach disordered.

When cross, feverish, restless, when tongue is coated, then give this delicious "fruit laxative." Children love it, and it can cause no injury. No difference what age your little one—if full of doid, or a sore throat, diarrhoea, stomach-ache, bad breath, remember, a gentle "inside cleanser" should always be the first treatment given. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are printed on each bottle. Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." We make no smaller size. Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

WOMAN A
PHYSICAL WRECKTells in Following Letter How
She Was Restored to Health.
by Lydia E. Pinkham's
Vegetable Compound.

Milwaukee, Wis.—"Before taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was a physical wreck. I had been going to a doctor for several years, but he did me no good. A friend told me about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, so I decided to give it a fair trial, and it gave me relief. I was suffering from bearing-down pains which had been so bad that I would have to lie down. I also used the Sanguine Wash and it has done me a great deal of good, and I am not troubled with a weakness any more."—Mrs. P. L. BRIDG, 1238 Booth street, Milwaukee, Wis.

The most successful remedy for women's ills is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has stood the test for forty years, which would be impossible if it did not have genuine merit.

For special advice, free, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

STAATS ZEITUNG MAN
TELLS STRANGE STORY
TO CLAN-NA-GAELERSSays Canadian Paper Is Used
To Influence Press.

UNDER BRITISH ORDERS

Output from Canada Sold at
Cut Prices to Pro-Ally Jour-
nals of United States.

[Canadian Press.]
Philadelphia, Nov. 2.—Charges that the British Government was using the Canadian supply of white paper as a leverage to influence American newspapers, were made last night by Bernard Ridder, editor of the New York Staats Zeitung, at a Clan-na-Gael meeting held to honor the memory of the Manchester martyr.

Ridder's Dream.
"The Canadian mills control a very large proportion of the paper output. Paper has risen from two to five cents a pound. It is impossible to publish at five cents a pound with a profit. The Courier-Journal has made a contract for Canadian paper at two and one-half cents. Why should the Canadians sell the Courier-Journal paper at half the market price? The New York Times has also made a contract with Canadian mills at two and one-half cents. Why did the Canadian mills give the New York Times this price?"

A Weird Statement.
"The British Government controls the paper situation and exports are limited upon the order of the Government, so that they may deal out to those papers which print what the British Government desires. I will leave you with this comfortable thought, so that you may know when you read the papers that the words written are inspired by the paper contracts."

Calls Enemies Tories.
Mr. Ridder referred to those who opposed the "Union-Collins" combination as Tories, and declared that "we control in ourselves and our hands so large a portion of the vote that we may deal out to those papers which print what the British Government desires. I will leave you with this comfortable thought, so that you may know when you read the papers that the words written are inspired by the paper contracts."

Jeremiah O'Leary made charges that the British Government, through Lord Northcliffe, had secured control of eighteen leading newspapers of the United States for the purpose of exporting British interests.

O'Leary said: "Right here in the city of Philadelphia, Lord Northcliffe, British newspaper owner and representative of the British aristocracy and agent of the British propaganda and discipline of the Rhodes and Carnegie idea, stated at a banquet in the Hotel Cecil that he had just acquired control of eighteen leading newspapers."

Says Northcliffe Controls.
"I am going to state publicly tonight what these newspapers are. They begin with the New York Times, the Philadelphia Ledger, the Washington Times, the Chicago Tribune, the New Orleans Times-Picayune, the St. Louis Republic, the Louisville Courier, the Chicago Journal, and the Chicago Herald. I almost forgot the Providence Journal, the Springfield Republican, and the Hartford Courant, the Philadelphia North American, the New York World, the Chicago Tribune, the Washington Post and the Cincinnati Enquirer. They are sterling American newspapers. We don't care if they are really if they only stand by American rights. The combined control of these newspapers has presented a grave problem for the American people."

SIX DISTRICT MEN
KILLED IN ACTIONLong List of Wounded in the
Latest Dispatches.

