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British Lines Doing Tremendous Business, and Premiums Paid For Early Sailings by Most

Eager. [Canadian Press.]

Cockspur street, where the headquarcrowded from an early hour, and the clerks worked at high speed issuing tickets and making transfers to earlier steamers for those who had transporta- the rate of exchange abroad. August or early in September The one and only object of the travel-

Canadian Tourists Leave.

The crowd of tourists was augmented by many Canadian and American residents, who, owing to the dislocation of opportunity of visiting their homes. vence, of the French Transatlantic Line, provided a lot of customers for the steamship companies still doing

Premiums for Tickets. Maximum rates were charged by all the companies, and many paid high premiums for tickets to those who had them, but preferred taking the profit in the hope of getting some later at a lower rate.

The French Transatlantic Line and the North German Lloyd still accepted bookings for their steamers today, but most of the would-be passengers seem ed to prefer British vessels. The Hamburg-American and other vessels in all parts of the world to seek neutral ports, and if the crisis continues shipping soon will be entirely dis-

Mauretania Loaded. The Cunard liner Mauretania, sailing today from Liverpool, has a full complement of passengers. As the ordinary homeward rush to America had not begun when her sailing was announced she was able to provide accommodation for many who had intended to sail on the Imperator.

# SAILINGS BETWEEN U.S. AND CONTINENT OFF

Many Lines Suspend All Traffic Except to British Ports.

[Canadian Press.]

York, Aug. 1 .- Trans-Atlantic

service between New York and continental Europe was suspended today by the Cunard Line and the International Mercantile Marine Company. which control the White Star, Red Star. American Leyland, Dominion and had received assurances from hundreds Atlantic Transport Lines. Sailings for of Serbs from all parts of the country English ports via these lines was not interrupted.

received from the head offices of the Cunard Line and the Internaonal Mercantile Marine in England. Hundreds of persons had engaged passage via these lines for Mediterranean and Scandinavian ports, and to these, the companies announce, the passage oney would be refunded.

FIRE, Accident, Liability, Plate Glass, AUTO-

# TOURISTS ANXIOUS IMPORT BUSINESS NEARS STANDSTILL

Advanced and Difficulty of Transportation Getting Worse.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Aug. 1 .- An almost complete suspension of the import business London, Aug. 1 .- Transatlantic tour- of the country is near at hand, accordists in England entirely gave up their ing to members of large importing sight-seeing trips today and flocked to firms. The cancelling of the sailings of all vessels by German steamship lines, was feared to be merely a forerunner of more serious obstacle to the situated, to try and book passages importing trade. Great difficulty is The companies' offices were expected to be experienced in moving American exports because of the limited tonnage under United States registry or neutral flags. Still more ominous was the rise in

tion on vessels sailing the latter part of feature of the war situation reached such proportions that large importing houses issued cable orders to stop buying goods on the other side. In many instances goods have been advanced from 10 per cent to 15 per cent in Europe the present week.

Apart from the inability of foreign business, were desirous of taking the exporters to fill orders, stands the probable prohibition by the interested The Cunard, the White Star and other governments of many lines of exports. British and Dutch lines did an immense Germany issued a decree of his kind business. The withdrawal of La Pro- yesterday, and importers said they look for similar action by the other European powers.

Altogether the present situation confronting importers contains elements never before met with in the business

# 200,000 AUSTRIANS TO RETURN FROM U. S.

German companies have ordered their The Problem of Transporting Them to Europe Puzzles the Officials.

consulate here today that the reserves had been called for general mobilization. Two hundred thousand Austrians and Hungarians, it was said at the consulate, would therefore immediately be called upon to return home from this country and join the colors. How to get the 200,000 men back to Austria-Hungary was a problem officials at the consulate were today trying to solve. It was at first planned to have the reservists sail from New York on Italian steamers. These steamers, however, it was said at the consulate, would have to pass Gibraltar, where they might be seized by England, and the reservists taken as pris-

oners of war. The men may be taken to the West Indies, where there are German war-

Servians Not Called. No word has reached the Servian consulate here summoning the reservists home. A reason for this is that impossible to communicate by cable with any point in Servia at the present time. The Servian consulgeneral, Prof. I. Pupin, said that he that they were ready to respond to a

call to arms. Consulates Busy. The French, German and Russian consulates continue to show unusual activity in view of the threatening outlook in Europe. At the three consulates, where many gathered, it was announced that no orders had been received calling out the reserves living in this country.

