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British Troops Have Crossed the Marne and Captured Many Prisoners—Heavy Losses on Both Sides, But Allies Are in Excellent Spirits.

TURKEY TAKES STEPS TO COMMENCE A WAR WITH GREAT BRITAIN

BRITISH SQUADRONS SWEEP NORTH SEA

Archduke Frederick Lost 120,000 Men in Galician Battles—British Troops Drive Ger- mans North of the Marne and Bury German Dead as They Advance—All Army and Navy Reserves Called Out By Germany— British Notables in Casualty Lists—German Fleet Cannot Be Located.

Canadian Press Despatch.
PARIS, Sept. 10, 11:11 p.m.—“During the four days' battle,” says an official communication issued tonight, “the allies have pushed back the Germans 60 kilometres, (approximately 37 miles), and taken many prisoners and machine guns.”

“On the left wing the British and French troops have crossed the Marne between La Ferté-sous-Jourarre, Charly and Chateau Thierry, pursuing the enemy who is in retreat. During the course of this advance the British forces took a number of prisoners and captured mitrailleuses.”

“During the four days' battle the allied armies have in that section of the theatre of operations, gained more than 60 kilometres.”

“Between Chateau Thierry and Vitry-le-Francois the Prussian guard have been thrown back.”

“The action continues with great severity in the region between Camp de Mailly and Vitry-le-Francois.”

“In the centre and on the right wing there is no change in the situation.”

“On the Orain and in the Argonne district, the two opposing forces are maintaining their positions. In the region of Nancy the enemy has made slight progress on the Chateau Salins road.”

“On the other hand, we have gained ground in the forest of Champagne.”

“The losses have been considerable on both sides, but the morale and health of our troops remain excellent.”

“There is no confirmation of the news published in the German newspapers of the fall of Maubeuge.”

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—Turkey formally notified the United States and the nations of the world today that she had abrogated the series of conventions, treaties and privileges originating as early as the 11th century, whereby foreigners in the Ottoman Empire have been exempt from local jurisdiction in civil and criminal cases. Foreign subjects no longer will enjoy what is known as extra territorial rights, thru which they have been tried by their own judges, diplomatic representatives or consuls.

To Assert Independence.

This practice Turkey has removed by a stroke of the pen. Her purpose, it is declared, is to assert her independence and free herself from the domination of the great powers.

Upon the rights revoked has rested the legal status of foreign missionaries in Turkey, permitting them to maintain churches, hospitals and schools in religious freedom.

“The removal of every kind of privileges enjoyed by the powers in excess of what the general principles of international law allow, is the meaning of this step,” A. Rustem Bey, Turkish ambassador to the United States, declared tonight. “This war is Turkey's opportunity.”

May Mean War.

No intimation was given by the ambassador as to whether the action foreshadowed war on Great Britain, without whose consent in the past no such radical action would have been attempted.

Among diplomats of the allied powers, however, the belief prevailed tonight that Turkey was appealing to the nationalist sentiment of her people and was ready to seize upon any difficulties that may arise with Great Britain as a pretext to declare war.

Canadian Press Despatch.
LONDON, Sept. 10.—There is a general discussion in London of the possibility that England may close the North Sea, blockading it completely, if the trouble with floating mines continues.

The government's position is that the shipping of neutral nations is in danger at sea because of German mines. England has repeatedly stated that she will not resort to the use of mines. When the mine sweepers free the North Sea of the obstructions, however, naval strategists advise the exclusion of vessels which might plant more mines. Such action would limit the commerce of Holland, Denmark, Norway and Sweden, cutting off Germany's source of food supply.

The British officials say there is abundant evidence that mine layers have operated under neutral flags, and that it is the intention to keep the strictest watch over all craft in the North Sea.

Will Face Court-Martial.

In the house of lords Baron Wimborne announced, on behalf of the admiralty, that any person caught laying mines under a neutral flag will be court-martialed.

The Earl of Camperdown, formerly lord of the admiralty, characterized the alleged placing of mines in commercial routes by Germany as “indiscriminate murder.”

Combining Process Carried Into Heligoland Bight, But No German Ship Was Seen—Mine Dangers May Compel Britain To Close North Sea.

Canadian Press Despatch.
LONDON, Sept. 10.—The official information bureau issued the following tonight:

“Yesterday and today strong and numerous squadrons and flotillas have made a complete sweep of the North Sea up to and into Heligoland Bight. The German fleet made no attempt to interfere with our movements, and no German ship of any kind was seen at sea.”

Canadian Press Despatch.
PARIS, Sept. 11.—(12:10 a.m.)—The fourth day of the gigantic battle to the east of Paris, which is expected to last two weeks and to decide the preliminary stage of the great war, finds the left wing of the allied armies vigorously pushing back the German right wing, which had made such rapid advance southward from the Belgian frontier. The allies are said to have forced their adversaries back nearly forty miles northeastward since the beginning of the contest.

The hard struggle between the enormous masses of troops extends from near Paris to as far as Nancy, close to the Lorraine border. An action is proceeding with the utmost violence in the neighborhood of Mailly and Vitry-le-Francois, but it is very vigorous also in the centre, where both sides are holding their positions with the greatest tenacity.

Canadian Press Despatch.
LONDON, Sept. 10.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Rome says:

“A message from Vienna states that it is officially admitted there that archduke Frederick lost 120,000 men in the recent Galician battles or one fourth of his entire command.”

“The Germans are marching south towards Poland to assist the Austrians, but before this aid can be given they must cross the Vistula River where the Russians are preparing to check them.”

AUSTRIANS LOSE FOURTH OF FORCES IN GALICIA

BERLIN CLAIMS ADVANCE OF ALLIES IS CHECKED

BERLIN GARRISON LOSES 42,000.

ALLIES PRESS ADVANTAGE THREE BIG BATTLES RAGE ON FRONT OF 100 MILES

“Allies Do Not Appear Able to Maintain Former Success of Their Offensive Movement,” Says German Official Statement.

BRITAIN BUYS AIRSHIP.

While Germans Are Apparently Losing Ground Steadily, Result is Not Regarded as Entirely Decisive—British Forces Hurled Against German Right.

The French centre, between Rheims and Verdun, while the British army is contesting the second hard fought engagement against the German right. The Germans are believed to be still attacking the French right, from Vitry-le-Francois.

Lesser fighting is in progress in Alsace, from which province the Germans appear to have drawn away part of their army and the French are taking advantage of this opening.

The great battle may continue for days, when it is remembered that smaller operations in Manchuria in which hundreds of thousands only were concerned, lasted a fortnight.

