

RAIN DOES NOT HALT DRIVE

Russia in War to the End; Situation Under Control of Provisional Government

Russ Foreign Minister Gives Assurance to Allies of His Country's Loyalty

Great Offensive In West Still Gaining Impetus

Counter-Attacks Launched by the British Result in Complete Re-establishment of Former Line and Recapture of all Territory From Enemy Hands

By Courier Leased Wire.
London, Aug. 2.—British forces last night launched a counter-attack against the German positions in Flanders. General Douglas Haig reports that the British troops completely re-established their former line in the neighborhood of the Roulers-Ypres railway, some territory in which area the Germans yesterday had regained.

The text reads:
"A heavy incessant rain has fallen throughout the last forty eight hours. In the neighborhood of Ypres-Roulers railway where the enemy yesterday afternoon had succeeded at great cost in gaining a foothold in our advanced positions, our counter-attack launched late in the evening, drove back the German infantry at all points and completely re-established our former lines. On the remainder of the Ypres battlefield there was no change.

Paris, Aug. 2.—Bad weather continues in Belgium, says the official statement issued this afternoon by the French war department. The Germans last night made two attacks to the east and southeast of Rheims, but both failed. On the left bank of the River Meuse there was a violent artillery duel. The Germans last night attacked in the sector of Aprocourt Wood without success and several attacks in Apremont forest, southeast of St. Mihiel utterly failed.

HUNS CONFER.

Amsterdam, Aug. 2.—Emperor William has called a war council of the high military and naval leaders in Germany to meet at Brussels, Belgium, to-day. Field Marshal von Hindenburg, chief of the Imperial general staff, General von Ludendorff, the quartermaster-general, the German crown prince, commander of the German forces in Champagne, Crown Prince Rupprecht, of Bavaria, in command of the Belgian front; Grand Duke Albrecht of Wurttemberg and Vice Admiral Eduard von Capelle, minister of the imperial navy and others, will be present.

War Office Statement.

London, August 2.—The official war office statement of the battle

in Flanders, issued yesterday says:

"In spite of the wet here, which made flying almost impossible, our airplanes kept in contact with our advancing infantry throughout the day. The enemy's airdromes, transport and infantry were also successfully attacked with bombs and machine gun fire. The few enemy machines that attempted to fly were brought down. Three of our machines are missing.

"The number of German prisoners captured was 4,029, of which 35 were officers. These figures included such of the prisoners as were captured in yesterday's operations which reached the collecting stations by 6 p.m. The captured material includes eight field guns, 53 machine guns and 32 trench mortars."

Congratulations Exchanged.

Paris, August 2.—Sir Douglas

Haig and General Petain, commanders of the British and French armies, yesterday exchanged messages of congratulation at the Franco-British success in Flanders. The former paid a tribute to the efforts of the French troops under General Antoina. He sketched the irresistible dash where the French not only gained their objects set for them, but surpassed these objectives, thereby covering and securing the allied flank and inflicting heavy losses on the enemy, while sustaining only "really" very light losses.

General Petain replied with thanks to the felicitations of the British commander. Speaking for the French he declared the success of the attack illustrates anew the glory of the British flag and binds closer the two armies. He congratulated the British troops in the name of all French armies.

LOSSES IN SHIPPING ARE LIGHT

British, French and Italian Statements Show Few Sinkings

SUBMARINE FAILING Steady Falling Off Observed In Results of U-Boat Campaign

By Courier Leased Wire.
London, Aug. 2.—The following is the British official weekly shipping summary, given out yesterday:
Arrivals 2,747; sailings 2,776.
British merchantmen of more than 1,600 tons sunk, 18; under 1,600 tons, three.
British merchantmen unsuccessfully attacked, nine, including three previously.
Fishing vessels sunk none.

French Losses.

Paris, Aug. 2.—Two French ships of more than 1,500 tons and one vessel under 1,500 tons were sunk by mine or submarine last week, according to the weekly shipping summary given out by the French admiralty last night. Three ships were unsuccessfully attacked.

During the week 1,008 ships entered French ports, while 1,072 sailed.

Italian Losses.

Rome, Aug. 2.—Italian losses as a result of submarines last week numbered four sailings and thirty-six with a tonnage of 401,000 departed. The losses comprised four sailing ships, one of which was more than 250 tons. One steamer was attacked and damaged, but escaped.

"During the week ending midnight July 29, 610 ships with a gross tonnage of 412,000 entered Italian ports. Five hundred and thirty-six with a tonnage of 401,000 departed. The losses comprised four sailing ships, one of which was more than 250 tons. One steamer was attacked and damaged, but escaped."

DOLLAR DAY ONCE AGAIN SUCCESSFUL

To the mere observer, and man at that, Dollar Day, by repetition, loses none of its vivid interest for the buyer. And the buyer is not necessarily a Brantford buyer. The scope of usefulness of Dollar Day as a Brantford institution is growing larger each year, and at present no surprise is felt when the Lake Erie and North-ern, the Grand Valley and the B. & H. cars bring immense crowds to the city. Representatives of The Courier visited the stores of Dollar Day merchants during the forenoon, and in each and every case the story was the same—record crowds—record buying.

And a word about the bargains. It would seem impossible that even Brantford merchants (who are as shrewd buyers as are found anywhere), would be able to assemble so many real bargains. But they had them. In dry goods, notions, millinery, lingerie, dresses and dress goods, boots and shoes, hats and men's wear, in fact, even groceries, furniture dealers, druggists, hardware merchants and others had gathered and contributed their quota to the general price reductions.

And the buyers appreciated the effort. There is no doubt of it. Hundreds flocked the stores and streets, and here and there a man would be seen loaded down with the results of the shopping of his better half. He, it may be remarked, is not a good buyer—as buyers go.

Perhaps one of the features worthy of attention is the fact that nearly every buyer understood the impossibility of securing even bargains at the same prices as three years ago. Prices were a little higher, but the values were there and the goods and the bargains were really honest-to-goodness bargains.

Again, let us say, Brantford merchants have done themselves proud, and Brantford Merchants Big Dollar Day has again proved its right to a big day all for itself.

Situation Unchanged on Scene of Great Allied Drive; Gains are Held and Consolidated by Franco-British in Wet and Stormy Weather

By Courier Leased Wire.

British Front in France and Belgium, Aug. 1.—(By the Associated Press)—"The situation is virtually unchanged," This sums up the day's news from the wide zone along which the British and French yesterday hurled Prince Rupprecht's forces back to the supporting defences at a depth varying between one and three miles. Artillery activities continued with great intensity, the British pouring a steady stream of high explosive shells into positions which the Germans now hold, but there was comparatively little infantry fighting.

The Allies today were busy consolidating the positions they captured yesterday. Heavy German counter-attacks had been looked for, but outside of a few local attempts to regain positions without cessation since last night, filling shell holes with water and turning the ground into a deep mud over which it is difficult to fight. The German guns, however, many of which had been withdrawn to positions further back before the rain began, have been carrying on a steady bombardment, especially against the territory captured by the Allies on the northern side of the Ypres salient, but their firing has been more or less erratic because of the storm which blocked the work of the observation officers. As usual the Germans are employing great quantities of gas shells.

Due to the complete preparation made for yesterday's assault the British casualties have not been excessive, but the condition of the battlefield and statements by prisoners indicate that the German losses were exceedingly heavy. The British medical corps has again evinced a most complete organization. At eight o'clock last night all British wounded had been collected and brought back to emergency stations. More than 4,000 prisoners with some sixty officers, were taken by the British in the Ypres salient alone.

Prussians, Bavarians and Saxons all have given of their number to swell the total captured, and no more are expected to appear. It is seen in British prison stations since the beginning of the war. Particularly noticeable was the scarcity of veteran non-commissioned officers and the large number of youths from the 1918 class, who are nothing more than raw recruits. One veteran of many battles freely expressed his contempt of these youngsters, who he said, lacked stamina to stand up under the hardships of war, and could not be depended upon in a tight place, such as they found themselves facing yesterday.

Most of these prisoners were a miserable looking lot, many of them suffering from internal complaints caused by exposure and the majority from hunger. Few of them have any hopes of Germany winning the war and one officer ventured the opinion that the time of the fatherland's downfall was near. He based his opinion largely on the scarcity of men, and certainly boyish faces now in prison cages appear to be indicative of a lack of human material.

MALTESE MURDERED FOR HIS MONEY; BODY FOUND IN D'AUBIGNY CREEK

Robbery Was Motive for the Killing of Gio Batta Bornello, 145 Duke Street; Sum of \$350.00 in Man's Possession When he Disappeared not Found on Body

It has now been definitely ascertained that Gio Batta Bornello was not done to death on Sunday night, for although he was attired in his working clothes and did not go to his usual place of employment, he was seen on Monday morning at about half past nine, sitting on one of the benches in Victoria Park. This information was elicited by Detective Schuyler from a fellow countryman of the deceased, named Joe Batta Farrugia. Farrugia says that he was not talking to Bornello, but merely saw him sitting in the park.

With his body almost wholly submerged, and with a horrible gash in the back of his head at the base of the skull, the lifeless and decomposed body of a foreigner, afterwards identified as that of Gio Batta Bornello, a local Maltese, was accidentally discovered yesterday afternoon shortly after three o'clock by two boys at the junction of D'Aubigny Creek and the Grand River. The water where the finding occurred was but three or four feet deep and there was no current. It is practically certain that there has been foul play as, coincident with the disappearance of the man, \$350.00 which he was known to have carried in a belt around his waist, cannot be found, giving rise to the belief that robbery was the incentive to the deed.

The Finding.
The body was first discovered yesterday afternoon in the waters of D'Aubigny Creek where it enters the Grand River about a half a mile west of Agricultural Park. Charlie Beal and Clarence Studier, two youths who reside at 29 Arthur St., were wandering along the river bank when they were started by seeing

the body, and immediately hastened to the fire hall where they notified Chief Lewis.

A few minutes after the two boys had brought the information to the fire hall, a telephone message was received from James Espy, 48 Burford street, who had also happened along the bank and saw evidences of the fatality.

Chief Lewis, accompanied by Detective Schuyler, went over to the Park factory, through a gate, and made their way down to the scene of the crime. The banks on either side at this point are covered with thick growth of ragged shrubbery and bushes, and when nearing the



GIO BATTÀ BORNELLO
The Murdered Man.

spot where the body was located, Chief Lewis picked up an elastic band used for holding the shirt-sleeve in position. Advancing a few steps further, they saw the body floating face downwards about ten feet from shore. The creek, at its mouth, is quite wide, and there is practically no current. By means of a long stick it was brought to shore, and a search was made of the bushes near by, in which were found a blue serge coat, the property of the murdered man, wrapped up in a bundle and hidden away from view, and a short distance away was found a portion of a suit of a man's woollen underwear. The man, when found, was fully clothed with the exception of his coat, and steps leading away from the creek, indicated that the man, after being struck down, was picked up bodily and carried to the bank, and then hurled into the water.

Coroner Cole and H. S. Pierce, undertaker, were summoned, and the remains brought back to the city. In the clothing of the murdered man was found twelve dollars in money, some letters from his home in Malta, addressed to Gio Batta Bornello, some pay checks from the Waterous Engine Works, where he was employed, a watch, a pipe and some tobacco, and a badge of the League of the Sacred Heart.

Had Money
The news of the crime quickly spread throughout the city, and Paul Bornello, of 9 Main street, a brother of the murdered man, first was aware of the crime when he read the news on the bulletin boards. He hastened to the police station, and there told his story. He had last seen his brother on eight o'clock on (Continued on Page Three)

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LOYALTY TO ALLIED CAUSE PLEDGED BY THE RUSSIAN FOREIGN MINISTER

Russia Will Not be Deterred by any Difficulty in Carrying Out War to Final Triumph; Gen. Brusiloff Resigns Post of Commander in Chief; Succeeded by Korniloff

By Courier Leased Wire.
Petrograd, Aug. 1.—General Alexis A. Brusiloff, commander-in-chief of the Russian armies, has resigned. General L. G. Korniloff, commander-in-chief of the Russian armies on the southwestern front, has been appointed generalissimo. General Tcheremissoff, commander of the Eighth army has been appointed to succeed General Korniloff on the southwestern front.

AN ULTIMATUM.

London, Aug. 2.—According to a Petrograd despatch to The Post, Russian army commanders had a conference at headquarters recently and virtually sent an ultimatum to Premier and War Minister Kerensky that unless the army was kept outside politics and treated merely as a fighting machine they would resign as being unable to carry on the war victoriously. The correspondent

believes the ultimatum will be accepted.

Russia Loyal.

Petrograd, Aug. 2.—Foreign Minister Terestchenko has sent the following telegram to Russian diplomats accredited to the allied powers:

"At a moment when new and grave misfortunes are threatening Russia we consider it our duty to give to our allies who have shared with us the burden of trials in the past, a firm and definite explanation of our point of view regarding the conduct of the war. The greatness of the task of the Russian revolution corresponds to the magnitude which it caused in the life of the state. Reorganization in the face of the enemy of the entire governmental system could not be effected without serious disorders. Nevertheless Russia is convinced there is no other means of safety, and has continued in accord with the allies' common action on the front.

"Fully conscious of the difficulties of the task Russia has taken up the burden of conducting active military operations during reconstitution of the army and the government. The offensive of our armies, which was necessitated by a strategical situation encountered insurmountable obstacles on both fronts and in the interior of the country. The criminal propaganda of irresponsible elements was used by enemy agents and provoked a revolution in Petrograd. At the same time part of the troops on the front were seduced by the same propaganda, forgot their duty to the country and facilitated the enemy's piercing our front.

"The Russian people have been stirred by these events. Through the government created by the revolution and an unshakable will the revolt was crushed and its origins

were brought to justice. All necessary steps have been taken at the front for restoring the combative strength of the armies.

"The government intends bringing to a successful end the task of establishing an administration capable of meeting all dangers and guiding the country in the path of revolutionary regeneration. Russia will not suffer herself to be deterred by any difficulty in carrying out the irrevocable decision to continue the war to a final triumph of the principles proclaimed by the Russian revolution. In the presence of an enemy menace, the country and the army will continue with renewed confidence the great work of restoration as well as the preparation on the threshold of the fourth year of the war for the coming campaign. We firmly believe that Russian citizens will combine all efforts to fulfill the sacred task of defending their beloved country and that the enthusiasm which lighted in their breast a flame of faith in the triumph of liberty will direct the whole invincible force of revolution against the enemy who threatens the country."

Army of Women

Petrograd, August 2.—As the result of the heroic conduct at the front of Miss Vera Butcheroff's female battalion, the movement for the creation of a great woman's army is progressing throughout Russia like wildfire.

