

FORTY-FOURTH YEAR

BRANTFORD, CANADA, FRIDAY, AUGUST 14, 1914

Naval Battle Off Coast Of China Is Reported

TURKEY'S ACTION IS A BREACH

By Buying German Warships Law of Nations Broken.

Italy's Temper is Roused and May Start War.

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

LONDON, Aug. 14, 2.45 p.m.—Great Britain, France and Russia have sent a sharp demand to Turkey for the immediate repatriation of the officers and crews of the German cruisers Goeben and Breslau.

It is reported that the two cruisers were met by Turkish vessels outside and escorted into the Dardanelles.

There is no official confirmation of the actual purchase of the cruisers by Turkey, but the report to that effect is generally credited.

ROME, Aug. 14, via London, 4.30 a.m.—The news that Turkey has purchased the German cruisers Goeben and Breslau reached here only tonight. This new development in the war situation was discussed with intense interest in political circles, where it was held that it was fraught with the possibility of grave results. It was stated in semi-official quarters that the vessels would be a strong weapon in the hands of Turkey if Constantinople abandoned its attitude of neutrality. The belief was expressed that the purchase precludes a new position on the part of Turkey and in favor of Germany and Austria-Hungary, which is especially important as bearing on the interests of the Balkan states.

The Tribune says that the preparations made at Messina for "a noble death" by the officers of the German cruisers, who before sailing from that port made their wills, left the public "unprepared for this farce." Seeing the impossibility of escape from the Anglo-French fleet if they followed their original idea of molesting the transports moving French African troops, the German cruisers sought refuge in the Aegean Sea where, with the complicity of Turkey, which continues to make love to Germany, two vessels contemplated how they might paralyze British commerce in the Mediterranean and interrupt traffic with India, "but closely pursued they had no alternative to taking refuge in the Dardanelles and disarming. Instead Turkey purchased them. This is not considered permissible according to the law of nations. Never has a nation at war sold her own ships which already had been used against an enemy. During the Russo-Japanese conflict many Russian ships entered Chinese and American neutral ports, but they were disarmed and there awaited the end of the war.

ITALY AROUSED LONDON, Aug. 14.—A despatch to the Daily News from Rome says: "Turkey's purchase of the German cruisers Breslau and Goeben has made an unpleasant impression here. Italy probably will demand an explanation as to the future use of these ships, and also warn Turkey that she will not allow the equilibrium of the lower Mediterranean to be threatened, as Italy is determined to prevent complications."

MUST BE NEUTRAL PARIS, Aug. 14.—The allied governments opposed to Germany and Austria-Hungary have agreed to bring Turkey to a realization of its obligations as a neutral power in connection with her purchase from Germany of the cruisers Goeben and Breslau.

CONSULS MISSING COPENHAGEN, via London, Aug. 14.—3 a.m.—The French minister here says that the French consuls at Dantsic and Nuremberg have been missing since Aug. 4. He believes that they are under arrest.

SUMMARY OF ALL WAR NEWS TODAY

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

Evidence of a sharp sea fight in Chinese waters were brought to Hong Kong yesterday when two battered warships, either French or British arrived there with many wounded. The telegram apparently censored, did not identify the warships, but said they were reported to have been in action with the German cruisers Scharnhorst and Onseisnau.

A London report says the captain of a Danish steamer declares he passed seven sunken German ships on the east coast of England. He could not identify them, but believed they were warships.

The German cruisers Goeben and Breslau reported bought by Turkey have been made the occasion of action by the British, French and Belgian and Russian allies, which are to call Turkey's attention to her duty as a neutral.

Greece also is perturbed by the purchase of the two cruisers, which she considers will upset the equilibrium of power in the Levant.

Russia is reported from St. Petersburg to have mobilized 5,500,000 men, 2,000,000 of whom are on the German and Austrian frontiers.

To-day all is reported quiet along the front, according to official statements from France and Belgium.

Belgian account of yesterday's cavalry encounter, known as the Battle of Haelen, give the total German casualties as high as 3,000 killed and wounded. No German report of the engagement has come to hand.

The Belgian staff believes the German movement at Haelen was an attempt to reach Brussels, which is stated today "to be no longer in danger."

French official reports say the Belgians captured 2,000 prisoners at Liege and the French have taken 1,500 along the frontier. The Belgian Government has requested France to provide places of internment owing to lack of room in Belgium.

Aviators are taking a very prominent part in scouting for the armies in the field and are suffering severely according to reports. Belgian authorities report the destruction of three German aeroplanes and the death of two of their pilots, while French reports recount the narrow escape of a French aerial escort from German flying machines which chased him.

NEUTRALITY OF UNITED STATES

Will be Discussed at Meeting of President Wilson's Cabinet To-day.

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Two important problems involving the neutrality of the United States during the European war, were before President Wilson and his advisers for final action at today's Cabinet meeting. One was a plan to apply to all cable offices in the United States the same censorship which recently was placed on radio stations to prevent neutral territory from being used as a base for the transmission of military or naval information to the warring European nations. The other problem involved the granting of permission to American bankers to float loans in this country for any of the countries involved in the European war.

While President Wilson and Secretary of State Bryan had practically agreed that an impartial enforcement of neutrality would require censoring of cables as well as wireless, yet injection of a new phase postponed final decision until to-day. There is the comparative ease with which Great Britain could evade the censorship at the cable offices in the United States by sending all her messages by telephone, telegraph, mail or messenger to Canada for transmission through Canadian cables at Halifax, N.S.

SET FIRE TO SHIPS LONDON, Aug. 14.—3.30 a.m.—The Copenhagen correspondent of The Daily News reports that despatches from Antwerp say that an anti-German mob set fire to a German ship in the harbor at Antwerp. After it was destroyed the mob pillaged another German vessel.

Massey Harris Shop To Close In Toronto

Sir Lyman Jones Says Present Developments Have Never Happened Before in the History of the Company.

TORONTO, Aug. 14.—A notice has been posted on the blackboard of the Massey-Harris company informing the 2,500 employees of the company here that the works will be closed down a week from to-morrow, for the usual summer stock-taking but that it is impossible to say owing to the present unsettled conditions, when business will be resumed. This follows the closing down of the Brantford plant, where a thousand men were employed, and the suspension of operations at the company's works at Batavia, N.Y. When some orders for wagons for the Woodstock plant are filled, probably in a fortnight, that plant will close. The general result will affect almost five thousand men.

Sir Lyman Jones, the President of the Massey-Harris Company, said last night that a very large number of orders for the European markets were cancelled at the first sign of war. The company's London office cabled to stop all shipments before the declaration, as the Massey-Harris agents, Moscow, Berlin, and other centres could not be reached. "It is something which has never happened before in our history," said Sir Lyman Melvin Jones, "but this condition is, of course, unprecedented. We would not require to open for some months to fill our Canadian orders, and although we would have closed in any event for a short time, our foreign business, in the ordinary course of events, would have been sufficient to carry us along as usual. We are finishing up Australian orders at the present time, and when they are finished in another week, we will have no work for our men. In giving early notice we had in mind the employees receiving as much notice as possible to conserve their savings and find other employment."

UNDER FLAG AFTER DAYS OF ANXIETY

Brantford Ladies are in London—Word is Received from Them.

Information came through the mail today that Miss May and Miss Muriel Bennett, Brantford ladies who were on a tour of the continent, were safe in London, England, along with Miss Bunnell and Miss Murray of the Brantford Collegiate Institute staff. Their safe arrival came after three days of the greatest anxiety as the Brantford ladies were in Paris, France when the war broke out. They did not get out until Aug. 3. Misses Bunnell and Murray left by way of Havre, and the Misses Bennett by way of Dieppe. They had only hand baggage and in London were unable to cash their letters before they will be able to arrange for their return home, although sailings of ocean liners were announced today.

TAKE REFUGE LONDON, Aug. 14.—A despatch from Paris to the Exchange Telegraph Company to-day announces that the French Ministry of War has received news from Berne, Switzerland, that numbers of German patriots have taken refuge in Switzerland. It is said that no French troops have crossed the Swiss frontier.

CIVILIANS IN BELGIUM WHO SHOOT GERMANS ARE PROMPTLY DEALT WITH.

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WARSHIPS DISABLED IN FAR EAST

Believed that Stiff Fights Have Been Fought.

Two Men of War Arrive at Shanghai, Damaged.

[By Special Wire to the Courier] SHANGHAI, Aug. 14.—Two warships, each having four funnels, badly damaged and carrying many wounded, entered the harbor at Hong Kong yesterday. Their identity has not been learned here but the vessels are believed to be either the British armoured cruisers Minotaur and Hampshire or the French Armoured Cruisers Duplex and Montcalm. They are reported to have had an engagement with the German cruisers of the same type. Scharnhorst and Gneisenau.

A despatch from Hong Kong received by the Exchange Telegraph Company in London, last night said it was reported in Hong Kong that the British fleet in the Far East had cornered the German Far Eastern squadron. The correspondent added that weight was given to the report by the fact that shipping along the coast was being resumed on a normal basis.

The British Cruiser Minotaur had a displacement of 14,600 tons and was completed in 1908. She carries four 9.2 inch guns and smaller armament. The Hampshire is a less formidable craft. Her tonnage is 10,850 and her four largest guns are 4.87 each. The Duplex and Montcalm are of 7,878 and 9,887 tons respectively. Each carries eight 6.4 inch guns and smaller ones. The German Cruisers Scharnhorst and Gneisenau are sister ships, displacing 11,420 tons. They were launched in 1906 and each carries eight 8.2 inch guns and the cruiser equipment of smaller guns.

HANGING THEM

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GERMAN STOKERS GRABBED OFF BOAT

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Thirty-five German stokers of the crew of the United Fruit steamer Zacapa, which reached here to-day from Columbia, Colon and Kingston, are prisoners of war at Kingston instead of being on their way to Germany as reservists, because of Captain Towell's refusal to obey the command of the German consul at Colon and send the stokers ashore. When Captain Towell refused to land the stokers, three of them jumped overboard and swam ashore. The police got them and sent them back to the ship. They and their companions were taken to Kingston. There a British launch drew alongside; officers went into the hold and took the stokers ashore as prisoners of war. Captain Towell said he had considerable difficulty in getting men to take their places. Even though the Zacapa is a British ship, on entering Kingston harbor a shore fort signalled the cap-

tain to dismantle his wireless—a new harbor regulation enforced after the declaration of war, with which Captain Towell was unfamiliar. Captain Towell said that it would be all right to wait until he reached dock. After a few minutes of delay the forts signalled again: "We have our guns trained on you and demand that you take down your wireless." It came down immediately.

The passengers became extremely nervous, said Captain Towell, and many of them demanded their money and valuables deposited with the purser. They said that in case the vessel was captured they preferred to have their valuables in their pockets.

HEADED NORTH

German Cruisers Reported on Cruise Towards Canada in Pacific.

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—The German cruiser Leipzig and Nürnberg were headed north steaming at full speed when last seen yesterday north of San Francisco Bay, according to statements of the captain of the Steamer Queen which arrived here to-day from the north.

Leipzig was passed by the Queen, 130 miles north of San Francisco in the forenoon northbound and making twenty knots an hour according to the Queen's captain. He said he tried to speak to the cruiser, but that the commander did not respond to a wireless call, but hoisted their flag. The Nürnberg was reported to have passed fifteen miles north of Point Reyes, just north of San Francisco Bay at 4.15 yesterday afternoon.

