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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1917

CABINET CHANGES

It is reported on good authority Canada. that Hon. C. W. Cross will leave the Stewart cabinet at an early date, and that the vacancy, after some adnent of portfolios, will be taken by Mr. A. G. MacKay, another Ed-

ecognizing a large section in Alberta, and of placing in the cabinet a very able and progressive member of the legis-During the next few years no party government probably could tion directly of interest to labor check it effectively. We are early of very great interest to labor, ill be before the legislature. The new government should create a deent of labor, included in which would be health affairs, and legisla-

u well as the administration of labor speech, so peculiar to the kaiser, is fairs. This would be a new move, spreading in strange ways. original and very important. Mr. Alex. Ross, member for Cen-

Southern Alberta has not a fair

hare of the portfolios. The Albertan

gued and nearly ill, bel room, I take of clear the room and ar everything seems oes not believe in sectionalism, and he premier is quite right in giving ar everything seems am as happy after zs really a southern man, just as fr. Marshall, though representing a othern constituency, is really a orthern man. The vacancy caused Mr. Sifton's resignation is filled s northern man. In the cabinet are six men from the north and men from the south, and three of f three railroad exsix northern men are Edmonton ally announced tha yers, living within a one mile g the standardiza en one Edmonton lawyer retires,

State-owned lines about 5.800 miles ther is put in his place, as though were a vested interest. ese three lawyers, it may be out Those d, are not representatives of the of Edmonton. In fact, though mere urban population of the province usiderably more than one-third ,50c he total population, and much of ovincial business transacted has with cities, there is no repre-BROS. ve of any city constituency

> the new premier would select Ross, he would place in the cabrepresentative of the poeple; ould have a city member in his t, and would remove the topcomposition of the cabinet. the new premier has an excellent mity to make good right at beginning. All he has to do is tak away from the partisans. And in a few months the premier appoint a woman to his Things are moving in this

eachers of the city and district convention, and the discussions the utmost importance.

e leader of the opposition in Sasan got his senatorship, while ader of the opposition in Alberta Why this discrimination?

ur name in the Calgary Who's ust published by the city, conthe very elite of our society? omething to do with the tax

pite the surprised denials of ges in the Stewart cabinet. The has no retraction to make, the report of such changes ing in this paper was true.

Manitoba Free Press has an ng sketch of A. L. Sifton by Alberta Liberal Journalist." Acng to the Edmonton Bulletin, only one leading Alberta malist, and that is Frank Oliver.

McCauley publishes in the papers the story that the ured in his one-man cars him that the accident was her tripping on her dress. dy in question takes an affithat she never talked to Mr. Cauley on the question. It is inesting to read Mr. McCauley's

ABOLISHING PATRONAGE

ALBERTAN The party patronage system that IDSON, Pres. and Editor has prevailed in Dominion politics, - Business Manager ! without even a temporary check, has Newspaper published by done more to corrupt politicians and an Publishing Co., Ltd., bedevil public affairs than anything else. Being rooted in favoritism and dishonesty, the finished product was horrible to behold. This diabolical \$5.00 luxury, which was so dear to all 4.00 political parties, both in the Do-.45 minion and province, has cost the people of the country many, many millions.

of eapiry of subscriptios ap-ity on address label. Accept-ity on address after expiration date is papers after expiration date is incitiv to continue the sub-ticity to continue the submen, and bred dishonesty and inefficiency everywhere.

To its credit, one of the first moves of the union government was to throw the patronage lists into the garbage heap, and destroy the patronage system entirely.

It is surprising how easily it was done, and how quickly it was done, when a good, strong government undertook it. The new government in that one

move will save the country many millions, and transform public life in It will be interesting to see the different provinces fall into line, and

follow the good example set by the The government permits oleomar-If this is the case, the new premier garine on the market, but it does not

will lose a second opportunity of attempt to force the people to use it. No party government has ever atempted to check the patronage evil;

more legislation of wider nature, learning the advantage of a strong union government. And now we have a Calgary editor telling the people of the kind of newspaper that he and Providence will on affecting the returned soldiers, produce. This strange habit of

For the second time in succession er Calgary, would be an ideal man the Calgary bank clearings have circulates.

they are making good.

If the city does not investigate very fully and completely the onereference to the man with ability man car accident of Wednesday and of many other days, the aldermen are wilfully neglecting their duty. If they did that, they might find out something about the one-man cars.

A look through the tax arrears shows that a large portion of the people have not paid their taxes because they were not pressed to pay them. A tax sale would bring in a large amount of real money, if the tax certificate plan falls down.

just at the time that the department the city organization.

The mayor has his running shoes on all the time these days. He is ready on a minute's notice to sprint over the Dominion course in East or West Calgary, or try the shorter course for fourth time for the mayoralty. He is always ready. It is an asset to have a man as ready as that.

A glance over the "Who's Who in Calgary," an interesting publication just got out by the city of Calgary shows that the difference between some illustrious people and some others extends to the extent of about a page, and sometimes more. The key to this rather mysterious statement will be found in an examination of the tax certificate catalogue.