Austrian Official

Vienna, August 1, via London.—The official statement from Austrian headquarters issued to-day says: "In the eastern theatre north of the Casin valley, violent enemy attacks again broke down. In the region of the Three Land Angle our troops delivered a surprise attack against a height occupied by Russians. The enemy was defeated.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Toronto, Aug. 2.—The weather has been warm with local thunderstorms from Ontario eastward and in the western provinces, it has been cool with showers in some parts of Manitoba and Saskatchewan.

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TIME TABLE

Table with columns for routes (SOUTH BOUND, NORTH BOUND) and times for various stations.

NEWS OF NORFOLK

Church of Our Lady Held Successful Lawn Party At La Salette

OTHER SIMCOE NEWS
Business Men of Brantford Passed Through En route To Dover

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Simcoe, Aug. 2.—(From Our Own Correspondent)—The annual lawn party given by the congregation of the R. C. church of Our Lady of La Salette, at La Salette was held last evening and continued until after midnight.

J. J. Casey and Tom Dennis had an ice cream-boost here. Mr. Hoover of Delhi and Thos. McElhone supplied soft drinks there, while the Otterville Brass Band under Melburne Barker discoursed sweet music till the shades of evening had settled down to night outside the spacious parish lawn, whose encircling hedges are each year somewhat taller and make a better background to reflect the murmur of the through the gleeful laughter of the children or the animated conversation of the great crowd, which includes the whole local population and others from London and St. Thomas, Ingersoll and Woodstock, Norwich, Tillsonburg, Waterford, Brantford and Simcoe.

About ten-thirty the music ceased, J. V. McCauley the silver-tongued orator of La Salette opened the program with a masterly address of welcome and called the numbers of a variety of programs with something to interest every patron of the place. There was music solos and quartettes sentimental, serious and humorous, contributed by Charlie Turner "Bob" Purcell and M. J. Dertinger, Miss Margaret Tyrrell, Anna Bell Dertinger, Eva Dertinger, Miss Pettit, Annie McNamara. Short addresses by H. P. Innes, K.C., T. R. Atkinson, M. L. A., and W. E. Kelly K.C. of Simcoe, Dr. Rogers, of Ingersoll, and Rev. Theo. Cunningham of Woodham and during the long programme, punctuated by the whirr of a passing train, the silvery moon dropped from the quadrant behind the silhouetted tower of La Salette, first clear, later hidden softly behind cumulous clouds which stretched far away to the distant turrets which rumbled southward and to the east.

There were present mingled with the happy crowd the following clergy: visitor of the pastor Rev. Father J. P. Brennan; Rev. Father E. J. McKee, of London; Father F. X. Laurendeau, of London; Rev. M. Gregory Blondy, son of the builder of the church, Rev. Father Chas. F. Nagle, of Simcoe, Rev. Father E. F. Goetz, of Tillsonburg. But the programme was left entirely to the laity.

At 12.20 Messrs. H. P. Innes, Theo Cunningham and Max. McPherson were called up to draw lots to determine the winners of the quilt and Hammock couch which went by lot. W. Hartford won the former with 236 and Miss Anna Bell Burkhardt of Delhi the latter, with No. 30. The band broke a long silence at 12.40 with "The King".

Mr. and Mrs. L. Fortune, of Akron, Ohio, left for home this morning after spending a fortnight visiting relatives in Simcoe and environs. The excessive heat of the last few days was accounted for several calls for doctors and veterinary surgeons. Several farmers were advised to rest from work during the heat of the day.

Bricklayers were driven from the walls of the school building on Tuesday, which edifice, by the way, should by contract, have been completed yesterday.

The sewer construction contract calls for a completion of the work on the 15th inst. These columns will within a few days have an announcement of intention to those contemplating a course at the local business college. Watch for it.



KAISER: "He's gaining fast—and I had a forty years' start!"

this year than last, but did not blow so many tin fish horns as in 1916. The wind-up dressing of some of the leading local stores proved an attraction for many of them. So did the local ice cream parlors.

Bowling

Four rinks of Heather bowlers motored to Paris yesterday afternoon and in a very close game managed to win out by 2 shots. John Patte was the hero of the game, his last two bowls being touchers and a decisive factor in the winning of the game for the Heathers.

Table with names and scores for a bowling match, including Paris Hilborn, G. Comerford, J. Shannon, etc.

DATES OF FALL FAIRS

Table listing dates for fall fairs in various locations: Ailsa Craig, Alvinston, Amherstburg, etc.

DENIAL IS FALSE

By Courier Leased Wire
-London, Aug. 2.—The Times, referring to the official statement by the German Government, denying a report that a conference was held in the presence of the emperor at Potsdam, July 5, 1914, at which a plan was proposed to let loose the war, says the authority whereon its statement was made, prevents it from attaching the slightest importance to the German denial and declares that Germany abstained from intervention in the drafting of the Austrian ultimatum is notoriously false.

Hot Weather Goods

- Crossed Fish Sardines, tin, 20c
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Table listing ship arrivals and departures from various ports like Highgate, Ingersoll, Jarvis, etc.

Table listing arrivals and departures for the 38th Dufferin Rifles of Canada.

38th Dufferin Rifles of Canada
Brantford, Ont., Aug. 1st, 1917
NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
The Dufferin Rifles will commence shooting outdoors at the Mohawk Ranges next Saturday and Sunday, and each succeeding Saturday and Sunday.

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Obituary

E. McCUSKER.
Friends of Mr. P. McCusker, Freight Foreman, T. H. & B. Railway will regret to learn of the death of his brother, Edward, in Perth. Mr. McCusker left this morning for Perth to attend the funeral.

MRS. M. D. THOMPSON.
Mrs. Matilda Thompson, aged 76 years, passed away this morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. E. T. Passmore, the corner of Baldwin and Erie avenues.

WM. STEELE.
An old resident of Port Dover passed away here yesterday in the person of Wm. Steele, aged 75 years. The deceased leaves to mourn his loss one son, Walter, of 44 Darling street, and three daughters, Misses Sadie and Erie of Hamilton, and Mrs. Bonner of Toronto. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at Port Dover.

ANOTHER BILLY SUNDAY
Over one hundred thousand people have had the pleasure of hearing Evangelist Paul Charbonneau, of Toronto, who has been called the "Billy Sunday of Canada." He is but a young man yet, but has to his credit the record of preaching to over one hundred thousand people a year.

U. S. SHIP SUNK.

By Courier Leased Wire
-London, Aug. 2.—The American schooner John Hays Hammond of 132 tons gross, has been sunk by the gunfire a German submarine. All the members of the schooner's crew were saved.

IN PEKING.
Peking, Aug. 2.—Feng Kuo Chang, president of China, has arrived here.

EAST BUFFALO MARKETS.

By Courier Leased Wire
-East Buffalo, August 2.—Cattle—Receipts 500; dull. Veals—Receipts, 50; strong; \$5.00 to \$15.50.

Table listing market prices for various goods like Hops, Heavy, Yorkers, etc.

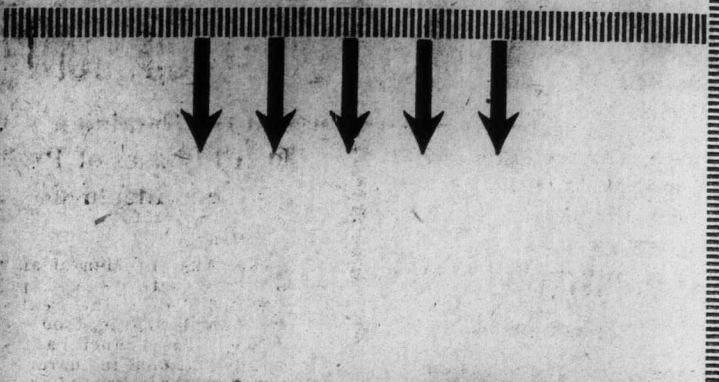
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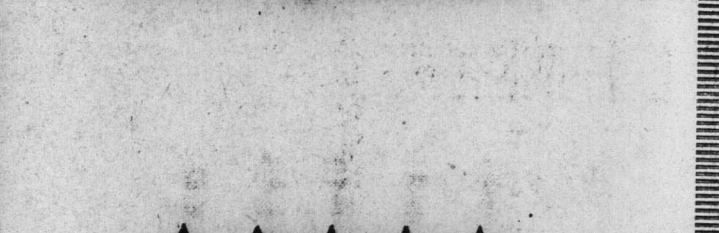
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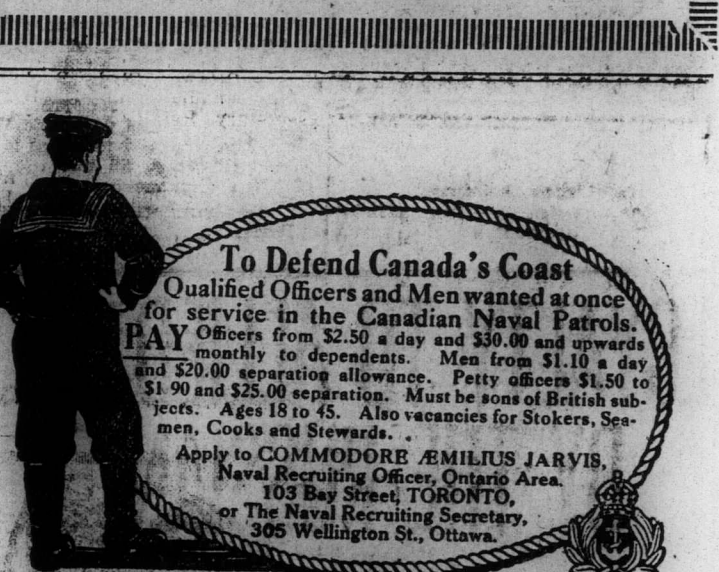
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TAKE OVER SHIPS
Washington, August 2.—Plans for taking over for operation all American ocean-going ships soon will be announced by the shipping board. Charters will be requisitioned under a recent act of congress authorizing the president to commandeer tonnage for government use.

PERSONNEL OF THE ADVISORY COUNCIL ON FOOD CONTROL

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Ottawa, Aug. 1.—Men of authority on all phases of the food problem will be included in the Central advisory council of the food controller's office, as indicated, is to be national in character, embracing representatives of the federal and provincial governments, churches, labor organizations, educational departments, and institutions, urban interests farmers, rural municipalities, and men's and women's organizations of the council. Dr. J. W. Robertson, of Ottawa, will be chairman. The women representatives will be announced in the next few days. The following men are named as the nucleus of the council in an announcement from the food controller's office to-day.

Sir Henry Brayton, chairman Dominion railway board; Hon. R. B. Bennett, M. P., director-general; National service; Prof. Adam Shortt, chairman of the Civil service commission, Ottawa; Prof. Edward E. Prince, fisheries department; Messrs. R. W. Bredner, tariff adviser to the finance department; G. H. Clark, seed commissioner; J. H. Grisdale, live stock department; J. A. Ruddick, dairy commissioner; W. J. Black, commissioner of agriculture; Dr. Torrance, veterinary director general; Messrs. J. L. Chabot; A. E. Tripp, M. P., J. A. Pinard, M. P., P. P. George H. Hurdman, M. P., Ottawa; Thomas Hart, M. P., Charlottetown; N. B. G. McCraney, Saskatoon; Colonel Murphy, president Ottawa transportation company; R. A. Green, Kootenay, R. S. D. Chown, D. D., L. L. D., Toronto; Prof. A. E. Brown, Winnipeg; Right Rev. J. C. Roper, Bishop of Ottawa; Rev. B. D. Thomas, Grimsby; William J. Richards, Commissioner, Salvation Army, Toronto; Most Rev. S. P. Matheson, D. D., L. L. B.; Messrs. J. A. MacDonald, Vancouver; Hon. G. W. Brown, Regina; R. E. Armstrong, Fredericton; Mr. G. F. Chipman, Winnipeg; J. C. Stewart, Halifax; Ald. W. S. Weldon, Montreal; J. H. Lamb, Edmonton; Dr. J. Waugh, chief inspector of schools for Ontario, Toronto; Messrs. J. H. Putnam, B. A., Ottawa; school inspector; James E. Jones, B. A., separate schools inspector; P. D. Ross, president, The Journal Press, Ottawa; W. M. Southam, president of The Citizen, Ottawa; P. M. Draper, president of the Trades and Labor Congress, Ottawa; J. C. Waters, secretary of the Trades and Labor Congress Ottawa; Clyde Burke, Montreal Canadian Club; E. M. Trower, secretary Retail Merchants Association, Ottawa; W. H. Dwyer, Ottawa; John Bingham, Ottawa; G. Frank Beer, Toronto; George Burn, Ottawa; C. C. Ballantyne, Montreal; John McKernow, Montreal; Herbert Hudson, Montreal; W. E. Rundle, Toronto; John Bain, Castle building, Ottawa.

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SCENE OF THE BATTLE IN FLANDERS



The above map shows in detail the whole battle line from Ostend on the coast to Lille. The map, which in different form appeared originally in the Manchester Guardian, also shows the recent small German gain on the Belgian coast, the big British gain in June, where the Messines ridge was captured and the gains made in the first day of the battle now raging.

MALTESE MURDERED

(Continued from Page One)

Sunday evening, and on that occasion Gio had told him that he had \$350 in his pockets. When departing, Gio had expressed his intention of going to work that night at twelve o'clock at the Waterous foundry, where he was employed to shake out the castings. His movements from 8 o'clock on Sunday night are unknown, and no further trace of him could be found until yesterday afternoon when the discovery of his body was accidentally made.

According to the story of the brother, Paul, the murdered man had \$350.00 in his possession when the crime occurred and as only \$12.00 was found in his clothes, and that sum in a different pocket, the police are of the opinion that robbery was the motive for the deed.

Bornello was a married man and had been in Canada for about five years. He has a wife and three or four children in Malta, a brother Paul in this city, and another brother working in Galt. He lived on a boarding house at 145 West Street, where several other of his compatriots also live. When in Malta he was a fisherman and was an accomplished swimmer, showing that he was probably killed outright when struck or else so badly stunned as to render supporting himself in the water impossible.

A coroner's jury was impanelled and the remains were viewed last night at the undertaking parlors of H. S. Pierce. The body was badly decomposed, and a deer only \$12.00 was found in the back of the head at the base of the skull, indicating that he had been struck from behind and his head crushed with a heavy blunt weapon.

Louis Bornello, brother of Gio Batta, who has been working in Galt was telephoned last evening and has arrived in the city. He accompanied his brother, and the detectives to the scene of the crime this afternoon when the surrounding territory was given a thorough search in the hope that some further clues might be unearthed.

It is doubtful if the crime was committed on the bank directly opposite to where the body was found for the impressions of footprints in the mud and soft soil have been found leading away, as if the murderer had carried the body in from the other side, thrown it down and then waded over the remaining distance to the south shore of the river.