# Financial, TOMATOES AT HALF LAST WEEK'S PRICE 6.141/4d.

Large Supply of Produce Meets Heavy Demand On Market.

A large supply of produce, chiefly small vegetables, was on the market this morning, but an unusually large number of shoppers, kept prices steady. Vegetables are better and more plentifully offered on the square than at any other time this season. Tomatoes sold for less than one-half the price they brought last Saturday. Baskets of good quality sold this morning. Wheat has been scarce Potatoes, although plentiful, were in

lemand. The prices kept up at 90 cents and \$1 per bushel. Beans, carrots, onions, cabbages and peas were all plentiful, and sold at quoted priecs.

Eggs were slightly cheaper this mornng, selling for 22 and 23 cents per iozen. Butter is unchanged in price. Oats and hay sold at quoted prices his morning. Wheat has been scarce during the past week, and not one load

was on the square Saturday. Raspberries continue at lower prices than those asked the first of the week. Excellent quality of berries were sold at 12 and 13 cents a box, retail. The crop will be practically over by the end of the

Grain, Per (	wt.			
Wheat, per cwt\$1	67	to	\$1	67
Oats, per cwt 1	35	to	1	
Grain, Per B	ushel			
Wheat, per bu	95	to	1	00
Vegetable	8.	-		-
Potatoes, new, bu	90	to	1	00
Beets, per doz	15	to		15
Onions, per doz	20	to		20
Lettuce, per doz	20	to		20
Rhubarb, per doz	20	to		20
Beans, per quart	3	to		5
Peas, per quart	15	to		15
Cucumbers, each	21/2	to		5
Cabbage, each	5	to		10
Tomatoes, per lb	4	to		5
nadisnes, per doz	20	to		20
Turnips, new, doz	25	to		30
Carrots, 3 bunches for	5	to		5
Fruits.	100	1		190
Red currants, box	7	to		10
Black currants, box	13	to		14
Gooseberries, box	7	to		8
Raspoerries, per box.	12	to		13
Black raspberries	11	to		12
Hay and St	raw.			33
Hav. per ton 10	00	to	12	50
Straw, per load 6	00	to		00
Straw, per load 6 Straw, per ton 7	00	to		00
Dairy Produ	icts.	7.7	25	10. 50
Butter, rolls, lb	22	to	W. R	23
Butter, fancy, retail	22	to.		23
Butter, store lots, lb	18	to	200	
Butter, creamery, lb	24	to	6	25
Butter, crocks, lb	21	to		29
Eggs, crate, wholesale	19	to		20
Eggs. retail. doz	22	to		23
Eggs, per basket	22	to		22
Honey, strained, 10 lbs 1	00	to		
Honey, sections, doz 1	75	to		
Live Stoc				-

Ducks, per lb...... 15 Butchers' Meats. Dressed hogs, choice. 11 50 to 11 75 Veal, per cwt...........14 00 to 15 00 Winnipeg, July 31 .- The war news of

today had a double effect on wheat an indefinite period, remained closed Japanese Minister of Foreign Affairs, Isles. prices at Winnipeg. On the curb, October wheat sold at \$1.06, and good sales at that. October, at the opening, had a wide range, selling from 98c to \$1.04. December opened at 971/2c to \$1.02. A change took place within the first forty minutes, however, on the assumption that shipments will be stopped from this continent and trade routes unsafe, which will cause a piling up of the grain stocks at terminal points and for time probably be unsaleable. a time probably be unsaleable. Octo-ber declined to 95c, and December followed in sympathy. Prices at stood at 941/2c for October, and ember, showing a decline of 31/20 on the former and 8%c on the latter. Oats were comparatively steady, while flax continued its downward course, being at noon 21/2c to 5c lower. Closing prices for wheat were 3%c to 4c lower The cash trade is good for No.'s 1.

