

the present situation. Our debt ' is and the present situation. Our debt is and business of any person other than an community with the benefits to be pence a plate. They give us 15 On the 2nd instant. German at vince of the same name, has 05,000 \$425,000,000 this yerr; next year it (c)-That the amount of any tax incorporated company shall be taken obtained by abstince from alcohol as frances. (\$3.00) twice a month. We tacks of great violence, both artillery people, and stands at a height of 4.

the finance department. There would the amount of the tax that would ot'l- capital. Hon. G. P. Graham they preferred tion: stock would be treated the same as

The finance minister went en to trolled by other companies cutside of $\begin{array}{c} c \\ cxcept \end{array}$ (anada Instead of the first named (a) minister may determine the amount supplies of any kind for war purpose which shall be deemed to be the profits of such companies and in detenining such amount, the minister livestock raising; and shall have regard to the fair price product, goods and commodities. niunicipality.

The finance minister then answered Clause 5 of the proposed resolution a number of questions. He told Mr. is amended by adding the following to G. H. Bolving that companies whose sub-clause 3-and the minister when G. H. Boiving that companies whose sub-clause 3—and the minister whose capital stock was less than \$50,000 determining the profits derived from hut whose reserves invested in the inining may make allowance for the of a deplorable accident about ten off.

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will be greater. Even if the war paid by a person under the provisions to be the fair value of all assets, real a beverage, and recommends its use ends this year, it will be a long time of the finance act (No. 2). 1915, pass- and personal, moveable and immove- only under medical advice. This buy comforts for the trenches most-verdue, and infantry, were resumed north of 700° feet above the see. There the verdue, all attacks however, being required by the French. and a large quantity of grup gans before we get of military basis. I ed by the Parliament of the United able; used in connection with such meeting would warn the public that terncon, we get a complete change do not desire to mislead the House or Kingdom of Great Britain and Ire- business. Kingdom of Greet Britain and Ire-business. many patent medicines containing of clothes and socks, then we go to land, or under any legislation for 2.—So far as the capital consists of large amounts of alcohol are neither

we did not bring in this taxation the in force in France, Russia, Italy, Bel- ness, the value shall be the nominal the colonies or dependencies of any debts proved to be such to the satis The minister then went on to in- or those countries in respect of the faction of the Minister; and The minister then went on to in- or those countries in respect of the faction of the Minister; and The minister then went on to in- or those countries in respect of the faction of the Minister; and The minister then went on to in- or those countries in respect of the faction of the Minister; and The minister then went on to in- or those countries in respect of the faction of the Minister; and The minister then went on to in- or those countries in respect of the faction of the Minister; and The minister then went on to in- or those countries in respect of the faction of the Minister; and The minister then went on to in- or those countries in respect of the faction of the Minister; and The minister then went on to in- or those countries in respect of the faction of the Minister; and The minister then went on to in- or those countries in respect of the faction of the Minister; and The minister then went on to in- or those countries in respect of the faction of the Minister; and The minister then went on to in- or those countries in respect of the faction of the Minister; and The minister then went on to in- or those countries in respect of the factor of the fa The minister then went on to indicit those countries in respect of the faction of the Minister; and Fintosh, Prof. D. Fra form the House that he propose' to profits of any business liable to taxa. 3.—Accumulated profits employed in Prof. A. G. Nicholls.

eliminister the new taxation through tion hereunder shall be deducted from the business shall also be deemed he appeal from the minister's decision erwise be payable by such pers n. 4.-Any berrowed noney or debts From the Boys by companies to a board of referces The following is substituted for borrowed or in urred in connection and from that to the courts. He told clause four of the proposed resolu- with the business shall be deducted in computing the amount of capital

(5)-That the business and trades for the purpose of this section. capital stock, but the bonds could not be so treated. The finance minister war on to to which the tax apply are trades and Dusinesses (including the business of Prince Edward Island, a civilian mem Boys Doing Their Bit on the transportation) of any description ber of the Opposition, as to whether take the case of companies carrying carried on or partly carried on in members and senators belonging to on business in Canada, which are con Canada, whether continuously or not, the volunteer forces could attend to

their duties as officers and their dut-(a)-The business of any person, les as members and senators at the companies paying their true net profits to the foreign holding companies than fifty thousand dollars, other than ly in the House by the Minister of Deer Mother. they sometimes sold them their prod-business which, or twenty per Militia. The answer was: Well, I was glad to get your centum or more of which is or has "Yes, when they can be spared letter and hear that you were all Newcastle. they sometimes sold them their prod- 2 business which, or twenty per Militia. The answer was:

an amendment that in such cases the munitions of war or in material or tary duties." (b)-The business of life insurance

(d)-The business of any company, which, but for an agreement, ar commission or association less than

be or have been obtained for such which is owned by a province or a Falling on Oil Pipe in Nosing were.