The dyke, their intention being to proceed a considerable distance up the river before they went in bathing. Their progress was hindered by the willows and bushes that cling to the bank of the stream, and as they were nearly upon the junction of D'Abingway Creek and the Grand River they first saw an object lying in the water, which they thought was a sack. Upon closer examination they were horrified to discover that it was a human body. The back of the head and a part of one ear only was visible, the rest being under the surface of the water. The water was practically still, there being no current, and all around the corpse the water was discolored. The boys thought that the man was the victim of a drowning accident and hurried to the fire hall, giving in the first alarm.

The Victim.
The victim of the crime was slightly under medium height, of dark complexion with hair curling a little at the ends, and with a black mustache. He was about thirty-eight years of age. When found he was hatless, and his headgear has not yet been found, was wearing a pair of black overalls, a black shirt, and a brown vest, his ordinary working clothes. His coat, in the pockets of which were found his possessions, was lying on the bank, wrapped up under a tree.

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Potatoes, new, basket 0.60 to 1.00
Beets, 6 for 0.00 to 0.25
Carrots, 6 for 0.00 to 0.25
Peas, green, shelled, per quart 0.20 to 0.20
Peas, peck 0.40 to 0.40
Celery 0.05 to 0.08
Turnips, basket 0.30 to 0.30
Howershead, bottle 0.10 to 0.15
Cabbage, each 0.10 to 0.15
Cabbage, doz. 2.00 to 2.50
Onions, bunch 0.05 to 0.08
Black Currants, box 0.15 to 0.15
Red Currants, box 2 for 0.25

FRUITS

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Strawberries 2 for 35c
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Beef, hinds 0.14 to 0.18
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Ducks 0.30 to 1.00
Dry salt pork 0.30 to 0.35
Dressed pork 0.22 to 0.27
Kidneys 0.10 to 0.12
Lamb 0.28 to 0.35
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Smoked shoulder 0.00 to 0.30
Chicken, each 0.90 to 1.00
Chicken, spring, pair 1.50 to 1.60

TORONTO STOCK MARKETS

Toronto, Aug. 2.—Receipts at the Union Stock Yards this morning were 294 cattle, 133 calves, 802 hogs, 113 sheep. The market was active with cattle and hogs a little higher.

TORONTO CATTLE MARKET

Toronto, Aug. 2.—Export cattle, choice 11.00 to 11.75; butcher cattle, choice 11.50 to 12.20; medium 9.50 to 9.75; common, 8.00 to 8.50; butcher cows, choice 8.00 to 8.50; medium 7.00 to 7.50; canners 5.25 to 7.00; bulls 6.50 to 9.00; feeding steers 8.50 to 9.25; stockers choice 7.00 to 8.25; light 6.00 to 6.50; Milkera, choice each 60.50 to 120.00; Springers, 40.00 to 120.00. Sheep, ewes 8.50 to 10.00; bucks and culs 5.00 to 7.00; lambs 16.00 to 16.50; Hogs, fed and watered 15.75; Calves 8.00 to 14.50.

CHICAGO MARKETS

By Courier Leased Wire
Chicago, Aug. 2.—Cattle receipts, 6000; market weak; heifers, \$7.50 to \$11; steers, \$8.15 to \$11.40; stockers, feeders, \$5.75 to \$8; cows, heifers \$4.50 to \$11.60; calves, \$8.50 to \$15; hogs, receipts, 19,000; market steady; light \$14.80 to \$16.15; mixed \$14.65 to \$16.25; heavy \$14.45 to \$16.35; rough \$14.45 to \$14.70; pigs, \$11.50 to \$14.25; bulk of sales \$15.10 to \$16.10; sheep, receipts 9,000; market weak; native wethers \$7.60 to \$10.65; lambs, 69.75 to \$14.90.

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Thursday, Aug. 2nd, 1917.

THE SITUATION
 British and French troops have gained further ground in the Ypres sector, but the Germans by heavy counter attacks have succeeded in recapturing the village of St. Julien. Rain of torrential proportions turned the ground over which the new offensive is taking place into a veritable quagmire and this fact of course served to lessen the intensity of the initial onslaught, but positions taken have been consolidated, and the St. Julien setback is the only one thus far recorded. There will no doubt be others for the enemy fully realizes that the present phase of the fighting involves a life and death struggle for himself, and will bend every effort and throw in every possible reserve in an endeavor to stave off an adverse decision. Under the circumstances it would be folly to expect the allied forces to go ahead without any reverses or to anticipate any early decision with reference to the present operations. The main feature for the present is the fact that the British and the French have taken a strong initiative and that they have the men and the material and the dauntless courage necessary to push home the thrust.

The news with regard to the Russian troops is still very far from inspiring. Petrograd announces "a partial offensive" in one portion of Galicia and the carrying of a hostile position, but the same report contains a record of the fact that at the same time troops were forced to retire across the Zbrocz with "great losses especially among the officers." Retirement is also admitted to the east of Gerement and the Austro-German forces have likewise advanced in other directions.
 Amid the centring of interest in the main theatres of the war the fact is apt to be lost sight of that fighting is still proceeding in South Africa. The British war office now announces that the enemy has been driven from positions on the Langunze River and that the forward movement checked by heavy rain fall has been renewed. The official report of losses to British shipping last week by submarines shows a total of eighteen vessels of more than 1,600 tons and three under that figure. This is a slight falling off from the previous week.

THE RAILWAY PROBLEM
 There can be no doubt about the fact that the people have become tired and apprehensive with regard to the frequent and heavy public grants to the C. N. R. and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railroads.

Both enterprises keep knocking on the doors of parliament for more aid with sickening regularity and there is a quite general feeling that where the taxpayers pay so much they should own.

The Canadian Northern was for years nursed along under Liberal auspices, and the Grand Trunk Pacific was the child of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, but these things aside, the fact has to be faced that they are both hard up, and that to let either of them lapse would bring about disaster in more directions than one.

In making announcement of the Government policy in the House yesterday, Sir Thomas White, Finance Minister, said that the Administration at this time could not go so far as he would personally like, but that a signal and important forward step would be taken towards public ownership. It is proposed to purchase the outstanding \$60,000,000 stock of the C. N. R., giving to the Government the ownership and operation and direction to be under a board of directors named by the Government.

To the G. T. P. there will be a loan of \$7,500,000 at 6 per cent., secured by mortgage, the Government to take power to constitute a board of directors.

The measures will not go as far as many would like, but under war circumstances, they are probably the best that could be expected, and are certainly in the right direction.

As Sir Thomas very properly says, the people being called upon to finance such railways, should receive the ultimate benefit.

Two more Senators are announced. A. C. MacDowell, M.P., for South Toronto, and Mr. C. Pringle, lawyer of Ottawa.

BORDEN VERSUS LAURIER
 The Brantford Expositor presents the fact that during a recent speech in Hamilton, Dr. Clark, Liberal member for Red Deer, severely criticized Sir Wilfrid Laurier with reference to his attitude regarding conscription.

How could he, or any other Canadian deeply imbued with the fact that there is crying need for the reinforcement of the brave Canadian boys at the front, do otherwise? The doctor simply related the facts, and made his comments thereon, as he had a perfect right to do. Sir Wilfrid is not a demi god that he should be above criticism.

Meanwhile the amusing organ, with that spirit of self-contradiction which seems to be part of its nature does not hesitate to attack Sir Robert Borden. It quoted with unctious statement of the Toronto Star that the Premier was not fit for his job, and should be fired, and adds on its own account that he "is lacking in the qualities which are necessary for successful leadership in war time."

Nothing but the most blind partisanship could dictate a statement like that. What other man in Canada could have filled the position as Borden has done, and does anyone believe that one little of what has been accomplished would have been done had Laurier been at the helm?

Our cotem, because it has been forced to abandon its own leader with regard to his war views in this great crisis, should not, as an attempted offset, try to throw totally unworthy and unwarranted disparagement upon Sir Robert.

He stands, and has stood, from the very first, for Canada doing all that she can for the cause of Empire and human liberty.

Laurier, on the other hand, represents a reactionary and halting course with the demand that the French-Canadians, the Teutons living in Canada and the slackers shall be given the opportunity to knife enforced aid.

The two men are most emphatically not in the same class.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Cooler. Well that's where the recent hot spell ought to be.

Up in Borden Camp the mosquitoes are said to be so husky, that they turn down the bed clothes of the sleeping soldiers in order to select the best place for a bite.

Having a fire next door is easier to report, but a little harder on the nerves.

There will be two plain issues, if a general election takes place. (1) The need for sending reinforcements to the boys at the front. (2) The resistance of Quebec domination.

The British forces will use oil shells as an answer to the devilish contrivances of the Huns, known as oil canisters. Many people will ask if reprisals in gas and in the last named respect, why not in air raids?

John Fisher, in the Senate, must feel like entering a mill pond after negotiating some rapids. Which brings to mind a story of D'Irsell. After he had left the Commons and entered the Lords, a member of the latter body, asked him how he felt in his new surroundings. "Feel," echoed he, "dead and buried," and then noting the look of surprise on the other's face, he added, "and in heaven." However, John is not buried yet—not by a large majority.

"Heat me these irons hot," wrote Shakespeare. All that would be necessary in this regard these days would be to leave them out in the open for about five seconds.

In the House yesterday Sir Wilfrid Laurier, rising to a question of privilege, took exception to a statement made by Sir Clifford Sifton during a speech made in Winnipeg as follows:—"The plain, unavoidable and inevitable fact was that if Sir Wilfrid Laurier were to win the election, Canada would go out of the war."

After reading this extract Sir Wilfrid added:—"I have stated before, and repeat, that my attitude to-day, on the first day of August, 1917, is the same as it was on the 19th day of August, 1914. I am in this war to the end, but I am in this war not upon compulsion, but upon the voluntary principle of enlistment."

CONGRATS.

Berlin, Aug. 2.—via Copenhagen—Emperor William, according to an official statement, to-day telegraphed to Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria his congratulations on the great success of the German fourth army, July 31, "whereby the vehement Anglo-French attack intended to conquer the coast of Flanders failed."

GOVERNMENT TO NATIONALIZE CANADIAN NORTHERN RY.

Proposals introduced into House of Commons—Cash Advance of \$7,500,000 to G. T. P., Which Will Not be Taken Over by Country

POINTS IN RAILWAY POLICY OUTLINED BY GOVERNMENT.
 The railway proposals in brief: Purchase of the outstanding \$60,000,000 stock of the Canadian Northern Railway, giving the Government complete ownership of the C.N.R. system and all subsidiary enterprises. Appointment of three arbitrators to determine the value of the stock acquired, subject to an appeal to the Supreme Court by either the Government or the owners or pledgees of stock in the event of failure by the arbitrators to reach an unanimous determination. Canadian Northern to retain its corporate identity with operation and administration under a board of directors named by the Government. Demand loan of \$7,500,000 mortgage to be made to the G.T.P. Railway Government to take power constitute a board of directors.

Ottawa, August 2.—The Canadian Northern Railway System, including its branch lines, terminals, telegraph and express services, grain elevators, steamship lines on the Great Lakes, and other subsidiary undertakings, will be acquired by the Government on behalf of the Canadian people. Further, the Government will lend to the G. T. P. Railway Company \$7,500,000, repayable on demand with interest 6 per cent., and secured by a mortgage on the corporation's assets.

The Government's proposals for meeting the serious financial situation which confronts the two companies and for maintaining their as going concerns in the interest of the public, were announced by Sir Thomas White in the Commons to-day. Ownership of the whole Canadian Northern Railway system will be obtained by the purchase of the \$60,000,000 par value of the company's stock which is still in the hands of private individuals or pledged as security for loans. The remaining \$40,000,000 of the company's capital came into the possession of the Government in 1914 when the latter guaranteed an issue of Canadian Government bonds to the amount of \$45,000,000. With the whole of the corporation's stock vested in the Crown the Government will be in the position of proprietor of the system and will be able to appoint a board of directors which will operate and administer the road. The price at which the outstanding \$60,000,000 of stock will be acquired by the Government is to be fixed by arbitration. The board of arbitration is to consist of a member appointed by the Government, one named by the owners or pledgees of the stock, and a third to be selected by the other two, or in the event of their failing to agree by the senior judge of the Exchequer Court. Should the arbitrators fail to reach an unanimous decision the question will be referred to the Supreme Court of Canada. As soon as five sixths of the outstanding stock has been taken over to the Minister of Finance "in trust for his Majesty," the Government will take steps to meet the financial difficulties of the Canadian Northern by payment of indebtedness, by renewal of outstanding securities or by the issue of Government bonds.

Financial Difficulties of Roads
 In making the announcement, the Finance Minister told of the difficulties of the Canadian Northern and Grand Trunk Pacific. He pointed out that the former road was able to show a surplus after paying operating expenses and fixed charges. Unfortunately, it was compelled by conditions in the money market to meet the cost of betterments from earning interest charges. It had a short-term liability of \$100,000,000 maturing from month to month. The G.T.P., on the other hand, was unable to show a surplus of earnings over operating expenses.

Formerly, Sir Thomas said, he would look forward to the acquisition of the Grand Trunk Pacific by the Government, if an arrangement could be made which would absolutely safeguard the public interest. This, however, he said, was a matter which the government could not deal with at the present time. "We have," he concluded, "taken a signal and important step forward toward the operation of the railway systems of Canada in the interest of the people of Canada. I believe this policy which I have announced to-day will mark a new era in the history of transportation in Canada, affirming, as it does, the principle that the people, being called upon to finance the railways, shall receive the ultimate benefit."

Seven liberal speakers were heard. Hon. Geo. P. Graham, W. M. German, of Welland, Hon. Frank Oliver, D. D. MacKenzie, of North Cape Breton, E. M. MacDonald, of Pictou, G. W. Kyles, of Richmond, and Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Mr. Graham deferred a definite pronouncement until the government's proposals until the further information with regard to the details and the finances of the railways was given to the House. The majority of the remaining half-dozen emphasized the magnitude of the transaction to which the country was to be made a party and indicated their opposition to public ownership of the Canadian Northern. Several intimated their willingness to extend further aid to the Canadian Northern in its present condition. The resolution dealing with the Canadian Northern Railway, was adopted. Provision for the loan to the Grand Trunk Pacific will be made in the supplementary estimates.

MRS. E. H. BURT OF SOUTH DUMFRIES CALLED BY DEATH
 Passed Away at "Braebur" Early Thursday Morning

(From our own correspondent)
 Paris, August 2.—News of the death of Mrs. E. W. Burt, of "Braebur" South Dumfries, beloved wife of Mr. E. W. Burt, came as a great shock to the community yesterday morning, wherein she was so well known and loved.