ONE FRENCH VESSEL SUNK Paris, Oct. 25.—Only one French ssel was sunk by a submarine or mine during the week ending October unsuccessfully by submarines.



AFTER AN AIR RAID ON LONDON The photograph shows Sir Edward Henry, the Metropolitan police commissioner, the central figure, visiting the damaged area after a recent air raid on London-London Daily Mirror photo.

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

PERMITS TO TRAVEL

Editor, Albertan: I have the honor to publication, for the information of the community amongst whom your paper circulates.

All persons who wish to travel abroad and seaking to obtain the control of the contr

worth while.

The union government is making a cabinet minister. If the new remier would put his ear to the round he would soon learn that the cople are very weary of partyism, advantage. It is not surprising that southern Aberta has not a fair.

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Worth while.

Alled out and attested; the above form may be obtained through the post-master. In addition to the above, if may field, a certificate to that effect must be procured from some prominent person in the community in which the applicant resides; such as the mayor, a cleryman, etc. If unmarried, a certificate of medical unfitness from one of the regular army medical boards. Application for the military many others, great and many good people were so indifferent to the immoral methods of taxation and land holding so evident among us?

With this giant, wrong shall fall the regular army medical boards. Application for the military many others, great and many others, great and many good people were so indifferent to the moral question involved in the moral question to the above, if may field, a certificate to that effect must be procured from some prominent person in the community in which the applicant resides; such as the mayor, a cleryman, etc. If unmarried, a certificate of medical unfitness from one of the regular army medical boards. Application for the moral question to the moral question to the above form may pood people are so in the community in which the applicant resides; such as the mayor, a cleryman, etc. 403 Judge Travis building, Calgary. G. MACDONALD, Colonel,

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be so cheap, and bread to eat so dear." And no doubt but that in every city in Canada the children are dying off at Commissioner Samis brings out his plan to amalgamate all city boards, itset at the time that the department they are enjoying are snatched and only means of putting Canada's best from the hands of the parents of these into winning the war. The fault I find is starving infants of whom Christ said: with other leaders and parties who, itset at the time that the department And further: "Whosoever offends one of education of the United States, of these little ones, it were better for swords. This phrase, as I explained, it after a careful investigation, decides him that a millstone were hanged about an adaptation of a remark of the French that it is wisest to have no connection between the school board and just, cruel, dirty, mean laws that enables some people to rob the rest and the swords.' reduce them to starvation and we want to get at those laws, see how they operate, see who makes them and use our ballots to get such dirty laws changed. Now we may indulge in moral platitudes and beautiful sentiments till

the robbery of the babies.

these starving babies have the ballot in their hands and boast of their free-dom, Wherty, British institutions and part of Canada. Now there must be a reason, a fundamental cause for this. That reason has been summed up years go by one of the greatest scholars of people." And so long as that condition exists democracy, liberty, freedom are only words with which to mack the miseries of the people. To own land is to own the air, sun and rain that

No doubt but that the parents of

on the earth. Now how can we secur to all an equal interest in the earth, in Canada—and thus try to get what we pray for when we say: "Thy will be done on earth as it is done in heaven? Does any person pretend that it is God's will that the earth should be owned by a few for the purpose of rob-bing others of the fruit of their toil and starving their children to death? And request that the following item may is not most of Canada owned for that be published in an early issue of your very purpose? Can't Mr. Wood see this point? Is there are no dull as

passed the ten million mark. With all that money about, it is disappoint-ing that the city couldn't annex is the were not tied down even in worth while.

All persons who wish to travel abroad and seeking to obtain the military sanction which is necessary, will, before applying for same, have "application for permit to leave Canada" form duly filled out and attested; the above form may be obtained through the nost-involved in

the way! Why not recognize this giant wrong the foul breeder of every social ill and

which makes our democracy a bye-word and a reproach among thoughtful ECONOMIST.

CORRECTS MISTAKE Editor Albertan—I am reported in your ssue of Wednesday morning as having doesn't seem to get us anywhere.
Report comes from Montreal that in a short time, recently, over 700 babies had died in that city of malnutrition—starved to death, died of hunger in the metropolis of Canada.

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sure, is precisely what I want at this who are revelling in luxury though
they toll not, neither spin. The luxernment because I believe it to be the one the-war exponents, have no steel in their swords. This phrase, as I explained, in

Yours very truly, SAM W. FALLIS.

FRUITS OF PROHIBITION the crack of doom, but that won't stop Shortage of Prison Labor Owing to Lack of Local Criminals.