2 and 3 northern wheat, but little or nothing doing. Cash wheat closed 3%c to 4%c lower; oats, 2c lower to unchanged; ax, 5%c to 5%c lower; and barley, unchanged. Inspections totalled 178 cars, as against 184 last year.; ir

Cash wheat— Wheat—No. 1 northern, 95½c; No. 2 Oats-No. 2 Canadian western, 38c: To. 1 feed, 37c Barley-No. 3, 57c; No. 4, 51c; re-Barley—No. 3, 57c; No. 4, 51c; rejected, 48c.
Flax—No. 1 Northwest Canadian, \$1.49%; No. 2 Canadian western, \$1.46%; No. 3, \$1.34%.

sight were 110 cars.

LIVE STOCK. Chicago, Aug. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; market steady; beeves, \$7 30 to \$10; steers, \$6 40 to \$8 40; stockers and feeders, \$5 50 to \$8; cows and heifers, feeders, \$5 50 to \$8; cows and heifers, \$3 75 to \$9 15; calves, \$7 50 to \$11 25.

Hogs—Receipts. 7,000; market slow; light, \$8 50 to \$8 85; mived. \$8 30 to \$8 90; heavy, \$8 20 to \$8 80; roughs, \$8 20 to \$8 35; pigs, \$7 25 to \$8 75; bulk of sales at \$8 40 to \$8 75. Sheep—Receipts. 2.000; market was steady; sheep, \$5 15 to \$5 85; yearlings, \$5 60 to \$6 50.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 700 head; steady, prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts, 25 head; achanged. Veals—Receipts, 25 head; achanged. [Canadian Press.]

New York, Aug. 1.—Official notice was received at the Austro-Hungarian

tive, \$5 to \$11 50.

Hogs—Receiptes, 3,200 head; slow; heavy, \$9 20 to \$9 30; mixed, \$9 30 to \$9 40; pigs, \$9 25 to \$9 40; pigs, \$9 25 to \$9 40; roughs, \$7 90 to \$8 10; stags, \$9 to \$9 30. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 400 head:

active and unchanged. CCTTON

New York., July 31 .- Cotton-Futures New York., July 31.—Cotton—Futures closed excited. Closing bids: July, 9.90c; August, 10.40c; September, 10.50c; October, 11.16c; November, 11.16c; December, 10.75c; January, 11.25c; March, 10.97c; April, 11.10c; May, 11.10c; June, 11.66c; spot, closed nominal

[Canadlan Press.] New York, August 1.-The cotton il market did not open this morning. It will remain closed until Tuesday.

Liverpool, July 31 .- Cotton-Spot, unsettled; prices irregular; American mid-dling, fair, 7.62d; good middling, 7.14d; middling, 6.66d; low middling, 6.18d; good ordinary, 5.22d; ordinary, 4.58d; sales, 4,000 bales, of which 200 were for speculation and export, and included 800 American; receipts, 7,000 bales 3,600 American; receipts, 1,000 bales. Futures closed irregular and unsettled; August, 6.45d; August and September, 6.28d; September and October, 6.21d; October and November, 6.18d; November and December, 6.12d; December and

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[Canadian Press.] Chicago, Aug. 1.—For the first time since the declaration of war by Austria, the Chicago wheat market opened in a normal way. First transactions showed a change of not to exceed 1 cent compared with the night before.

SUGAR.
London, Aug. 1.—In Mincing Lane beet sugar futures slumped violently from 8s 6d to 5s 6d per cwt. Refined sugar again hardened 6d, and was withdrawn from the market. from the market.

from the market.
London, Aug. 1.—Raw sugar—Centrifugal, 10s 7½d; Muscovado, 8s 6d.

PRODUCE.
Liverpool, Aug. 1.—Wheat—Spot unsettled; No. 1 Manitoba, 8s 6d; No. 2, 8s 4d; No. 3, 8s 1½d. Futures nervous; October, 7s 1½d; December, 8s 1½d.

Corr—Spot nominal Corn—Spot nominal. Futures, La Plata, nervous; September, 5s 11½d; October, 5s 8d. Provision and other produce markets nominal. No quotations available.

THE EXCHANES. London, Aug. 1.—Bullion amounting to £56,000 was taken into the Bank of England today, and £100,000 was with-drawn for shipment to Gibraltar and £16,000 to France. Gold premiums at Madrid, 3.20; at Lisbon, 17.00.

London, Aug. 1.—Calcutta linseed—August and September, 52s; linseed oil, 26s 3d. Sperm Oil—£27. Petroleum—American refined, 7¼d; spirits, 8½d.