DR. ROBINSON TRACED TO NEW YORK, IT IS SAID

TAMWORTH, Aug. 14.—A report comes that Dr. C. K. Robinson, charged with causing the death of Miss Blanche Yorke, is traced to New York City, where he is being shadowed by detectives. It is reported on good authority that he was traced to Brownville, N. Y., where he stayed a week. From there he was followed to Watertown, N. Y., and thence to New York City. It is claimed that it is only the matter of a few days till he will be apprehended. The brothers of the late Miss Blanche Yorke have both left for their homes now. Edward and his family left for Howville, N. Y., and Samuel went to Eldorado. The excitement has not died yet, as there is not a day but there are people from miles away looking around, the residence of Dr. Robinson to see what they can find, coming in autos and rigs of all kinds.

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STILL FLY FLAG LONDON, Aug. 14.—A Reuter despatch from Paris says advisers declared that, contrary to the statement of the Turkish Government, the German flag has not been lowered on the German cruisers Goeben and Breslau, nor have their crews been landed since their arrival in Turkish waters.

NO PAYMENT OF DEBAS VIENNA, via London, Aug. 14.—The Austro-Hungarian Moratorium affecting private debts, was extended to-day till September 10.

GIFT IS MADE LONDON, Aug. 14.—Reuter's Telegram Company's Paris correspondent says the Ritschold brothers will give \$200,000 to the French military relief fund.

WILL RESTRICT EXPORTS BUENOS AYRES, Aug. 14.—The Argentine government has submitted to congress a bill providing for the restriction of the exportation of corn and wheat.

GO TO HOLLAND BERLIN, Aug. 13, via Rome and London, Aug. 14, 12.45 p.m.—No important news as to the war was made public here to-day. A special train conveying 300 Americans and five automobiles started for Holland this morning.

AN ENTIRE SECTION AND NOT A DIVISION OF THE GERMAN TROOPS SURRENDERED WITH THEIR MACHINE GUNS.

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BELGIAN VICTORY A LESSON

No More Fear of the Haughty Prussian in Belgium.

Germans Underestimated the Resistance.

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

BRUSSELS, via Paris, Aug. 14, 12.25 a.m.—The German casualties in the engagement at Haelen, Wednesday, were 3,000 dead and wounded. The Germans, apparently sacrificed their men without any scruples. During the fight the Germans were obliged to pass two bridges over the Gethe and Velpe Rivers where they were exposed to a heavy fire. The retreating Germans left piles of dead and wounded on those two bridges.

The same carnage occurred on the road from Threck to Haelen, where the German cavalry exposed to the gating guns of the Belgians, fell in droves. The German infantry and cavalry had a similar reception near Colfaek.

The success of the Belgian arms is considered particularly important here as most of the Belgian troops participating had not been under fire before.

The Belgian casualties at Haelen were light in dead, as the troops were well entrenched, but many were wounded. The situation, which was somewhat critical Tuesday morning when the German patrols had arrived close to Brussels was held to be rapidly improving from the standpoint of the Belgians, twentyfour hours later.

The victory described above was followed by new and successful engagements near Noville-Taviers and Eghezee, about nine miles north of Namur on Wednesday and Thursday. These operations proved that the Germans are retreating steadily reinforced the allies being slowly pushing ahead. Brussels is no longer in danger, but the situation a few days ago was such that the eventuality of its occupation by the Germans was considered.

PARIS, Aug. 14, 12.15.—It is officially announced that a number of German spies are operating among the French troops in Alsace. The postmaster and mayor of Thann, a town twelve miles northwest of Muelhausen were detected in the act of spying and shot.

The War Office states that in the operations at Liege the Belgians captured 3,000 prisoners, while the French on the frontier took more than 1,500 prisoners.

PRUSSIAN NON-PLUSSED. LONDON, Aug. 14, 3 a.m.—The Post correspondent with the Belgian army sends the following: "The success of the Belgian army has been astonishing. Everywhere along the line of outposts the Germans meet with baffling checks. Like an angry dog faced by a porcupine, the vaunted Prussian army stands puzzled."

"It do not wish to pretend that the Belgians are winning a series of important battles. The successes so far are all trivially small, but they are making a habit of successes. All dread of the Prussians is gone, and that is a most valuable gain."

MANY PRISONERS TAKEN LONDON, Aug. 14.—12.25 p.m.—The report by the Havas Agency of the official statement issued by the French minister of war in Paris at midnight in reference to the fight on the Vosges Mountains in the French department of Muerthe-et-Moselle and German Lorraine, differs in some respects from that given by the Exchange Telegraph Company. It says:

An entire section and not a division of the German troops surrendered with their machine guns.

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Women's Institute

The Burch Women's Institute had an enjoyable time at their last monthly meeting which was held in the form of a picnic in Eadie's woods. The afternoon's programme consisted of games and races, every one present taking part. Lunch was served at the close of the afternoon and every one voted the picnic a decided success. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Winter's on August 25th. Mrs. R. Hartley and Mrs. J. E. Campbell will have charge of the program. The roll call will be "Favorite supper dishes for early Fall."

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Social and Personal

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Mr. John Gill of Port Huron is a visitor in town for a few days. Mr. E. R. Sayles, Port-Elgin is a visitor in the city to-day. Mr. John Harper returned home last night from Vancouver. Mr. and Mrs. W. Charlton have returned from a holiday spent in Muskoka. Mr. Harry Rose of Racine, Wis., has been a visitor here this week with Mr. Jimmy Golden. Mrs. Tease and daughter Cora of Toronto have left the city for Galt, where they will stay a short while. Mr. F. McArthur leaves for Calgary this afternoon. He will take up his permanent residence there. The Misses Marie Clara Cahill will leave on Saturday for a two week's visit with relatives in Columbus, Ohio. Misses Green and Wilcox are spending two weeks in Toronto attending the millinery openings in the interest of the Enterprise. Mrs. Robert Smith and three of her children, Constance, Francis and Mary of Millgrove are the guests of Mrs. H. S. Fennell, 35 Albion St. Mrs. J. Murhead and Miss Grace Muirhead, of Toronto, are the guests of Mr and Mrs Richard Bean, Nelson street. Mr. D. J. Mitchell and daughter, Ariel of Toronto, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Jas. A. Whittaker, 3 Darling street. Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Secord motored from Grimsby Beach and were the guests for a few days of Mrs. J. W. Buck. Mr. W. J. Penny, mayor of Dunnville, was the guest of W. E. Walsh, 109 Nelson street, during Old Home Week. Mr. and Mrs. George McLagan and daughters, Misses Dorothy and Winifred Stratford motored to the city on Wednesday and were the guests of Mrs. J. W. Buck—William Street. Mrs. T. S. Denning of Toronto, is visiting at the parental home, William street for a few days. Mrs. Wm. Barkey and Miss Maude Barkey of Tillsonburg, are visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs T. J. Barton, Hamilton Road. Mr. Frank Cornish, the noted Canadian violinist, an old Brantford boy, was the guest of Mr. George Hext and Mr. W. E. Walsh during Old Home Week. Miss Thelma Luck has returned home after spending a pleasant six weeks vacation with friends in the Severn River district, Toronto, and Niagara-on-the-Lake.

Obituary

Late Richard Smith. Richard Smith passed away this morning in the House of Refuge at the age of 50. He was unmarried and his friends are unknown. The funeral will take place this afternoon from H. S. Pierce's undertaking parlors to Mount Hope cemetery. Late Mrs. Adelaide McGill. Death this morning carried away Mrs. Adelaide McGill at her home, 14 Clarence street. The deceased who was in her 63rd year, was a widow her husband having predeceased her some years ago. She leaves a small family and a wide range of friends to mourn her demise. The funeral will take place on Monday morning to St. Joseph's after services have been conducted in St. Basil's church.

Laid to Rest

Late Louis Perci. The funeral of Louis Perci, the young Italian who was killed on Wednesday on the L. E. and N. railway, took place this morning when the remains were buried at St. Joseph's cemetery after services had been held in St. Basil's church. Late Mrs. Mary Dutcher. With great suddenness, Mary Biggar, widow of the late Ephraim Dutcher, was called to rest at Mount Pleasant this morning. The late lady was a venerable and highly respected member of the community, and she had left that centre quite hale and hearty to attend the funeral of Mr. Biggar yesterday. She was present at the last obsequies and spent the rest of the day with friends in Mt. Pleasant. This morning, however, she was suddenly stricken down and passed quietly away at the age of 80 years. She leaves many relatives and numerous friends to mourn her loss. Late Mrs. William Biggar. The funeral of the late Mrs. Wm. Biggar took place yesterday at Mt. Pleasant and it was attended by a large number of friends who paid tribute to the memory of the deceased. Rev. A. A. Bowers conducted the last solemn services which were attentively followed by all. The floral offerings were many and testified to the esteem in which the late Mrs Biggar was held. The pallbearers were J. M. Biggar, C. M. Biggar, H. Biggar, James Biggar, Wm Biggar and Alex McEwen.

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"REGINA" WATCH CONTEST. The watch stopped Aug. 14th at 10.18.13 a.m. It ran 36 hrs. 18 mts. 13 secs. Won by Coupon No. 36. Laid to Rest. Late Louis Perci. The funeral of Louis Perci, the young Italian who was killed on Wednesday on the L. E. and N. railway, took place this morning when the remains were buried at St. Joseph's cemetery after services had been held in St. Basil's church. Late Mrs. Mary Dutcher. With great suddenness, Mary Biggar, widow of the late Ephraim Dutcher, was called to rest at Mount Pleasant this morning. The late lady was a venerable and highly respected member of the community, and she had left that centre quite hale and hearty to attend the funeral of Mr. Biggar yesterday. She was present at the last obsequies and spent the rest of the day with friends in Mt. Pleasant. This morning, however, she was suddenly stricken down and passed quietly away at the age of 80 years. She leaves many relatives and numerous friends to mourn her loss. Late Mrs. William Biggar. The funeral of the late Mrs. Wm. Biggar took place yesterday at Mt. Pleasant and it was attended by a large number of friends who paid tribute to the memory of the deceased. Rev. A. A. Bowers conducted the last solemn services which were attentively followed by all. The floral offerings were many and testified to the esteem in which the late Mrs Biggar was held. The pallbearers were J. M. Biggar, C. M. Biggar, H. Biggar, James Biggar, Wm Biggar and Alex McEwen. CRUISER AT HALIFAX. HALIFAX, Aug. 14.—H. M. S. Good Hope entered the harbor here this afternoon.

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HALIFAX, Aug. 14.—Out of a mass of rumors touching the war off the Nova Scotia coast since the visit of the Essex to this port there came a statement from an officer on H.M.S. cruiser Suffolk, which arrived to-day and is now coaling at the dockyard in Halifax, that on Friday last the British cruiser Bristol was in an engagement with the German cruiser Karlsruhe off the American coast. The cruisers exchanged shots. The Bristol escaped injury, and it was thought that the Karlsruhe escaped also.

Friday morning the Suffolk came upon the Karlsruhe just in the act of beginning to take in coal on the high sea from the German liner Kronprinz Wilhelm. The two German ships separated and took flight, leaving some of their boats in the water. The Suffolk chased the Karlsruhe from 11 in the morning till 5 in the evening, when she lost the German's smoke beyond the horizon.

Meanwhile the Suffolk wireless the Bristol. The Bristol, coming in the opposite direction to the chase headed off the Karlsruhe and the engagement ensued.

