GOSSACKS CAPTURE AIRMEN.

LONDON, Nov. 25, 12.30 a.m.—A German aeropiane with two aviators has been captured by Cossacks 24 miles from Plock, Russian Poland. The airmen had dropped several bombs in Plock.

CRACOW AGAIN ATTACKED.

UP TO PROVINCES

Premier and Casgrain so Reply to a Joint Deputa-

the Winnipeg conference. He had, however, carefully read the memorial which he intimated was largely "bunk," It seemed to him that the manufacturers and grain growers had been so engrossed in finding a common ground of agreement that they had produced a paper which was "vague and colorless." He did not believe that so much importance should be attached to improving the high-ways or. to educational work among the farmers.

"We had better farming and better farming and better farming and better farm practice in Ontarle forty years ago," he declared, "than we have now. I can show you farms in Brant County that twenty years ago supported two gar three families, that are new abandoned. Our people are, leaving that farms not because farm life is unattractive, but hecause of unjust and opprassive legislation."

Some Caustic Criticisem.

Mr. Good went on to criticize the lavish expenditures on railway duplication and the enormous burden of capitalization which was a direct tax upon the producer. He said the memorial contained no concrete request that he could make out except the appointment of a commission to enquire into the conditions which made farming unprofitable, Royal commissions, he said, never made a recommissions, he said, never made a recommissions. (Continued From Page 1.)

callibre howitzers and kept up the attack on it for four hours in an effort to retake in unprofitable. Royal commissions, he said, never made a report until long after their existence had been forgotten and then they usually published a voluminous blue book which soon found its way to the ash heap. So far as the Grange was concerned they would not favor any commission unless they were allowed to name their own representative:

"Col. Thos. Batley of New Glassow."

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"After fierce fighting the redoubt remained in our possession."

DECISION IN FEW DAYS

own representative:

Col. Thos. Batley of New Glasgow,
N. S., for the manufacturers, and J.
A. Mahars for the Saskatchewan grain growers, said the memorial devoted no little space to the great war in which the empire was now engaged. The prime purpose of the Winnipeg conference, he declared, was to find a way to increase production so that Canada might feed the mother country and do her part in the present struggle. In a common impulse of patriotism The common impulse of patriotism the C. M. A. and the grain growers had come together believing that the only way to increase production was to insure a fair profit to the producer.

Borden's Reply.
Sir Robert Borden said the two associations had set a good example to all Canadians. He was glad to say that that his government was glad to say that his government was devoting a great deal of time and money to de-menstrattion and educational work among the farmers, and still further expenditures would be authorized in the near future. It was not the fault the present government that nothing had been done to improve the highways of the country. They had been thwarted in their earnest efforts along those lines by the Dominion

As to rallway construction, he for one believed that Canada had accomplished wonders in the last half century. Money had been borrowed to build the roads, but the country could Money had been borrowed to never have been developed as it had been without borrowed money. It might be true, he said, that there were many hogs in Alberta for the feed and not enough in Ontario, but nel ther the feed nor the hogs could be ed across the continent with. out paying the railways for the ser-

No Definite Reply.
The memorial, he said, asked for the appointment of a commission to en-quire into vast and intricate problems and for legislation to be founded upor their report at the coming session. was a large order and he could not at the moment give any definite answer. As to the financial question, the prime minister said that he regretted the absence of the finance minister. It struck him, however, that the subject of agriculture seems of the subject of agriculture seems of the subject of agriculture seems. est of agricultural credits was one to be dealt with by the various provinces instead of by the Dominion Govern-

Roderick MacKenzie: If the provinces establish banks to extend agri-

OFFICIAL

The following announcement from the general staff of the Russian army in the Caucasus was made public last night:
"In the region of the Tchoruk River (Russian Armenia) the battle increased in intensity yesterday.
"In the direction of Erzerum we threw back the Turks on the whole of the front and forced them hurriedly to retreat. Our troops are still pushing them energetically.

CANNOT BE SOLD

President Wilson Puts His Foot Down on the Proposition.

SEVERAL OFFERS MADE

Krag-Jorgensens Seem to Be in Demand All of a Sudden.

Special to The Toronto World. WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—Determine run no chances of laying the government of the United States open to any charges of failure to guard against violations of neutrality, the president let it become known late today that he will not become known late today that he will not permit the sale of the former standard rifle of the army, the Krag-Jorgensen, now held by the government.

Attempts have been made to purchase these rifles, about 400,000 of which are held in various arsenals thruout the country. On one occasion the statement was made to the war department that the guns were wanted to outfit a Central American army, and another attempt, the war department said tonight, had been made on behalf of the Chinese Government, according to the agents who attempted to engineer the sale.

The president put his foot down hard on the proposition and has refused to permit a single weapon of any sort helonging to the government to be sold during the time the European countries remain at war.

GRAIN CARRIERS WANT NEW BILL OF LADING

Meet in Detroit to Devise Means of Avoiding Responsibility

STATEMENTS

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HAMILTON INQUIRY

Council Approves Submission of Liquor License Bylaw to People.