The deceased was a daughter of the late George and Mrs. Nicholls, of Banfield street, Paris. She was born and educated here and later for some years taught school at Canning, and always took an active interest in all good works, and also took a prominent part in the Patriotic and Red Cross work, and will be much missed among those circles. Of a loving and estimable disposition, her death will be mourned by a wide circle of friends. Besides the sorrowing husband, a daughter, Florence, and son, Jack, are left to mourn her loss, also her mother, a sister, Miss Florence, who is among the nursing sisters in France, Mrs. F. Miller, of New York, and one brother, McKay, Nichols, of Ottawa, to whom the sympathy of the community is extended. The funeral takes place to-morrow afternoon to the Paris cemetery.

Following are the customs returns for the month of July, 1917, \$9,069,52, as against \$8,708,54, last year. We notice an increase of \$360,98. The following donations were received by the Methodist Red Cross workers: \$15.25 from Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Maus, which was realized from a sale of garden hills; \$2.00 from Mrs. G. Lovett; and \$5.00 from Mr. F. Elmes. Mr. Jim Cavan, of Detroit, is holidaying with relatives in town. Mr. J. Graydon Sprout, of the G.

DUFFERIN RIFLES
DAILY TALKS

No. 10, "How the Salute Originated." The salute had originally a friendly significance. Armed men passed each other right hand to right hand, raising their hands as they passed to show that they held no weapons in readiness to strike. The removal of the headress was a later addition signifying an abandonment of defence, which degenerated into a movement to remove it if required to do so.

There are many other explanations, but to the soldier of to-day the salute has only one meaning. There is nothing servile in the salute, but it is dependent on him of floor in any way, nor does he owe to him personally any allegiance. When an officer is saluted, it is as the commissioned representative of His Majesty the King, and when he returns the salute he does so as the King's proxy. I wish that this explanation could be given to every recruit on joining, and impressed upon every officer when first commissioned. It would improve the discipline of the militia. Recruits are taught to recognize the badges proper to the various ranks. This is important now—days when uniform is much abused. The badge of rank is the indication that a commission is held, and unless it is visible, the soldier knows that a person in question is an officer. A salute should be given. Nothing is more annoying to a recruit than to find that he has saluted someone not entitled to it, and his annoyance will be frequent if he salutes burberry, leather-leggings or low collars.

The reluctance to salute and the growing habit of incivility is largely due to the increase of town dwelling and the ignorance which it breeds of how our neighbors live. Not so very long ago, the greater part of our population lived in villages or quite small towns. In such places practically everyone knew everyone else, not only by sight, but knew how they lived. Meetings were frequent, and much intimacy and good feeling existed between the various classes of the small societies. One almost lived in one big family. Town dwelling tends to destroy good feeling. We all live apart. The various classes of workmen congregate together, each in their own part, the tradesmen, the mechanics, the professional men, all are localized, as it were. The consequence is that each class has no knowledge of the other; it sees them very occasionally, and practically never in their home life. This breeds envy, distrust, and often dislike.

We are taught to salute the flag of our country and the battle standards of all countries. We stand at attention during the playing or singing of the National Anthem, and we salute the dead. On the contrary, by showing respect, we inspire in others respect toward ourselves. To-morrow, No. 11, "The Soldier's Spirit" (Development of Character).

N. W. telephone office, has left for Ingersoll, where he has been promoted to a better position.

Miss P. Myene is holidaying at Parkhill and other points of interest. Mrs. Bert Simmons and little son, of Galt, are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson. Mrs. J. Kempthorne, of Souris, Manitoba, is renewing old acquaintances in town and vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. J. Penman have left to spend the rest of the season at their summer home, at Muskoka.

CHILD'S SEVERE STOMACH TROUBLES

Child's Severe Stomach Trouble Harrison (Ont.) Father Says Dr. Cassell's Tablets Saved His Life

Mr. Corby, Harrison P.O., Ont., writes: "Our little girl was weak from birth, and though we tried doctors' medicine and other things she got no better. So just lay in her cot and cried, and neighbors all said we could not save her. The doctors said she had stomach trouble, and that her chances were small, yet Dr. Cassell's Tablets cured her. They have been worth their weight in gold to us, for we were just giving up hope of saving our little daughter. I don't think there is any other medicine for children like Dr. Cassell's Tablets. Publish this letter if you like; it may help others as the Tablets helped us."

A free sample of Dr. Cassell's Tablets will be sent to you on receipt of 5 cents for mailing and packing. Address: Harold F. Ritchie, and Co., Ltd., 10 McCaul St., Toronto. Dr. Cassell's Tablets are the surest home remedy for Dyspepsia, Kidney Trouble, Sleeplessness, Anemia, Nervous Ailments, Nerve Paralysis, Palpitation and Weakness of children. Specially valuable for nursing mothers and during the critical periods of life. Sold by druggists and storekeepers throughout Canada. Prices: One tube, 50 cents; six tubes for the price of five. Beware of imitation said to contain hypophosphites. The composition of Dr. Cassell's Tablets is known only to the proprietors, and no imitation can ever be the same. Sole Proprietors: Dr. Cassell's Co., Ltd., Manchester, Eng.

POLICE KAST

Anthony Kastranes, a forger, recently purchased a motorcycle from a local agent and applied for his license number. In the meantime he was enjoying a ride around the city. The joy ride was brought to an abrupt conclusion by P. C. Pickett, who, in casting his eagle eye over the vehicle, saw that the number was missing and stopped the rider. As application had been made for a license, the charge of breach of the Motor Vehicles Act was dismissed by the magistrate in the police court this morning.

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LOCAL
CARS COLLIDE
 Two large automobiles collided at the corner of Park Avenue and house street last evening, serious damage resulted.
CARS CRASHED
 A forger and a flivver to be an unfortunate combination yesterday afternoon when the attempted to turn his car down a narrow alley. An approaching car struck the automobile, it up on the sidewalk.
A SHAKE UP
 When the rear wheel of the mobile in which they were broke on the Cocksfoot road day afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. "Pat" Little, Ray Bennett a children escape. A favorite mid summer resort, and is heart tornized by youngsters of ages who spend much of the there learning the graceful swimming. Hitherto there has no accommodation for changing attire, but this defect has been remedied by the board of works are erecting a small shed for purpose. This serious only will be appreciated by the boys.
SOLDIERS RETURNED
 No less than eight returned from front here yesterday, the inmates arriving in three parties noon. Ptes. W. Hulme, 158, street, E. Evans, 51 1/2 Oxford and T. Hewitt, 302 Rawdon arrived, being met by Aid. Dowling, chairman of the Soldiers Aid Commission, and conveyed their homes. At four o'clock more reached the city in the of Ptes. W. Fodt, 141 Pearl R. Story, 49 Oak street, E. B. 23 Balfour and W. Yates, 28 S. avenue, while in the evening W. Cook, 55 Arthur arrived. Welcomes to the letter five were dered by Mr. Ball of the Soldiers Aid. J. H. Spence, H. W. Pitt, Y. Thompson, C. S. Vansickle, Great War Veterans' Association others.
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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

CARS COLLIDE

Two large automobiles collided at the corner of Park Avenue and Dalhousie street last evening, but no serious damage resulted.

CARS CRASHED

A foreigner and a flivver proved to be an unfortunate combination yesterday afternoon when the driver attempted to turn his car on Colborne street. An approaching Paris car struck the automobile, hurling it up on the sidewalk.

A SHAKE UP

When the rear wheel of the automobile in which they were driving, broke on the Cocksbutt road yesterday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Liitch, "Pat" Liitch, Ray Bennett and two children escaped serious injury when the car turned turtle and rolled over in the ditch. The party were on their way to Port Dover when the accident happened, but were so badly shaken up that when the automobile was repaired they could not proceed on their trip.

A DRESSING ROOM

That portion of the canal near the Alfred street bridge and the freight sheds of the Brantford and Hamilton radial, during the hot spell has become quite a favorite miniature summer resort, and is heartily patronized by youngsters of various ages who spend much of their time there learning the graceful art of swimming. Hitherto there has been no accommodation for changing their attire, but this defect has been remedied by the board of works, who are erecting a small shed for this purpose. This added convenience will be appreciated by the boys.

SOLDIERS RETURNED.

No less than eight returned soldiers were welcomed home from the front here yesterday, the inviolated men arriving in three parties. At noon, Ptes. W. Hulme, 158 Albion street, E. Evans, 51 1/2 Oxford street, and T. Hewitt, 302 Rawdon street, arrived, being met by Aid J. S. Dowling, chairman of the Soldiers' Aid Commission, and conveyed to their homes. At four o'clock four more reached the city in the persons of Ptes. W. Podd, 141 Pearl street, R. Story, 49 Oak street, E. B. Wright, 23 Balfour and W. Yates, 28 McLure avenue, while in the evening Pte. W. Cook, 59 Arthur arrived home. Welcomes to the latter five were tendered by Mr. Ball of the Soldiers' Aid, J. H. Spence, H. W. Pitton, T. Y. Thompson, C. S. Vansickle of the Great War Veterans' Association and others.

DO NOT MEET.

Both the Board of Education and the Parks Board have adjourned for the month of August, and will not convene to-night, their regular meeting night.

GOES TO STRATFORD.

Mr. Chris. Cleator, assistant accountant of the Royal Bank at Tillsonburg, has been moved to Stratford, and leaves to-day to take up his work there. His many friends will wish him every success.

BACK TO DOVER

County Constable William Taylor and Constable Boylan yesterday conveyed an elderly patient from the hospital named Tidale, back to his home in Port Dover. The unfortunate man had been fishing there, and being taken ill, was brought to the hospital in this city. While here his mind became slightly deranged, and the attendants were unable to administer treatment to him. It was therefore found necessary to take him back to his home at the Port.

COMING HOME.

Mr. E. P. Watson, manager of the Watson Manufacturing Company of this city, this morning received a telegram from his son, Lieut. R. J. Watson, stating that the latter had arrived in Halifax last evening and would be home in Brantford probably on Friday of this week. Lieut. Watson was a member of the 4th battalion.

PEEPING TOM

Residents of Grandview district have been lately annoyed by some one prowling around their residences and peering into the windows. Several complaints have been registered, and unless the practice is discontinued, punishment will probably be meted out.

BUILDING PERMIT

A building permit was issued this morning in the city engineer's department of the city hall to Frank Bryans, 12 Brant St., south, for the erection of a \$35 iron shed.

COAL FOR CITY

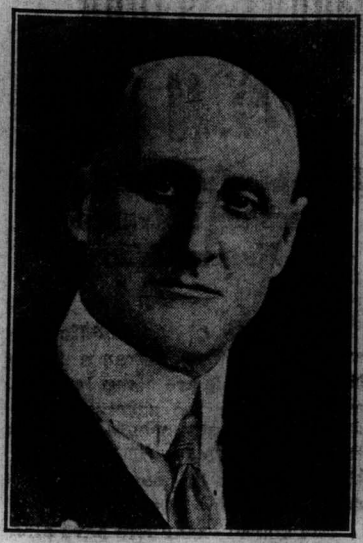
The city clerk was this morning in receipt of a communication from the Canadian Coal Supply Co., of Toronto, offering to supply the city with the best grades of steam coal at the lowest possible figures, and asking details as to the quantity and quality required.

BLAZE IN GARAGE

A pall filled with oily rags, saturated with gasoline and placed on the cement floor in the building adjacent to the Courier office, occupied by Maloney's garage and the Maxwell agency, burst into flames this morning when a lighted match was accidentally dropped. The flames and smoke came out through the entrance in a cloud, and was seen from the fire hall. The firemen came down and extinguished the blaze before the conflagration could assume serious proportions. As it was the frame partition between the office and the garage proper was rather badly burned.

DOMINION STEEL WON

The Dominion Steel Products team played a return game in St. Thomas yesterday afternoon and completely turned the tables on the Railroad City aggregation. Allen pitched a stellar game, allowing only three hits, while his team mates piled up nine and shut out the home players by a score of 5-0. The batteries were Allen and Tillman for Brantford, and Billings and Banford for St. Thomas. McElvey had a banner day at the bat, securing two triples, a single and being hit by a pitched ball on four appearances with the willow. Allen struck out nine or ten men, Dusty Bullock falling a victim by the strike-out route, three times, which did not improve his disposition by any noticeable degree. Allen will remain with the Steel Product for another two weeks and will then report back to Toronto.



MR. S. H. WILLIAMSON
New General Secretary of the Y.M.C.A.

IN UPPER CHAMBER.

Mr. J. H. Fisher has taken his place in the Senate. He was introduced by the two leading members Sir James Loughheed and Sir Mackenzie Bowell.

A SOUVENIR

Writing home from the front, Pte. Orley Dingman sends a souvenir in the form of a German watch (no, you are mistaken; not the noted timepiece upon the Rhine), which is now on exhibition at the Bon Marche grocery.

FIRE FROM FLAT IRON

The firemen had a short run at 1.30 this afternoon, when they were summoned to the Templar building, 146 Dalhousie street, where curtains upon the third floor had taken fire from an electric flat iron in apartments occupied by a Mrs. Hill. The blaze was extinguished with very little damage done.

SPECIAL SERVICE

A special service, to commemorate the entry of Canada into the war will be held at 7.30 p.m. in St. Jude's church, on Friday. The rector will preach.

LICENSES TO ALIENS

In the future no foreigners, nor aliens on parole will be granted permission to drive an automobile or motor-cycle without first having received official sanction from the Government, according to information received in the city this morning. Up to the present, application for licenses has been made through local agents, who forwarded the particulars to Toronto and within four or five days the license number would be received here. The more stringent measure goes into effect immediately.

MONEY IN HENS

There is one city official, at least, who is able to snap his fingers at the much vaunted booby, best known by the initials H.C. of L., and that is A. G. Ludlow, city assessor, who in the past five months has realized a profit of two hundred per cent. through a venture into the poultry business. In February last, Mr. Ludlow bought 35 hens, at eight-five cents each, a total of \$29.75. For feed in the past five months he paid \$22.50. In the same time he obtained from the hens 233 dozen eggs, which he disposed of at a price of 37 1-2 cents per dozen, totalling \$87.38, while to-day he has an offer of \$1.10 apiece for his hens. Selling at this price he would realize a total profit of \$63.50 upon his speculation, and is satisfied that there is money to be made in the poultry business. The Thrift League, he considers, might do well to go into this phase of production.

AMERICAN LOST

By Courier Leased Wire
London, Aug. 2.—It was reported at the United States consulate here to-day that 24 members of the crew of the American Steamship Motano, which was sunk by a German submarine on July 31, lost their lives.

LACAZE RESIGNS

By Courier Leased Wire
Paris, Aug. 2.—Rear Admiral Lacaze, minister of marine in the French Cabinet, today handed his resignation to Premier Ribot.

PRESIDENT OF CHAMBER

By Courier Leased Wire
Athens, Aug. 2.—M. Solfoulis, deputy in the Greek chamber from Samos and government candidate for the position, to-day was elected president of the chamber by a vote of 180 to 40. King Alexander will take the oath in the chamber of deputies on Friday.

Mrs. William Baker, of Gobles, aged 51 years, lost her life near that village when returning from Toronto. She fell from the train platform.