Fled Out of Range
Racing through the heavy swell at a terrific clip, the ships exchanged broadsides without inflicting much damage, the conditions being very unfavorable for accurate gunnery. Although the Bristol's consorts were at least 100 miles astern the German would not stand and fight. Altering this course, he gradually drew away from the Bristol, owing to superior speed, and after half an hour was out of range of the British ship's six-inch how-chaser. All through the night the chase lasted, but somewhere in the darkness the German doubled and made off south to San Juan, where he put in for coal some days ago.

The statement of the officer went on to say that this "coaling on the fly" by the Germans cannot keep up for ever. "They are bottled up over here till the war is over. Sooner or later we will get them."

"There are two German cruisers in these waters, so far as we know, the Karlsruhe and the Dresden.

On Saturday the Suffolk captured a prize, the German tank steamer Leda, worth \$300,000. The Germans did not know that war had been declared.

The Suffolk towed her prize into Bermuda a day or so ago.

The Suffolk picked up the British cruiser Good Hope in these waters. With her were the Drake and the King Alfred. They are heavier cruisers than the squadron of which the Suffolk is the flagship. The Good Hope will be in Halifax to-morrow afternoon for coal.

North Atlantic safe
The information given here by the Suffolk showed that in the past ten days the fourth cruiser squadron has made the North Atlantic absolutely safe for British shipping. Not a hostile ship is north of the West Indies now, and the Germans are encountering tremendous difficulties in keeping the sea and procuring supplies owing to their entire absence of coaling stations. It can be only a comparatively short time until the Karlsruhe and the Dresden are either sunk, captured or interned.

The fine work of the Mediterranean fleet in putting the German battle cruiser Goeben out of commission has materially helped in clearing the Atlantic. Had the Goeben escaped from the Mediterranean she would have proved a most formidable enemy. Single handed she could have destroyed all the cruisers of the fourth squadron, for against her ten 11-inch guns, her 28 knots speed and her 16 inch armor belt none of the ships of the class of which the fourth squadron is principally made up could have done anything with their six-inch batteries.

A big fleet of British cruisers is now on the way to Halifax to assist in guarding the trade routes. They are mainly ships of the Drake class, of about 15,000 tons displacement, mounting a main battery of 9.2 guns, with a heavy secondary six-inch battery. The first of these ships, the Good Hope, will be at Halifax to-morrow.

The Captain's Story.
"We were steaming north on Thursday morning last. The crew had just been ordered to general stations when from the foremasthead came the hail, 'enemy on the port bow,'" said the flag captain of the Suffolk, in giving out an official statement of the chase of the Karlsruhe to press yesterday. "As soon as we knew that war was declared the ship had been prepared for battle. Fittings, all woodwork, and everything else that might be at all inflammable, we pitched overboard and the sea for miles around was strewn with debris. Under these circumstances there was very little left to do when the order 'clear ship for action' was given.

OUR WEEKLY NEWS

Within the last three or four days several men have come to us for garden properties. Their statements are as follows: We have been working in the shops for the last ten years or so, and have come to the conclusion that it will be better for us to own and work a good garden property near the city, so that if times should be worse, and, on account of war or from any other cause, that Brantford's export trade would suffer, then our living would be secured by having a good garden and growing our vegetables and fruits and having some to sell as well. We will be happier and more healthy. Now we want gardens for these men, near the city, not more than three or four miles out. Bring in descriptions to this agency if you have such properties to sell.

Again, for investments. Our office was crowded on Saturday from morning until night, by parties looking for good houses and farm properties to buy for investments, saying "We want our money invested in real estate, the basis of all security." We have some good properties that will pay a good rate of interest on the price asked, but we want more, as we have a considerable number of investing customers, and we wish to give them a good list to choose from.

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ROWELL'S ELECTION IS PROTESTED.

At noon yesterday the time expired for the filing of appeals in connection with the recent Ontario election. Shortly before the hour a protest was filed in Woodstock against N. W. Rowell, the Liberal leader and member for North Oxford.

CANADA'S PART

The Dominion Parliament has been called to meet next week, when further measures will be decided upon with reference to Dominion help in this time of war need.

Ships are assembled at Quebec to carry the first Canadian contingent, and it is expected that they will be on the ocean within a fortnight. Lord Roberts has been named by the King as Colonel-in-Chief of overseas forces reaching Great Britain.

The Bank of England, having appointed the Canadian Finance Minister as its Trans-Atlantic trustee, gold is now pouring into Ottawa at the rate of one million dollars a day.

The Brantford Daughters of the Empire did splendidly in their contribution towards the "Canadian Women's Hospital Ship fund." Other places are doing equally well and without any doubt the \$100,000 needed will be raised.

In Great Britain, the Government has successfully put a stop to an attempt to raise the prices of food. They have now issued notification that if the cost of certain drugs is enhanced, seizure will take place. It looks as if it would be a good thing for our own government to take similar action.

THE SITUATION.

The German forces are manifestly going ahead on a well-defined plan, which, it is pointed out, was indicated by General Von Bernhardi, a German military expert, in a book which he published, entitled "Germany and the Next War." He wrote that when the conflict came, as come it must, France was to be at once attacked. Belgium, Holland and Denmark were to be bound to neutrality, or overawed, and the German fleet to be kept within fortress shelter with the object of allowing submarines and so on to reduce the size of the British navy so as to afford the chance of a more equal fight. In this latter regard it is well to remember that John Bull has more Dreadnoughts just about completed and others building. Here are some extracts from the volume to which reference has been made:

"In one way or another we must square our account with France if we wish for a free hand in our international policy. This is the first and foremost condition of a sound German policy, and since the hostility of France cannot be removed by peaceful overtures, the matter must be settled by force of arms. France must be so completely crushed that she can never again cross our path."

"A pacific agreement with England is a will of the wisp which no serious German would trouble to follow. We must always keep the possibility of war with England before our eyes, and arrange our political and military plans accordingly. We need not concern ourselves with any pacific protestations of English politicians, publicists, and Utopians, which cannot alter the real basis of affairs."

"The situation in the world generally shows there can be only a short respite before we once more face the sword for our position in the world. We must not in any case wait until our opponents have completed their arming, and decide that the hour of attack has come."

"Even English attempts at rapprochement must not blind us to the real situation. We must at least use them to delay the necessary and inevitable war until we may fairly imagine we have some prospect of success."

The general evidently knew what he was talking about and the information should be of much use to the other powers.

Another revolution has been inaugurated in Mexico.

JOHN BULL.

Mr. John R. Robinson of the Toronto Telegram, who is now in London, cables his paper as follows: "Who says that Britain's noon is over? It is the thought that comes to the eyes of those who watch the people of these islands in their hour of peril. British armies are being assembled, the public knows not where; the whereabouts of every battle fleet is a secret. The Old Country is not strong in the haughty faith of arrogant inefficiency; the strength of Britain is in the humble faith that manifested itself in the worth of timely preparation, and now calmly awaits the result of such preparation."

"The organizing power of the War Office is displayed in a mobilization that astonishes the world. The war has redeemed the Asquith Government from the unpopularity that caused the names of its leaders to be hooted six weeks ago. Winston Churchill has proved himself a great First Lord of the Admiralty. Cheers greet the sight of his picture on the screen in every music hall."

"England waits for news of the successful resistance to the German advance in France and Belgium. The Admiralty seems inspired by the supreme confidence that Britain is master of the naval situation. Steamers are running from Newcastle to Bergen. All history shows nothing more marvellous than the power of the British navy to blot out the carrying trade of Germany in less than a week."

"The strength of a great central navy keeps the sea routes of the world clear and safe for British commerce. The Australian navy or a Canadian navy could not secure safety at the extremities of the Empire if the British navy did not establish safety at the centre of the Empire."

"News from the navy is scant but satisfactory. Freedom, like wisdom, is justified of her children. The volunteer sailors who have learned individual initiative and daring in the school of freedom are not going to be driven from the seas by conscript sailors who have been taught from infancy to wait until a policeman tells them what to do next."

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

President Wilson is after the food price boosters in the United States. Sick 'em.

Lord Kitchener announces that he will have any paper suspended which prints war news before sanctioned, or fakes the same. It's a pity that his zone of influence isn't world-wide.

They have a "Fat Men's Club" in the States, and over a hundred members are now on annual outing in Montreal. They say more would have come, but they were afraid that they would find armed conflict in progress on Canadian streets. In other words, they didn't want their personal fat to get into the fire.

Several of the best-known firms in Canada have notified Colonel Hughes, Minister of Militia, that they will pay full wages during the absence of any men who enlist for war purposes. There is also the sum of \$150,000 still remaining from the South African fund. Even with these things there will still be a lot for the rest of us to do in like regard.

The following is an extract from an editorial in the Buffalo Express: "The important point is that the great inspiration of the acts which precipitated the crisis was the desire to strengthen and extend power. It is not alleged to be a question of release from oppression, of establishing or maintaining liberty, of avenging injury, or even of resisting aggression. The Kaiser summarizes his thought thus: 'To be or not to be, is the question for the empire which our fathers founded. To be or not to be, is the question for German power and German existence.'"

"It can well be understood that to such a man as Emperor William power is a most worthy object to fight for—a much more worthy object than liberty. So held the Caesars. And is not he also Kaiser? But that certainly is not a view which can be entertained by those who live in a republic and believe in its principles and institutions. The appeal of Emperor William is not one to win him friends or sympathy outside of Germany, or even among the liberals of his own country."

To The Editor

ECHO PLACE AGAIN.

To the Editor of Courier: Dear Sir,—I hope you will not consider it an imposition on the part of the people of Echo Place of using your columns to unload our burdens on the already suffering public.

With interest I have been reading the columns of your paper, re the dust nuisance on Hamilton road. As one of the old residents of Echo Place, and in a position to know the true conditions, I wish to state that I have been swallowing bushels of dust of the Hamilton road, the past eight years; in fact I make my living out of it, furthermore, I fought every movement the E.P.I.A. proposed; I even went so far as to get a counter petition against sidewalks, but the E.P.A. I beat me to it. I am aware that the E.P.I.A. have been granted a sum of money to repair the road, which if I had known in time I would have fought. Why, now, all this awakening about the dust nuisance, when we could have attended to this years ago if we wanted to—but I must take off my hat to the members of the E.P.I.A.

An Old Resident of Echo Place.

THE STORY OF Waitstill Baxter

By KATE DOUGLAS WIGGIN.

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Patty flung her arms around her sister tempestuously and pulled out the waves of her hair so that it softened her face. "I'll be good," she said, "and oh, Waitstill, let's invent some sort of



"He's opening the store shutters."

cheap happiness for today! I shall never be seventeen again and we have so many troubles. Let's put one of the cows in the horse's stall and see what will happen! Or let's spread up our beds with the head at the foot and put the chest of drawers on the other side of the room, or let's make candy! Do you think father would miss the molasses if we only use a cupful? Couldn't we strain the milk, but leave the churning and the dishes for an hour or two, just once? If you say yes I can think of something wonderful to do!"

"What is it?" asked Waitstill, relenting at the sight of the girl's eager, roguish face. "Pierce my ears!" cried Patty. "Say you will!"

"Oh! Patty, Patty, I am afraid you are given over to vanity! I daren't let you wear eardrops without father's permission."

"Why not? Lots of church members wear them, so it can't be a mortal sin. Father is against all adornments, but that's because he doesn't want to buy them. You've always said I should have your mother's coral pendants when I was old enough. Here I am, seventeen today, and Dr. Perry says I am already a well favored young woman. I can pull my hair over my ears for a few days, and when the holes are all made and healed even father cannot make me fill them up again. Besides, I'll never wear the earrings at home!"