To deal with such cases, he proposed been the manufacturing or dealing in from their regimental or other mili- well. It was so long since I had heard | I remain, yours truly

Chatham Shell Factory

Department. (Chatham Commercial)

Steve? European Battlefront.

From Dan Curtis, of Curventon

from you. I thought you must be; sick or something.

I am feeling fit and well, and have In the Interests works but an back once more in the firing line. I was glad to get the

photo of Sadie and Hughie and I rangement or understanding, might ninety per cent. of the live stack of Conflagration Caused by Shell would not have recognized them at Public Meeting in Newcastle to be all if you had not told me who they Addressed by Dominion Al-

> liance President and Sec-I got a parcel the other day with socks in it. and very much appreciate it, as socks are just what we need

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DAN.

and a large quantity of gun and rife On the 3rd, the French were able cartridges. Northward the Russians the country Canada's financial res land, or under any legislation for 2.—So far as the capital consists of large amounts of alcohol are neither ponsibility is very heavy. I feel if raising revenue for the present war assets being debts due to the busi foods nor stimulants as advertised." trenches at Vaux, another outpost of an intense supporting fire from the

Further advances by the Germans Sea coast to the east of Trebizond. fantry now, as mounted troops are no good here, they may get to work again. When we get the Huns on the run we will need horses to catch the run we will need horse to catch the run we we will need horse to catch the run we will need horse to catch the run we will need horse to catch the run we we will need horse to catch the run we we will need horse to catch the run we we will need

Detachments of troops continuing big guns of German organizations.

After having vigorously shelled the the pursuit, occupied the village of all we think of-news from hone. Meuse, the Germans, in a strong in-It makes a fellow feel bad, when fantry attack, captured the village of In Western Egypt, the British, or Somewhere in France other fellows get mail, and I get Forzes, about nine miles northwest the 2nd, retook Sidi Barani, which had of Verdun. Not satisfied with the been held for three months by the of Verdun. Not satisfied with the been held for three months by the Remember me to all the folks in gain, they several times essayed to Senussi tribes of fue Sahara officered

debouch from the village against the by Turks. Cote De L'Ooie, but the French in Eight hundred Austrian soldiers in counterattacks, forced them back in barracks were killed or wounded in the village, and held them there.

the raid inade by Italian aeroplanes In Champagne the right and left on Feb. 19 on the city of Laibach. flanks of the French were attacked according to information given out on of Prohibition by the Germans in the region be the 6th instant. tween Mont Tetu and Maisons. De Two high officers of the staff of

Chacnpagne. At the former point Archduke Eugene, commander in chief the French fire kept the Germans in of the Austrian forces operating agtheir trenches but near Maisons De ainst Italy, are said to have been Champarne they succeeded in oc- killed. One of the Italian aeroplanes cupying a small section of a French was destroyed.

trench President Wilson, on the 29th, de In the Argonne the French blew up cided that he could not negotiate with near Courtes Chaussees a German the Teutons unless he was assured of post with a mine, and captured a the support of Congress. He there range for a public meeting in the portion of the crater. Near Haute fore demanded that both houses of brought the amount of a greater fig- Chavachee the Germans sprang two congress declare whether or not they interests of Prohibition, have about the french or not they interest of the french or not they interest or not they interest of the french or not they int mines, and later entered the French agreed with him on his stand that

the run we will need horses to catch in the Trenches Example 1 and put them "Hors de combat." We all speak a little French, enough to ask for what we want, but we don't always get what the provide the speak a little French, enough to ask for what we want, but we don't always get what the provide the speak a little french, enough to ask for what we the speak a little french, enough to ask for what we the speak a little french, enough to ask for what we the speak a little french, enough to ask for what we the speak a little french, enough to ask for what we the speak a little french, enough to ask for what we the speak a little french, enough to ask for what we the speak a little french, enough to ask for what we want, but we don't always get what freutons out of a trench they had we want, we should worry. Get me, taken, and the hammering with their cartridges and rifles. Well Brown, old boy, I hope you will take time and answer this, that's region between Bethancourt and the Maprava, midway between Atina and

