

Mother and Three Daughters Made a Suicide Pact

Malden, Mass., Aug. 16.—Mrs. John A. Perry and her three daughters, ranging in age from 9 to 15 years, were found dead in a gas-filled room at their home here Sunday.

BRITISH GAIN BAKU FROM MESOPOTAMIA

London, Aug. 15.—A British force from northwestern Persia has reached the Caspian Sea and taken over a part of the defences of Baku.

Whether the allies will be able to hold Baku permanently, in view of the difficulties of transporting supplies, is too early to predict.

ROUTE OF BOLSHIEVIKI SOON WILL COMMENCE

Washington, Aug. 15.—The march of events in Russia, from news received today, seems to be rapidly assuming the proportions of a rout of the Bolshieviki, and of a nature to bring dismay to Germany.

TO CLOSE ADRIATIC TO AUSTRIAN SUBS

Manchester, Aug. 14.—The Manchester Guardian to-day discusses the remarks of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of the American Navy Department, with regard to the closing of the Adriatic Sea to enemy submarines.

Don't Like "Sammy"

Washington, Aug. 16.—General March, the chief of staff, took occasion today to urge newspaper men to discourage the use of nickname "Sammy" in speaking of the American troops.

PERT PARAGRAPHS

Gathered by Our Exchange Editor and Condensed Down to Make Spicy Reading.

Threat of Death to Interpreter

Brantford, Aug. 16.—Louis Stander, police court interpreter here, has been given one week to live.

Get "Pal" Battalion to Aid Americans

London, Aug. 14.—Recruiting has begun for a "pal" battalion of the Women's Auxiliary Army Corps for service with the American expeditionary forces.

Severe Hail Storm

Lindsay was visited by a severe electrical storm Tuesday night and hail came so plentiful that it could actually be shovelled up.

Seneca Sold to Kingstons

Senator H. W. Richardson, of Kingston, has purchased the yacht Seneca from Amelius Jarvis, commodore of the Canadian Yacht Racing Association, and sailed her to Kingston, arriving Saturday.

Sandbag Killed Man

While standing in a street at Brighton, G. E. George Ralph Snider, a builder's foreman, was killed by a sandbag falling on him while an aviator overhead was looping the loop.

The Weather

Newfoundland meteorologists and the weather prophets who are learned in lunafors, say that the prevailing winds for 1918 will be north-easterly.

Short Weight

A food inspector weighing butter at Paris, Ont., recently found a "pound" to weigh exactly nine ounces.

Six Stood in Line and Robbed

Montreal, Aug. 16.—The auto bandits who have been terrifying all the outlying sections of Montreal since Wednesday last, raided the farm of Henry Morgan & Company, at Senneville.

More Pay for Sailors

Cleveland, O., Aug. 16.—The committee at the last meeting of the directors of the Lake Carriers' Association to fix a scale of wages, made report and the schedule recommended by the committee was approved by the mobilization committee.

That an adjustment will be made of the wages of all licensed officers at the end of the season.

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Returned Soldier Will Go to the Kingston Penitentiary

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Austrian Interned

Sarnia, Aug. 16.—For having failed to register or to carry papers of any kind, John Dribble, an Austrian, who was taken off the steamer Hunic, two weeks ago, has been sentenced to an internment camp for the duration of the war.

Will Get After the Foreigners

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—That privileged character, the Allied foreigner of military age who resides and earns his money in Canada, is likely to be brought into the dragnet of military service shortly.

Refugees Have Typhus

New York, Aug. 16.—More than fifty thousand refugees from Turkey have been stricken with eruptive typhus in the island of Mytilene, according to a cablegram received by George Russos, Greek minister at Washington, and forwarded to the Relief Committee for Greeks in Asia Minor here.

Bear Eats Assemblyman

Tokio, Aug. 14.—Komin Sugano, member of the prefectural assembly of Hokkaido, was killed and devoured by a bear near the plain of Kutari recently, according to a despatch to the newspaper Nichi Nichi from Sapporo.