Germans Exhausted.

The German western armies have been fighting almost continuously for 25 days, and, until the last phase of the campaign, on the offensive. Field Marshal French's view that they are becoming exhausted finds ready credence among the military experts here.

A German official wireless station despatch tonight says that “no report has been made public in Berlin of the events in France for the past three days.”

From Holland comes the news that 60,000 German reinforcements are marching south. These troops may have an effect upon the tide of battle, but there is reason to believe that the allied armies also are receiving a counter-balancing accession of strength.

Canadian Press Despatch.
LONDON, Sept. 10, 11 p.m.—The crucial battle of the war in France has not yet reached any decisive result.

Field-Marshal Sir John French, commander of the British forces, reported today that the Germans had been driven back all along the line; that the British had crossed the River Marne, that the Germans had suffered severely, and that their men were supposed to be in a very exhausted condition.

Notwithstanding this report, the military experts do not rush to sweeping conclusions. The military writers in the London papers repeat that from the conservative terms of the French official statement yesterday, it is too early to anticipate the result of a battle extending over a front of nearly 100 miles. Three million men is the number estimated to be engaged actively and as reserves, and three great battles at least are in progress.

Centre Hard Pressed.

Probably the fiercest one is against

GERMANS DRIVEN BACK ALL ALONG THE FRONT

APPELLING GERMAN LOSSES.

Canadian Press Despatch.
LONDON, Sept. 10.—(10:15 p.m.)—Official Berlin despatches received by Marconi wireless says:

“While Louvain was burning, German officers carried pictures from the cathedral to the Hotel de Ville for their protection.”

“Emperor William and Prince Leopold of Lippe have exchanged cordial and sympathetic telegrams on the occasion of the heroic death of Prince Herbert of Lippe, who is the third member of the house of Lippe to fall in this war.”

“According to London papers, fighting has been proceeding since Sept. 7 east of Paris on a line between Auteuil, Meaux and Vitry-le-Francois. Early French reports of a victory have since proved to be exaggerated, for the allies do not appear to be able to maintain the former success of their offensive movement. No news of this battle has been received from the German side.”

Concentrating in East.
LONDON, Sept. 10, 11:35 p.m.—That

Canadian Press Despatch.
BORDEAUX, Sept. 10.—(6:45 p.m.)—The military correspondent of the Temps considers the situation from the standpoint of the allies more than reassuring. The German offensive has not only been stopped, he says, but they are being driven back all along the front. Their troops are wearing out.

“The too numerous German artillery remains,” he continues, “but

PROTEST BY SOCIALISTS.

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Enemy Strong in Artillery, But Infantry is Described as Insufficient for Strong Attack—Task of Maintaining Communications is Most Difficult.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

Canadian Press Despatch.
LONDON, Sept. 10.—(8:06 p.m.)—The bombardment of Belgrade has been renewed with increased fury, according to a Nish despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company. Considerable damage has been done. The Serbian batteries are replying to the Austrian fire.

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HALF MILLION MEN WILL BE ADDED TO BRITISH ARMY

agency of a despatch from Petrograd (St. Petersburg), saying the Austrians have begun to evacuate Cracow.

"The Austrians," the message adds, "are trying to induce the members of the local rifle club to remain and assist in the defence of Cracow. Many, however, have resigned their memberships because of sympathy with Russia."

Cracow has a population of 100,000, and is the capital of the Kingdom of Poland. It is situated on the left bank of the Vistula River, 30 miles from the frontier of Silesia. It is 100 miles west of Lemberg, 300 miles from Berlin, and 230 miles from Vienna. It is also reported that the Russians are moving on Breslau on their march to Berlin.

LOST 120,000 MEN.

A message from Rome says: "A despatch from Vienna says it is officially admitted there that Archduke Frederick lost 120,000 men in the Galician battle, or one-fourth of his entire command. The Germans are marching south toward Poland to assist the Austrians, but before this aid can be given they must cross the Vistula River, where the Russians are preparing to check them."

Prime Minister Asquith today asked parliament to authorize an increase in the regular army of 500,000 men. This number will bring the British forces in the field up to the unprecedented total of 1,400,000 men. He stated the available force is 840,000 men.

ALL GERMAN RESERVES CALLED.

Germany has called out all her army and naval reserves, a telegram from Ghent says, in reporting the arrival of from 30,000 to 40,000 German sailors at Brussels.

English military observers say that Germany's entire campaign scheme is threatened with disruption by the rapid advance of the Russians, who are nearing Breslau, a city of 500,000 population, 190 miles from Berlin.

A cablegram from Vienna says there is a disposition to blame the Germans for having failed to come to the assistance of the Austrians before the invasion of Galicia was begun by Russia. Urgent appeals were sent to Berlin, asking that troops be sent to Lemberg so that the city could be defended. It is reported that many of the Austrian officers have been either killed or captured.

PATHFINDER SUNK BY SUBMARINE.

The war office admitted this afternoon that the British cruiser Pathfinder, which was sunk last Saturday off the coast of Scotland, was destroyed by a German submarine, and not by contact with a mine, as was at first reported. This is the first time in the history of naval warfare that a submarine has been used so successfully, and emphasizes the danger to which the war fleet is exposed in bottling up the German fleet behind its Heligoland base.

WHERE IS THE GERMAN FLEET?

The whereabouts of the German battle fleet continues a deep mystery. The admiralty announced tonight that strong squadrons of battleships and cruisers and flotillas of destroyers had scoured the entire North Sea, including the Bight of Heligoland, yesterday, without locating the enemy. It is believed that, therefore, the German fleet is under the land defence near Wilhelmshaven, but it is possible that part at least of the fleet has been sent thru the Kaiser Wilhelm Canal at Kiel and has reinforced the German Baltic fleet.

The Russian fleet is reported near the mouth of the Gulf of Finland, and it is believed here that the Germans are now undertaking an offensive movement against the Russian fleet, heretofore reported in the Gulf of Finland. Unofficial despatches say a fleet of German warships, headed by 31 battleships, has been sighted off Denmark, evidently bound for the Baltic Sea.

PRINCE OF HESSE WOUNDED.

In a despatch from Copenhagen, the correspondent of The Evening News says that the fifth and sixth Bavarian casualty lists and the fifth Saxony list have been published. They include two officers and 66 men killed, three officers and 201 wounded, and 117 men missing.

Prince Friedrich of Hesse, eldest son of Prince Carl of Hesse, and an officer in the Hanau Uhlans, has been seriously wounded in France, and Col. Ernst von Arndt has been killed.

CROWN PRINCE SHIFTED EAST?