"Oh, my dear, my dear!" sighed Waitstill, with a half sob in her voice. "If only I was wise enough to know how we could keep from these little deceits, yet have any liberty or comfort in life!"

"We can't! The Lord couldn't expect us to bear all we bear," exclaimed Patty, "without our trying once in a while to have a good time in our own way. We never do a thing that we are



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ashamed of or that other girls don't do every day in the week; only our pleasures always have to be taken behind father's back. It's only me that's ever wrong, anyway, for you are always an angel. It's a burning shame, and you only twenty-one yourself. I'll pierce your ears if you say so and let you wear your own coral drops!"

the loveliest eyes and hair in Riverboro, and you know it; besides, Ivory Boynton would tell you so if you didn't. Come and bore my ears, there's a darling!"

"Ivory Boynton never speaks a word of my looks, nor a word that father and all the world mightn't hear." And Waitstill flushed.

"Then it's because he's shy and silent and has so many troubles of his own that he doesn't dare say anything. When my hair is once up and the coral pendants are swinging in my ears I shall expect to hear something about my looks, I can tell you. Waitstill, after all, though we never have what we want to eat and never a decent dress to our backs, nor a young man to cross the threshold, I wouldn't change places with Ivory Boynton, would you?" Here Patty swept the hearth vigorously with a turkey wing and added a few corn-cobs to the fire.

Waitstill paused a moment in her task of bread kneading. "Well," she answered critically, "at least we know where our father is."

"We do indeed. We also know that he is thoroughly alive!"

"And, though people do talk about him, they can't say the things they say of Master Aaron Boynton. I don't believe father would ever run away and desert us."

(To be continued.) All the batteries have been ordered to mobilize at once.

Uncle Walt The Poet Philosopher

THE PRODIGAL SON "At last I'm wise I will arise, and seek my father's shack; this mittered low the ancient bo, and then he lit the track. From dwellings rude he'd oft been shooed, been chased by farm-

ers' dogs; this poor old scout, all down and out, had herded with the hogs. His heart was wrong; it took him long to recognize the truth, that there's a glad and smiling dad for each repentant youth. "I will arise, doggone my eyes," the prodigal observed, "and try to strike the old straight pike from which I idly swerved." The father saw, while bailing straw the truant, sore and lamed; he whooped with joy; "my swayed-back boy, you're welcome!" he exclaimed. Midst glee and mirth two dollars' worth of fireworks then were burned; "we'll kill a sow!" cried father, "now the Reuben 'as returned!" His sisters sang, the farmhouse rang with glee till rafters split, his mother sighed with hope and pride, his granny had a fit. And it's to-day the same old way, the lamp doth nightly burn, to guide you home, O boys who roam, if you will but return.

WALT MASON. The United States Senate ratified eighteen new peace treaties.

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LOCAL NEWS. Shoot Postponed. More Song Books Here. Entertained to Tea. New Books. Go to London. Had Foot Crushed. VIEWS OF OLD MOHAWK CHURCH. FANCY CHINA PIECES. JUST OPENED OUT AT VANSTONE'S CHINA HALL. Special Saturday. OUR BIG SALE. Youths' Canvas Lace. Men's Patent Leather. Men's high-grade Lace. Misses' and Children's. SEE OUR B. Neill S. Get Your. These Flags are being made. OLD HO. Some are number. Find another flag yours and receive a ha. Flags and prizes office and at Neill's S. Come and get you. CANADIAN MAKE. H. E. R.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Shoot Postponed. The prize shoot of C Company, 38th regiment, called for August 22nd, has been postponed indefinitely.

More Song Books Here. The third consignment of Heart Song books has been received by the Courier. These will not last long, and this is the last opportunity readers will have to get this choice selection of songs at 98 cents. See coupon on another page.

Entertained to Tea. Many of the ladies who yesterday did splendid work in collecting for the Hospital ship to be given by the Daughters of the Empire to the Admiralty were entertained to tea daintily served in the Y.W.C.A. the hostess of the occasion being Mrs Frank Cocksbutt.

New Books. Two hundred and fifty new volumes have arrived at the Public Library and will be placed upon the shelves as soon as possible, after they have been catalogued. The new books include every class of matter, fiction, science and travel. Owing to the re-arrangement of the shelves, however, it may be a few days before the books can be issued.

Go to London. The Brantford lacrosse team will leave for London to-morrow morning where they will oppose the Kookneys in the National sport.

Had Foot Crushed. Jas. T. Whittaker, city waterworks inspector, met with a very painful accident on Wednesday night during the calithumpian parade. As an old member of the Klondyke club, Mr. Whittaker had joined the calithumpian parade of the club and was riding on a dray, when as the parade was proceeding along Dalhousie street he was jostled off, and falling to the pavement the rear wheel passed over his foot, badly crushing the toes. As a result, Mr Whittaker will be quite lame for some time.

Building Permit. A building permit was granted this morning to Geo. Hamilton for the erection on Terrace Hill street of a brick two storey cottage at an estimated cost of \$1800.

A Good Guess. J. Muir, 121 Chestnut avenue, was the winner in the local watch guessing contest. The watch ran 36 hours 18 minutes and 13 seconds. Mr. Muir guessed 36 hours, 18 minutes, and 9 seconds.

Cleaning Up Market. There will be very little to clean up on the market square after the shows depart to-morrow, as the street cleaning men, under orders from the city sanitary officer, have given it a good clean up every morning.

Books Re-arranged. Patrons of the Public Library will shortly enjoy the privileges of a splendidly arranged system when the new shelves have been stacked. In preference to closing the library for the re-arrangement work the Librarian Mr E. D. Henwood, has decided, that the work will be done while the Library is kept open; readers are asked to remember this, if any slight inconvenience is occasioned them.

Some Model Decorations. Among the many beautiful house decorations in the city for old home week, judging by the number of spectators who stop to look at it, the house of Mr. T. J. Barton, on the Hamilton Road, is perhaps the best. Special electrical fixtures have been put on the verandah with the Old Home Week colors entwined among them. The front of the house is gaily decorated and looks especially attractive at night.

Awarded \$50. John Mekolawsky got \$50 for damages done to him by being struck by a man named Gottstein, who was in charge of the ferris wheel at the time of the occurrence. Mekolawsky took his child into one of the chairs of the machine, which is situated beside the Bodega Hotel and paid 5 cents for her, but the attendant objected and wanted 10 cents. Mekolawsky objected, and was struck, falling as the result, and breaking his arm, besides receiving other injuries. He brought his case before Magistrate Livingston with the result that he was awarded \$50 on a charge of assault and damages. The cash was paid into court.

ATHENS, Greece, via London, Aug 14.—17 p.m.—Considerable anxiety is felt here in connection with the reported purchase by Turkey of the German cruisers, Goeben and Breslau, as it is feared the acquisition of those two vessels may make Turkey uncompromising on the subject of the disposition of the Aegean Islands. A rumor that Turkey had named one of these warships Mitylene is taken as a justification for this belief.

CAUGHT IN ACT

Rowdy Turks Take Liberties on the Market and Get Punished.

Three young Turks, who offended the susceptibilities of some young fellows on the market last night, got smartly dealt with. The Turks got too "fresh" and were taking liberties with Canadian girls, which were neither right nor invited. They soon attracted attention and the climax came when two young girls were rudely molested by the foreigners. A number of young men gathered and descended upon them, giving them each a thorough beating, which continued until the police arrived upon the scene. Two of the Turks got clear, no doubt sufficiently punished, but the third was taken to the police station and will undergo thirty days incarceration, as he could not pay a fine.

BATTERY ORDERS

Were Issued To-day by Lieut-Colonel Ashton—Parade To-night.

Headquarters 32nd Battery, C.F.A., Brantford, Ont., Aug. 14, 1914.

Battery orders were issued to-day by Lieut-Col. E. C. Ashton, commanding. The following general order from the Adjutant General is published for the information of the Battery.

No. 61: "In view of non-completion of medical examination in many places, volunteering need not be closed until orders for mobilization at Val-Cartier are issued. Commanding Officers will assemble all volunteers for Overseas Expeditionary Force at local corps headquarters for instructional purposes from this date. Pay and subsistence allowance will be allowed as authorized at militia rates. Issue necessary instructions acknowledging receipt."

No. 62—All volunteers for overseas contingent who have passed medical examination will parade at the battery headquarters, 25 King street at 7.30 to-night, August 14th.

No. 63—Volunteers for overseas contingent will be received at the Battery Headquarters at 7.30 p.m. every evening until further orders or by applying personally to the Commanding Officer.

No. 64—This battery being still below strength, recruits will be received at the Battery Headquarters at 7.30 p.m. each evening until further orders for ordinary militia enlistment.

E. C. ASHTON, Lieut.-Colonel 32nd Battery C.F.A.

TWO FALSE ALARMS

Were Turned in Yesterday—Prosecutions May Result Against the Culprit.

That bright genius, the false alarm artist, after hiding for some time in the fools cavern, where he belongs, has now crept forth under the glare and crowds of Old Home Week and commenced his bright and intelligent work again.

This living example of superb intelligence and grey matter commenced operations yesterday afternoon at precisely 3.55, when he broke the glass in box 14, corner of Brock and Murray streets and turning in the alarm, brought the East End firemen with full equipment, and a hose wagon from the Central Fire Station to the scene. On arrival at the box the street was quiet and not even a lighted match could be seen. Careful enquiries were made, but there was no trace of fire any place. It was plainly a false alarm. It was a long and hard run down and back to the station and the harness had not been removed from the horse, when an alarm from box 59, corner of West Mill St. and Chestnut Ave. came in. Although believing it to be another false alarm, the firemen immediately rushed down to find the same thing—nothing. The artist had evidently sped around on a wheel from one end of the city to the other and with wonderful presence of mind, had turned in another from Box 52.

Both runs were hard on the horses, coming as they were so close together. The police are investigating and are already on a good clue, which may lead to the arrest of the bright-minded youth or youths and a fine of \$25 together with full publicity will await the law-breaker, no matter how young or old he may be.

Seas Open, Says Admiralty

[By Special Wire to the Courier] LONDON, Aug. 15, 3.10 p.m.—The British Admiralty to-day gave the assurance that the ocean routes are well parcelled and a guarantee of the quick resumption of the Atlantic passenger service. Several steamships which previously had been provisionally requisitioned for governmental purposes have now had their sailing dates fixed. The Olympic is to depart Aug. 19, the Mauretania Aug. 29, and the Lusitania Sept. 3.

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Extra Fine Moreen Underskirts, the correct close-fitting style, and the slight fullness at the waist line is regulated by a tape draw string; stylish deep flounce, accordion pleated in clusters with dainty pin tucks finishing the lower part. Colors as Navy, Cadet, Tabac, Reseda, Black, Green. Price \$3.75

Beautiful Silk Moreen Underskirts, with deep flounce, accordion pleated. This style comes in plain shades and lovely shot effects. Price \$5

Black Heatherbloom Underskirt, straight pleated flounce. Price \$1

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White Felt Hats Just new from London. These are the smartest Hats for outing and early fall wear. Four very attractive designs are shown. Some with wide silk corded band and bow in Paddy Green, Navy, Rose, Tan and Black. Others with narrow silk ribbon band. Prices are: \$1 - \$2.50 - \$2.75 —Second Floor.

Real Hand Made Armenian Handkerchiefs These have just been received from Europe, and a fortunate purchase enables us to offer them much under regular. Pure linen, fine and sheer, with narrow hem. Each 29c —Annex, Queen and Colborne Sts.