J. C. WOODS.

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West North. Patriotic Fund

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Edward Carrol

brought the ancunt of a greater ng-ure, would be considered as taxable also amended by changing the date under the act. Clause 5 of proposed resolution is the firing line just now, I think both in the fifth line of sub-clause four to the fifth line of sub-clause four to To Mr. W. S. Loggie, who objected the first day of January, one thousto the differentiation between incor and nine hundred and fifteen, and by and head. drive them back into Grmeny and Dominion Temperance Alliance, have and the French also occupied a por- ships, which the Germans have now The accident occurred in the "nos- finish the war. porated and unincorporated compan- adding the following sub-classe:

ated and unincorporated compan- adding the following sub-closse: in allowing profits. Sir Thomas 6.—Where an incorporated company ing" department which is located in We had a good time at Xmas and the meeting will shortly be an-been secured and the exact date of the meeting will shortly be an-Forges, the guns on both sides in the a vote of 68 to 140 carried out the Preies in allowing profits. Sir Thomas 6.—Where an incorporated company as said the British Finance Act of 1915 conducts its business whether under a small building adjoining the fac-nade such a differentiation. Explain- agreement or otherwise, in such man building diversion for projer. The hosing furnace is really wonderful what a good time at Athas and the meeting will shortly be an-nounced. Mr. Wildon has a wide experience in connection with teming to Mr. E. W. Nesbit the \$50,000 her as either directly or indirectly to run with oil fuel, and the accident was caused by a shell failing from the work. To the southwest of Metz Gore's resolution to warn Americans will be both instructive and interestexemption of capital, in the case of benefit its shareholders or indirectly to was caused by a shell failing from troops there is here. I an sending you a photo of my ship and the like. Sir Thomas said interested in such company by selling process, which struck the cill feed self and three of my pais, that I had will

sinp and the like. Sir findmas said interested in such company by selling process, which strack the off like and three of hy pairs, that I had three of hy ber shop, whereas he was confident mine the amount which shall be deem building and instantaneously the around home enlisted yet? There is of this vital question, in which all placed by quiet, joyful confidence in chantmen. that the present taxes could be col- ed to be the profits of such company structure was a mass of flame. The a big bunch of Canadians out here present are invited to take part, may the strength of Gen. Petain's precomparatively small ex- for any accounting period and in de- beller that supplies the heat for the now, and a lot more training in Enc. be looked for.

He also stated that in the transing such amount the minister main building is also located in this land. Canada is doing fine for the bill would be found clauses to prevent shall have regard to the fair price department. war.

double taxation in the case of holding which but for any agreement, arrange. Saturated with the oil the clothing We have been having pretty good W. J. Jardine. Treasurer of West that although the Germans may perment or misunderstanding might be or of the three men at work there took weather since the New Year, not so Northumberland Canadian Patriotic sist in their offensive, their power of companies and in other instances. companies and in other instances. ment or misunderstanding might be or of the three ment at work three took weather since the text rear, not so The amendments were then tabled could have been obtained for such fire before they could make the exit. much rain as formerly, and things and the committee rose. They will be product, goods and commodities. The men in the other part of the factories are drying up quite a bit. We have taken up again after they have been the following clauses are substit. tery rendered first aid to the unfor- had no snow here this winter so far. uted for clauses 7, 8 and 9 of the pro- tunate man, literally tearing the but we might have a little before March 1st, 1916: printed.

burning clothing off them. Two other Spring yet. The text of the amendments as posed resolution. -That the capital employed in employees, Frank Moulton and Bert. submitted is as follows.

The definition of "non-Canadian the business of a non-Canadian com- Lobban, had their hands badly burn- Well I must close now, hoping that Geo. Bell 1.00 great number of infantry men suc- The young couple were attended by company" in clause 1, is are added by pany shall be such portion of the ed while trying to remove the burn- you continue in good health. adding there's the following: Ender schount paid upon its capital stock as ing clothing from their fellow work-I remain. directly of through or in the name "" all bear the same proportion to the ers. Your loving son.

a nount paid upon its entire capital The three injured men were rushed any other company." The following is substituted for stock as the value of its assets in to the Hotel Dieu Hospital, where for

clause 2 of the proposed resolution: Crnada bears to the value of its to tunctely there were present at the From J. C. Woods of Newcastle time of their arrival, four doctors. "There shall be levied and paid to tal assets. His Majesty a tax of twenty five per 8.—That the sencunt paid upon the Drs. Loggie, Marven; McGrath, New-Somewhere in Belgium, Féb. 12, 1916 Jos. Richardson

centum of the amounts by which the capital stock of a company shall be castle, and a visiting doctor who was Dear Brown, profits earned in any business ex- the amount paid up in cash What inspecting the hospital with the lat- Have a few hours to myself and Rundle Crocker ceeded in the case of a business own- stock was issued before the first day ter, so that no time was lost in giv- thought I would like to tell you a Mat. Carrol d by any other person on the rate of Jan. 1916, for any consideration ing the men every attention. few lines.