According to a Petrograd despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, it is believed there that the German crown prince has been appointed commander-in-chief of the forces against Russia.

NO DISCOUNT REDUCTION.

The expected reduction in the Bank of England rate did not take place today, the 5 per cent. figure being continued. The failure of the bank to lower its discount rate is attributed to yesterday's earmarking of £3,000,000 gold to redeem notes, which reduces the bank's reserve.

ADDITIONAL CASUALTIES.

Following is a list of additional casualties in the British army since Sept. 7: One hundred and thirty-four officers and 3454 in other ranks, of which number 10 officers and 61 men of other rank were killed.

The casualties in the Cameroons announced tonight include Lord Seymour, captain in the Grenadier Guards, and heir presumptive to the Marquessate of Hertford. Among the wounded in France is included the Hon. Gerald Sturt, lieutenant in the Coldstream Guards, heir presumptive to Lord Alington.

ITALIANS HISSED AUSTRIA.

BARI, Italy, Sept. 10.—(Via Paris, 6.20 p.m.)—The steamer Adriatico arrived here today from Durazzo, Albania, having on board the Austrian and Greek ministers to Albania. The crowds started a demonstration on the wharf as the steamer was docking, cheering for England, France and Russia, and hissing Austria. (The censor here then cut off the remainder of the despatch.)

FLOODS RETARD JAP ADVANCE.

PEKIN, Sept. 10.—The elements have delayed unexpectedly the Japanese advance on Tsingtau. Floods cover the country surrounding the town, and are spreading inland beyond Weihien. The waters continue to rise, and it is expected that probably it will be months before the Japanese can begin their investment of the stronghold which now can be reached only by boat.

Ireland Hopes To Emerge Clothed in New Liberty

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LONDON, Sept. 10.—Charles Diamond, editor of The Catholic Herald, writing to the editor of The Irish World in New York, says that some Irish-American exchanges seem out of harmony with Irish opinion in Great Britain and Ireland on the question of the war in Europe.

"The Irish cause," he says, "has been well served in the past by Irish-American people, who are to receive their liberty as a result of the war."

"It is unthinkable," continues Mr. Diamond, "that an Irishman should hesitate for a moment in making his choice between a triumph for Germany in this contest, and a triumph for the British Empire, which Irishmen have done so much to build up and in which we have so much at stake."

"Here in Great Britain we have every confidence that out of this struggle Ireland will emerge with her liberties guaranteed and amended made for the past."

"This war is not a war of aristocracy or government in this country; it is war menacing British democracy—that democracy that has shown itself the friend of Ireland. Can Ireland withhold her sympathies from Belgium, suffering today as she is at the hands of the German Hun; or France, with whom Ireland is in accord in matters of thought; faith and aspirations for justice and progress; or from the Polish people, who are to receive their liberty as a result of the war?"

"The plan of erecting two new schools this year has been abandoned. Death of John McIntyre. John McIntyre, 51 Wellington street north, died today after a lengthy illness. He had resided in this city for many years and came from Scotland. Mrs. Ainsborough dead. Annie Ainsborough, formerly of Lancashire, England, died this evening at the home of her mother-in-law, 22 Burlington street west.

SENT KIT BAGS. The U. E. Loyalists' Association of Canada yesterday shipped one hundred hospital kit bags to the Canadian Red Cross headquarters at Quebec. One hundred more are being prepared. Contributions of gray woolen socks are asked for. Such should be sent to 84 Jarvis street, the Women's Art Club.

HAMILTON GRANT FOR NEW ROADWAY

Sixty-Two Thousand Dollars Already Provided for the Undertaking.

HOME GUARD TO MARCH

Promptitude of Constable Saves Life of Woman Who Severed Artery.

HAMILTON, Sept. 10.—The board of control yesterday morning voted \$30,000 towards the laying of a permanent concrete roadway between Toronto and Hamilton. Of this amount, \$10,000 will be used in payment of Hamilton labor on the road. It was announced that work on the proposed roadway would be started shortly, owing to large grants made by private citizens, cement and stone dealers. Sixty-two thousand dollars has been donated in this way, and with the \$4000 grant per mile given by the government, the cost per mile has been reduced to about \$5500.

Patriotic Concert. The first of a series of patriotic concerts will be held in the Empire Theatre, corner of Barton and Leeming streets, Sunday afternoon. Alderman Robson will preside.

Teachers to Aid Fund. The teaching staff of the King George and Strathcona Schools decided to give one day's pay to the Patriotic Fund.

Saved Woman's Life. The prompt action of Constable J. Clark saved the life of Mrs. Mary Mason, 2 Mill street, today. Mrs. Mason, who had not been feeling well, went out of bed, striking a broken pitcher and severing an artery in her right arm. When the ambulance arrived she was almost dead. Constable Clark immediately gave first aid, placing a bandage over the artery. The woman was rushed to the City Hospital, where it was said that she would recover.

May Stop Recruiting. Owing to the disbanding of the 23rd Howitzer Battery, which left Hamilton for Valcartier, it is probable that recruiting for this unit will be discontinued. Many have already enlisted for active service in a second contingent, but these would be transferred to another local regiment.

Home Guard Parade. At an executive committee meeting of the Hamilton Reserve Regiment (Home Guard) today, arrangements were made for two parades next week. Thru Col. Logan, the committee has been granted the use of the old armories. Over 200 have enlisted already, and each has pledged himself to secure five more men.

Chesley's Frigate Make Gift. The grand executive committee of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends today voted \$1000 to the Hamilton Patriotic Fund Association. A. R. Hasard, grant representative, Toronto, offered to do free all legal services required by the dependants of members of the order who go to the front. The grand vice-chancellor, Mr. J. W. Edwards, M.P. of Kingston, Ont., and Grand Representative Dr. W. H. Woods of Mount Brydges, also offered their professional services free of charge.

In order to arouse interest in the present National Patriotic Fund campaign, the public school cadets paraded thru the principal streets today.

HAMILTON LIBERAL TO PATRIOTIC FUND

Two Hundred Thousand Dollars Probably Raised by Last Midnight.

MORE MONEY COMING Arrangements Made to Hold Six Benefit Concerts in Armories.

By a Staff Reporter. HAMILTON, Friday morning, Sept. 11.—The teams collecting money for the National Patriotic Fund at their luncheon yesterday reported that \$134,000 had been taken in up to that time. It is thought that the fund reached nearly \$200,000 by midnight, including the receipts taken in by the Street Railway Company.