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Men's Patent Leather and Tan Oxford, broken in sizes, reg. \$4. Sat. \$1.23
Men's high-grade Lace Boots, regular \$5.00 and \$4.00. Saturday... \$2.48
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VOLUNTEERS WILL BE AT THE BIG TATTOO TONIGHT Close of Old Home Week Celebration at Agricultural Park by Monster Military Display This Evening.

To-night will see the close of the Old Home Week, and the programme for this evening will be the greatest and grandest yet given. It will be tattoo night, and in front of the grandstand at Agricultural Park there will be given a program of fireworks display, the like of which has never been attempted before in Western Ontario. Six bands will be in attendance as follows: 13th Royal Regimental band, Hamilton; the Galt Kilites, the famous Preston silver band of Preston, the 38th Regimental band, Dufferin Rifles of Canada, the 25th Regimental Brant Dragons band, and the 38th Regimental bugle band. During the tattoo at Agricultural park, the bands will play en masse the following selections: (a) March, "Under the British Flag"; (b) Overture, "William Tell"; (c) Grand Fantasia, "Albion"; (d) English, Irish and Scotch airs; (e) March, "British Grenadiers"; "O Canada."

A feature of the evening's program in front of the grand stand will be an exhibition by the members of the old boys drill corps, under ex-Mayor C. H. Hartman. This organization, formerly a drill corps of the Foresters, was the best drill corps in Ontario, and will be well remembered by thousands of the older Brantford citizens. It is also very probable that the volunteers of the Dufferin Rifles who have volunteered their services in the cause of the British Empire in the present European war, will be on parade in front of the grand stand. The executive are endeavoring to obtain the consent of Lt. Col. Howard to have the volunteers parade under Sgt. Major Oxtoby, and it is more than likely that consent will be given.

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BIG RELIEF FUND LONDON, Aug. 14.—The Prince of Wales relief fund for the distressed families of British soldiers and sailors to-day attained a total of over \$5,000,000.

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Welcome Home! I am not a native of Brantford, but I have been here just long enough to absorb that "pull together" spirit so essential to the welfare and happiness of any city. So I say to you, in all sincerity, here's my hand. I am sticking it out to you right through the pages of this newspaper. I'd like mighty well to give each and every one of you the real flesh-and-blood shake, and I will if you give me the chance. Some enthusiasm, you say, for a man who has lived in Brantford since November, 1912. Well, why shouldn't I be enthusiastic? Brantford has convinced me that I have good judgment. When I was looking for the place to settle down, become a citizen of and take part in all the good things a community afforded, I said to myself that Brantford afforded more good things than any other town I had seen. And I came to Brantford. I started in small quarters with a big idea—Service plus Quality and the Golden Rule in business. In a little while increased business forced me into larger quarters. I was glad to be forced. To-day, in two short years, I have as complete an optical plant as you can desire. Complete lens grinding plant and modern facilities that enable me to make and deliver glasses the same day as ordered. I have made but few mistakes since coming to Brantford. The experience I had obtained in examining the eyes of more than 15,000 people has stood me in good stead. I am glad you are here and I am conceited enough to believe you are glad I'm here. And should you want to take away a souvenir, I know of nothing better than a pair of "Jarvis Glasses." Ask those I have helped. Charles A. Jarvis OPTOMETRIST M.F.G. OPTICIAN 52 MARKET STREET Opposite Bank of Montreal

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SPORTS DAY BEHIND THE DYKE POORLY ATTENDED

Although an Excellent Program Was Prepared, Crowd Was Slim One—Brantford Beat St. Mary's.

It seemed as if the city had overstepped itself on Fraternal Day, taking the whole day from early morning to late at night, and had not recovered sufficiently from its bad head on the morning after, to turn out in such large numbers to view the "Sports Parade" or the sporting events at Agricultural Park yesterday. The threatening weather conditions which indeed did end in rain before the crowds left the park, along with the fact that the mistake was made in having the midway shows located up town instead of over at the ball park, thus keeping the crowds up town, accounted for the poor attendance at the grounds.

No fault can in any manner be laid at the door of the sports committee. Under the chairmanship of Mr. John Kelly and Mr. R. J. Eacrett and Secretary J. H. Woolman, the committee had arranged an excellent program of sports and those who did not attend, missed an afternoon of keen enjoyment.

While not many Calithumpians entered the parade, there was a lengthy string of automobiles, and what Calithumpians there were, were certainly good, especially the Kazoo band, most of whom were members of the Dufferin Rifles Bugle Band.

At 1.30 the parade left Victoria Park, headed by the band of the Dufferin Rifles Band and proceeded along Colborne Street to Agricultural Park. Immediately following the band, came an auto with Mayor J. H. Spence, John Kelly, chairman of the Sports Committee, and G. H. Roper, official starter. Next came the lacrosse teams, some in chariots, followed by the Brant Dragons' band, leading a lengthy line of automobiles.

The Sports Program

Arriving at the park, the program of sports was put on at once. The lacrosse game was worked in with the races, a quarter at a time, and provided a happy variation from the racing events. The following are the results of the races:

30 yard Race—Boys 14 and under:

First prize, J. Middlemiss; second, A. Grullis.
 50 Yd. Race—Girls 14 and under—First, Kathleen O'Connor; second, Isabella Chisholm.
 100 Yd. Race—(Brantford boys)—First Frank Usher; second, Scotty McDonald.
 100 Yd. Race—(30 years and over)—First, Alf Dowling (time 13 1/2 seconds); second F. L. Johnson.

Open Events

100 Yd. Race—First heat—J. Tressidor (Toronto) first, time 12 1/2 seconds; second, C. Plummer (Toronto).
 Second heat—J. W. Lone, Stratford; Ed. Jones, Brantford; second, Pinal, J. Fressador won.
 220 yds Race—First heat—C. Plummer, first, time, 25 seconds; J. Lone, second. Second heat—J. Tressidor, first, time 27 seconds; Ed. Jones—second.
 Final—J. Tressidor, first (25 seconds) C. Plummer, second.
 440 yds Race—J. Tressidor, Toronto first, time 53 seconds; J. Lightfoot, London, second.
 50 yards, single ladies—1st, Lillian Davis; 2nd, Evelyn Fern.
 50 yards, married ladies—1st, Mrs. Tom Malott; 2nd, Mrs. Edith Greene.
 Wheelbarrow race—Won by a team representing the football clubs of the city, composed of Messrs. Solman, Taylor, Edwards and Goetz, against team representing lacrosse team.
 Baby Contest—Judges, Chief D. J. Lewis, T. J. Nelson and Mayor J. H. Spence—First prize won by Christina Abbott, 1-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Abbott, 3 Brant St.; second prize won by Marjorie Wilson, 11-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wilson, 8 McMurray St.; 3rd prize won by Horace Holder, 7-months-old twin son of Mrs. Holder, 219 Erie Ave.

The following were the officers who handled the sporting events: Chairman, J. J. Kelly; vice-chairman, R. J. Eacrett; secretary, J. H. Woolman; timekeepers, Messrs. T. J. Nelson, Chief Lewis and Rube Deneau; starters, Messrs. Wm. Rutherford and G. H. Roper; tape men, Messrs. D. L. Adams, A. Speckley and Les. Kauffman; announcer, Fred Johnston; property man, H. Peary; clerks of course, Messrs. Wm. Armitage and Chief Slemin.

The Lacrosse Match.

Perhaps the main feature of the afternoon was the lacrosse match between the intermediates of Brantford and St. Mary's, in which the Brantford team won by the close score of 3-2, which is mighty small scoring for either side in a lacrosse game. The game was no great or wonderful exhibition of lacrosse on the part of either team. Perhaps the best feature of the game was the good work done by both goal-tenders, Shannon and Tener. The shooting on both sides was poor. St. Mary's at one time making eight shots in succession at the

Brantford goal and failing to score. W. Gilligan, an old Brantford boy, refereed the game with fair satisfaction to both teams. The first goal was scored by Lavell after ten minutes of some poor shooting by both teams. Slattery followed in half a minute with a goal for Brantford. The play was all around the St. Mary's goal, and Tener made several clever stops in goal. Sky, the young Indian boy from Ohsweken, by a quick shot made another goal for Brantford. The second quarter had barely opened before Sky scored again in one-quarter minute. Lavell then got the ball for the visitors, but though St. Mary's made several shots, all but two were wild, and Shannon stopped those. The third quarter was a rough one, during which neither team could make their shots tell, and no scoring was done. The timekeepers were A. T. Whitaker and W. E. Butcher; penalty keeper, Duff Adams.

The teams lined up as follows: Brantford—Goal, Shannon; point, Logan; cover, Duncan; defence, Klercey and Martin; centre, D. Thomas; home, Sky and Slattery; outside home, Campbell; inside home, A. Bumberry.

St. Mary's—Goal, Tener; point, McDermott; cover-point, Stuart; defence, Cuthbertson and Alberts; centre, Wilson; home, Smith and E. Campbell; outside home, Lavell; inside home, Broley.

COSY MANAGED IT.

If "Cosy" Dolan get by to-day without an error he will have done something few first basemen have done in the history of the Canadian League. He went through an entire month without a single error having been charged to him.

On July 6 Dolan made his last "boot" and, since that time, the last column of the box score in his case, has always contained a goose egg. This is some record. It will be worth watching "Cosy" to-day to see if he can make it an even month—Ottawa Journal.

WAGNER BATS .300 FOR 17 YEARS; CAN HE MAKE IT '18?

Can Honus Wagner make it 18 years over the .300 mark? This is the question that agitates fandom just now almost as much as the one who will participate in the world's series. The fans all over the country are watching the same efforts of the veteran to again reach .300 and of sticking to it when the Pirates' slugging season but when the Pirates slumped his batting did likewise. He went down to the mark around .250 before the slugging ceased. Since then he has boosted his mark to around .280—a few jumps away from .300. Honus is playing his eighteenth year in fast company. In the other seventeen years he never has failed to bat .300 or over—a record without parallel in baseball history.

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ARMITAGE, OF PARIS IS NOW IN FINAL

Was Two Up in Five Ends When Rain Interfered at Toronto.

TORONTO, Aug. 14.—Rain stopped the final in the Ontario trophy at the Granite lawn yesterday afternoon at the fifth and when Sid Armitage, of Paris had his rink in front of Dr. Paul's Canadas by 4 to 2. Play will be resumed this morning at 9 o'clock from the point at which the game was called.

The semi-final in the Ontario cup, which sent M. H. Van Valkenburg out of the hunt, was the feature game of the tourney. The semi-final with Armitage and Paris rink in a deadlock and an extra end was called, the decision going to Armitage with his last bowl, when he drew the shot and Van Valkenburg out of two. Dr. Paul stopped the strong Granite rink skipped by John Kenzie, and nosed out a 14 to 12 victory over a very dangerous four.

In the Toronto cup, McBain and Harvey in what was to be a 12-end game, went no less than 17 ends, having five dead ends and a tie. Harvey looked to have the game tied up after he delivered his last bowl, but McBain securing a lucky wick, slid in for a shot. Both competitions will be cleaned up to-day; also the final of Scotch doubles.

The consolation doubles were given a start and will be chased along finishing Saturday.

The Butt trophies game will be played on the Canada lawn on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock and the draw made on the grounds at that time from the rinks reporting. Those eligible for the competition are: Winners and runners-up in the Western, Eastern, O.B.A., and Dominion tournaments; also winners of the association and consolation.

STILL HOLD OUT.