PTE. E. KING.
Winner of the Military Medal.

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TEN YEAR OLD LAD DROWNED

Little George Ennis, Mary Street, Lost Life While Swimming

Another of the seemingly endless series of deaths lately in the water, occurred yesterday afternoon, the victim a little boy, George Ennis, who resided with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ennis, 93 Mary St. The little lad who was but nine or ten years of age, was in swimming with his companions in the canal at the foot of Murray street yesterday afternoon. His clothes were left on the bank of the stream, and after being in the water some time, his friends came out, dressed and went to their homes, not missing the Ennis child. His mother came down to find her boy some time afterward, and while she could not see him, found his clothes on the bank.

In the meantime, George Moneth, who lives near the Starch Works, saw a body floating down the canal near where the canal widens into Mohawk Lake, and immediately gave the alarm. George Snell, an employee of the Starch factory swam out and brought the youthful body to shore. A telephone message was sent to the Fire Hall notifying the firemen of the finding and asking them to hasten there with the lungmotor. Captain Kingswell and Firemen Coulbeck drove down, but it was found that life was quite extinct and that any use of the lungmotor would be ineffectual. Death was due to heart failure and not caused by drowning. The remains were brought back to where the boys had been swimming, and there the anxious and hysterical mother was waiting, and identified her child.

FIGHTING IS UNHALTED BY WEATHER

By Courier Leased Wire
London, Aug. 2.—Telegraphing from the British headquarters in France and Belgium, the correspondent of Reuter's Limited, says: "Despite the weather there has been much hard fighting during the past twenty-four hours. The Germans were manifestly perturbed at our gaining so much ground along the Pilken ridge, and they launched several desperate counter attacks, although these were checked by our artillery. Yet, in places, they reached the stage of hand-to-hand fighting of a ferocious character.

"The Germans are throwing in their best troops to retrieve the situation and their losses must be colossal. Our preponderance of gun power enables our artillery to maintain a steady barrage upon the rear of the new German line so that they have to be brought through this before they can organize for attack. The enemy artillery has been concentrating heavily upon certain sectors and the weather prevents our armor directing counter-battery work to any extent."

Fillers
The village of Moorefield, seven miles south of Palmerston, voted to have Hydra electric connection with Palmerston.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen will visit Kingston to-day and will spend some time at the Royal Military College and at Barriefield.

Orilla win-the-war delegates desire that an effort be made to choose a member to Parliament for East Simcoe by action of the county.

Major Stanley Coulter Norworthy, awarded the D.S.O., is a son of J. C. Norworthy, of Ingersoll, Ontario, and also has the Military Cross.

Rev. A. S. Imrie, of Toronto, preached at the 117th anniversary of the Wicklow Baptist Church.

Joseph White, 19, was electrocuted at Masena while engaged at his work.

The Winnipeg builders' laborers' strike, which has been in progress for a month, has been settled.

The question of reducing the staff at the Kingston penitentiary is now under consideration, owing to the small number of prisoners there.

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Rejane Egg Shampoo, Regular 25c, now, 2 for 25c
Rejane Shaving Lotion, Regular 25c, now, 2 for 25c
—Main Floor

Children's SWEATERS
They are as necessary in the Summer as at other times of the year, for any child who goes motoring or trolley riding or plays out of doors at all hours. And good sweaters are hard to get just now. They are in white only, and of all wool, equally favored with belts and pockets, and can be worn high or low. Sizes 4 to 14 years, prices \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00
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Special Notice to Drivers

On and after August 10th next the local regulation giving the right of way to vehicles going north and south over those going east and west will be cancelled, and the following amendment to the Highway Travel Act substituted therefor:
"Where a person travelling or being upon a highway in charge of a vehicle or on horseback, meets another vehicle or person on horseback, at a crossroad or intersection, the vehicle or horseman to the right hand of the other vehicle or horseman shall have the right of way."
Drivers of all vehicles are therefore requested to note carefully the amendment to the law and govern themselves accordingly. By order,
Brantford, August 1st, 1917.
CHAS. SLEMIN,
Chief Constable.

Charles H. C. Greentree, for several years manager of the Brantford branch of the Bank of Ottawa, has resigned to go to Europe as a private in a railway construction battalion.
The Board of Grain Supervisors for Canada has prohibited the sale or shipment of Canadian wheat, without consent of the board, to parties in the United States.
The Guelph police are trying to find the owner of a four-months-old baby boy, whose mother heartlessly abandoned him in some bushes.
Major Edson Raymond Pease, who has been awarded the D.S.O., is a son of E. L. Pease, managing director of the Royal Bank of Canada.

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CHEEVERS—In Brantford Tuesday, July 31st, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cheevers, 23 Gilmartin street, a daughter, Helen Margaret. L16

DIED
INNES—In Brantford on Wednesday Aug. 1st, 1917, George M. Innes in his 92nd year. The funeral will take place from the residence of his father, Mr. John Innes, 93 Mary street on Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock to Mount Hope Cemetery. Friends and Acquaintances please accept this intimation. L16

PHIPPS—In London on Wednesday August 1st Stephen Graham Phipps, relict of the late Ruth Phipps, aged 45 years. Funeral takes place on Saturday August 4th from Reid and Brown's Undertaking Parlors, to Mt. Hope Cemetery. Service at 2.30 o'clock. L16

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Franco-British Push Ahead in Spirited Fighting; Gains on Zillebeke and Yser Canal Sectors of Considerable Importance

London, Aug. 2.—"The oil shells referred to by correspondents at the front are the latest new weapon," says an ordinance man in the Evening Standard. "They are the necessary reprisal forced by the diabolical inventions of the Germans of tanks or castles. They are constructed in the form of shells, the casings of which are so thin that they burst easily after explosion, the small charge within scattering the flaming contents. They are fired from trench mortars. They are an effective reply to the flamewar of the Germans, which are merely tanks carried on soldiers' backs and worked by a hand pump with fire nozzle attachment."

The newest tanks have heavier guns, says the Standard, and the recoil often tosses the huge machines literally about. The crews are now trained to avoid tank sickness, and it is necessary to get "tank legs."

London, Aug. 2.—A torrential rainfall and the resultant turning of the battlefield—already in a state of confusion at many points—into a veritable quagmire retarded, but failed to halt, during Wednesday the great offensive against the Germans in Flanders.

The most part of the day was spent by the British and French troops in consolidating positions won in Tuesday's spectacular drive or in putting down strong German counter-attacks, made in endeavors to wrest from their antagonists their former positions. At two points near Ypres the Germans, using great masses of men, were successful in their counter-attacks against the British, compelling the evacuation of Haig's troops of the village of St. Julien, but this advantage was offset in the Zillebeke and Yser Canal sectors, where, respectively, the British and French advanced their lines.

Meanwhile the guns of the belligerents are continuing to roar along the entire front in reciprocal bombardments preparatory to the commencement of the infantry battle won that the clouds have lifted and the rain ceased.

The losses of the Teutons in the fighting thus far have been extremely heavy, the ground at various points being covered with their dead—some of them killed mere school boys—seemingly unfit physically for the arduous trials of the soldier in the present war must undergo. In addition the British alone have taken more than 5,000 prisoners.

Counter-Attacks Hurdled Back
 The section of the defences on the Warenton-Gappaard Road, which was taken by the British in the first rush of the night, and the Germans succeeded in retaking it. The British, however, delivered a strong counter-attack and again drove the enemy out after sanguinary fighting.

Just to the north of the Ypres-Comines Canal, the Germans also launched a counter attack, but were hurled back by the defending troops. German prisoners continue to arrive in large numbers, and while it has not yet been possible for the military to make a count, it is known that they run well into the thousands.

The reconquered territory about the Ypres salient has yielded its details of the actual effect of the British attack, and the German bodies lay thick in many places and in instances too numerous to escape comment fully accounted soldiers were found turned away from the direction of the British attack, indicating that they were retiring when struck down. Large numbers of the dead were mere youths, who looked as though they might recently have come from the school-room, for they were slight of build and physically unfit to bear the strain of war.

Most expressive was the comment on the bombardment made by a German officer, who was found badly wounded in a shell hole, where he had crawled for refuge. Addressing a British officer in excellent English, and with a quiet smile, he said: "Good morning; you see you have played the devil with our defences. Your guns have been doing some good shooting."

Killed Their Own Men.
 Many German Infantrymen fell victims to their own artillery at the outbreak of the Echte attack, for the observers had lost their view of the targets and in a confused, frenzied attempt to stem the onslaught, the German gunners unwittingly dropped shells among their own men. Again stories are heard of German batteries being withdrawn without the knowledge of the infantry, leaving the latter to face attacks without the protection of their artillery.

At 5 o'clock this afternoon Reuters' correspondent telegraphed: "A period of quiet has succeeded yesterday's Anglo-French advance against long-prepared enemy positions. Even our tremendous bombardment still left in many places formidable obstacles. We retired a few men from some extreme points, thereby creating a wide 'No Man's Land.' Meanwhile the consolidation of captured positions is proceeding despite the handicap of heavy rain. Prisoners agree that our prolonged bombardment inflicted tremendous casualties, also that our battery work was wonderfully effective, knocking out many guns, which is probably the reason for the alleged inadequate artillery support. The activity of our artillery has not relaxed despite the

London, Aug. 2.—The latest news from the battlefield is: "Situation unchanged." "The French had taken most of the third line by 9 o'clock, and dug in. A further advance is expected. An extraordinary small number of casualties were suffered by the French during yesterday's attacks, notwithstanding the obstinate German resistance. The sandy, hole-pitted ground of the front shows signs of the nature of the combat, being covered with German dead and debris.

The Germans who held the position were unable to get away from the British, however, the several battalions being destroyed, except for a few hundred men, who were captured. This morning was occupied in the organization of the prisoners taken, and the French artillery continued a very powerful cannonade. Heavy mists turned into a constant downpour and rainwater fills every crevice of the earth.

French advance occurred around Bixchoote and in two small woods further to the south-east, where the opposing infantrymen met hand-to-hand, and the heavy counter-attacks, succeeded in recapturing the village of St. Julien and part of the village of Westhoek. According to the official report from British Headquarters last night the number of Germans made prisoner exceeds 5,000. The text of the statement reads: "Rain continued to fall throughout the day. By a successful operation to-day on our new battle front our line was advanced slightly in the neighborhood of the Zillebeke-Zandvoorde road. On the left flank of our attack our allies gained a further ground on the east bank of the Yser canal.

"During the night our new positions east and north-east of Ypres, were heavily counter-attacked by strong forces of enemy. Our troops successfully resisted the enemy's repeated attempts to drive us from the important positions on high ground captured yesterday in this neighborhood, but under the weight of his assault and after stubborn fighting, we were compelled to withdraw our advanced troops from the village of St. Julien.

MIDDLE SCHOOL EXAM RESULTS

List of Successful Pupils Passing Entrance To Normal Schools

The results of the Middle School examination for entrance into the Normal Schools are given below. The certificates of the successful candidates and the statements of marks of those who failed will be mailed to the principals or inspectors in the course of a few days.

The appeal examiners have already re-read the papers of each candidate whose marks would appear to justify an appeal. Where such candidate has still failed the statement of marks will be stamped as re-read and no further appeal will be allowed. In all other cases of failure, appeals will not be refused, if made before September 1st, and accompanied by the fee of \$2.00. If made after September 1st, the fee is \$5.00. No appeal received after September 10th will be entertained.

Successful candidates who desire to attend the coming session of the normal schools are notified that they should to the Deputy Minister of Education not later than Monday, August 20th. They are advised to make early application. If applicants will state clearly in their applications when and where they passed the normal entrance examinations, they need not delay such applications on account of not having received their certificates.

The normal schools will open Tuesday, September 18th, at 9 a.m., at which time all candidates must present themselves. Applicants are required to be 18 years of age before October 1st. Further information regarding the conditions of admission may be obtained from the syllabus and the application forms, copies of which may be obtained on application to the Deputy Minister of Education.

No candidate will be admitted who does not comply fully with the conditions prescribed therein.

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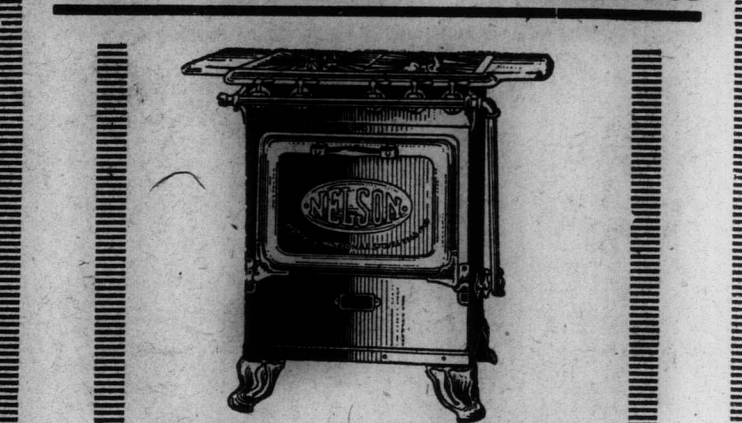
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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 189.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hendry and family have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William May, Jr., Central Allen, Toronto.

Mrs. James Patterson, Richardson street, and Miss Jessie Menzies, Church St., are visiting in Georgetown.

TERRORISM
 By Courier Leased Wire
 Montreal, Aug. 2.—A stick of dynamite accompanied by a note threatening death if he voted for conscription was this morning found under the balcony of the home of Senator Beaubien in Outremont.

It is suspected by the local police that the dynamite is part of a consignment stolen by masked bandits yesterday from quarries in Rosemont. Senator Beaubien is one of the best known French-Canadian advocates of conscription in Quebec. Yesterday he spoke in the Senate in favor of conscription, but advised that it be not applied until after an election.

RUSS OFFICIAL
 By Courier Leased Wire
 Petrograd, Aug. 2.—Between the River Zbroez, on the Russo-Galician frontier, and the Dniester River, northwest of Kolin, the Russians yesterday abandoned their positions, says the official statement issued today by the Russian war department. The Russian forces also retired in an easterly direction between the Dniester and Pruth Rivers.

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Yankees Have Piled Up Winning Extra Innings Eleven

"If my club played as good over the regulation nine innings as they do in extra innings, would be no doubt as to who pennant would fly," remarks Donovan, manager of the Yankees recently. "But," he continues, "too many of our games are in nine innings, and we don't often over the regulation nine. As an extra inning winner Yankees have set up quite a record this season. Complete figures extra inning games this season have been played by the Yankees season have gone past the regular nine innings, and only three have Donovan's men taken them. Three setbacks in sixteen games record to talk about. Twice they have scored extra games with the score tied, times the Yankees have gained victory, and three times they have lost. They have a winning percentage of .786 for those long. No wonder Bill Donovan wishes could do as well in the nine in Boston Alone Escaped.