KILLED IN ACTION

ALLSONBURG.
Pte. Nelson Minors (enlisted in Manitoba).
DERHAM.
Pte. Herbert Dore.
WINDHAM.
Corp. T. V. Hughes.
BRUSSELS.
Pte. Pat Crampsey.
GREY TOWNSHIP.
Pte. W. H. Whitefish.

DIED OF WOUNDS

HURON TOWNSHIP.
Pte. Edward Gossell.
PARIS.
Sapper V. P. Postill.

MISSING.

WILLESTOWN.
Pte. Jas. McKinnon.
S. MIDDLETON.
Pte. John Berry.
TILLSONBURG.
Pte. Cecil Alward.

SHELL SHOCK

ST. THOMAS.
Pte. F. N. Davies.

WOUNDED.

WOODSTOCK.
Sergeant-Major Harold Clarke.
Pte. Harvey Davidson.
TILLSONBURG.
Pte. Ben Jennings.
STRATFORD.
Lance-Corp. Frank W. Shore.
WATFORD.
Pte. Stanley Thornton (Previously missing).
FERGUS.
Pte. John Allan.
WINDSOR.
Pte. Michael Sinec.
Pte. David Boles.
ST. THOMAS.
Pte. F. M. Dore.
INGERSOLL.
Pte. Lloyd Gee, R. R. No. 5.

MAKES RECOVERY

SARNIA.
Pte. Donald Munroe.

CORP. T. V. HUGHES

KILLED IN ACTION

[Special to The Advertiser.]
WINDHAM, Nov. 2.—Word was received here of the death of another hero, who left here with the 71st Battalion, namely, Corp. T. V. Hughes, who at one time was a milk clerk and ran on the passenger train to London. It

will be remembered he was on the train when it was wrecked near Alderton a couple of years ago. With him was Nelson Yates, who is also serving with the 135th. Shortly after he got better of his injuries Corp. Hughes enlisted with the 71st Battalion and went overseas. He was transferred to an English battalion. He was well liked here. He came from Tiverton. He was about 23 years of age, and joined as a private. He was made a corporal after he was transferred to a British Regiment.

HURON TP. BOY DEAD;
LT. McLEAN ALL SHOT UP

[Special to The Advertiser.]

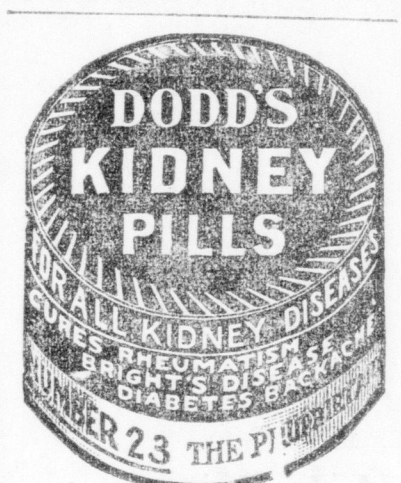
KINCARDINE, Nov. 2.—Mrs. C. Gossell, Huron Township, has received official notice that her son, Pte. Edward Gossell, had died Friday, October 27, of wounds received on October 15. Pte. Gossell was 27 years of age. He was born in Huron Township and was one of its highly-esteemed young men. He had been a resident of the west for some time, and enlisted at Meaford, Ont., in April, 1915. He went overseas last April and had been with the Mounted Rifles in France for about four months, when he received the wound which proved fatal.

Lieut. McLean All Shot Up.
A Hugh McLean of Underwood, from his son, Lieut. John H. McLean, stating that he had been wounded in the small of the back from shell explosion. One piece of the shell entered his left side, another about an inch from his spine. Lieut. McLean says it will probably be there until his death. Another shell exploded in front of him. From this he got a piece just below his left ear, and another about an inch over his right eye. He found a dent in his cigarette case, which was carried in the upper pocket of his tunic. Lieut. McLean says he has a great deal to be thankful for, but is able to move his arms and legs. If he is flat on his back, Lieut. McLean when writing was in a Red Cross hospital in France, but expected to be sent to England shortly.