HAMILTON Wednesday, Nov. 25 .- At the meeting of the city council last evening, Ald, H. A. E. Coo, who at the last meeting stated that he knew of a conmeeting stated that he knew of a con-spiracy to defraud the city out of certain sums of money, reported that he had placed the matter before Judge Snider and M. K. Cowan, K.C., and that he had been informed by Judge Snider that he would have to place he matter before another tribuñal for decision, as his in-vestigation was closed. This Judge Sni-der will do in the near future. also outlined a plan for straightening ou the McKittrick property along the marsi the McKittrick property along the marsh front.

John Mine of the public library board asked the board of control yesterday for the \$50,000 promised the library trustees some time ago for the old library building. The library board has an overdraft of \$40,000, and wants to purchase a piece of land for a branch library, and \$50,000, representing the value of the old library turned over to the city, will just cover expenses. No action was taken in the matter, but it will be dealt with in the near future. der will do in the near future.

Controller Morris was successful having the necessary steps taken by the council, so that a license reduction by-law will be submitted to the ratepayers

Ald. Littlewood made an effort to have

PREPARING TO ATTACK THE CAMEROONS



ed in Attempt, Describes Himself as a "Soldier

Canadian Press Despatch.

LONDON, Nov. 24, 11.02 p.m.—A German tried to blow up the British gunboat Dwarf with an infermal machine i nthe West African harbor recently, according to a report to the colonial office. It was discovered that that he was a missionary.

"When questioned as to how he found such an action compatible with his profession," says the report, "he replied that he was a sofdier first and a missionary afterwards."

statement issued by the maritime authorities today says that it has been proved that German warships have violated the neutrality of Chile by staying for several days in the Juan Fernandez Islands, capturing two neutral ships seizing coal and provisions and sinking the French bark Valentine a half-mule distant from the Chilean coast.

FORTY-THREE SAVED

Canadian Press Despatch.

Subject of Strong Com-

plaint by Maritime

Authorities.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Nov. 24.—An official

MAY BE REOPENED

By a Staff Reporter.

near future.

Hydro officials are considerably an-Ald. Garson and Gleadow moved that he electors be asked to decide on Jan. whether they want the board of control noyed over the persistent action of the board of control and members of the city council in joining hands with the Berlin Council in an effort to have the government change the Public Utilities Act, system continued. The matter was re-ferred to the board of con rol. Hydro Motion Sent Back. whereby all surplus earnings will be turn-ed over to the general city fund, and claim that they will fight such a move

On the motion or Aid. Waiters and Con-roller Gardner, the recommendation of the board of control to amend the Public Utilities Act, to ensure that surplus rev enues from utilities be paid into the municipal treasury, to become part of the general funds of the corporation, was referred back for further study.

Ald Walters stated that the board of control did not be control did not be control did not be control. ntrol did not realize what this would mean when they decided to co-operate

mean when they decided to co-operate with Berlin.

Controller Morris said that the board of control did not think that the changing of the act would affect the local hydro department, but that it considered it advisable to have the act amended so that the city Steps to Probe Charges.

While the city hall authorities and the members of the fire, police and jail committee are not inclined to take seriously wholesale charges made against the police by ex-Detective Wm. Huckle, a copy of the latter's statements has already been sent to M. K. Cotwan, K.C., and it was further announced yesterday that Judge Snider would be seen concerning the charges at once.

tonight from the wrecked steamer Hana-iei, which went ashore yesterday in a dense fog on Duxbury Reef, nine miles north of the Golden Gate, and was shiv-ered into splinters early today by the

INSTANTLY KILLED BY TRAIN SHUNTER

German Missionary Who Fail- German Warships' Actions Robert McMahon Walked in American Relief Commission Front of It at Port Hope.

DYNAMITE IN HOUSE

Sticks in Making Search for Thief.

Special to The Toronto World.

PORT HOPE, Nov. 24.—Robert Mc-Mahon, 35, passing thru a lane which

Recruiting.

LARKIN INSTIGATOR

German Paper Says Rebels Can Secure Arms in Dublin.

Canadian Associated Press Cable.

LONDON, Nov. 24.—Irish despatches received this morning tell of a most extraordinary situation which has arisen in Irished extraordinary situation which has arisen in Ireland, a situation which will need stron action on the part of the authorities. It appears that six the authorities. It appears that six seditious newspapers openly pro-German and anti-British are being printed in Dublin and distributed thruout west Ireland with the primary object of stiffing the recruiting campaign which is now being carried on there. The news sheets in question are The Irish Larkins' papers, The Sin Fein Report Cruelly False. is now being carried on there. The news sheets in question are The Irish Worker, Larkins' papers, The Sin Fein Irish Freedom National Volunteer and Irish Nation and Iriand. The last has

FROM SHIPWRECK Eighteen Bodies Washed Ashore — Total Toll of Dead Unknown.

Canadian Press Despatch.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 24.—
Forty-three survivors had been resouded tonight from the wrecked steamer Hanalei, which went ashore yesterday in a despect of the states of the states

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GERMANS REFUSED

Challenges Statement of Antwerp's Governor.