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Defeated Reds 6-2 In Game Featured By Seven Errors

GIANTS 3, PIRATES

Phillies Won Ten In Game From Cards 2-

Cincinnati, Aug. 1.—Brooklyn the third game of the series. Cincinnati here to-day by 6. Seven errors intermingled with seven misplays made the game of the ragged seen here this year.

Brooklyn 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 2—6
 Cincinnati 9 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—11
 Batteries—Pfeifer and Miller; gan and Wingo.

At St. Louis.
 Smith in the tenth inning to-day Philadelphia to beat St. Louis by 2 to 1. The locals were at get but four hits off Mayer until ninth, when successive singles by Smith, Miller and Snyder; who tied for Wallace, tied the score.

Phillie's 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—2
 St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1
 Batteries—Mayer, Lavender, nger and Killifer; Ames, W and Gonzales.

At Pittsburgh.
 New York won the fourth of the series from Pittsburgh by 3 to 1. Steele weaker in the ninth with the score 1 to 1, hit cher with a pitched ball, and to field Wilhoit's infield sacrifice was turned into a hit. Hallock to right center, scoring two.

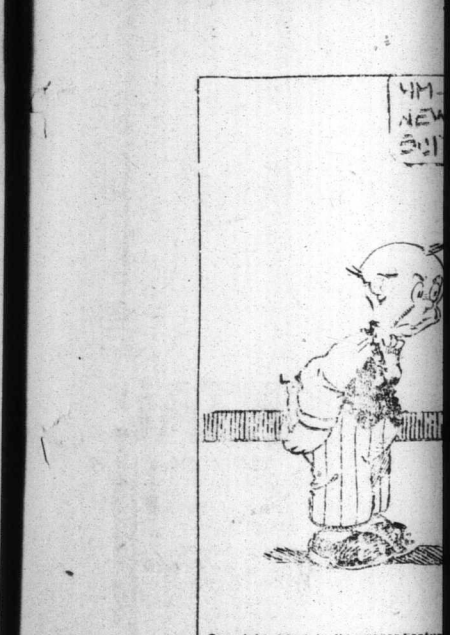
Score:—
 New York 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2—3
 Pittsburgh 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1
 Batteries—Perritt and G Steele and Fischer.

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Donovan Would Like to Lengthen Games

Yankees Have Piled Up High Average In Matter of Winning Extra Inning Encounters; Have Won Eleven of Sixteen Such

"If my club played as good ball over the regulation nine inning route as they do in extra innings, there would be no doubt as to where the pennant would fly," remarked Bill Donovan, manager of the Yankees, recently. "But," he continued sadly, "too many of our games are finished in nine innings, and we don't win so often over the regulation route."

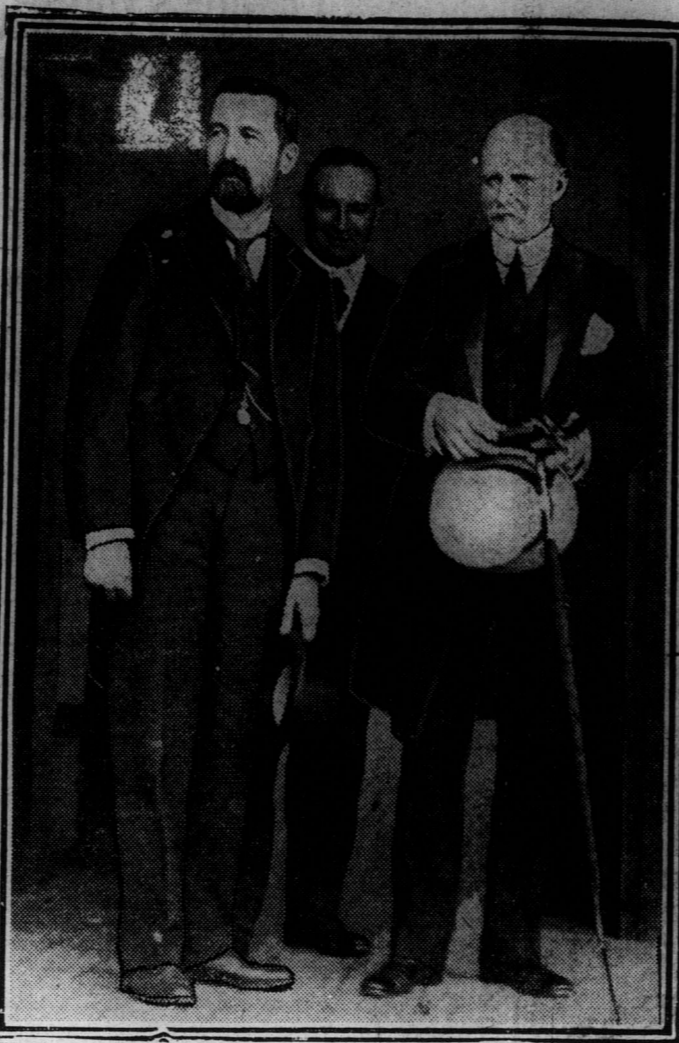
As an extra inning winner the Yankees have set up quite a record this season. Complete figures for all extra inning games this season are not available, but it seems safe to assert that no other club in the two major leagues has done as well as Donovan's team in these extra inning games. More than one-sixth of the games played by the Yankees this season have gone past the regulation nine innings, and only three times have Donovan's men been defeated. Three setbacks in sixteen games is a record to talk about. Twice darkness has ended these extra inning games with the score tied, eleven times the Yankees have gained the victor, and three times they have lost. They have a winning percentage of .786 for those long games. No wonder Bill Donovan wishes they could do as well in the nine innings.

Boston Alone Escaped
So far this season the Yankees have scored extra inning victories over every other club in the league except Boston. Two long games with the world's champions ended in a defeat and a tie. The Senators and White Sox have been beaten three

times in extra inning games with the Yankees; the Browns have suffered two defeats; the Indians have lost one, the Tigers one and the Athletics one. The tie games, each ending after eleven innings, were played with the Tigers and Red Sox. The three defeats have been administered by the Red Sox, White Sox and Tigers. Ray Caldwell has been the most frequent winner among Donovan's pitchers in those long games. He has won four and he took part in three others which went to the credit of other pitchers. He started against the White Sox on July 13, against the Indians on July 18 and pitched eleven innings against the Tigers on July 22. All these games were won by another Yankee boxman after Caldwell retired. Russell won two of these three games, and Cullop the other. The winning pitchers are: Caldwell, 4; Russell, 3; Love, 2; Shocker, 1; Cullop, 1. In the defeats the New York pitchers were Mogridge twice and Love.

No Defeats After 10 Innings.
An odd feature of the Yankees' success in extra innings lies in the fact that they have carried nine games beyond ten innings this season and have not lost one. They have won in seventeen innings, in fifteen innings, twice in thirteen innings, once in twelve innings and twice in eleven innings, besides tying twice in eleven innings. Their only extra inning defeat came in ten innings. They have won four and lost three games of this length.

ONTARIO'S ORPINGTON HOSPITAL GROWS



Mr. Walter Long, Colonial Secretary, visited Orpington to open the extension of the Ontario Military Hospital, a golden key being presented for the purpose. The photo shows Sir George Perley, Acting Canadian High Commissioner (left), and Mr. Walter Long (right).

Sporting Comment

Collins is Aging

Eddie Collins undoubtedly is feeling his age just a little bit. Always a slow starter, he is lagging more than ever this season in finding the pitching. His average is lower now than it has been at any time of the year.

Collins is fielding just as brilliantly, thinking just as rapidly, and is not slowing perceptibly in his base running. His appearances on first base, however, have been too few to allow much base stealing or run-scoring.

Even when Collins was with the Mack machine and enjoying the height of his ability, it always required a few weeks or more than a month for him to reach the zenith of his batting stride. Usually the end of the season found him disputing his batting prowess with Ty Cobb and Joe Jackson, although his average never reached the top notch set by those batting stars.

If Collins were to swing into his old time batting form at this stage of the race his assistance would be sufficient in itself, it is believed, to most critics, to carry the Sox to a championship. And, if he should suddenly receive the assistance of White Sox's old-time Cleveland form, the American league race probably would be over just about as suddenly.

Strangely, neither Jackson nor Collins has been able to hit the sea-saw opening with batting strength since becoming members of the White Sox. Jackson's average never was so low as it is now, and he seems totally incapable of throwing off the slump.

One thing the dope overlooked in picking the White Sox as favorites in the Johnson scramble. They are the players who make the Sox or wreck them. Even with their batting low their efforts are sufficient inspiration to other members of the team to count a great deal.

LEAFS TAKE TWO FROM MONTREAL

Toronto Won Both Games In Ninth By The Same Score

Toronto, Aug. 2.—The Leafs galloped home with two wins yesterday and pushed the Royals farther into the cellar by the same number of losses. Toronto took both ends of the double-header from Montreal and both games were won by the same score and won in the same inning, namely, 6 to 5, in the ninth. Yet just as surely as the Leafs won both games so just as surely did it look as if the Royals were going to overtake them. It was nip and tuck either way and fortune chose the home brews upon which to bestow her gifts.

Manager Dan Howley was in the fight in the first game, and he never gave up until the last, and then it was his wild throw which finally took the game from his clan. The progress of the play in both games was very similar, but the paths which led to the final goal were diverse. In the first the Leafs clung to their new stock in trade and spotted the Royals three runs in the third, but tied it up in the fourth and fifth besides taking a lead of one run themselves. Then the Royals took a new lease of life and tied it up in the ninth, but Toronto came through in their half and scored the winning run. The second game was somewhat the same, but instead of spotting the Montreal clan any runs the Leafs gathered two in the third and then added another in the sixth, putting them three in front, or the same margin as the Royals had in the first game. In their half of the eighth Montreal grabbed two, but Toronto did the same in their half, so that the margin stood the same when Hoarne faced the Royals in the ninth. Montreal got their three runs but again the Leafs came to the rescue of their pitcher and batted home the winning run.

Blons Won Both Games

Buffalo, Aug. 1.—Buffalo won the first game from Rochester by scoring ten runs in the opening inning to-day. Rochester chased Tyson in the second game when they evened up in the sixth. Buffalo won, however, by 6 to 4. Scores:

First game— R. H. E.
Buffalo 10 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 14 1
Rochester 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 3 2
Batteries—Engel and Daly; Lots and Sandberg.
Second game— R. H. E.
Buffalo 0 1 2 0 1 1 0 0 0 13 1
Rochester 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 0 12 2
Batteries—Tyson, Wyckoff and Onslow; Smith and Wendell.

Even Break at Baltimore

Baltimore, Aug. 1.—Baltimore and Richmond split even in to-day's double-header. The home team won the first by 7 to 6, the second game, however, the final count being 5 to 4 in favor of the visitors. Scores:

First game— R. H. E.
Baltimore 0 0 5 1 0 0 0 0 0 6 12 1
Richmond 0 0 0 0 1 0 4 0 0 7 8 0
Batteries—Enright, Donahue and Reynolds; Parnham, Newton and Schaufele, McAvoy.
Second game— R. H. E.
Baltimore 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 7 0
Richmond 0 2 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 4 8 4
Batteries—Donahue and Koehler; Hill and McAvoy.

Brainerd May Leave Grays

Providence, Aug. 1.—The Grays are in danger of losing their captain and centerfielder before the team starts on its next Western trip and possibly before that time Fred Brainerd applied some time ago for an appointment to one of the training camps for commissioned officers and has been notified that his application has been acted upon favorably, and he has been ordered to report at Newport for physical examination on August 15.

YOUNG EXPERTS JUDGE AT "EX."

Canadian National Revives Competition for Farmers and Farmers' Sons.

Among the new departures at the Canadian National Exhibition this year are the judging competitions for young farmers and farmers' sons under 26 years of age. They will be held under the supervision of the Ontario Government and a very large entry is expected from among the three thousand students now taking the Government short courses. Liberal prizes are offered to winners in live stock, poultry, grain, roots, fruits and vegetables. Some years ago judging competitions were held at Toronto, but the present ones are on a much more pretentious scale and under Government auspices should prove a great success.

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BREAD CARDS.

By Courier Leased Wire
Paris, Aug. 1.—Bread cards will be introduced in France on Saturday. The Journal Official, it is announced to-day will publish on that day a decree by which every adult will receive a card entitling them to so much bread daily.

BANK CLEARINGS.

By Courier Leased Wire
Quebec, Aug. 1.—Bank clearings for July in Quebec City, amounted to \$19,791,439.

BROOKLYN WON RAGGED GAME

Defeated Reds 6-2 In Game Featured By Seven Errors

GIANTS 3, PIRATES 1

Phillies Won Ten Inning Game From Cards 2-1

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Score: R. H. E.
Brooklyn 10 0 0 0 1 2 0 2 6 10 3
Cincinnati 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 2 10 4
Batteries—Kieffer and Miller; Ragan and Wingo.
At St. Louis.
A wild throw to the plate by J. Smith in the tenth inning to-day enabled Philadelphia to beat St. Louis by 2 to 1. The locals were able to get but four hits off Mayer until the ninth, when successive singles by J. Smith, Miller and Snyder; who batted for Wallace, tied the score.

Score: R. H. E.
Philadelphia 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 2 10 4
St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 7 7 1
Batteries—Mayer, Lavender, Busch and Killifer; Ames, Watson and Gonzales.
At Pittsburgh.
New York won the fourth game of the series from Pittsburgh to-day by 3 to 1. Steele weakened in the ninth with the score 1 to 1, hit Fletcher with a pitched ball, and failed to field Wilhoit's infield sacrifice that was turned into a hit. Holke tripled to right centre, scoring two runs.

Score: R. H. E.
New York 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2 3 8 1
Pittsburgh 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 7 1
Batteries—Perritt and Gibson; Steele and Fischer.