Turpentine Spirits—33s 7½d.

Rosin—American strained, 9s 3d, do,

PROVISION STOCKS NOW IN LIVERPOOL

[Canadian Press.]
Liverpool, Aug. 1.—Following are the stocks of breadstuffs and provisions in Liverpool: Wheat, 1,284,000 centals; corn, 383,000 centals; bacon, 11,700 boxes; hams, 1,900 boxes; shoulders, 500 boxes; butter, 3,000 cwts; cheese, 26,200 boxes; lard, 5,400 tierces of prime western steam, and 1,630 tons of other kinds.

GRAIN RECEIPTS. GRAIN RECEIPTS. Montreal, Aug. 1 .- Grain receipts were

STANDARD OIL STOPS ALL ITS OIL EXPORTS

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Aug. 1.—All exports of petroleum and other oil products destined for Europe have been stopped by the Standard Oil Company, such commodities being considered contraband of was raised to 6 per cent. Several Standard tank ships scheduled to leave Atlantic ports today have been ordered to remain at the

docks. The steamer Kiowa, owned by the Standard Oil Company, and flying a German flag, was called back to New York late yesterday, after saiding in the creased from 41/2 to 6 per cent. morning with a cargo of petroleum for Algiers. It is reported that the company has recalled from foreign waters all of its ships.

NEW YORK EXCHANGE WILL REMAIN CLOSED

[Canadian Press: New York, Aug. 1 .- The New York Stock Exchange closed yesterday for today, with indications that its doors Takaakai Kato, in an interview with would not open until such time as the the Tokio correspondent of the Times, European situation should show marked said: "If hostilities unfortunately are run. improvement.

twelve hours' notice in advance of the devolves upon us in virtue of our al- unprecedented occurrence on a bank COTTAGERS COMPLAIN

OF LACK OF LIGHTS

Want Them On Rear of Coal Cars Being Shunted at

Night.

[Special to The Advertiser.] failure of the P. M. to safeguard the into a post on the sout side of the culcoal cars being shunted to the docks vert at the village of Conroy, turning a crushed hip and side. during the night. The shunting is at Its height just at the time the dance crowds are returning, and many lives this city. William Reihl, a mechanician Robertson rushed to the sult of the absence of lights on the rear of the shunting cars.

the Casino had a close call when a car broke away from the yard crew, owing don Killer. to the failure of the brakes to work. crowds at 20 miles an hour and their first intimation of the danger was a big black mass tearing down the incline. Fortunately all were able to

A brakeman, riding on the runaway runaway struck a string of 20 standing cars, jumping several feet in the air as it struck. The impetus started the whole string, but the brakeman thrown from the single car, managed

to stop the string by the application of the hand brakes. Mr. and Mrs. Webber who have been House," Hill Crest, left this morning for their home at Niagara Falls.

W. H. Stacey, of Port Stanley, had a very narrow escape from being hit by an auto this morning while on a narrow part of a road in Orchard Beach. He was driving on the wrong side of the road in order to make the turned and dashed up the side hill. Luckily he was unhurt.

W. H. Kennedy and family, of Galt, situation, who have been summering during July on Bridge street, left early this morning to motor home to Galt. They expect to return again for a week or so in the middle of August. Miss Tillson, of London, who een spending the last week with Mei-

fa Kennedy, of Galt, at Port Stanley, returns home today. Harris Mills, brother of Dicky Mill. camping at Port Stanley, is expected me from Detroit today and will spend the day with his brother at "Krowifimad" camp.

Jas. Slater, after spending the week at his home in London, has returned to his camp at Orchard Beach. Mrs. S. D. Cummings, of St. Thomas, has rented Shadyside cottage, Willow TORONTO and has moved in.

BELIEVES GENERAL INO EXCITEMENT AT UNIVERSAL PEACE

Japanese Premier Says Great Conflict Sometimes Needed To Bring About Great Peace.

Market and Commercial Section

Tokio, Japan, Aug. 1.—The Japanese avy has been prepared to meet any went to Nikko to consult the Emperor on the international situation. In the meantime the second battle squadron has assembled at the naval station,

who is to confer with the Emperor toturbance in Europe would resolve itself manner, and went to the bank at the in the final war of the world, leading to permanent and universal peace. The Japanese Government has postponed its proclamation of neutrality beis in constant communication with the British Government.