PARIS, Aug. 13, via London, 7.50 a.m.—An official communication states that the forts at Liege are still holding out and that the Belgian troops to the west of the city resumed the offensive, and after a lively struggle drove the Germans back and recaptured ground that had been lost. The Belgians have blown up a number of bridges on the railway lines in the German rear in the Landen district, thus cutting them off from their base of supplies.

TO ENCOURAGE COMMERCE.

PARIS, Aug. 13, 3.05.—To encourage commerce during the war, the French Government, it is announced, will cover war risks on importations and exportations by sea. Vessels under the French flag will be covered to 80 per cent. of their value, while the total value of cargoes under the French flag or the flags of allies or neutral states will be covered in consideration of a premium.

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International League.

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Rochester	64	45	.587
Baltimore	56	48	.538
Providence	63	49	.562
Buffalo	62	54	.529
Toronto	60	49	.553
Newark	60	67	.473
Montreal	41	67	.380
Jersey City	31	73	.298

—Thursday Scores—
 Newark at New York.....1-2
 Rochester at Buffalo.....1-2
 Toronto at Montreal.....1-2
 No games Friday.

National League.

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	53	41	.564
Boston	52	47	.521
St. Louis	52	52	.500
Chicago	54	49	.524
Philadelphia	47	54	.465
Cincinnati	47	54	.465
Brooklyn	45	53	.459
Pittsburg	45	53	.459

—Thursday Scores—
 Boston at New York.....1-2
 Brooklyn at St. Louis.....1-2
 Philadelphia at Brooklyn.....1-2
 St. Louis at Pittsburg.....1-2
 No games Friday.

American League.

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	57	45	.557
Boston	58	46	.558
Washington	55	47	.541
Pittsburg	52	52	.500
St. Louis	50	50	.500
Chicago	47	54	.465
Cincinnati	47	54	.465
Cleveland	35	75	.319

—Thursday Scores—
 Philadelphia at Washington.....0-1
 New York at Boston.....0-1
 Cleveland at Baltimore.....0-1
 Chicago at St. Louis—Rain.
 No games Friday.

Federal League.

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	58	46	.558
Baltimore	55	47	.541
Brooklyn	52	48	.521
Indianapolis	54	48	.529
St. Louis	51	50	.506
Pittsburg	44	56	.440
Kansas City	45	59	.433

—Thursday Scores—
 Indianapolis at Buffalo.....1-2
 Kansas City at Detroit.....0-1
 Brooklyn at St. Louis.....0-1
 Pittsburg at Chicago—Rain.
 No games Friday.

Canadian League.

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
London	57	33	.633
Ottawa	58	40	.593
Erie	45	45	.500
Toronto	43	43	.500
St. Thomas	43	43	.500
Peterboro	51	50	.506
Brantford	35	54	.393
Hamilton	45	59	.433

—Thursday Scores—
 London at Ottawa.....0-1
 Erie at St. Thomas.....0-1
 Peterboro at Toronto—Rain.
 No games Friday.

IMPOSSIBLE SITUATION.

PARIS, Aug. 13, 4.05 a.m.—A despatch from Rome declares that the departure of the Austro-Hungarian ambassador to Italy, Kajetan Merxy de Kapos-Mere, stated to be for reasons of health, was really due to the impossible situation resulting from the failure of his effort to obtain Italian support for Austria and Germany.

KILLING EVERYBODY.

BRUSSELS, via Paris, Aug. 13, 2.34 a.m.—Peasants report that the Germans are waging a war of extermination. They allege that of the whole villages, according to their stories, are being wiped out by the invaders.

GERMAN TO COMMAND.

ST. PETERSBURG, via London, August 13.—4.50 a.m.—The Austrian troops on the Russian frontier, have been placed under the command of a German general.

SPORTING MEN RECRUIT.

While the outbreak of war fever which has turned Europe into a battlefield will of a necessity cause the postponement of a vast number of sporting events of more or less importance, including the America's cup races and the race for the Harmsworth trophy, it will provide an opportunity for a number of sportsmen of world wide fame to put into practice in the graver issues, the lessons learned in various athletic encounters. A notable recruit has already been added to the French army by the enlistment of George Carpentier, and coming closer home with the Canadian contingent to be sent to aid Great Britain in the present struggle there will undoubtedly be a very large percentage of men who are famous in various branches of Canadian athletics. Previous experience has proved that some of the best sportsmen turn out to be the best fighting men when there is real fighting to be done, and Montrealers do not need the famous remark of the Duke of Wellington's agent the playing fields of Eton to remind them of this fact. There is a tablet in the M.A.A.A. club house, honoring the memory of the members of that institution who fell in the South African war which is to local minds an ever more poignant reminder. The sportsmen of Montreal are not found lacking on that previous occasion and they will not be found lacking in the present crisis.

STIFF FIGHTING.

BRUSSELS, via Paris, Aug. 13, 2.34 a.m.—Yesterday at Trieront the Belgian lancers lost twenty-five killed including Capt. Knappen and Lieut. Col. Van Der Burch while fighting against 2,000 German infantry. The lancers were checked by machine guns, but the Belgian infantry stopped the Germans.

50 VESSELS AT GIBRALTAR

LONDON, Aug. 13.—5.10 a.m.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Paris, labelled "official," says: "At ten o'clock Wednesday morning Port-A-Mousson, a town of the Department of Muerthe-et-Moselle, sixteen miles southwest of Metz, was bombarded by heavy artillery from a considerable distance. Shells, falling in the town streets killed and wounded many of the inhabitants and wrecked a large number of houses."

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NEALE OF CLEVELAND A.A. CLUB JOINS LONDON TODAY

Hard-hitting Sunfielder Drafted From London Last Season Will Play for Reising To-morrow at Ottawa.

Manager Reising's efforts to strengthen his team for the final spurt were successful, as he advised the London newspapers last night to the effect that Outfielder Oskey Neale would join the club at Ottawa to-day and play in his first game this afternoon.

Neale who was drafted from the London club last year by the Cleveland Americans, and turned over to the Cleveland American Association club, for which team he has been playing regularly since June 23, will round out the Tecumseh outfield, making it the best in the league.

Neale has been hitting fairly well in the big show, and should add some strength to London's slugging department and at the same time be able to take care of the sunfield better almost than any left fielder in the league, if he merely continues to show the class he did when he played here before. Last year he hit for .335 and fielded .973, having but four errors in the season.

Manager Reising also stated that he would not release any of his extra men in order to be prepared for emergencies, since he has carried the least number of men of any of the clubs in the past, showing that he means to retain his lead at the top of the Canadian League standing until the possession of the pennant is assured.

Reising will pitch this afternoon's fixture and should be able to stall off the Ottawa sluggers, as he has rested since last Monday. Heine Steiger, the hurling star of yesterday's win over the Ottawas, has requested Manager Reising for another whirl at the Senators before the club leaves the capital, and in all probability he will be given this chance in to-morrow's farewell contest.

Montreal citizens guarantee reasonable provision for the families and dependents of the volunteers going to the front.

STEIGER MAKES OTTAWAS LOOK LIKE WEAK HITTERS

London Pitcher Holds Champions to Two Hits, Eric Beat the Saints.

OTTAWA, August 14—After one of the greatest games of the season London, by a ninth innings rally defeated Ottawa, 1 to 0 at Lansdowne Park yesterday afternoon and thus increased their lead in the Canadian Baseball League. Three thousand people saw the Senators go down to defeat in a match which proved nerve-racking from the beginning to end.

Bierbauer Gets Round.
 After eight scoreless frames, the "breakers" came in the ninth, when Louis Bierbauer reached first on a bunt. He caught Dolan napping. "Cozy" should have taken the ball and Shocker or Smykal could have covered first. Dolan, however, left it to Smykal and Smykal left it to Shocker, the result being that Bierbauer was exceedingly safe. Lamy followed with a clean single to centre, and Bierbauer raced to second. Large then tried to catcher Bierbauer stealing at third and the ball hit him on the back bounding behind the sack. Bierbauer then scored the only run of the game as Reidy skied out to Rogers. Mullin's bunt resulted in Lamy being caught at the plate and Thomas succumbed at first.

ERIE, Aug. 14.—An eighth inning rally behind an error and two bases on balls enabled Erie to win from St. Thomas yesterday by the score of 6 to 2. Howick and Close both pitched good ball, but the Saints' twirler broke in the eighth and the Yankees took advantage of the opportunity, raming out three hits and scoring four runs.

A base on balls and two hits gave St. Thomas a run in the first inning, when a fast double play by Eric cut off further tallies. In the second inning three hits gave the visitors their second run. The score:
 Erie2000004X—6 8 1
 St. Thomas11000000—2 8 1

LEADERS ADD TO LEAD.
 Wobblly Standing.
 Galt22 15 .595
 Woodstock18 10 .526
 Stratford20 18 .526
 Guelph13 21 .382
 GALT, Aug. 14.—In a W. O. B. L. fixture here last night the locals out-classed the Stratford aggregation by 11 runs to 2, due in a great measure to the unsatisfactory work of Sharpe, the Stratford pitcher, who backed up incompetently with a continual kick at the decisions of an impartial umpire. The game was called in the seventh on account of darkness. The score:
 Galt000 103 7—11 12 1
 Stratford100 000 1—2 4 7
 Sharp and Agnew; Hawkins and anford. Umpire, McGonagle, Guelph.

BRUSSELS, via Paris, Aug. 13, 2:34 a.m.—Belgian and French troops have effected junction south of Brussels. The German advance in the Belgian provinces of Limburg and Brabant has been checked. The Germans are bringing up heavy artillery against Liege.

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 Second game: St. Louis 2, Pittsburg 5.

WAIVERS WAKE UP RUELBACH.
 BROOKLYN, August 14.—Ruelbach, on whom Brooklyn recently asked waivers, pitched shutout ball against Philadelphia yesterday, winning by 3 to 0. Danbert scored in the first inning on Wheat's sacrifice fly, and in the eighth stole home. Egan scored the other run on Ruelbach's single. The score: Philadelphia, 0; Brooklyn 3.

RUDOLPH'S NINTH VICTORY IN A ROW
 Boston Defeats Giants in the First Game of Series by Five Runs to Three.

NEW YORK, August 14.—Boston cut another game from New York's lead by winning the first game of the series here yesterday by 5 to 3. The visitors hit both Marquard and Fromme hard. Mann was the most effective batter, hitting a home run in the second and driving in two runs with a single in the sixth.

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Football

John Hill Charity Cup Semi-Final Games.

Tutela vs. Wanderers.—At Agricultural Park.
 There are only two football matches on Saturday, but these promise to be fast and exciting games. They are for the honour of competing in the final of the John Hill cup and no team will allow any slackness in their endeavor to land the trophy. The better game, as far as matched teams go, will probably be seen at Tutela between the Tutela and Scots. Both teams are well placed and have good records. There is little to pick between them. The Scots fight hard and intend to get there and sometimes their eagerness is apt to make them hasty, whereas the Tutela play solidly, and put up a game of which all followers are proud, as the opinion of the game between them and Tutela will support. It will be a hard contest throughout, and a draw might adequately represent the game.

The Tutela and Wanderers match should give the latter a chance to show their brilliance. If they rise to the occasion, a fine encounter will ensue, but if they quail before the boys of Tutela, there will only be one team in it. As it is, they have to go to the limit and never stop.

The line-up of the combatants is as follows:
 Scots United—Mayill (goal); backs, Cook, Morrow (Capt) forwards, Vipond, Linn, Jones, Marchall, Morrison Reserves—Ramsay, Maich, Little. All players to be on the field at 5:30 sharp.