William, Oct. 25 .- Philip Simse and J. J. Rvan, formerly of the Central dom, Mberty, British institutions and similar stuff and yet their children die of starvation where there is more at Guelph, are in the city on a peculiar wealth abounding than in any other errand. In past years they have visited the western end of the province and the western end of the western end of the original transfer and the western end of the original transfer and the western end of the original transfer and the western end of the province and the wes taken back with them a chain gang of criminals under sentence from the head of the lakes to eastern penal institu ago by one of the greatest solutions in the six men from Kenora and nine men six men from Sudbury to serve sentences at the tice" in these words: "The alienation of the rents of the soil into private pockets and the consequent necessary taxation of the labor or industry of the people." And so long as that

JUDGE GALT ILL Winnipeg. Oct. 25 .- Judge Galt is in Paris. Oct. 25.—Only one French for the equal benefit of everybody. When we use the Lord's Prayer we say:

"Our Father"—that means the brother-hood of man. And that means that all for some years, and it is understood to be the control of the eyes. The sight of one of his eyes has been practically gone for the eyes, and it is understood to the control of the eyes. The sight of one of his eyes has been practically gone for the eyes, and it is understood to the eyes are practically gone. 1.600 tons. Four vessels were attacked as brothers are equally entitled to that unsuccessfully by submarines. Hood of man, and that means that all that some malady has affected the which God has provided for everybody other one.

# TRAITORS AIDED GERMAN CAPTURE OF MOON ISLAND Flashed From Shore

Riga by sympathizers there is told by April, when the Brazilian steamer M. Vishnevsky, a commissioner sent minister received his passports, and to observe conditions there and who escaped in an open boat after the cities.
occupation. He describes the heroic Rece efforts made by the officers to rally reported disclosures of German intheir men and asserts that several of trigues to bring about a conflict be hem, including Gen. Martinoff, commander of the garrison committed uicide when the troops surrendered.

rought down a German hydro-aeroplane, the dead occupant was found to have complete plans, not only of existing, but of proposed fortifications. On the plans places were marked for bombing. Gen. Martinoff's scouts observed lanterns flashing from the shore and upon investigation found a desert-ed cabin with a ladder leading to the oof. Squares of canvas found lying on the ground were removed, but later were replaced by a mysterious hand. In an effort to stem the surrender of large bodies of troops. Vishnevsky and thers pretended to be sending signals to Russian ships, bringing help. Instructions were issued by soldier comnittees, he says, that those wishing to surrender should gather under white

Commander Shishoko of the Reval battalion of death, it is related, handed is sword to a solder, saying: "I never will return home. Those

who can may save themselves or die as I." whereupon he shot himself. The Germans gave two hours in which to surrender. The majority of the garrison gave up their arms within this

SWEPT AWAY BY TIDE Much Damage Done Along Long Island Sound.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 25.—Many score New Haven, Conn., Oct. 25.—Many score of shore cottages at resorts along Long sland Sound between this city, and Bridgeport, an air line distance of 18 miles, were either demolished or partially wrecked by yesterday's high winds and tides, and today hundreds of families were shifting about trying to find accommodation. Housing conditions in Bridgeport. ion. Housing conditions in Bridgepor are such that thousands of industrial workers live in beach houses and hotels along the shore as far east os Milford and many of these frail structures could not stand the elements. Re construction will probably involve an outlay of more than \$100,000.

Five barges which went ashore of ont were fast today, W. M. Crutze captain of one barge, lost his life after he had landed his family.

INCREASE FOR OPERATORS St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 25.—The Wabash ourced a 10 per cent increase for its telegraph operators

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. E. Vickers wishes to announce to his acquaintances and patrons of the past five years in Glengarry Crescent Heights, Parkhill and Ogden that he has opened at 703 First street east (opposite the Salvation Auditorium), the A1 Shoe Repair Shop.

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#### BRAZIL IN STATE OF WAR WITH GERMANY

President Suggests That the Republic Seize Enemy Warship

Rio Janeiro, Oct. 25.—The president of the republic, Dr. Wencslao Braz, who has sent a message to the congress de-A German Airman Brought claring that it is impossible to avoid noting already the state of war which Germany has imposed on Brazil. He proposes the seizure of a German war-Fortifications; Signals ship now in the port of Bahla.

Brazil revoked her decree of neutrality in the war between the entente allies and Germany last June. The Brazilian government had previously revoked its Petrograd. Oct. 25.—How the Germans were aided in the capture of Oesel and Moon islands in the Gulf of
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> tween Brazil, Argentina and Uruguay CANADIAN LOST ON ANTILLES

That the Germans had knowledge of conditions on the island is indicated by the fact that when Aviator Safrono a son, William, was lost in the sinking of the United States transport Antilles.



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## NOTICE

AFTER NOVEMBER 3rd, 1917, owing to the approach of winter, the Calcary Con the approach of winter, the Calgary Gas Company, Limited, cannot accept orders for service installations, where it is necessary to open pavement to make the connection.

Proper repairs cannot be made by the City Paving Department after frost has entered the ground. The present schedule of prices for service installation will also be withdrawn on that date.

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THE KING RECEIVES AN ITALIAN AVIATOR The photo shows his majesty saluting Capt. Laureati, the hero of the Tunis-Hounslow flight, who just after his flight from Italy to London attended Buckingham Palace, while the king was bestowing \*-- V.C. on several winners of the decoration.—London Daily Mirror photo.