Benefit Concerts. The campaign will close this evening at 6 o'clock, but this will not end the giving, for many benefit concerts have been arranged. At a meeting of the 1000-voice choir last evening it was decided to hold six concerts in the Armories in the near future for the Patriotic Fund. The board of education decided to place boxes in all the rooms in the public schools today to receive contributions from the school children.

Postpone Building Schools. The plan of erecting two new schools this year has been abandoned. Death of John McIntyre. John McIntyre, 51 Wellington street north, died today after a lengthy illness. He had resided in this city for many years and came from Scotland. Mrs. Ainsborough dead. Annie Ainsborough, formerly of Lancashire, England, died this evening at the home of her mother-in-law, 22 Burlington street west.

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CHAMPION SPARKLING JEWEL



Fifteen hundred dollars would not buy this handsome Boston bull, who was adjudged the best in his breed, at the Exhibition. He is owned by B. F. Lyons and C. H. Mason, of Lansdowne, Pa.

ROUMANIAN OPINION IRRITATES HUNGARY

Belief Expressed That Roumanian Troops Will March With Russians to Strike "Tricky Austrian"—Growing Sentiment for Triple Entente—Panic Reported in Dual Monarchy.

Canadian Press Despatch. PETROGRAD, Sept. 1.—The movement in Roumania favoring the triple entente is causing irritation to the Hungarian Government, which has forbidden the teaching of the Roumanian language in Roumanian schools in Transylvania. The Roumanian Journal Dreptata says that in the districts bordering on Roumania the people are in sympathy with the Russians, and it expresses the belief that the Roumanian troops will march with the Russian troops to strike "the tricky Austrian."

EXTORTIONATE RISE IN PRICE OF SUGAR

Retailers in Some Large Cities Ask Nine to Eleven Cents a Pound—Sir George Foster Declares Advances Unjustified—Wholesale Quotations Do Not Warrant Such Demands.

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, Sept. 10.—Reports to the department of trade and commerce show that sugar has gone up to nine and even eleven cents per pound in some of the large cities.

"Such prices as these," said Sir George Foster today, "are cruel and extortionate. In Montreal up to the time of change of tariff, retailers could obtain sugar from the Canada Refining Company for \$4.80 per hundred. Householders should have got their sugar in Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto for from 6 1/2 to 6 3/4 cents per pound. Other wholesale refinery prices charged after the imposition of the war duty were: St. Lawrence refinery \$5.70 per hundred and Acadia Sugar refinery \$6.20. It will be seen, therefore, that even on these higher prices retailers in the cities mentioned should not have charged their customers more than from 6 1/2 to 7 1/4 cents per pound, according as they purchased from one or other of the refineries mentioned."

Sir George added that most large grocers did not demand the extortionate and unreasonable prices mentioned.

NO GERMANS NEED APPLY!



G. W. Quintard of New York City owns this prize-winner, Ridgeway Kingscraft. He took a special prize at the Exhibition as the best bulldog shown.

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE BANKERS' ASSOCIATION OF CANADA

Sir: In The Canada Gazette of Sept. 5, there is printed an order-in-council based on other orders-in-council and on an act of parliament passed at the recent session (entitled "an act to conserve the commercial and financial interests of Canada," legalizing "in case of war or in case of any real or apprehended financial crisis" the following things in this country because of the existence of such a state of war:

(a) The making of advances to the chartered banks, and to the savings banks to which the Quebec Savings Banks Act, 1913, applies, by the issue of Dominion notes upon the pledge of securities as provided in the said act, be authorized;

(b) The chartered banks be authorized, subject to the provisions and limitations set forth in the said act, to make payments in the bank notes issued by such banks instead of in gold or Dominion notes;

(c) The several chartered banks be authorized to issue excess circulation as in the said act defined from and including the first day of March, 1914, to and including the last day of August, 1915; and

(d) The redemption in gold of Dominion notes by the receiver-general of Canada be suspended subject to the provisions of the said act from the date of the publication of this our proclamation in The Canada Gazette.

What we would like to know in connection with paragraph "b" is: if the chartered banks are thus authorized to make payments in bank notes instead of gold or Dominion notes, why are not these bank notes used to make payments in the clearing houses organized in this country under the direction of your association?

We are informed that several of the member banks in these clearing houses are anxious to have bank notes accepted in daily settlements, instead of as the practice was and is still, of settlements in what is known as "bank loans," that is gold certificates issued by the Dominion against gold deposited in the national treasury by the banks. If bank notes were legal tender, and the public must take them, including depositors, who have over a billion of dollars of their money in banks, why should not bank notes take them as between themselves?

Already, as you know, banks have got rid of this liability of paying a billion dollars in gold to depositors; the greatest concession that was ever given in this country was conceded to the banks when this was done. Notwithstanding this enormous favor, or to put it in another way, this most valuable privilege was given to the banks, why do they not live up to it between themselves? If the law is good enough to make the public take bank notes for settlements, why should a bank not follow the same practice when dealing with another bank? What is the cause for the public goose the cause for the banker? What do you think, Mr. President? Do you think so?

And now let us come to paragraph "c" in regard to excess circulation. Some of the banks, as we know for a fact, are most anxious to take advantage of the provision, which, if taken advantage of by all the banks, would add upwards of \$40,000,000 of available bank notes for the relief of the existing stringency caused by war; and if you read the act this privilege was granted because of "a state of war."

As we say, this \$40,000,000 could have gone to the relief of the public; yet these banks who wished to use this excess currency for the relief of the public are daily prevented from doing so because of the determination of the dominant men of the Bankers' Association to refuse legal tender in the clearing house settlements between banks. We do not need to tell you what this means in the clearing houses, where the most rigorous discipline is accorded any single wolf who does not run with the pack. Over \$40,000,000 of money not having to be settled for every morning in the clearing house, the bank notes representative thereof would go from hand to hand, as Dominion notes do, and would not come up for daily or weekly redemption. A great public help in time of trouble.

If a bank wished to use this excess circulation, we contend that it should be allowed to do so; and settlement in bank notes is the only means that will allow them at this time to come to the support of the public. In these times of war, who are the members of your association who take this unpatriotic position? It may be that some of the banks, for reasons best known to themselves, for settlement, wish to keep strong in war times, may not wish to take the risk of accommodating customers or public. Altho our contention is that, given the franchise of doing a banking business and of issuing their own notes to the public based on gold payments, and having the gold payment thereof suspended, and having many other privileges, they owe some kind of duty to the public, who have them these checks and privileges; that on them are imposed reasonable duties. Can you tell us why you take the cream and refuse to churn?