BASEBALL RECORD

| INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE | | | |
|----------------------|------|-------|------|
| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
| Providence | 59 | 38 | .608 |
| Newark | 58 | 38 | .604 |
| Toronto | 58 | 42 | .580 |
| Baltimore | 56 | 44 | .560 |
| Rochester | 49 | 53 | .480 |
| Buffalo | 43 | 60 | .417 |
| Richmond | 38 | 60 | .388 |
| Montreal | 37 | 63 | .370 |

| Yesterday's Games | | | |
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| Toronto 6-6, Montreal 5-5. | | | |
| Buffalo 12-6, Rochester 3-4. | | | |
| Baltimore 7-4, Richmond 6-5. | | | |

| Games To-day | | | |
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| Montreal at Toronto. | | | |
| Rochester at Buffalo. | | | |
| Newark at Baltimore. | | | |
| Providence at Richmond. | | | |

| NATIONAL LEAGUE | | | |
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| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
| New York | 58 | 30 | .659 |
| St. Louis | 52 | 44 | .542 |
| Philadelphia | 47 | 40 | .541 |
| Cincinnati | 54 | 48 | .529 |
| Chicago | 48 | 49 | .495 |
| Brooklyn | 45 | 46 | .495 |
| Boston | 38 | 52 | .422 |
| Pittsburg | 31 | 64 | .327 |

| Yesterday's Games | | | |
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| Brooklyn 6, Cincinnati 2. | | | |
| Philadelphia 2, St. Louis 1. | | | |
| New York 3, Pittsburg 1. | | | |
| Boston at Chicago, rain. | | | |

| Games To-day | | | |
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| Brooklyn at Cincinnati. | | | |
| Philadelphia at St. Louis. | | | |
| Boston at Chicago. | | | |
| New York at Pittsburg. | | | |

| AMERICAN LEAGUE | | | |
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| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
| Chicago | 62 | 37 | .626 |
| Boston | 59 | 36 | .621 |
| Cleveland | 54 | 47 | .535 |
| Detroit | 52 | 46 | .531 |
| New York | 49 | 45 | .521 |
| Washington | 41 | 56 | .423 |
| Philadelphia | 34 | 58 | .370 |
| St. Louis | 36 | 62 | .367 |

MURDER CASE.

By Courier Leased Wire.
St. John, N. B., Aug. 2.—The hearing of testimony in the case of Everett Garland and John O'Brien, striking plumbers, charged with the murder of Robert Harris, a plumber's apprentice, was concluded at a session of the court last night and the court adjourned until next Thursday evening.

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You are further warned that cutting at a corn is a suicidal habit.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

Died
London—Pte. Charles Hales.
Wounded
London—Lieut. G. Fraser, 220 St. George street.
Simcoe—Pte. D. McIvor.
Forestville—Pte. G. E. Slade.
Tavistock—Pte. M. E. Capling.
Dunville—Pte. D. Dunham.
Mount Carmel—Pte. W. Fowler.
Hespeler—Pte. M. C. Bechman.
Windsor—Pte. J. McKernan.
Ripley—Pte. B. Brown.
Stratford—Gunner "Tom" O'Connell.
III
London—Pte. Andy Thompson.
Hickson—Pte. H. Harlow.
Feverham—Pte. A. K. Nibbs.

Gassed at Vimy Ridge and taken to a base hospital in France, Gunner Frank Whittaker, of Sandwich, received a surprise when his sister, Nurse May Whittaker, whom he had not seen for seven years, came to attend him.

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MARKET COMMENT

The market on the New York Stock Exchange was extremely quiet with practically no price change. Trading was purely professional in nature. U. S. Steel was in good demand with what appeared to be a price advance, including an order of 6,000 shares. Other industrials and war stocks were also strong, with small gains. The statement of the Steel Corporation given out yesterday was commented upon very favorably on the street.

News of the Exchanges

New York, August 1.—Bar silver closed to-day at 78 5/8 cents per ounce, an advance of 1-2 cent.
New York, August 1.—Call money was steady at 2 1/2 per cent. Time loans were somewhat easier at 4 per cent.

The market on the Standard Stock and Mining Exchange in Toronto was exceedingly quiet with prices inclining still lower. Hollinger sold at \$4.25; McIntyre at \$1.52 and Dominion \$10.00.

Baldwin Locomotive—It is claimed that the Baldwin Locomotive Company has between \$95,000,000 and \$100,000,000 worth of business on its books and that the plant will be working to capacity for months to come.

The Detroit United Railway Company has declared its regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, payable September 1st, to stock of record August 15th.

VETERAN ACTOR DEAD.

New York, Aug. 1.—Jere J. Cohan who for years was one of the best known actors on the American stage and one of the famous "four Cohans," died early to-day of arterio sclerosis at his country home, Monroe, N.Y., after an illness of nearly two years. Mr. Cohan was 69 years old. His wife, Helen F. Cohan, and his son, George M. Cohan, were with him when he died.

WHITE SOX COME BACK AT BOSTON

Regain Lead In American League By Blanking Bean Eaters

Boston, Aug. 2.—After winning seven straight games, Boston was shut out by Chicago yesterday, 4 to 0, Chicago regaining the lead in the American league race. Russell pitched a strong game, only one of the Boston team reaching third base. Mays was hit hard. Jackson's home run was to the flagpole in centre field.

Score: R. H. E.
Chicago 2 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 10 1
Boston 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 6 1
Batteries—Russell and Schalk; Mays, Jones and Agnew.

At Philadelphia—Speaker's steal of home in the seventh inning gave Cleveland the run which decided the game here yesterday in favor of the visitors, the score being 6 to 5. Speaker made a triple and two singles and drew a base on balls in four trips to the plate. Larry Witt, Athletic shortstop, has been ordered by this examination board in Massachusetts to appear at once for examination.

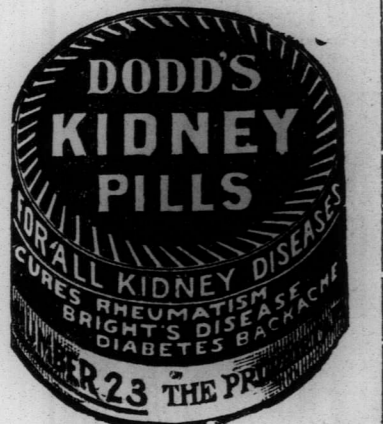
He is believed to be the first major league player to be summoned. Score: R. H. E.
Cleveland 6 0 2 1 1 1 0 0 0 6 9 2
Philadelphia 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 5 5 0
Batteries—Lambeth, Covaleski and Billings, O'Neill; Noyes, R. Johnson and Schang.

At Washington
Washington defeated Detroit 5 to 4 in thirteen innings yesterday. McBride, whose error in the eighth gave Detroit the run that necessitated extra innings, scored Rice with the winning run by hitting safely with the bases filled in the final round.

Score: R. H. E.
Detroit 4 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 4 10 3
Washington 0 3 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 5 11 3
Batteries—James, Cunningham, Boland and Stange, Yelle; Dumont, Shaw, Ayres, Johnson and Ainsmith.

INCOME TAX PASSES.

By Courier Leased Wire.
Paris, Aug. 1.—The Senate yesterday voted the income tax bill as passed recently by the Chamber of Deputies. The bill becomes applicable on January 1 next.



THAT SON-IN-LAW OF PA'S

--- By Wellington



MODERN CIRCUS RUNAWAY HAS A HARD ROW TO HOE

Times Have Changed Since Get Rich Quick Era Of Barnum And Other Magnates of the Ring Top Tent

Do boys still run away from home to join the circus? A. L. Webb claims that while the supply far exceeds the demand, the army of runaway boys is dwindling year by year. Mr. Webb is in a position to know, says George F. Worts in Every Week. He has had charge of the cook tent in many circuses, and that happens to be an excellent point of observation, where the boy is concerned.

Mr. Webb who could probably teach the commissary department of an army a few tricks about the efficient feeding of hungry men, estimates that in spite of the falling per centage, the circus with which he was connected last season was approached by no fewer than a thousand boys, all eager to carry water to the "rubber mules"—which is sawdust ring language for "elephants." Mr. Webb has "trouped" 27 consecutive seasons. In that time the number of boys ambitious to quench the elephants' thirst has steadily diminished.

Carrying water to the elephants is now a tradition of the rosy past—a good job gone, never to return; the wagons now do the work of a hundred strong boys. Unpleasant tasks have taken their place.

Unfold Chairs Now

In the springtime of our youth, you and I watered the "rubber mules" and helped to hold canvas. The new generation of runaways unfolds chairs, or, in rare and privileged cases, carries water to the workmen. Unfolding chairs is an arduous task—but it is one of the most important parts of the circus routine. The boy who desires to earn his way into the afternoon performance finds, too, that conditions have changed. If he is on hand early enough in the morning, and unfolding chairs is distinctly a before-breakfast job—he is usually tired enough when show time arrives to sleep comfortably through the entire performance.

The permanent runaway can be considered unusually lucky if the circus will have him nowadays. In the past, when circus men followed the rule of Barnum, which was based on the belief that people enjoyed paying money to be fooled, the circus life used to be an adventurous game of chance. When the circus came to town, ran shell games, indulged in pocket-picking, pink lemonade and other milder means of relieving the populace of its superfluous wealth, the runaway boy was accepted with no questions asked.

No Pink Lemonade

Now that the shell game and pink lemonade are no longer sanctioned, the runaway is confronted by a list of questions, sternly administered, before which he usually weakens. No modern circus will consider his application unless it is accompanied by the permission of parent or guardian. This measure was not put into effect necessarily for moral reasons, but because the time of a circus

is too valuable to be tampered with by angry parents.

In effect, most of the boys who run away to join the circus now are orphans. That was not always the case. I remember running away one time after having indulged in a certain type of literature, to join Buffalo Bill's chosen band, because my parents did not understand me. Probably you have had the same experience at some trying period of your sheltered past.

One custom established when the circus was a very young institution, still exists—the small boy—and the large boy, for that matter—invariably applies for a job at the cook tent.

Runaway a "Flunky."

The runaway who sticks almost invariably becomes a "flunky," washing dishes between meals and at meal times obeying the royal commands of trapeze performers, bare-back riders, clowns and other denizens of the sawdust ring. With most boys the glamor of circus life is rubbed off before the end of the first week, when they reappear at home with the saddened aspect of men who have seen life at its very bitterest. As a matter of fact, the romantic appeal of the circus is felt only slightly by the modern boy. The yellow backed novels devoted to the adventures of Tony, never generation to boy scout magazines. Youthful ideals are now shaped to a better purpose. With the inspiration of hay-loft literature gone, the old impulse to run away dies.

The 1917 model of circus runaway is no longer recruited from the ranks of the romance seeker. He is a youthful vagabond, lacking the staying power of the earlier types. Many of the prominent circus executives of to-day ran away to the circus in their youth. The runaway of to-day joins, not because of the old-time glamor, but from force of circumstance. He is hungry; he drifts where his stomach will be properly attended to. That type of boy rarely makes a successful executive, in the circus or anywhere else.

COTTON CROP

By Courier Leased Wire
Washington, Aug. 2.—This year's cotton crop is forecasted at 11,949,000 equivalent 500 pound bales by the department of agriculture, which based its estimate on the condition of the crop on July 25, which was announced as 70.3 per cent. of a normal.

Last year the total production was 11,449,930 bales, and the condition of the crop on July 25 a year ago was 72.3.



Rippling Rhymes
By Walt Mason

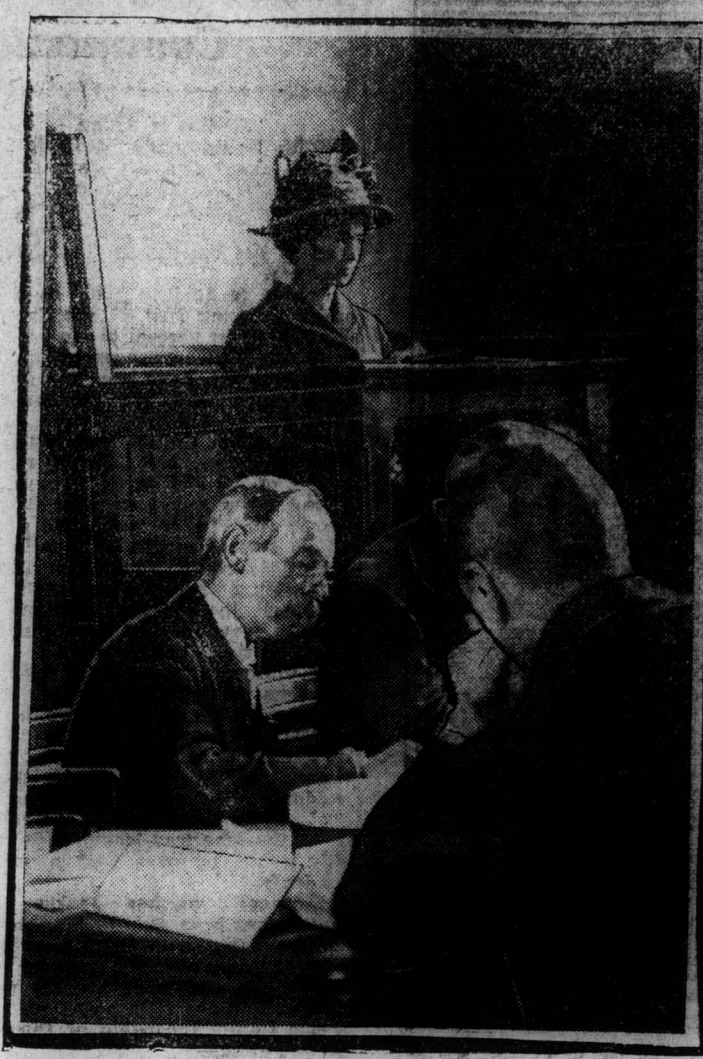
I went to buy a dachshund pup down at the village store. "The war has sent the prices up," the dealer roundly swore. No matter what we buy, forsooth, the price thereof's a shame; and if the price thereof's a truth, the war is all to blame. They've raised the price of baths and shampoos, of figs and of vines, of cradles, of bridles, wreaths and shawls, and they've raised the price until in vain we try to play the game, and hear the merchant prince explain that war is all to blame. So I'm heroic when I spend my coin for bread and grease,

How Thousands of British Families Are Helping Production



Food production in England has been largely increased by the cultivation of small plots of ground. Thousands of city families especially Londoners cultivate small garden patches and many families have erected places like this, on allotments as they are called.

AIR RAID SUFFERER IN WITNESS BOX



This picture was taken at the coroner's inquest on victims of the aeroplane raid on London. A woman who was widowed in the witness box. It is very unsatisfactory and it is not very comforting to know that the raiders got clear of the country without getting a scratch," said Coroner Westcott.

SIDELIGHTS ON THE STAGE AND SCREEN

SILAPSTICK'S SORROWS.

Being a funny man is a sad, sad job. Bobby Dunn says so, and he ought to know, for he is one of the most comical comics who draws a weekly wage at the Mack Senett-studio.

For example, in a recent picture, he is thrown into a lake, he is shot, he is slugged, in fact, there are mighty few things that don't happen to him with more or less violence during the piece.

"Of course it's all right for the public, for all they have to do is sit in easy chairs and laugh at you. But I wonder how most of them would like to do those stunts themselves."

"Just remember that many a time the funny suit and make up cover a multitude of bruises."

But don't imagine for a moment that Bobby Dunn is as pessimistic as this sounds. As a matter of fact, he is the little sunshine of the Senett studios, always ready for a lark and a devotee of the great out doors.

When he isn't working, Bobby Dunn is the cutest little baseball rooster in Los Angeles and he never misses the Tuesday night boxing matches.

"You can't beat this California life," he maintains, and is even willing to argue that the very soil he lands on when he's thrown over a cliff, is softer than that boasted by any other state.