Tutela vs. Wanderers.
 The following teams will play at Agricultural Park to-morrow at 6 p.m. sharp:
 Tutela—Goal, C. Gore; backs, E. Roberts and F. Burns; halves, N. McLeod (captain), E. Hamilton and P. McLeod; forwards, S. Tigwell, J. Hingley, H. Collett, E. Fisher and F. Clark; reserve, W. Bowden.

Wanderers.—Goal, Dudden; backs, Cherlick and Johnson; halves, Atkinson, Wallace and McDonald; forwards, Hutching, B. Little, Bonner (captain), A. Johnson and J. Little; reserves, S. Mears, W. Scott and W. Hayes. All players and reserves are requested to be on the ground at 5:45 p.m. sharp.

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ATHLETICS DEFEAT WASHINGTON TEAM

Senators Get Three Scattered Hits When Mackinnon Score Seven Runs.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 13.—Shawkey was invincible yesterday and Philadelphia defeated Washington 7 to 0 in five innings. His successor, Harper, forced in two runs in the sixth by giving passes to Collins and Baker. The score:
 Washington000 000 0—0 3 0
 Philadelphia200 032 00—7 9 2

Hagerman's First Hit; Victory.
 CLEVELAND, Aug. 14.—Cleveland defeated Detroit yesterday 6 to 3. Hagerman being a puzzle to the visitors, also making his first hit of the year, a double. Cavett, who relieved Coveskie, after a pinch hitter, had batted for the latter, was hit hard. Errors were responsible for the runs scored off Coveskie. The score:
 Cleveland002 010 30—6 9 3
 Detroit110 000 010—3 5 3

New York Stops Boston.
 BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Fisher, of New York, won a pitching duel from Leonard of Boston, 1 to 0, yesterday. Leonard allowed but four hits in seven innings, but lost in the third when he walked Maisel and made a wild pitch after Fisher had sacrificed. Boone's double then scored Maisel. Fisher kept Boston's hits scattered. The score:
 New York001 000 000—1 4 0
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Rain Ends Game.
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TECHNICALLY HALTS SUNDAY BALL CASE

Summons Not Issued Twenty-four Hours Before, as Required by Law.

OTTAWA, Aug. 13.—The actions instituted by the Quebec provincial authorities against the Ottawa and London baseball clubs for an infringement of the Lord's Day Alliance by playing games of baseball in Hull, on the Sabbath, cannot legally commence in the Hull courts this morning. This is due to the fact that although the summonses are ready and also the rest of the papers in the case they have not yet been served on either Messrs. Gorman, Shaughnessy or Brice. The law requires that the summonses must be served at least 24

hours before the case is called and this has not been done.
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NEW WAYS OF WAR IN OLD WORLD'S "IRREPRESSIBLE CONFLICT"

station for torpedo boats, and believe that submarines and torpedo boats using Heligoland as a base will make it next to impossible for a hostile force to blockade the seas from Borkum to Spitz. The blockading fleet would have not only to expect attack from the front and on its flanks, but, further than all this, Heligoland is regarded as the base for torpedo boat and submarine attack against the coast of the east coast of England.

Control of the North Sea.

The control of the North Sea is of paramount importance alike to England as to Germany in the event of actual conflict. England long ago assigned to the British fleet the task of securing command of the North Sea in the event of war. It was for this reason that British war ships have been drawn in from distant parts of the world, until today only a single cruiser or so is found in foreign ports. The whole strength of the British navy has been concentrated for North Sea operations, and when the English fleet sailed under sealed orders on war threatening it was generally conceded that the fleet had made a rendezvous in the North Sea.

The old English policy of making the enemy's coast the first line of defence is held to be hazardous in the case of the German North Sea shore line. In this war the English long ago planned an offshore blockade—one that would effectively seal up the North Sea while laying her blockading vessels less liable to attack from torpedo boat and submarine.

This offshore blockade, as generally understood, comprises a line from the north of Scotland to the Norwegian coast. This is the north line. The southern or western entrance to the North Sea is stopped at the entrance to the Straits of Dover.

The east coast of England forms the base of operations of the British fleet against the German coast. It comprises the whole of the western border of the North Sea from Dover to Duncauby Head, a distance of about five hundred miles, prolonged some sixty miles to the Orkney Islands on the north.

The mouth of the Thames, with the first class ports of Clatham and Sheerness and the advance torpedo boat and submarine bases at Dover, and Harwich have command of the North Sea routes from and to the Straits of Dover. The German North Sea base lies a little to the northward of Dover, and for this reason has led to the construction by the British of a second base, first class in character, more to the northward. This new base is at Rosyth, situated on the Firth of Forth, about three hundred and fifty miles north of Dover.

From Rosyth the distance to Heligoland, Dover and to the Straits of Dover is almost identical. This central position, however, is not regarded as favorable for a German blockade, since it would mean a four hundred mile run from a close-in blockading line to Rosyth. Compare this with the ninety mile run only from the American blockading line at Havana to Key West.

Among naval experts it is held that a run from a blockading line to a base should not exceed 150 to 200 miles. Because of the distance from Rosyth additional bases had to be formed further north among the islands.

The North Sea is essentially the threshold to Northern and Central Europe. Possession or command of the North Sea means dominance of much of the commerce of Central Europe. Because of its enormous importance commercially the North Sea may be regarded as the key to the situation. To keep this sea open and free is of vital necessity to the country lying economically behind it.

Because of the danger of an inshore blockade, assuming always that the German fleet is not in possession of the sea, has arisen the idea of the extended blockade. This extended blockade assumes a blockading line from the Scapa Flow to the Orkneys to the base.

Importance of Firth of Forth. The Firth of Forth gains fresh importance when this northern blockading line is undertaken, since it becomes more central, and because of its central location English leaders have seriously considered, it is understood, a project for connecting the Firth of Forth with the Clyde, thereby giving a fleet quick access to the Irish Sea.

Considering an offshore blockade from the Orkneys to Norway, it will mean a miserable stretch of weather for many a cruiser crew. During the summer months it is daylight from sixteen to eighteen hours, and during the winter months daylight is limited to from six to eight hours. In the northern limits of the North Sea the midnight sun is in evidence.

Fogs are most prevalent in the period from late autumn to January. Fog or lazy weather is prevalent about one day out of three during this period. The sole exception is in the extreme northern part, where, on the other hand, the summer months are hazy. As might be expected, the winds are strongest in winter time. The direction is from southwest to northwest almost wholly. The strongest winds come from the southwest, and the southwest winds constitute about thirty per cent of all the wind that blows. The southwest winds surpass in velocity by thirty to fifty per cent the average winds from the northeast and south. One-third of the month fog, half of the month fresh southwest winds, with much rain and snow, that is North Sea weather in the winter, and it is the weather of a British blockading line may expect in an offshore blockade.

German Batteries. The strength of the German batteries, their great range and the treacherous nature of the inshore waters at the south side of the North Sea at contribute to the hazard of an inshore blockade.

As an illustration of the ineffective results obtained in firing at guns mounted high up in shore batteries from ships we



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In the Tripolitan war the Italians found that the Arabs were able to watch the comparatively slow descent of a bomb from a three thousand foot altitude, and to scatter in time to avoid the resulting explosion. They depend on the accuracy of infantry fire to repel any attack by aircraft descending lower than the height mentioned.

Germany Casts Envious Eye on Belgium and Luxemburg, Both Neutral Countries

Their Integrity Guaranteed by Treaties, Former Is Being Colonized by Teutons and Little Duchy Is Buffer Between France and Her Old Enemy—Switzerland Free from European War Entanglements, and Holland's Independence Guaranteed by England.

Belgium—the Battle Ground of Nations!—his German ancestor the Duke has never been popular with the people of the Netherlands.

The severance of the political tie between the northern and southern Netherlands dates back to 1579, when the people of the southern section of the country, now known as Belgium, broke away from the northern section and announced their intention of supporting the cause of Catholicism and their loyalty to the Spanish King. The northern provinces, on the contrary, by the Union of Utrecht, January 20, 1579, announced their intention of remaining their rights and liberties, political as well as religious, against any foreign power which should challenge them.

This followed a long series of internal dissensions and foreign wars in which Belgium was regarded as the prize of nations. Commerce and industry were practically paralyzed for years by the battles which took place on its boundaries and the sieges to which its cities were subjected.

Building of Belgium as Nation.

This state of affairs continued until after the fall of Napoleon and the first treaty of Paris, on May 30, 1814. By the terms of this treaty Belgium and Holland were united into one state under the rule of the Prince of Orange, who assumed the title of William I. The Belgians, however, were dissatisfied with the terms of this régime and in 1830 raised the standard of revolt which resulted in a secession from Holland.

The secession was finally recognized by other nations, and Leopold of Saxe-Coburg, the widower of Princess Charlotte, mounted the throne of Belgium as King Leopold. Soon after this Holland declared war and the Belgians were quickly routed, but their enemies retired to the north after the advance of French troops. After fighting between the Dutch and the Belgians retained a large portion of the territory by the treaty of London in 1839. In each of these cases the terms of the various treaties have been violated by the German armies.

Occupying a position next in strategic importance to Belgium is the Kingdom of Holland, toward which the eyes of the German Empire have been directed longingly for many years. The neutrality of Holland is not guaranteed by treaty. Her territory by the treaty of London in 1839, in each of these cases the terms of the various treaties have been violated by the German armies.

FOUGHT GERMANS BEFORE.

German troops are no new antagonists of Earl Kitchener, war lord of Great Britain. While it is not universally known, it has often been asserted by men who are acquainted with the stern conqueror of the Mahdist hosts at Khartoum that he was a volunteer officer in the French army of 1870 while he was yet a cadet of the Royal Military Academy in England.

It was after the Franco-Prussian War that Horatio Herbert Kitchener, a young Irishman from Bally Longford, in County Kerry, was commissioned second lieutenant in the Royal Engineers. From the rank of subaltern to that of field-marshal of the British Empire Kitchener received every promotion for meritorious service.

AUGUST 5 THE ANNIVERSARY OF TWO GREAT BATTLES

Both Saint-Privat and Mobile Bay Were Decisive Struggles.

HISTORY REPEATED IN PRESENT CONFLICT

August 5 was the anniversary of the great battles—one the battle of Saint-Privat, in the Franco-Prussian war, in which the Germans decisively defeated the French on August 5, 1870, and the other the naval battle of Mobile Bay, in which Admiral Farragut's fleet defeated and destroyed the remains of the Confederate Navy on August 5, 1864.

Each of these battles was of the utmost importance in the war during which they occurred. In the case of Saint-Privat it showed the superiority of the German army from every standpoint and presaged the swift victory which was to come in so short a time. In the case of the Mobile Bay battle it struck a deadly blow at the fast fading hopes of the Confederacy.

In the present conflict history is repeating itself in the strange way that only history can. But will the outcome be the same? That is a question for an answer to which military experts the world over will watch with breathless interest.

One of the best accounts of the battle of Saint-Privat, with all of its grim and tragic meaning to the French, is contained in Emile Ollivier's "The Franco-Prussian War and Its Hidden Causes." Mr. Ollivier, who was a noted member of the French Academy, was also prominent in the Cabinet of the Emperor Napoleon III.