It is all very fine for the Dominion Government to give themselves a moratorium in regard to suspending payment in gold for its own notes, and for the government to give a moratorium suspending payment in gold for bank notes; but getting these great privileges, you not only oppose a public moratorium, and perhaps you have good reason for that; but what reason have you for denying the full enjoyment of the excess circulation provisions, as we know you have been doing? We know bank managers prepared to say you have obstructed in this case.

But we are not discussing so much the law of the pack as it concerns its different members, but we are protesting against the pack turning against the public and denying the public what it is entitled to in time of war.

The members of the Bankers' Association have a fine record for contributions to the Patriotic Fund, and we take off our hat to the gallant and knightly band. But the greatest fund in Canada in the wages and business fund in the banks wherever "to conserve the commercial and financial interests of the country." Are the Bankers' Association, as a body, proving their patriotism in this respect? And why, if individual members are anxious to wear the red cross badge of excess circulation for the support of the public prostrated by war, why do other members seek to restrain them in the mission?

And speaking of clearing house action, in times of trouble, in New York, would you be annoyed if we told you that the men who lead in advocating relief banking measures are always the men of the big and the strong banks? We can point out cases where the head of the City National Bank, but we propose to use it and to what has been decided on by the association, but we propose to use it and to our example set the way for others using it who have need of the relief measure to help customers and the public." Are our strong banks sitting with clubs in their hands, not the men who are not strong—but men who are anxious to be patriotic and "to conserve the commercial and financial interests of the country?" Would you, Mr. President, when in New York, boast to the president of the clearing house there how your association had intimidated the red cross bankers going out to succor business?

As a newspaper paragraph throwing some light on the matter, let us quote an editorial paragraph in The Toronto Star of last night, which very well summarizes the situation in England and emphasizes by contrast the situation here in Canada: "Now that the country is taking risks, the banks must take risks, too, and finance business." We warned the British banks that the government had not come to their aid in order to strengthen their balances or ensure their dividends, but expressly in order to enable them to finance the industries of the country and keep business going. That is plain talk, and it applies in Canada as well as in England.

What are you all doing, Mr. President, in utilizing the act of parliament to finance the industries of the country and to keep business going?

We will be only too glad to publish your reply and to give it all much prominence; because a great many people are asking questions about these things and are asking the newspapers and getting little answer from them; and they soon will be asking members of parliament; and members of parliament will be asking another as to why these things are; and so it is up to you and your associates to make answer to the public; otherwise, our minister of finance will have to talk to Lloyd George talked to the bankers of England. And we would not like to see Mr. White, the minister of finance, calling the bankers into the sinners' pew and begging them to wrestle with them in groups and singly on the great issue which we present.

Yours in loving reconnaissance, The World.

UNIFORMS ARE SCARCE BUT NO LACK OF MEN

There is a greater scarcity of uniforms than of men at the armories during the militia activities carried on every evening. The Queen's Own Rifles and the 48th Highlanders both are experiencing handicaps in the lack of accoutrements. Since it is impossible to properly clothe the men under drill at the present time, Major Donald of the latter regiment cabled to England for \$50 service uniforms and is expecting them in three weeks' time. The Q.O.R. are somewhat better off owing to the fact that some 400 of the old green regimental uniforms several years ago, are yet in good condition. These will be utilized until proper equipment is forthcoming.

The recruiting of both regiments is encouraging. Major Donald states that they are fast approaching the strength desired, and Captain Pellatt reports that new recruits at the last count. All the local regiments are counting on being nearly at war strength if a call should come within a month.

HAMILTON HOTELS NOTICE—AUTO TOURISTS To accommodate automobilists, the hotels are serving Table d'Hote dinners from 11:30 to 3 o'clock. Highest standard of cuisine and service. HOTEL ROYAL, Hamilton

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British Army and Navy

Canadian Press

LONDON, Sept. 10.—The British army today asked another half million to the regular army. The supplement used in the form of asking parliament to increase, say in the excess beyond 500,000 men voted Aug. 5 for the army.

This will bring in the army to a total of 1,400,000 men. Premier Asquith man, elective of joined the army of war. On one man had enlisted in the army was 35,000 men.

In moving a resolution of the raising of an 11th million, the prime minister had not counted on obtaining more than 400,000 men with 6 he proposed, the million men be a total of 900,000.

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WHOLE GERMAN ARMY TRIES TO STOP ALLIES' MIGHTY ON-RUSH

ASQUITH CALLS FOR HALF MILLION MEN

British Army Will Be Raised to Strength of Near-y Million and Half Men—Premier Pays Stirring Tribute to Sir John French's Force.

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Sept. 10.—Premier Asquith today asked parliament to add another half million men of all ranks to the regular army.

The supplementary estimates, issued in the form of a white paper asking parliament to vote this increase, say it represents the probable excess beyond the similar increase voted Aug. 5 which will be required for the army service.

This will bring the total of all ranks in the army to the unprecedented figure for Great Britain of 1,400,000 men.

Premier Asquith said that 429,000 men, exclusive of the territorials, had joined the army since the declaration of war. On one day he said, 32,250 men had enlisted. The average enlistment in the army in an ordinary year was 35,000 men.

In moving a resolution authorizing the raising of an additional half million men, the premier said that the time had not come to relax efforts to obtain more troops. After the reserves had been called out there were 400,000 men with the colors. On Aug. 6 he proposed that an additional half million men be recruited, making a total of 900,000.

This suggestion was approved, and the recruiting was so successful that by Sept. 9 439,000 men had joined making the total under arms only about 60,000 less than the 900,000 plan for today would bring the total army to approximately 1,400,000 men.

Congestion of Recruits. Premier Asquith paid a warm tribute to the war office organization, and

dealt also with the various difficulties connected with the rush of recruits. Measures have been taken, he said, to meet the congestion. These included an allowance of 75c a day to those for whom no accommodation could be found in the barracks. The grant was passed he was sure that the response would be no less keen and ample than was that to the first levy. He should then be in a position to put something like 1,200,000 men in the field. That was the provision of the mother country herself, exclusive of the territorials, the national reserve and the magnificent contributions promised from India and the dominions. It was an effort worthy of a great sacrifice.

As to the expansion of the army, the premier was sure that the houses of commons would be ready to grant money as occasion arose, but he wanted it clear that those showing an patriotic desire to help the country in the present crisis were not going to be treated in a niggardly or unaccommodating spirit.

Tribute to Army. "On the contrary," said Mr. Asquith, "they will be welcome to every provision which will be made for their comfort and well-being, so that they can take their place and play their part under the best possible conditions. I never show myself more worthy in the long centuries of its splendid traditions than in the last fortnight."

