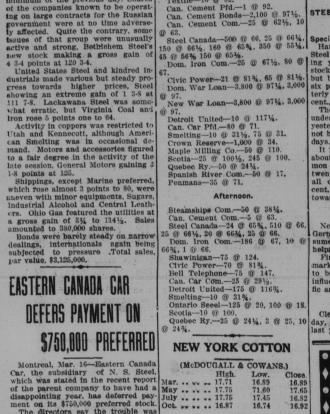
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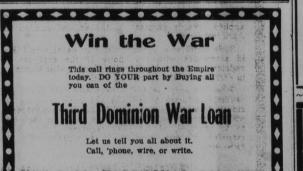


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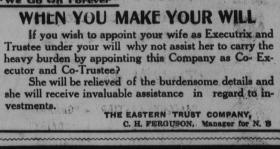
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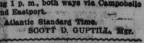
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New York, Mar. 16-Times-"The Gernans will go far astray if they as-sume the Russian revolution will be helpful to them." Financial America -- "The stock market again indicates a disposition to break away from all unfavorable influences. Reading and Union Paci-fic are in good demand."

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