He is regarded as one of the men best informed concerning the foreign policy which resulted in the war. Discussing Saint-Privat and its effect upon the war, Mr. Ollivier said:

"At Spicheren we had the superiority in numbers during most of the day, and it was in Rezinne's power, by going himself to the field and sending two or three divisions thither, to turn what was not a defeat into a signal victory. On August 18, at Rezonville, we had the superiority in numbers and position, we were actually victorious, and if Bazaine, with a blindness deserving of never ending tears, had not given the order to retreat to an army which he should have thrown forward upon an enemy poorly placed and entangled in gorges and ravines, we should have scored one of those triumphs which put an end to wars."

"Again on August 18, at Saint-Privat, if the Guard and the artillery reserve had been thrown in by Bazaine and Bourbaki, to cut through the centre the insane enveloping movement of the Germans, or to wipe out the Prussian Guard already decimated at Carolbrunn, we should have scored again on that day the good fortune that we were able to grasp on the 18th."

"And even after all these mistakes, if our army had been sent back toward Paris, and not to the north into the net of Sedan, France would have been saved, as Thiers often said. To the very end we had opportunities to retrieve our fortunes. Yes, we could have and should have won. And we were justified in believing it. No impartial judge doubts it to-day."

While not so dramatic in its outcome and results as the battle of Saint-Privat, the engagement in Mobile Bay was equally decisive. The bay is protected from the Gulf of Mexico by two strong natural fortifications—Mobile Point on the east and Dauphin Island on the west, about three miles apart. The ship channel, however, is less than 2,000 yards wide, narrowing to 700 yards at Mobile Point. The point was defended by Fort Morgan, while the island was protected by Fort Gaines, which was the less formidable of the two fortifications. A line of piles and torpedoes was stretched between the two forts, leaving a narrow channel for blockade runners.

The Confederate fleet, anchored inside the bay, consisted of the powerful ram Tennessee and three small unarmored paddle wheel gunboats. The Federal fleet under Admiral Farragut was composed of the monitors Tecumseh, Manhattan, Winnebago and Chickasaw, and the wooden sloops of war Brooklyn, the flagship Hartford, Richmond, Lackawanna, Monongahela, Osippee and Onega.

The advance began at half-past five o'clock in the morning, the firing two hours later. The Tecumseh was sunk by a torpedo. The Brooklyn stopped in fear of a similar disaster, while Admiral Farragut passed with the Hartford and led the fleet into the bay. The vessels were greatly damaged by the fire from Fort Morgan, but were finally able to silence the guns of the fort. The fleet was then anchored three miles up the bay, while the vessels engaged the Confederate fleet. One Confederate gunboat was captured and sunk, another captured, and one was compelled to take refuge in the vicinity of the fort. The Tennessee was sunk that night. The Federal fleet, which carried 350 guns and 3,000 men, lost 121 killed, 170 wounded and 113 drowned when the Tecumseh went down. The Confederate fleet, which had only 22 guns and 470 men, lost 10 killed, 16 wounded and there were 280 prisoners, not including the casualties at the fort.



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 works. This patriotic device is one
 of our most popular numbers. The
 flag is shown in fireworks. Lance-
 work, giving the correct lines and
 colors of the British Jack.
 No. 6.—Display of New Tinted
 Electric Rockets, which discharges
 the most brilliant coruscations
 known—applied termed Crystallized
 Electricity.
 No. 7.—Ascent of Large Rockets,
 Flowers of the Tropics.
 No. 8.—Discharge of our New Car-
 nival of Venice Shells, a combination
 of the most dazzling effects known to
 the art.
 No. 9.—Display of Heraldic Rock-
 ets, with correct color combinations.
 No. 10.—Fir Trees and Flight of the
 Eagle. This is an entirely new and
 astonishing effect. The tree is a
 structure with limbs tapering towards
 the ground and shown by gold
 streams which rush upwards, giving
 the shape of the trees. When the
 tree is in full display, a large mass,
 representing the Eagle, becomes de-
 tached, and rises high in the air,
 then descends half way to the ground
 and rises again to descend finally to
 the ground.
 No. 11.—Shells of Erin, a mixture
 of Emeralds and Golden Harp Strings.
 No. 12.—Flight of Fiery Tourbil-
 lions, or Umbrellas of Fire, which rise
 with a whirling motion and a great
 noise.
 No. 13.—Discharge of Mines—Jew-
 elled Eruptions and Volcanic Effects
 No. 14.—Flight of our New Tinted
 Silver Tourbillions, which spread our
 new Crystal Electric Sparks in Spiral
 columns as they rise.
 No. 15.—Discharge of our New
 Parisian Specialty Rockets, with
 strong radio-chemical effects.
 No. 16.—Double Revolving Sun.
 Two immense Suns on one spindle,
 but revolving in opposite directions.
 At the outer edge of the Suns, the
 immense cases of Golden Spur Fire
 throw out streams of great length
 which interlace and form a beautiful
 pattern. In the centre of the Suns is
 a smaller wheel which fills the interior
 portion. The whole is a mass of
 shimmering Golden Sparks.
 No. 17.—Discharge of Japanese
 Mines with Shrapnel Effects.
 No. 18.—Discharge of Hand's New
 Novelty Shells, combination of elec-
 tric, gold and silver effects.
 No. 19.—Discharge of Hand's Pre-
 mier Shells—Combination of Electric,
 Gold and Silver effects.
 No. 20.—Ascent of Rockets, Lillies,
 Heliotropes, Roses.
 No. 21.—Discharge of Shells, with
 blue and golden stars.
 No. 22.—The Enchanted Garden,
 A beautiful number, great Golden
 Geysers, are set at intervals. These
 throw up fountains of coruscating
 fire and are alternated with fan shap-

ed batteries of Poppies, which make a
 very animated and beautiful back-
 ground for the Fountains.

No. 23.—Discharge of Royal Shells
 throwing out Golden Crowns which
 break into Golden Nuggets.
 No. 24.—Discharge of Transforma-
 tions Shells, 1914 Novelty.

No. 25.—Display of Hand's celebrat-
 ed Willow Tree Rockets.
 No. 26.—Ascent of Mammoth Re-
 peating Shell, England's Glory, 1st
 Red, 2nd White, 3rd Blue.

No. 27.—Ascent of Shell and Cryst-
 al Prisms, A Bombshell that dis-
 charges a multitude of fiery cubes that
 glitter and throw off bright spangles
 as they descend.

No. 28.—Forest of Silver, a beauti-
 ful display of Electric Cones. An ar-
 rangement of Exhibition Electric
 Roman Candles set at various angles
 on standards, producing a Crossfire
 of Flying Cones of Silver Dust.
 No. 29.—Discharge of Electric and
 Pearl Spreader Rockets.

No. 30.—Ascent of Rockets. A crys-
 tal kaleidoscope, composed of bright
 electric stars in several new colors.

No. 31.—Special Display of Mam-
 moth Rockets that develop Floating
 Chains of Changing Stars, Floating
 Red Stars, Colored Stars, Viridian
 Stars.

No. 32.—Discharges of New Deca-
 poda Shells, throwing Golden Stream-
 ers which develop into Fiery Tenta-
 cles.

No. 33.—Display of Shells, Golden
 Rain, Blue Stars.

No. 34.—Royal Star. A six pointed
 Star depicted in colored Lancelwork
 of several bright hues. In the centre
 of the Star is a whirling wheel and on
 the outer points are triple sets of
 Golden Gerbs. This is a very beau-
 tiful device.

No. 35.—Depotpour of Rockets, pearl
 streamers, glitter star, gold nuggets,
 glow worms, crystal prisms.

No. 36.—Imposing Flights of the
 Newest Effects, in Festoons, Loops,
 and Strings, representing a pyrotech-
 nic kaleidoscope.

No. 37.—Display of Special Rockets
 Our newly invented color Geranium
 Red, mingled with Veronese Green.

No. 38.—Discharge of Decapod
 Shells. These shells discharge a
 number of smaller shells which break
 in clusters round the central burst.

No. 39.—Professional Ascent of Sil-
 ver Cord Rockets. A long line of sil-
 ver descends from each star. The
 stars have limited noise.

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CERISE POINTED STARS
EMERALD POINTED STARS
ROSE POINTED STARS

No. 40.—Mammoth Bombshell, aerial
 octopus, giving the appearance of
 great fiery arms darting about in an
 eccentric manner.

No. 41.—Canada's Emblems. The
 Maple Leaf and the Beaver, depicted
 in beautiful colored lancework, and in
 appropriate colors. This fine device
 is enhanced by a framework of golden
 streams, that intersect each other in
 a crisscross pattern around the em-
 blem.

No. 42.—Concluding Device Motto,
 "Good Night," in changing fires.

No. 43.—The Star Sown Canopy.
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 charge their contents simultaneously
 and fill the sky with colored gems.

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 picturesque glow on the bands and
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 nine points, accompanied by cross-
 fire of colored Star batteries.

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 points, accompanied by crossfire of
 new stars that break into thousands
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 from twelve points. The illumination is
 packed loosely in bags, 3 lbs. each,
 and it burns with great fierceness,
 throwing out a marvellous volume of
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 from 12 points. This illumination is
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 one, but different in color. Each bag
 in this illustration contains 5 lbs. of
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An experience filled with the
 painful discomfort which fort
 turned out happily is that rela
 Miss Effie Bunnell of this cit
 with Miss Murray another m
 of the Collegiate staff just m
 to escape from Paris before th
 of war were locked in that
 Bunnell's letter to her sister ar
 ily in this city is in part as f
 "Talk about excitement! I
 had so much the last three d
 last me my life time I don't
 will ever forget my experie
 leaving Paris in 1914.

What happened before Aug
 does not matter. Sight see
 faded into insignificance.

ere looking pretty serious in
 but on account of the friends
 tween France and England we
 ed all our sympathy on the po
 mans and the Austrians who
 having such difficulty in

across the frontier never dr
 that we should be making tra
 for English soil. If I am unfo
 enough to be again in a countr
 war breaks out, I shall know
 to go and consult the English
 but in my colonial ignorance,
 thought never entered my m
 I knew it was hard to get
 amon Thursday went to the
 can Express Office and boug
 ets for England, via Rouen,
 and Southampton. Our plan
 leave Paris early Monday m
 spend the day in Rouen and t
 boat across at night they accep
 travellers checks and I wa
 happy. Saturday I thought
 better get a little English mo
 sallied out. Money! Such
 was impossible. Not one
 any kind would they give me
 checks. The streets were
 outside the (French banks,
 crowds reached far out into
 It all seemed so awful that
 home and said to Miss Murray
 do you think about leaving
 and going straight to Englan
 usual she was quite ready to
 with my plans, so we began t
 By this time evidently all Pa
 on the move. Every taxi wa
 with people and luggage
 high. The consigner's we
 early in the afternoon to get
 us; and though the train did t

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 Last Night—4,4
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 closed a financial success.

there is no longer any doub
 night's performance at Ag
 Park saved the situation, for
 cuts. There were 4,400 pa
 sions to the tattoo last nigh
 receipts over \$1,300. This it
 will square away all accou
 leave a surplus for the goo
 city. It will not be known
 until the end of next week
 the receipts for the whole v
 but at any rate last night's
 ance has carried away all th
 that were brooding over all th
 and has taken the wind out
 of those who were only too
 cry, "I told you so."

NO FIGHT AT DIE
BRUSSELS, Aug. 14, via
 15, 11.05 p.m.—The Belgi
 staff states that up to five
 evening there had been n
 ment near Dieppe. The
 Germans in Limburg prov
 clared to be exaggerated
 general military situated is
 as excellent, but for strate
 the general staff says that
 are no more bulletins