Andrew Bonar Law, leader of the opposition, expressed the opposition's cordial support of the government's proposals.

VOLUNTEERS FOUND PHYSICALLY FIT

Brigade Exercises to Begin at Valcartier Camp Next Monday.

HARDLY ANY ILLNESS

Rejections Under Ten Per Cent. — Equipment Still Being Issued.

Canadian Press Despatch. VALCARTIER CAMP, Sept. 10.—Organization of the Canadian expeditionary force has been conducted with such rapidity that brigade exercises will begin on Monday next. These will take up probably all next week and then will follow manoeuvres in which the combined force will participate. The latter, of course, will mean practically the termination of the training, but it is impossible to say how long they will continue.

Every man in camp is now in possession of a new Ross rifle and other equipment, such as clothing and boots, is being issued with great haste. By the time the manoeuvres begin it is possible that all equipment will have been issued and that all troops will be prepared for the test.

Men in Good Shape. Physically the men are in good shape, the daily grind having gradually hardened them to the strenuous work. The camp is comparatively free of illness, few men being in the hospital. The last of the soldiers are being examined for service abroad, with less than 10 per cent. of over 35,000 rejected.

The physical fitness of the volunteers greatly exceeds expectations, and as far as inoculation is concerned, it was stated by Col. Briggs, assistant director of medical service, tonight, that of the thousands treated there were only three in the hospital suffering from the effects. Training today was as strenuous as usual. Several battalions were taken to the rifle ranges shortly after 7 o'clock this morning and were drilled in skirmishing order until nearly 6 o'clock tonight with a recess at noon of half an hour. The 1st and 2nd brigades, working on the ranges two brigades of the artillery were manoeuvring all day on the territory located across the Jacques Cartier River.

ENJOYED THE FAIR



Mr. Wilfrid Laurier addresses the directors' luncheon at the Canadian National Exhibition yesterday.

FRENCH DOCTORS OFF TO ENGLAND

Germans Allowed Them to Leave After Ministering to Wounded Prisoners.

Canadian Press Despatch. ROTTERDAM, Sept. 10, via London, 7:09 p.m.—It is reported from Maastricht, Holland, that on Wednesday eight French medical officers passed thru the city on the way to England. They had been in charge of a convoy of French wounded which were taken near Namur and held as prisoners of war.

The medical officers were given permission to depart for England by way of Rotterdam. From England they will return to France.

WANT CONTROLLERS TO PROVIDE WORK

Earls Court B. I. A. Suggests That Cemetery Road Be Put Thru.

CHARITY NOT WANTED

Distribution of Empress of Ireland Fund Caused Discussion.

"Resolved, that a letter be sent from the Central B. I. A. to the board of control, requesting them to immediately proceed with the following improvements: Road thru Prospect Cemetery, Earls Court Park and the Innes Avenue bridge, and that married men residing in the district be employed on the work."

The above resolution was adopted at a meeting of the Central B. I. A., held in Little's Hall last evening, H. Farrey presiding.

W. Butler stated that he knew of a case in the district of a respectable family which, thru stress of unemployment, went behind with payments on a mortgage of \$300, and the land agents had foreclosed. Another family has been given five days' notice of foreclosure in similar circumstances.

"These are cases which will be brought before the Northwest Toronto Mutual Aid Association at their meeting on Saturday for investigation," said the chairman, "and I will urge upon that body the necessity for a moratorium being declared."

Would Provide Work. "With regard to the resolution adopted, to be sent to the board of control," he continued, "if that body acts promptly there will be work for at least 300 to 400 men in our district."

They are considering the advisability of spending thousands of dollars in charity. It would be better for them to spend this money on improvements and in giving men work.

"The minister of militia wants recruits," said W. Kirk. "Why does he not invite the men out of work to join the volunteers, teach them to

THIRTY-SIXTH REGIMENT TO PARADE TONIGHT

Rifle Practice Will Be Resumed at Long Branch on Saturday.

The regular weekly parade of the city companies of the 36th Regiment will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at the armories, High Park avenue, West Toronto, under command of Capt. Kemphorne, Capt. McCausland will examine recruits for promotion at this parade. Recruits for overseas and home service are wanted.

Rifle practice will be resumed Saturday afternoon at the Long Branch ranges. All men going will report to Capt. Hedges at 1 1/2 sharp at Sunnyside station. Rifles and ammunition will be provided.

CLARKSON SENDS FRUIT TO VALCARTIER CAMP

Residents of Clarkson have decided to present the troops at Valcartier with two carloads of fruit and vegetables. The gift has been organized under the auspices of the Fruit Growers' Association, of which R. C. Shook is president. All those contributing are requested to have their produce at the Grand Trunk station by one o'clock this afternoon, when the cars will be loaded.

REMEMBERS DAYS OF FORMER WAR

Captain McKay of Kingston Saw Von Shultz Taken to His Death.

THIRTY-SEVEN—EIGHT

Quarter Century Has Passed Since Prisoners Were Held at Fort Henry.

Special to The Toronto World. KINGSTON, Sept. 10.—In the best of health and 93 years of age, Kingston's veteran citizen, Capt. R. H. McKay, can recall incidents of over three-quarters of a century ago, when prisoners of war were confined in Ft. Henry in the years 1837 and 1838.

Congestion of Recruits. "Little did I think I would live to see the day when the old fort would be used for such purpose again," he remarked.

"I well remember the occasion when two batches of prisoners were brought to the fort. One batch was picked up by Toronto and hurried to Kingston under the charge of military guards and placed in the fort. A second batch was rounded up down the St. Lawrence River."

Capt. McKay can well remember the sensational escape which thirty of the prisoners made one day. One of them got hold of the plans of the fort, which had been thrown over the wall to him by one of his friends, and by that means he was able to find the places by which a person could get out in case of an emergency.

Used Submarine Passage. After scanning the plans over, a scheme was arranged and these thirty men made their escape thru one of the submarine passages.

One of the men John G. Parker, was captured. A court-martial was held and the escaped prisoner was ordered to be banished. His wife, however, placed a petition in circulation asking for the release of her husband, and when she had secured a number of signatures, made a special trip to England, with the result that her husband was pardoned.

The execution of Von Shultz is also very clear in the mind of Capt. McKay. Altho but a mere lad, Capt. McKay saw the execution of a German prisoner from the jail and convey him to the fort, where he was shot.

BERLIN DESPATCHES INFLUENCING SPAIN

Meagre News From France Heightens Impression of German Successes.