Two Types

There are two kinds of men who run for public office—maybe more. One kind asks to be elected in order that he may perform certain stunts which he promises to perform if elected.

Bite of Pet Proved Fatal

Port Colborne, Aug. 16.—David Strathearn, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Strathearn, formerly of Sault Ste. Marie, died here of hydrophobia. Mr. Strathearn was bitten by his pet bulldog a few weeks ago and the dog was immediately shot but no thought of such serious developments was looked for until Friday evening, when he became suddenly ill. He is survived by his widow and parents.

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Would Take Over Ry. But Want Know Price

With regard to the suggestion by Thomas Ahern, president of the Ottawa Electric Railway, that the city take over the railway and decide the wage policy, Mayor Fisher said: "For my part, you can tell Mr. Ahern that we are prepared to take over the railway, but we want to know what the price is."

Freight Wreck

St. Catharines, Ont., Aug. 16.—Twelve freight cars were demolished this morning in the Grand Trunk yards at Merriton and several others less damaged when a west freight descending the grade at an increased rate of speed, because of the failure of the brakes to work, side-swiped an eastbound freight which was entering a siding to make room for the westbound train.

in destroyed merchandise was a quantity of parts of seaplanes. The crews of both trains escaped injury. The overhead bridge on which pass the only direct highway from St. Catharines and Toronto was also badly smashed and put out of commission, and concrete abutments on both sides were severed and beams from a car containing aluminum were pushed through the surtice of the bridge, smashing the track of the electric railway.

Parliament May Meet This Fall

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Ottawa, Aug. 16.—There has been considerable speculation here as to whether or not the return to Canada of Sir Robert Borden will be followed by an Autumn session of Parliament. Individuals who believe there will be an early meeting of the legislators predicate their opinion upon the assumption that the powers of the Government under the Military Service Act are nearing exhaustion, and that if compulsory enlistment of men for service overseas is to proceed continuously, amending legislation will be required soon.

Content Limit is Not Reached

Reading preamble and sub-section together they contend that the power of the Government under the Act will not be exhausted until 100,000 reinforcements have been provided for the Expeditionary Force overseas, that is, have been sent abroad. No limitation is placed by the Act, they say, upon the number of enlistments, and, moreover, all men of a class called upon to report are regarded as soldiers, even such as have been granted temporary or conditional exemptions.

White Silk Waists

September in Algonquin Park, Ontario, is one of the most delightful months of the year. A beneficial holiday can be enjoyed with all the comforts of home at "The Highland Inn," situated in the midst of a charming wilderness on Cache Lake. It is also a good month for the camper and canoeist. Splendid fishing is found in the innumerable lakes (over 1500) that nestle in the forests of pine and balsam.

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Sinclair's August Sale Big Values For \$1.00

In our windows we are showing a lot of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Cotton Garments, including Ladies' White Dress Skirts, White and Colored Voile Shirt Waists, Cambric Gowns, Princess Slips, Cover All Aprons, Admiral and Jack Tar Middies in all sizes, Girls' Pink and Blue Chambray Dresses sizes 8, 10, 12 and 14 years, also a few Girls' White Dresses and Little Boys' Wash Suits, regular prices up to \$2.50 each, to clear, your choice \$1.00.

40 Inch Voiles 25c yard Ladies' Wash Suits Half Price

Bleached Cotton Sheets \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$6. pr.

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PRECIOUS HISTORIES WHITE METAL IS AS MUCH AS MUCH ONCE WAS THROWN AWAY LESS The fact that platinum is not worth about six times as gold, was first discovered in America in a section of the Republic of Colombia...

PRINCE PATRIOT Toronto, Aug. 16.—For eighteen months we have seen some of the heaviest fighting since the beginning of the war...

ANOTHER Move to Fill Up Gaps in Meet September Washington, Aug. 16.—The British army draft calls in September are expected to be the largest since the outbreak of the war...

FELL UNDER THE INSTANTLY David E. Chant, Native Meets Death in Smith's Falls, Ont. David Edward Chant, brakeman with the Canadian Pacific Railway at Smith's Falls, Ont., was killed by a train on Sunday morning...

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