G. O. P. FUND.

[Canadian Press.]
Washington, Nov. 2.—C. N. Bliss, treasurer of the Republican national committee, filed a supplemental statement of campaign contributions here today, showing receipts of \$34,778, and disbursements of \$307,635. It showed 5,908 contributors. H. C. Fisk and Sylvia Whitney headed the list with \$25,000 each.

Contributions filed today are in addition to those of \$187,737 accounted for in the statement filed on October 23, which was accounting up to and including October 23.

SOMME AND VERDUN
SEE BIG ADVANCES
FOR FRENCH ARMSMore Gains Recorded in Les
Boeufs and Sailly-
Saillisel.

PARIS, via London, Nov. 2.—The

official statement from the war office tonight reads:
"North of the Somme a new operation carried out by us this afternoon between Les Boeufs and Sailly-Saillisel enabled us to gain an appreciable amount of ground and 200 prisoners. Since yesterday by our attack in this sector amounts to 736, including 20 officers. We have also taken about a dozen machine guns."

BRITISH ARTILLERY ACTIVE.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—The bulletin issued tonight from British headquarters in France reads:
"The enemy shelled our front in the Hebuterne and Arras regions. Our artillery was active south of Arras and north of Ypres.
"A number of enemy batteries were bombed yesterday by our aircraft, one hostile machine was driven down, and aged. One of our machines is missing."

INDUSTRY FOR TEESWATER.

TEESWATER, Nov. 2.—The Toronto Plaster Company is busy on their new plant. Three kilns with a capacity of ten tons each are in course of construction. They will be forty feet high and will be fed from an elevated tram which runs from the top of the kilns direct to the quarry. The company is more than satisfied with its venture, now that the quarry has been opened, for there is only one place; that is Ohio, U. S. A., where the same first quality of lime is found. It is confidently expected that the industry will add thirty or forty families to the town.

FAMOUS AIRMAN KILLED.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 2.—Cable advised from La Plata, Argentina, today of the death there of Silvia Pettrossi, one of the spectacular airmen who entertained visitors to the

Panama-Pacific Exposition here last year.
Details of Pettrossi's death are meagre, the cablegram stating only that he fell from a high altitude in a monoplane. He was a citizen of Paraguay, and head of the army aero corps of that country, although a native of Italy.

A HAMILTON FATALITY.

[Canadian Press.]
Hamilton, Nov. 2.—Alfred Knowles, 141 St. George street, a middle-aged man, was struck by one of the motor transports of the Canadian Mounted Rifles at the corner of King and John streets this morning and instantly killed. Witnesses say the victim failed to notice the approaching car and stepped directly in the curb in front of it. An inquest has been ordered.

LIFTED HEAVY LOG
STRAINED HIS KIDNEYS.
GOT PAINS IN BACK.

Men in all walks of life where it is necessary to stoop, bend and lift heavy objects, put a great deal of strain on the kidneys, and this continual wear and tear sooner or later will cause the kidneys to become affected in some way. The most common of these troubles is backache, and the only way to cure the lame and aching back is to strengthen the kidneys.

This Doan's Kidney Pills will do for you. They know nothing but kidney disorders, because they are made for the kidneys only.

Mr. Owen Hawley, West Clifford, N.S., writes: "I was working in the woods and lifted a heavy log. I must have strained my kidneys, as I got kidney trouble and pains in my back. I could not do any work for five months. A friend advised me to try a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, and after having used them I felt as if I were only eighteen years old. I can now work as well as ever I did, and have had no pains since."

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generations has proved its great value in the treatment
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relieve these troubles and prevent them from becoming serious ills by promptly clearing wastes and poisons out of the digestive system. They strengthen the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Mild and harmless. A proven family remedy, unequalled

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It is not safe for the boy to be without an Overcoat or Reever this time of the year. He will feel better and look better if he has one. We have these in all styles of fabrics and makes. Prices \$2.89, \$3.95, \$5.00 to \$15.00

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Our assortment of Boys' Suits is now at its best. It couldn't be better, for we have selected the best. We are specialists in fitting and in furnishing clothes for boys that will hold them. Suits from \$2.95 to \$13.95
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