"And of course," remarked the interviewer, "you have always wanted to play Hamlet, and your life was spoiled when you were cast as a comedian."

"Nix," yelled Bobby, "don't put that in. 'But I really did want to be a jockey, though now I'm glad the bunch missed fire. Comedy making in California for mine, all the time.'"

SUFFICIENTLY SMOOTH.

Just a little bit of inside information in regards to the "Kolb and Dill production" "Beloved Rogues." Some of the big scenes in the five-reel play are set in a hardware store. Here it is that Mike and Louie (Kolb and Dill) earn their daily bread and here it is that they set out to "do" the hardware trust as they were "done" by the trust.

As you remember Dill was married a short while ago and of course being busy at the studio every day, as is his wife, they have had no time to furnish their "cottage by the sea." When Dill heard that the company had to get in a great supply of hardware for the store in the production he saw a way to save the company some little money and also save his own bankroll.

Dill went to Kolb and confided in him his great plan. He told Kolb that as long as everyone at the studio was a pretty good friend of his he thought that it might be a good idea for Kolb to ask the mail to give him and his wife a kitchen shower and the tinware could be used in the store in "Beloved Rogues."

Strange to relate, everyone fell for the bright "idea" and the next night the biggest "kitchen shower" ever held was given at the American studio.

GERMANY DENIES CAUSING THE WAR

Brands As False Reports Of Teuton Conference In July 1914

By Courier Leased Wire.
Berlin, Aug. 1.—Via Copenhagen—An official statement issued by the German Government says: "The Times reports (London) and the enemy agencies following it are spreading a report about a conference alleged to have been held in the presence of the Emperor at Potsdam July 5, 1914, at which the political and military personages in Germany and Austria-Hungary took part and at which a plan was prepared to let loose the war."

"The Wolff Bureau is authorized to declare the statements with all their details pure inventions. Neither on the day named nor on any other day in July did such a joint conference occur either with or without the participation of the emperor."

"Moreover we again declare that the German Government abstained from any intervention in drafting the Austria ultimatum to Serbia and that the German Government was completely ignorant of the contents of the ultimatum before its despatch."

"The Times supports its false allegations on statements made by Deputy Cohn in the main committee of the reichstag. The statement of the deputy was immediately refuted in committee by the government as incorrect."

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surface. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine, it is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials.

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CANADA'S YOUNGEST SOLDIER LAD DEAD

Auguste Doris, French-Canadian, Enlisted at Fifteen Years

IS KILLED IN ACTION

Boy Donned Brother's Long Trousers To Pass Recruiting Officer

(Montreal Star.)
Have you heard the story of little Auguste Doris, said to be the youngest fighting soldier in the Canadian army? You would have had you been down to his parents' modest little home at 3 Dufresne street. Auguste is no more. He has paid the supreme sacrifice. His mother has received formal notification that he was presumed dead. He was last seen going 'over the top' on the Somme. He was seen to stagger. He fell. No news has ever since been heard of his whereabouts. Hence, says officialdom, he is dead.

Just Turned Fifteen.
Auguste Doris enlisted when he had just turned his fifteenth year. That was on Labor Day, 1915. He was a schoolboy when he joined the 69th. He had tried to enlist previously, but the recruiting officers smilingly, shooed him away.

In July, 1915, Auguste's big brother, Wilfrid was accepted for the 57th French-Canadians. That settled it, as far as Auguste was concerned. But let his mother tell the story. "From that time on," she said to the Star, "our dear little Auguste spoke of nothing else than enlisting. We used to laugh at him, pat him on the head and tell him to go out and play and be a good boy. Yet he always persisted. "Mother," he would say, "I want to go and fight." And when he was with his playmates he would play soldier. When Wilfrid came home Auguste would dress himself up in the soldier tunic, cap and belt, and march around the house. Wilfrid would amuse him used to drill him, but him thru his facings, as you say in English. This made the lad wild with joy. And his joy was complete when Wilfrid told him he drilled very well. "The martial spirit thus engendered, it appears but impelled the youngster, the more to try to enlist. He was a big, well set up boy, for his age, clean-cut, broad shouldered, muscular. In fact, his mother says, he did not look in stature, unlike a boy of seventeen. Athletic sports had made him muscular. He was always a good hand in a tussle with his boy companions. But there was one great obstacle in his path, he was only a lad. Those terrible pants had followed him before. They would fold him again. And then a bright idea struck him. He spoke it to no one.

The Great Idea.
On Labor Day, 1915, a well set up, stately, broad-shouldered, clean-cut recruit presented himself before Lieut.-Col. Danseureau. The officer gave him the "once over" and found him an ideal candidate for the forces. He was eighteen years old, single; he passed all the physical tests. He was accepted. He was sworn in and became a member of the 69th.

On the night of the same day Auguste Doris danced into his home, gleefully announcing that he had enlisted with the 69th. French-Canadians, and was now one of the fighting men of Canada. The parents were against. They thought he was joking. They noticed something—their guardian "short pants" boy was attired in "longs." The secret was out. Auguste ruminating on his inability to be accepted under the old attire, and further ruminating on the fact that his brother Wilfrid had no further use for his civilian clothes, had reached a conclusion. It was the idea above referred to. So, quietly appropriating a pair of the "longs," he proceeded to the shed, donned them and sailed forth.

Of course he felt anything but at ease. Every man knows how the boy felt. All have been there. But conquering his misgivings the lad finally made his way uptown and by the time he reached recruiting headquarters felt somewhat more as if the long were part and parcel of him. It was without a wince that he faced the recruiting officers. Without a ditto he told them he was eighteen. And they could not but believe him.

The "Boy" Stuck.
The night the 69th left town Auguste's mother was at the train, and pleaded with Lieut.-Col. Danseureau to give her son his discharge. "Certainly, madam, right away. Take the boy with you," replied Col. Danseureau.

But the "boy" would have none of it. He showed he was still a boy, for he cried, "Mother, let me go. It's no use stopping me. I want to fight. If you won't let me go with the 69th I will run away and enlist with another regiment."

The mother yielded.
Now the boy is dead, and his brother lies dangerously wounded in a military hospital.

"It has cost me much," said Mrs. Doris. "I have aged in those past two years. I mourn my son—my little boy. I grieve over my other boy and yet with all, I am proud of them both—proud that they give the lie to those narrow-minded bigots—scoffers, I call them—who say that French-Canadians are cowards and have not and will not do their duty to their country."

NORSE STEAMER SUNK

By Courier Leased Wire.
Bergen, Norway, Aug. 1.—The Norwegian Steamship Cavis has been torpedoed at a point 20 miles to sea from Holmgroa. One passenger and one sailor were killed. The crew of the vessel has arrived here.

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RUSSIANS LAUNCH FRESH OFFENSIVE
Partial Success In Galicia, But With Heavy Losses

London, Aug. 1.—The Russian offensive in Galicia, in the direction of Kovel, is announced today by War Office. A hostile position was carried in this movement.

South-west of Kimpolung, the southern end of the fight, the Russians were forced back what in the region of Negre were also compelled to retire to the east of Germent between the Dniester and the Prut.

The statement says the Russian suffered great losses when they were forced to retire across the Zbruzh.

Austro-German troops have advanced in the east theatre, according to the official report. The Russian on the Horodnika-Czernowiz, says the army headquarters, penetrated a portion of the Casin and Putna valleys in the enemy losing, between 28, ninety-eight guns and 4,500 prisoners. The enemy sixty kilometres (36 miles) to a depth of between 12 kilometres.

The Petrograd Report says the text of the Russian statement follows:

"Western front: To the south of Brody, in the Dublezk area after strong artillery preparation enemy attacked our position. Repeated attempts of a fierce engagement our reserves drove out the enemy and the situation was restored. This engagement the 49th particularly distinguished itself."

"In Galicia, in the direction of Trembowla, our troops began tactical offensive, attacking the enemy in the region of Grimalov and the position by assault."

"Repeated attempts of the enemy to cross the River Zboroz, north of the city of Zbriz were frustrated. Yesterday superior forces enemy attacked our positions in the Zboroz and the Dniester, region of Zaluc Gernamowka, confluence of the Bliakue and our troops after a battle, which stubbornly contested in places across the Zboroz. Our troops suffered great losses, especially the officers."

"Between the Dniester and Pruth the enemy yesterday continued to make persistent attacks along the southern banks of the Dniester and the road to Czer. After repelling a series of attacks troops were forced to retire what to the east of Germent. In the Carpathian region Siptul insignificant enemy were beaten off. In the region of Bratza we retired a little."

"Rumanian front: South-west of Kimpolung, in the region of the enemy attacked our troops thrust them back a little to the west of Germent."

"The German Official Report: The Berlin war office report Wednesday said: "Front of Prince Leopold army group of von Boehm-E. Our troops, pushing forward to the southeast, north of the Dniester, the enemy, who had prepared himself for a battle behind the back into the river bend of Between the Dniester and the our shock group broke through Russian positions on the Horodnika-Czernowiz railway line where its track near Iwankoutz."

"Front of Archduke Joseph the northeastern spur and in the central portion of the wooded Carpathians German and Austro-Hungarian divisions captured in an offensive stubbornly-defended valley approaches and several enemy at-

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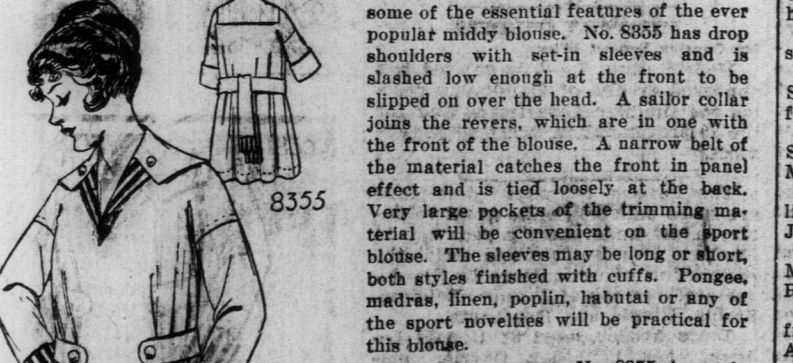
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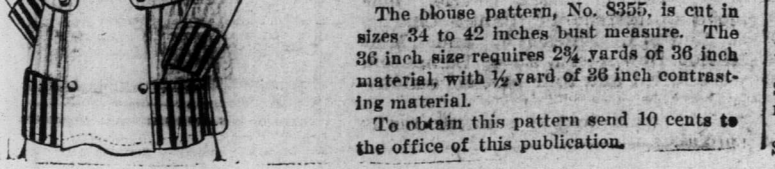
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Will World Ever Recover The Loss of Its Natural Wealth? WHAT WAR HAS COST People of Belgium Return Not To a Country, But to a Cemetery

(By Hall Caine)

London, Aug. 2.—When the war began, the soldier and the peasant of the northern seas was reported to have said it would last three years. It has already lasted so long, and is still going on. When will it end, and what is to come of it?

"If Adam," said Luther, "could have seen in a vision what horrible instruments children were to invent to torture and to destroy each other he would have died of grief." Coming four centuries later, we may go further than that. If Adam could see for himself what we are now seeing he would have prayed for death, that he might never propagate his species.

Three years ago to-day (July 28) one of the soldiers and the peasant of men being crowned in the name of God and exercising the vicarship of Christ in his country, signed with his trembling hand a proclamation which plunged the world into this war. His story will concern itself with the cause of his act, but the motive assigned for it was that a member of his family, worthy but quite commonplace Austrian gentleman, as it would seem to know and say, had been foully done to death. For that crime millions have since died, millions have been wounded, and millions on millions have been brought down to the depths. One wonders what mad game the world has been playing.



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What an Audit!

Bloodshed is indeed the staple of history, and history is the story of how often and with what merciless brutality the children of men have slain each other. But if we could detach ourselves from all thought of the impulses with which we are prosecuting this war, all questions of conceit of God walking not in the garden but in the desert of this war-world to make a reckoning of the good and bad in the doings of its own, that it is productive of more good than evil, and is a beneficial influence in the betterment of mankind.

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Think next of the loss the war has inflicted on the world's wealth, not wealth that is represented by title deeds or passes, but the gold and silver coins in the strong-rooms of banks, but only the wealth that is necessary to the well-being of the race, the natural wealth of the soil, the sun and the rain, and the changing seasons and the power in the hands of man. There has never been a great war that has not dimmed the sun and the natural wealth, but the present war, by the very number of nations engaged in it, has probably come nearer than any previous one to starving a large part of the human family, not to say of doom. Will the world recover from this three years' loss of its natural wealth? Nature works no overtime, the thousand sun-rises since August, 1914, can never come again.

Loss in Human Labor.

Then think of the loss to the world in human labor. Every great industrial enterprise, but the necessities of modern warfare have gone nearly to killing it by submerging nearly all industrial enterprise in one sea of work of producing these munitions of war, which now have to be supplied in illimitable quantities. The ordinary progress of civilization in Europe has for the last three years been brought well nigh to a standstill. This, too, is a loss that is irremediable. It has yet to be seen if the energies of the world can ever make up for it. But the waste of human labor is the least part of the world's injury.

If the output of all the munition factories in the world since August, 1914, had been sent to the bottom of the sea, that would have been waste enough. But think of the uses their products have been put to. As man does not live by bread alone, his first duty after the past and carry food and clothing have been satisfied is to surround himself with things of beauty and sanctity which link his life with the past and carry it on to the future. But the business

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Honor for Hindy.
London, Aug. 3.—A Copenhagen despatch to Reuters' Limited contains the following message, graphed by Emperor William Field Marshal von Hindenburg: "It is a need of my heart, that I should, at the conclusion of the third year of this mightiest all wars in which you and with brilliant strategy have defied the enemy's superior arms and cleared the way for our victory, to express anew my inexpressible thanks. I, your cross and star of the command of my royal orders of the House of Hohenzollern. They will be posted immediately."

Artillery Duel
British front in France and Belgium, August 2.—By ASSOCIATED PRESS.—Artillery duels of considerable intensity continued last night along the battle front in Flanders, but generally speaking, the Germans were less active this morning and the situation was unchanged daybreak. The Germans concentrated a heavy gunfire on the British and cleared the French on the south of the Ypres-Menin road. They have been actively shelling defenses since that time. During the night the enemy checked a counter-attack on a part of the front held by the Australian and New Zealand troops. The "Hollbeke-Lake" Base-ville, but were forced to retire by the British artillery, which poured a five into the German ranks. The Germans yesterday attacked conducted a fairly heavy bombardment against the French on the line, between Koeteke and the schoute, but this ceased in the evening and no infantry attack followed.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Toronto, Ont.—An area of pressure is coming over Lake Superior and cooler weather is expected over Ontario. Quebec, St. Albert, and the Maritime provinces. Forecasts: Moderate fresh wind and comparatively cool today and on Saturday.