# EUROPEAN BANKS ALL

Bank of England Puts Discount Up to 10 Per Cent.

[Canadian Press.] land today raised its discount rate to and included many women who had re-

the Imperial Bank of Germany was crisis notes would become unchangeraised today to 6 per cent. The rate of interest for private loans

has raised its discount rate from 5 to 6 per cent. Amsterdam, Aug. 1 .- The bank rate of the National Bank has been in-

Bank of France. [Canadian Press.]
Paris, Aug. 1.—The Bank of France today raised its discount rate from 41/2 to 6 per cent, and its rate for loans rom 516 to 7 per cent. The bourse open, but there were no quotations.

WILL AID BRITAIN

LONDON, July 31 .- Late tonight the having decided to remain in the British opened between Great Britain and the

Gordon Killer, Aged 22, the Conroy, on the St. Marys road, there is a narrow culvert, taking down the width of the road to a minimum. The car was speeding along at a fast pace. A rig was seen on the culvert, brakes were jammed on, and the car swerved off the road, hitting a post and turn-Stratford, Ont., Aug. 1.-Gordon Kill- ing a complete somersault on the front

St. Marys and Stratford.

On the way back from St. Marys the Colquboun is also resting better. The The runaway car bore down on the accident occurred. At the village of car was badly wrecked. GERMANY'S ULTIMATUM AMMUNITION SHORT RUSSIA'S DIFFICULTY

> Taking Precautions. Says Ambassador.

> > [Canadian Press.]

visiting their mother at the "White sia did not stop her mobilization by circles regarding the possibility of west- at the risk and responsibility of the noon today, Germany would begin the ern troops being called out for active senders. mobilization of her army. The Russian embassy in London this evening pointed out the difficulty instructional purposes, have not been

created for Russia by Germany's ulti- recalled or notified to hold themselves matum. An official said Russia had passing of the automobile easier. There nothing against Germany, and had out, they would be at a disadvantage was a near collision and the herse merely taken precautionary measures as regards ammunition. Canada would on the Austrian frontier. He added not be able to supply the men with ing decision here this afternoon. Arthat, in spite of the gravity of the sufficient ammunition for their Ross "conversations" continued both at Vienna and St. Petersburg and and ammunition could not be supplied the managers of 98 western railroads that Sergius Sazonof, the Russian pre- from England since the British troops threatened with a strike of 55,000 enmier, had declared himself to be im- do not use this rifle. bued with the most peaceful ideas and that he was prepared to go to the uthas termost limits to prevent war.

MARRIED IN SPITE OF IMMINENCE OF WAR

Berlin, Aug. 1,-Prince Oscar, fifth last night to Countess Ina Bassewitz,

# BANK OF ENGLAND

Although Many Wait Opening To Change Notes For

HOLIDAY FEELING ABROAD Traffic To Resorts Is Even Heavier Than Ever Before at This Season.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Aug. 1 .- The scenes wit mergency, and the minister of marine, nessed at the Bank of England yester-Vice-Admiral Rokuro Yashiro, today day during the rush to obtain gold in exchange for bank notes were repeated this morning, but on a still larger scale. A few people who had been too late to get currency yesterday afternoon, spent The premier, Count Shigenobu Okuma, reached the quadrangle at daybreak, so morrow, in a speech today alluded to the gravity of the situation. He said that to being about a great peace a that to bring about a great peace, a great war was sometimes unavoidable.

The early hours. The majority of people came to the city in their usual leisurely came to the city in their usual leisurely to the bank at the

customary opening hour. The crowd soon increased in course of the morning, and an hour after the opening some 500 people were tween Austria-Hungary and Servia, and filled with curious onlookers. The bank porters had been sworn in as special policemen, so that they could more easily handle the crowds and in case of necessity arrest anybody causing a dis-

A strong force of city police also was on duty to deal with the crowd outside the bank premises.

No Excitement Even. Although some of the people were a little restless, as they wanted to get their money, so as to proceed to country and seaside resorts for their usual holiday at the beginning of August, the first Monday of which is a national holiday, there was nothing which could be described even as excitement.