ATTITUDE WAS CLEAR

Police at Thorold Found Six Germans Were Given Ample Opportunity to Feed Starving People.

Canadian Press Despatch

LONDON, Nov. 24, 6.50 p.m.—The American commission for relief in

distant from the Chilean coast.

Major Alian and Controller Cooper said they could not see how the city could advance such a loan, but it was afternoon in the conference at 2.50 the controller cooper said they could not see how the city could advance such a loan, but it was afternoon in the conference at 2.50 the control because the country of the c

authorized such a statement, and are inclined to believe that the report is supfounded.

"The following cities, thru their representatives, have made repeated appeals to the German representatives in Antwerp for food: Malines, Lierre, Willebroeck, Boom, Duffel, Torhagen, St. Nicolas, Coutich and Wahlen. They were refused.

Antwerp's Appeal.

"Last Friway two town councillors of Antwerp came to our headquarters in Rotterdam and stated that they had been released by the German authorites, under bond of 5,000,000 francs in Rotterdam and stated that they had been released by the German authorites, under bond of 5,000,000 francs of Antwerp, and upon their urgent representation we sent 540 tons of supplies to Antwerp.

"The Provinces of Lumburg and Luxemberg, adjoining the German frontier, have made repeated appeals to the Germans for the right to buy food in Germany and import it into Belgium, and 'have been consistently refused. On the minor question of salt alone, of which there is an abundant supply in Germany, the privilege of importation was refused and we have had to send salt from the British Isles.

"These are only a few of the instances which make it impossible for us to believe that any such statement as the one referred to was authorized by a responsible German official. The first and most natural enquiry we made when we were acked to undertake the work of relief was: "Why do it made when we were acked to undertake the work of relief was: "Why do it population with food?" And it was not until we were absolutely satisfied thru United States Minister Whitlock, and by much corroborative evidence as to the German refusals of or inability to supply specific results.

Report Cruelly False.

"If the Germans are prepared to feed the Belgians, an early announcement to that effect, and an organization of the second of the sec ment to that effect, and an organization for that purpose, will be immediately required to save the lives of millions of people. As regards the report that no one is starving in Belgium, the official statements of the Spanish and United States ministers in Brussels, the appeal of Cardinal Mercier, and the daily detailed accounts from every source of widespread suffering, proved that such a report is cruelly false, and that there are considerably over 1,500 000 de-

German Attacks on Hinds Soldiers Not So Desperate as on Others.

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ATTEMPTS AT SEDUCTION

Leaflets Thrown Among Them Telling of Proclamation of Holy War.

Canadian Press Despatch.

LONDON, Nov. 25, 12.07 a.m.—The diffe of the Indian troops in the trenches is described in a builetin from the front, which was issued by the official press bureau tonight.

"Nothing sensational has happened in the Indian lines," says the balletin. "There has been trenching, counter-trenching and a good deal of hand-to-hand fighting, but no Ghurka regiment has penetrated behind the German lines and blown up a powder magazine."

The report says that the German have not attacked the Indian tredches as desperately as they have the other parts of the line and have been repelled without difficulty. When the Germans have captured an Indian trench it has invariably been recaptured, usually at night with the bayonet.

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Indians Bear Cold Well.

"DeDspite the cold weather, the health of the Indians is better than that of the White soldiers who accompanied them from India. While feeling the hardships of the trenches acutely, they have not complained.

"The officers of the Indians are extraordinarily well informed regarding the war. In describing German attempts to seduce the Indians, the report says that the operator of a Taube aeropiane threw down over the trenches many leaflets bearing the announcement by a German professor that Sheik Ul Islam had proclaimed a holy war. All the leaflets fell into the hands of whites soldiers who were puzzled by them.

Clever Ruse of Scout.

"The Indians were creeping toward a German trench on a scouting expedition one night when a searchlight was thrown jupon one of them! "He was quick witted enough to realize no ordinary resource would save his life," says the report. "He intendiately rose to his feet and advanced salasming to the German

Canadian Press Despatch.

LONDON, Nov. 24.—The Hague reports that railway communication with Antwerp has been suspended and that no travelers will be admitted to Belgium during the next few days. The Germans are believed to be on the eve of another assault upon the alnes defences, but for the time being there is a nearer approach to rest for the armies spread out from Ostend to Verdun than at any time in the past two months.

STAMP TAXES PRESS

HEAVILY ON ANTWERP Canadian Press Despatch.

BRUGES, Belgium. Nov. 24.— in cities like Antwerp prices of the necessaries of life have risen greatly. The German authorities, while refraining from the imposition of direct taxes, demand large sums from the people thru a complicated system of stamp taxes. These taxes are imposed for infraction on anyone of the many petty rules which have been made.

KILLED BY BOER REBELS.

Canadian Press Despatch.

LONDON, Ont., Nov. 24.—Hugh C. Spencer, 49 Edward street, this city, received word today that his brother. Corp. Walter J. Spencer, of the Imperial Light Horse, was killed in South Africa, in a battle with the rebel, Col. Maritz, on Oct. 18. Corp. Spencer was the only Britisher killed in the engagement.

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