Canadian Press Despatch. PARIS, Sept. 10, 5:55 p.m.—A despatch to The Temps from San Sebastian says: "The paucity of war news from French sources is causing the Spanish press to be inundated with so-called German official communications, with the result that France little by little is losing what small influence she possessed. The foreign ministry gives out to the newspaper men accounts of German successes in France, altho the minister is careful to say that they are of German origin, but the fact that they are communicated to the foreign office stamps them with a certain authenticity."

PRUSSIAN PRINCE WOUNDED IN THIGH

Hit by Shrapnel Bullet in Battle — Cousin of the Kaiser.

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Sept. 10, 11:30 p.m.—Prince Joachim, Albrecht of Prussia, was wounded yesterday by a shrapnel bullet, according to an official Berlin despatch which has been forwarded by the Amsterdam correspondent of the Reuter's Telegram Company. The bullet penetrated the thigh, but is believed not to have injured the bone.

Prince Joachim is the son of the late Prince Frederick Albert, duke of Brunswick and a second cousin of the Emperor of Germany. He was serving as an ordnance officer on the fighting line when wounded, and was transported to the nearest garrison hospital. In 1908 he resigned from the army, the request of the emperor because of his relations with Baroness Liebenberg, a music hall singer.

GHEENT GRATEFUL TO BURGOMASTER

Saved Town From German Attack by Acceding to Demands.

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Sept. 10, 11 p.m.—Telegraphing from Ghent, Reuter's correspondent says: "The shop windows in the city display placards inscribed 'Long Live Our Burgomaster,' in recognition of the burgomaster's services in saving the city from a German attack."

"It now appears that the action of the burgomaster in entering into negotiations with the Germans and consenting to grant their requests for stores at first was opposed by the military authorities, and that only when the German troops that the city should not be defended because of his relations with Baroness Liebenberg, a music hall singer."

HAS TWENTY-TWO CLASSES AND NO MALE TEACHER

Case of Fern Avenue School Responsible for Change in Policy.

More male teachers for senior classes was the policy advocated yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the management committee. The discussion turned on the specific case of Fern avenue school, which has 22 rooms but has no male teacher adapted to and having the time to spare to teach athletic work.

The trustees were favorable to the large schools having another male teacher and instructed the board of inspectors to make a report on it.

The chairman moved that the board aid the patriotic information obtained thru the school children and the schools' visiting nurses, as to the families of soldiers needing assistance. The motion carried.

HEADING FOR JAPAN.

Commissioner and Mrs. Henry W. Mapp of the Salvation Army are at present visiting in Toronto. They are on their way to Japan to take command of the Army's operations there.

GUELPH YOUTH KILLED BY G. T. R. FREIGHT TRAIN

Special to The Toronto World. GUELPH, Sept. 10.—Frank Hall, aged 17 years, was instantly killed here tonight at 10 o'clock. In company with three youths he was riding a Grand Trunk freight train, which fell beneath the wheels at a point one-quarter mile east of the city limits.

His father is Thomas Hall, Guelph. An inquest is to be held tomorrow morning.

CANNOT TRANSLATE LETTERS FOUND IN DEAD MAN'S COAT.

Foreigner Killed in Street Accident Awaiting Identification. An unknown foreigner was knocked from a bicycle at the corner of Adelaide and Simco streets yesterday morning by John B. Smith Lumber Co.'s motor truck and instantly killed. Another man was injured on the handlebars was uninjured, but made his escape before the police could question him regarding the accident. The police found two letters in the dead man's pocket, which, up till last evening, they had been unable to translate. The body now lies at the morgue, where an inquest will be opened this evening.

THE DUKE REVIEWS THE VETERANS



Graybeards who saw fighting in '66, lined up with veterans of the north-west rebellion and the South African war, at Exhibition Park yesterday. R. H. H. the Duke of Connaught passed up and down before the lines, accompanied by Major Colquhoun. It was a proud moment for the ex-servicemen.

NEW DANCING PLACE OPENS AT SUNNYSIDE

The only floor in Toronto laid specifically for dancing is one of the features of the new Palais de Danse, opening its winter season at Sunnyside avenue and Queen street Saturday. Every stick of hardwood was tongued or grooved on every edge, then set together so that the surface is like a stretch of glazed veneer. It is claimed to be the smoothest dancing floor in the city. Demonstrations will be given tonight by Frank Bant, proven expert in new steps. A highly efficient orchestra is engaged and the new dancing hall, with its tastefully decorated side rooms, will likely make good its purpose, that of being a public, yet exclusive, place for learning and enjoying the best forms of society dancing.

FEAR FOR MISSIONARY.

LONDON, Ont. Sept. 10.—Apprehension is felt for the safety of Rev. T. B. Westgate, a graduate of Huron College, who is an Anglican missionary in German East Africa.

Exhibition Visitors. Don't fail to call at Dunning's famous restaurant. Best to eat, best to drink. 27-31 West King street, 28 McClellan.

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\$1.00 Shoe Trees, men's and women's50

Evans' 50c Patent Rubber Heels, reversible and interchangeable, men's and women's25
Schell's Footster \$2.00 Arch Supports, men's and women's. Half-price1.00
Men's \$2.50 Chocolate Kid Traveling Slippers, in leather case, all sizes1.45

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GALLANT BRITISH FORCES SALEM BRITISH FRONTIERS DURING FOUR-DAY RETREAT

French Troops Unable to Give Aid When Situation Most Critical--Gen. Smith-Dorrien's Heroic Defence Enabled Force to Retire to Safety, Says Sir John French.

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Sept. 10.—The text of the report of Field Marshal Sir John French, in command of the British forces in France, covering the British operations since they landed in France, was made public today.

The details of the retreat from the neighborhood of Mons as published in The London Gazette, the official organ, show that the position of the British force was at one time most perilous, and that Sir Horace Smith-Dorrien belongs in a large measure, credit for the saving of the situation.

Here of the Hour. Sir John French says: "I cannot close the brief account of this glorious stand of the British troops without putting on record my deep appreciation of the valuable services rendered by Sir Horace Smith-Dorrien. I say without hesitation that the saving of the left wing of the army under my command on the morning of the 25th could never have been accomplished unless a commander of rare and unusual coolness, intrepidity and determination had been present to conduct the operations."

"It is impossible for me to speak too highly of the skill evinced by the two general officers commanding army corps, the self-sacrificing and devoted exertions of their staffs, the direction of troops by the divisional brigade and regimental leaders, the command of small units by the officers, and the magnificent fighting spirit displayed by the non-commissioned officers and men.