Arthur Eagle ... of 'en per centum per annum on the other than cash, the fair value of such The fire department was promptly Eddie MsFarlane is the only New. David Bell capital employed in such business. stock on such date shall be deemed on the scene and assisted by employ- castle boy in this Regiment. He is Elmer Trevors Such tax shall be levied against and to be the amount paid upon such ees of the foundry and factory, suc- from Chatham, so am I but I paid by the person owning such busi- stock; and where stock has been is ceeded in preventing the fire spread- Newcastle best. I saw all the New- John Trevors ness for each and every accounting such since the first day of January ing to the main building, which be- castle boys from the 8th Battery. Jas. Ullock period ending after the thirty first day for any consideration other than cash yond the blackening of the walls in They look fine. Masson, Gifford, In- Hudson McLean one thousand nine the fair value of the stock at date of the comer adjoining the nosing de- gram. Crocker. McCallum. Bate and its issue shall be deemed to be the partment, escaped any damage. The all the rest. Feel fine and all have hundred and fourteen.

incunt paid upon such stock. In s- main building resumed operations in had their yearly pass to London for previously acknowledged ... Provided, however: (a)-That the amount paid or pay timating the value of stocks issued the afternoon. The machinery in the 9 days, I will get mine about May able by any person under the provi- for any consideration other than cash burned portion of the factory was 1st, soon enough. I have been picked sions of part one of the special war regard shall be had to the value of not seriously damaged, " that the out of the 6th C. M. R. to be a Grenue act, 1915, shall be deducted the assets, real and personal, move- necessary repairs to equipment and adier or bomb thrower, Suicide Club from the amount which such person able and immovable, and to the liabil- building can be effected in a few days they call it, as there was a lot of would otherwise be flable to pay and ities of the company at the date as of and the factory will soon be in full fellows got killed by their own bombs

the minister shall have power to de which such value is to be determined. running order again.

trenches at several points. Counter- American citizens should not be warm been secured and the exact date of ticn of the mine crater.

artillery has heavily domaged Ger- The British press is well pleased Mr. Donald Fraser, jr., Provincial man positions.

paredness either fcr defence or a TWO WEDDINGS OF

The conviction rezarding Verdun is

the troops who have lost fights ag- castle, took place in St. Mary's church John English, Foreman ainst the French in future attacks, yesterday afternoon, Rev. Father John English \$2,00 The Germans, therefore, have put a Murdoch performing the ceremony.

Thos. Nixon 1.00 sepear to be replacing their divisions. 1.00 Among the British Sips lost last Joseph Stewart 1.00 week were the Rothesay 2007 tons. Richard Sonier 1.00 of Cardiff, and the Teutonia. 4.824 Ben. Deroche 1.00 tons, of Sunderland. Jos. English The Germans claim that up to the Andrew's Church, Newcastie, of Burk John Hubbard 1.00 1.00 end of last week the Allies had lost Ingram White, of this town; and Miss 1.00 39 submarines during the war-Bri- Elizabeth Mound, of Bridgetown, New-Marsh Hubbard 1.00 tain 19. France 9. Itely 4, and Russia castle, and formerly of Manchester. 1.00 2. The Germans announce that, after present to witness the ceremony. 1.00 1.00 a several inonths' cruise, their cruis- which was performed by Rev. W. 1.00 er Moewe safely passed through the Bate, the rector of the parish. 1.00 Allied blockade and anchored in a bride, who carried a Book of Comlike Wm. Murphy 1.00 German port on the 5th instant. It mon Prayer, was attractively gown-1.00 is said that she captured 15 vessels- ed in a suit of royal purple, and was 1.00 13. British, 1 French and 1 Belgian, attended by Miss Jessie McTavish, and also laid the mine that sunk the whilst the groun was supported by \$23.00 British battleship King Edward. She Charles Johnston. After the service 9,730.20 brought into port 199 prisoners and the wedding party and guests pro-1.000,000 marks (\$238,000.00) in gold ceeded to the bridegrocm's house taken had been freed at neutral

ports.

At Newcastle, March 7th, to Mr. dians recaptured the 600 yards of ed in New Brunswick and mobilized accidently, through ignorance, but and Mrs. Richard Woods, a daughter, trenches at the bluff of the Ypres- at Fredericton.

LOCAL INTEREST

1.00 cessively into the action, and now Leo Mitchell and Miss Mary Ryan.

with the President's victory in the

WHITE-MOUND

The marriage tock place on Monday evening last. March 6th. at St. England. A number of friends were The

The 58th Howitzer Battery has