It was noticeable today that the lin London, Aug. 1.-The Bank of Eng- of people was largely made up of clerks, ceived their wages in notes and wanted to change them into gold, as they real-Berlin, Aug. 1.-The bank rate of ized that with a continuance of the able.

Notes Not Wanted. At holiday resorts notes are usually refused, and, in fact, in London restaur-Brussels, Aug. 1.—The National Bank ants and theatres notes are changed at the best of times only for customers, money often find themselves unable to buy anything.

The closing of the National Penny Bank, whose customers are mostly working people, caused no excitement France would remain neutral. whatever. Not a person appeared in front of the head office. Brokers on Holiday.

Throgmorton street, where stock usually assembled, today, the brokers having gone away for the holiday. In fact the traffic to the holiday resorts was heavier today than it had ever been, many who had intended to take short trips to the continent

A similar quietude prevailed at other banks, and there was not a sign of any The Baltic Mercantile and Shipping Every member will be given at least other powers, we are ready to do what Exchange is to be open on Monday, an

### MOTORING ACCIDENT FATAL TO STRATFORD YOUNG MAN

Victim—Companions All Injured.

[Special to The Advertiser.] turtle completely and pinning the oc- were not so badly hurt. cupants down. The car belanged to Thomas Trow,

driving it around the garage, when he ford.

er is dead and five others badly injured wheels. The impact of the falling car as a result of terrible automobile acci- on the ground was terriffic, and Gor-Port Stanley, Aug. 1.-Cottagers who dent on the St. Marys road early this don Killer and Alfred Colquhoun were attend the nightly dances at the Cas- morning about two o'clock. Running caught more severely than the others ino are loud in their complaints of the loaded with human freight, crashed and the latter was crushed and injured at high speed a large six-cylinder car, The former received a fractured skull. internally. Roddy McDonald suffered The other

Help was obtained and calls sent to scene and are endangered, it is claimed, as a re- for the McDonald & Henry firm, was brought the injured party into Strat-Gordon Killer, Alfred Colquboun, met Roddy McDonald, son of Commis- and Roddy McDonald were take direct. sioner Angus McDonald and offered to ly the hospital. Killer died about 6 Last evening crowds returning from take him home. Later on, however, o'clock this morning. All suffered they met Gordon Colquhoun, Alfred terribly during the night. Roddy Mcissue an additional \$200,000,000, which Colquhoun, Jack Branston, and Gor- Donald is resting much more easily this morning, and is out of danger.

service, in the event of a general European war. Western officers, who have been loaned from the British army for in readiness. It is pointed out locally that, should Canadian troops be ordered rifles for a campaign on short notice,

### PROTECT FINANCIAL INTERESTS IN U.S.A. fer with representatives of the men

Secretary McAdoo Calls on Clearing House Representatives To Confer.

W wit .gton, D. C., Aug. 1.—To conside, what shall be done to protect the son of Emperor William, was married financial interests of the United States laughter of Count Bassewitz Levetzow. McAdoo today called on clearing house during the European crisis, Secretary The bride assumed the title of Countess associations in New York, Chicago, and Von Ruppin. The official celebration St. Louis, to send representatives here Beach, for the remainder of the season of the marriage has been set for Sep-Monday morning, to discuss the situa-tember. tion with him.

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### KAISER REFUSES TO TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR WAR

Tells Czar He Has Gone To sponsibility for the security of the Utmost Limits To Preserve Peace.

[Canadian Press.]

Gazette, the official organ of the Gov- clared that he had always been faithernment, says that after the Russian ful to his friendship for the Russian Emperor had given the order for the mobilization of the entire Russian that the peace of Europe could still be army and fleet, Emperor William sent maintained if Russia would cease to a telegram to Emperor Nicholas, in threaten Germany and Austria-Hun-

German Empire compelled him to adopt defensive measures. The German Emperor continued that he had gone to the utmost limits possible in his efforts to preserve the world's peace, and that the responsi-

Berlin, Aug. 1.—The North German world did not rest on him. He debility for the calamity threatening the Emperor and the Russian people, and

# which he made it clear that his re- gary. NEUTRAL, 'TIS SAID ORDERED IN FRANCE

Informs German Ambassador That Treaty Does Not Require Her To Take Up Arms at Present.

