

THAT HUSKY BROWN LINE OF RUSSIANS



Picture shows Russian troops cheering the news of the French and British successes. The news was sent from the Russian headquarters to commanders to be read to the troops. These are Serbian troops.

TIPPERARY MARY'S PICNIC PROVIDES ABOUT \$3,700

The gross receipts from Tipperary Mary's picnic last Saturday now reach about \$3,700. The drawing of prizes took place last night at Renforth under the direction of R. S. Ritchie, and Miss D. Patterson drew the lucky tickets. The proceeds are for patriotic purposes.

The winners of prizes follow:

A 78—1 barrel flour.
A 97—Mrs. W. C. Clark, Renforth, 100 pounds sugar.
A 97—\$10 in gold.
A 70—One covered wagon.
A 8—Gold mounted meerschaum pipe.
E 16—Two electric ammunition lamps, George T. Polley.

E 41—Mrs. (Capt.) Ross, Riverside, 1 barrel flour.
87—S. Girvan, Paris hat, value \$35.
28—F. S. Scribner, Union street, dinner set, value \$35.
148—Mrs. Geo. Lyman, Renforth, one luncheon set.
3005—One pair boots, value \$5.
2815—One lawn swing.
2880—Walter Barnes, Riverside, water color painting.
66—Harold McGuire, 10 Mill street, rubber coat, value \$15.
2992—One load kindling.
145—One load coal.
2845—Mrs. C. D. Hoyt, Renforth, one load hard wood.
2630—Mrs. Wm. Myles, Gondola Point, one bantam rooster.

2661—Chas. E. Brown, Kennedy street, \$10 in gold.
2291—G. G. Lingley, safety razor.
234—B. A. Denniston, a camera, value \$10.

The lucky ones may receive the prizes at the office of R. S. Ritchie.

Only one theatre in St. John will run "The Girl and the Game." Watch Monday's papers.

London, Aug. 23—Both houses of parliament adjourned today till October 10, after adopting a bill extending the life of the present parliament another seven months.

"The Girl and the Game."

Organize To Combat Germans After War
British Would Exclude Them From Civic and Trade Privileges—Seek 5,000,000 Members

An answer to the Pan-German movement, whereby Germany hoped to gain her "place in the sun" of the commercial world, is contained in the prospectus of the British Empire Union, now bidding for 5,000,000 members throughout the British Empire, and whose avowed object is the abolition of German influence.

"The German civilian in the black coat," the prospectus says, "is as dangerous an enemy as the soldier in field gray. For a generation it has been the role of the Germans in our midst to grip and paralyze the arm of Britain so that in the hour of danger we should be at their mercy. We felt their grip on our financial institutions when the Stock Exchange was closed to avert panic and ruin. We felt it on our trade, on our metal markets, on our output of dyes, drugs, optical glasses, and those 'key industries' which are as vital to commerce as the mainspring to a watch.

"Germans and their dupes, and sympathizers have set in our parliament, under German influence, our people were encouraged to deride the German war bogey, the 'Zeppelin scare,' and the 'spy mania' until war revealed the truth. Every movement of social and industrial unrest has been approved, if not actively assisted, by the Germans among us. Our national security has been menaced for more years than the war has lasted months.

The prospectus points out that thousands of British patriots are giving their lives for their country, and added:—

"All these sacrifices will have been in vain if, after the war, the Germans are allowed to gain by 'peaceful penetration' the victory denied to their arms. To make that crowning calamity impossible, is the work for which the British Empire Union has been founded."

Plan of Campaign.

The plan of campaign under which the union will operate is stated as follows:

- (1) To expound the folly of granting peace on terms so easy as to make it possible for the Germans to again disturb the peace of the world.
- (2) To advocate that all German property throughout the empire shall be held as security for compensating British subjects for losses caused by the war.
- (3) To enforce, strictly existing laws and Orders in Council for the registration of aliens, and to prohibit Germans naturalized or otherwise, from changing their names for trade or other purposes, and to cancel all such changes made since Aug. 4, 1914.
- (4) To abolish the present system of wholesale naturalization, which has proved to be so grave a public danger in time of war.
- (5) To remove from public offices, and from the enjoyment of civic or other honors or titles, all persons of German birth and sympathies.
- (6) To enact that British consuls shall in future be of British birth.
- (7) To discourage, and, if possible, prevent the employment of Germans in this country, either by a tax on employers of Germans or by other suitable methods.
- (8) To restrict the import of all such German goods as can be supplied equally well from British sources or from allied countries.
- (9) To alter our companies acts so as to prevent a controlling interest in any British company being held by Germans.
- (10) To prohibit the sale of land and house property to Germans; and to enforce the acts restricting alien immigration.
- (11) To strengthen the hands of the government in dealing with enemy aliens, to repatriate at once all who are unfit for military service, instead of maintaining them, and at the end of the war all who have been interned.
- (12) To advocate the formation of a register in which all traders of foreign nationality will be compelled to record their real names and nationality.
- (13) To urge the government to publish a list of interested enemy aliens as well as of German firms and of those in which enemy aliens have a controlling interest.
- (14) To support a national scheme for finding occupation for able soldiers and sailors on their disbandment, as well as for those who are partially or totally disabled.

Commercial Policy.

The commercial policy proposed is outlined thus:

1. Supporting the chambers of commerce in their policy in regard to German attacks upon our commerce and industry after the war.
2. Advocating, and as far as possible assisting in making arrangements whereby British banks or industrial trust companies can assist British firms to extend their businesses.
3. Endeavoring to improve transit arrangements for agricultural and other products throughout the country so that home-grown produce may be better able to compete with foreign, and particularly to prevent British railways from giving such preferential rates to aliens as may affect British trade.
4. Giving a preference within the empire to the British dominions, with a view to making the empire self-supporting.
5. Supporting the Board of Trade in obtaining:
 - (a) State grants for the promotion of scientific research in the interests of trade and industry.
 - (b) Amendments of existing laws—e.g., as to copyright, patents, trade marks, the Merchandise Marks Act, etc.
 - (c) The promotion of trade fairs and exhibitions.
6. Advocating that the country of origin shall be marked or affixed on all foreign goods, and not only on the boxes or coverings, and also that it must appear in plain type on all advertisements of such goods.

The prospectus appeals for funds to carry on the work outlined. The officers of the Union are: E. B. Osborn, chairman; Alexander Bethune, J. P., treasurer; Sir George Mackill, secretary; and Reginald Wilson, assistant and business secretary.

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NEW ORDER IS NOT DIRECTED AGAINST IRISH-AMERICANS

London, Aug. 23, 6:14 p. m.—The United States, having made an inquiry in regard to the order-in-council issued last week restricting entrance to Ireland, the British government has given assurance that the order is not directed against Irish-Americans, but is intended merely to exclude those persons who might disturb the peace. The order empowers the government to prohibit from entering Ireland any person not a British subject or who, being a British subject, has come recently, or may come hereafter, to the United Kingdom from overseas. The situation was explained in the following official announcement:

"In response to an inquiry from the state department the British government has sent assurance that the recent order-in-council regulating travel to Ireland is not intended to hamper the movement of naturalized American citizens who desire to visit their former homes. Each case will be decided on its merits. No class of Irish or foreigners is affected by the regulations, which will be used only to keep certain people out of Ireland who are suspected of being dangerous to the peace of the country."

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