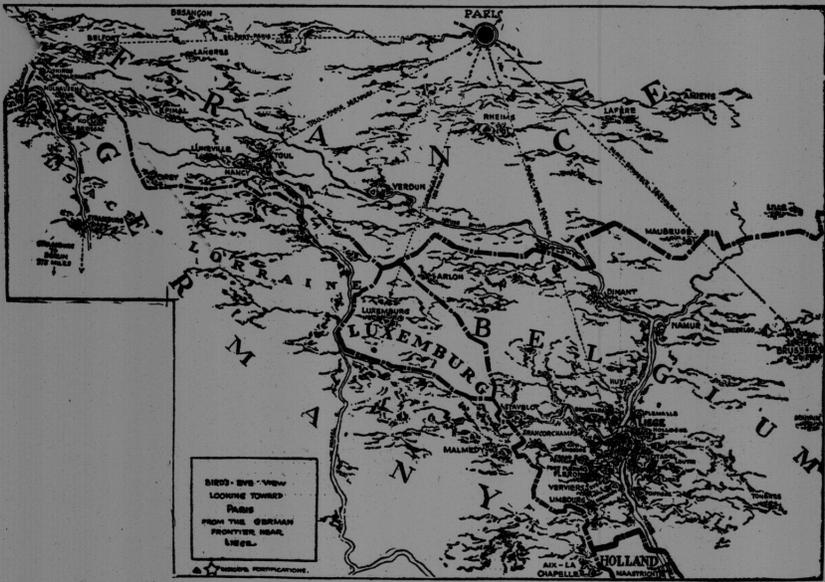


Where Great Armies Are Assembling; Defences of the Five Roads to French Capital



SEVEN NEW "VIEW" LOOKING TOWARD PARIS FROM THE GERMAN FRONTIER NEAR THE...

Sir Rider Haggard's Solemn Warning Eminent Writer Vividly Depicts Crucial Struggle in Which Empire is Engaged

A speech that cut into the flesh of those who heard it and was a call to a sense of duty to all Canada was made last night by Sir Rider Haggard, the noted author, at the dinner given the members of the Dominion Royal Commission at the Union Club by Mayor Frink...

After the speech there was a silence in which a pin could be heard dropping until the mayor rose and said that the speech had made a deep impression, that it would last for some time and he hoped it would be productive of some good...

Prink, Commissioner Russell and members of the board of trade. With the ladies of the party, they were taken for an auto drive. George Barbour, Walter Allison, F. del. Clements, W. H. Barnaby, James D. Seely and others placed their cars at the disposal of the commission...

Breakdown Caused by Tea and Coffee

"I am satisfied," says a prominent physician, that coffee is responsible in a great degree for the premature breakdown of our active men and women. "They suffer from caffeine poisoning."

POSTUM

There's a Reason" for Postum Canadian Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Windsor, Ont. Postum is a pure food-drink, made from wheat and a bit of molasses, containing the nutrition of the grain. No caffeine—no drugs—no harmful ingredient in Postum.

FIRE DESTROYS I. C. R. ELEVATOR

Origin of Midnight Blaze a Mystery LOSS ABOUT \$400,000 Elevator With 70,000 Bushels Wheat For Army—Freight Shed Damaged and Three Freight Cars Lost—Other Damage—Whole City In Danger

The big I. C. R. elevator off Mill street was totally destroyed by fire in an early hour this morning at a loss of approximately \$200,000 on the building and equipment along with 70,000 bushels of wheat stored there recently for shipment to England for the use of the British admiralty, adding about \$600,000 more to the loss.

In addition to this loss, which it is suspected resulted from incendiarism by sympathizers of hostile countries in Europe or perhaps by an immediate envoy, the freight shed belonging to the I. C. R. close at hand was completely destroyed with all its contents—meaning about \$25,000 in ashes.

Three I. C. R. freight cars on the rails between the elevator and the I. C. R. station were burned completely and Pullman and passenger cars even a quarter mile away in the yard were partly burned and scorched—losses about \$15,000.

The I. C. R. trainshed was badly damaged. The roof caught fire in a very few minutes after the flames burst from the elevator and was badly damaged to the extent probably of \$2,000, making a total loss of nearly \$400,000.

Local Artillery Men Ready For The Front

The names of eighty men who have so far qualified with the 3rd Regiment Canadian Artillery for service abroad were given out yesterday afternoon by Lieut.-Col. B. R. Armstrong, commander of the regiment. The roll as it was despatched to Ottawa on Tuesday night is given below.

Woodstock, N. B., Aug. 12—(Special)—The second day of the Odtalows convention has been a busy one. The grand lodge met at 10 a. m. and transacted routine business. A civic reception was held at 11 o'clock at which Mayor Jones, Hon. J. K. Flemming, F. B. Carvell, and Rev. O. S. Newham delivered addresses.

Advertisement for Coca-Cola featuring an illustration of a man and a woman drinking, with text: 'Man's Drink - Woman's Drink - Everybody's Drink' and 'Vigorously good - and keenly delicious. Thirst-quenching and refreshing.'