[Canadian Press.] Rome, August 1 .- The Messagero today says that the German ambassador informed the Italian Government that Germany has sent simultaneous ultimatums to Russia and France. The German Government in its ultimatum to Russia asked her to susand people who are known personally, so pend her mobilization within twelve that persons with pockets full of paper hours. In the demand sent by Germany to France the Government at Berlin requires France to inform it

> The German ambassador to Italy to day also asked to be informed as to Italy's attitude in the event of war, between Germany and Austria-Hun- Dr. Angell, at Detroit, Says gary on the one side and Russia and France on the other. The Marquis Di San Giuliano, the Italian foreign minister, said he would

ed Premier Salandra. be pursued by Italy in the present tains that it will need all the diplo-

The Messagero declares that as it is capable to maintain the neutrality of not a question of a defensive war on the United States. the part of Germany and Austria-Hungary, the other two members of the triple alliance, Italy, has decided to allies that her treaty obligations with follows: To all stations in Canada, also them do not oblige her to take up arms to Detroit. Port Huron, Buffalo, in the present crisis, and that she will Suspension Bridge at a fare and a third, remain neutral. The newspaper adds good going all trains August 1, 2 and 3. that it is not certain this neutrality will that it is not certain the and of the war, but Italy going and returning August 3 only. will stand aloof from hostilities as long as she is convinced that her interests Tickets and full information at "Cloc Corner," R. E. Ruse, C. P. and T. A. 98 are not being infringed.

# NETHERLANDS BANK

TO REDUCE RESERVE Law Passed Giving Authority For

\$200,000,000 Issue of Notes. [Canadian Press.] New York, Aug. 1 .- A law has been Dr. Lorne passed by both Houses of Congress in Holland, allowing the Netherlands Bank to reduce its gold reserve against bank notes from 40 to 20 per cent, according to a private cablegram received here

This means that the bank can

will be available for loans against bills and stock as collateral, a margin of 30 per cent being required. The change in the law also means relief to the trading community of Holland and the stock exchange. A syndicate of banks and bankers has, according to the cablegram, guaranteed the Netherlands Bank against part of the eventual losses to be suffered through the issuance of bank notes against stock exchange col-

TELEGRAMS TO GERMANY MAY NOT BE DELIVERED

[Canadian Press.] New York, Aug. 1 .- The French Telegraph Cable Company announced today that there was little likelihood of measages for Germany reaching their destination over its lines, as all telegraph wires with Germany had been cut. Mes-

RAILROAD DECISIONS ANXIOUSLY AWAITED

[Canadian Press.]

Washington, Aug. 1 .- Coincidentally two questions of great moment to the rangements had been made for President Wilson to confer at 2 p.m. with ginemen and firemen; at 3 p.m. the nterstate commerce commission's decision in the rate case was expected, and at 5 p.m. the President was to con-

mployed on the western roads. AMERICAN VESSEL UNDER GERMAN ORDERS

[Canadian Press.] Shanghai, China, August 1 .- The American steamship Canada, iwth a cargo of cattle and foodstuffs left Tsing-Tau vesterday for Vladivostok, returned to Tsin-Tau today, under orders from the German autho-

Apparently an Answer to Ger-

many's Question Regarding

Her Attitude in Crisis. [Special to The Advertiser.] London, Aug. 1 .- A Daily News dispatch from Berlin, timed at 2 o'clock this morning, says Germany has addressed an ultimatum to Russia, demanding that mobilization shall be stopped within twelve hours.

France, the dispatch says, in regard to her attitude in certain contingencies. The Daily Citizen's Paris correspondwithin eighteen hours whether, in case of war between Germany and Russia, has been ordered. ent reports that a general mobilization

A question has also been addressed to

STRUGGLE TO BE SHORT

Will Be Difficult. [Canadian Press.] Detroit, Aug. 1.-That the European reserve his reply until he had consult- war, however terrible it may be. and whatever the final result, will not be According to the Messagero, during long drawn out, but will be soon over, the interview which followed between is the opinion expressed by Dr. Angell, the marquis and Premier Salandra, the former president of the University of two Italian statesmen were in complete Michigan and an authority on interagreement as to the line of conduct to national law. Dr. Angell also mainmacy of which American statesmen are

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