When Retreat Started. After describing the taking up of the original position "along the line of the canal from Conde on the west, thru Mons and Binche on the east," Sir John French told of the German attack in force at Mons, and of a "most unexpected message from Gen. Joffre on the afternoon of Aug. 25, telling me that three German army corps were moving on my position in front, and that a second corps was engaged in a turning movement from the direction of Tournai. He also informed me that the two reserve French divisions and the fifth French army corps on my right were retiring, the Germans, in the meantime, having gained possession of the passage of the Sambre between Charleroi and Namur."

When the news of the retirement of the French, and the heavy German force threatening my front reached me, I endeavored to confirm it by telephone reconnaissance, and as a result of this I determined to effect a retirement to the Maubeuge position at daybreak on the 24th."

Danger of Annihilation. The British force faced the danger of annihilation on Aug. 24, after a retreat to Maubeuge, in which Gen. Smith-Dorrien's force suffered great losses.

The report continues: "At nightfall a position was occupied by the second corps to the west of Bavay, the first corps to the right. The night was protected by the fortress of Maubeuge, the left by the 19th brigade, in position between Jenlain and Bruay, and cavalry on the outer flank at the French position still retiring, and I had no support except such as was afforded by the fortress of Maubeuge, and determined efforts of the enemy to get around my flank assured me that it was his intention to hem me against that place and surround me."

Troops Exhausted. "I felt the situation must be lost in returning to another position. I had every reason to believe that the enemy's forces were somewhat exhausted, and I knew that they had suffered heavy losses. I hoped therefore that the pursuit would not be too vigorous to prevent me effecting a retirement. The operation, however, was full of danger and difficulty, not only owing to the very superior forces in my front, but also to the exhaustion of the troops."

The retreat was recommenced in the early morning to the 25th, to a position in the neighborhood of Lecauteau, and the rear guard were ordered to retire to the position of Lecauteau road, south of La Chapelle. In this position the division rendered great help to the effective retirement of the second and first corps to new positions.

Further Retreat. "Although the troops had been ordered to occupy the Cambria-Lecauteau-Leclercq position and ground had during the 25th, they were partially surrounded and entrenched. I had grave doubts owing to information I had received as to the accumulating strength of the enemy against me, as to the wisdom of standing there to fight."

and the enemy, and afford the former some opportunity for rest. Beat Enemy Off. "Orders were given for a retreat to the general line of Vermand, St. Quentin and Ribemont on Aug. 25. About 5.30 that night the fourth guards brigade in Landreocles was heavily attacked by troops of the Ninth German Army Corps, who were coming thru the forests to the north of the town. This brigade fought most gallantly and caused the enemy to suffer a tremendous loss in passing from the forest in to the narrow streets of the town. This loss has been estimated from reliable sources at between 700 and 1000."

"At the same time information reached me from Sir Douglas Haig that his first division was also heavily engaged on the east of Marlies. I sent urgent messages to the commander of two French reserve divisions on my right to come up to the assistance of the first corps, which was eventually dislodged owing to this assistance, but mainly to the skillful manner in which Sir Douglas Haig extricated his corps from an exceptionally difficult position in the darkness of night, they were able at dawn to resume their march towards Wasigny and Guise."

"On the 24th the French cavalry corps, consisting of three divisions under Gen. Sordet, had been in Binche, north of the town, and was back from Bavay, which was my post de commandement, during the fighting of the 23rd and 24th. I visited Gen. Sordet and earnestly requested his cooperation and support. He promised to obtain sanction from his army commander to act on my left flank, but his move before his horses were too tired to move after the night of the 23rd. He rendered me valuable assistance later on in the course of the retirement, he afforded me the reasons given to me on the critical day of the 25th."

Desperate Stand. "At daybreak it became apparent that the enemy was throwing the bulk of his strength against the left of the position occupied by the second corps and the fourth division. At this time the guns of four German army corps were in position against them, and Sir Horace Smith-Dorrien reported to me that he judged it impossible to continue his retirement at daybreak, as ordered, in the face of such an attack. I sent him orders to use his utmost endeavors to break off the action and retire at the earliest possible moment, as it was impossible for me to send him orders to that effect, being at the moment incapable of movement."

The French cavalry corps under General Sordet, coming up on our left rear early in the morning, and sent him an urgent message to do his utmost to come up and support the position of my left flank, but owing to the fatigue of his horses he found himself unable to intervene in any way.

"There had been no time to entrench the position properly, but the troops showed a magnificent front to the terrible fire which confronted them. The artillery, alto unmounted, fought at least four to one, made a splendid fight and inflicted heavy losses on their opponents."

Army Saved. "At length it became apparent that if complete annihilation was to be avoided, retirement must be attempted, and the order was given to commence it about 8.30 in the afternoon. The movement was covered with most devoted intrepidity and determination by the artillery, which had itself suffered heavily, and the fine work done by the cavalry, in the further retreat from the position, assisted materially in the final completion of this most difficult and dangerous operation. Fortunately the enemy itself suffered too heavily to engage in an energetic pursuit."

"The retreat was continued far into the night of the 26th and thru the 27th and 28th, on which date the troops halted on the line from Novon, Chauny and Leferre, having then thrown off the weight of the pursuit."

French Assisted. "On the 27th and 28th I was much indebted to General Sordet and the French cavalry division which he commands, for material assistance in their retirement and successfully driving back some of the enemy on Cambrai. General D'Amade also, with the 61st and 62nd reserve divisions, moved down from the neighborhood of Arras on the enemy's right flank and took much pressure off the rear of the first corps."

"This closed the period covering the heavy fighting which commenced at Mons on Sunday afternoon, Aug. 23, and which really constituted four days' battle. At this point there, I propose to close the present despatch. Held Off 200,000. "I deeply deplore the very serious losses which the British forces suffered in this great battle, but they were inevitable in view of the fact that British army only a few days after concentration by rail, was called upon to withstand the vigorous attack of five German army corps (300,000 men)."

The report concludes with Sir John French's tribute to Gen. Smith-Dorrien, Sir David Henderson, in command of the flying corps, and general and personal headquarters during this trying period.

Satisfactory Advance is Made Into Enemy's Territory, Says Official Report.

Canadian Press Despatch. NISH, Serbia, Sept. 10.—An official communication issued here today declares that large numbers of Serbian troops crossed the River Save, which marks the boundary between Serbia and Hungary from Belgrade to the Bosnian frontier, between Sept. 5 and Sept. 6, and are advancing satisfactorily into the enemy's territory. One detachment, while attempting to cross the Save, encountered strong resistance from a force of the enemy much superior in numbers, and was compelled to retire. Part of the detachment was captured, together with a small amount of war material. Near Belgrade another small detachment crossed the Save into the enemy's territory.

British Official Information Bureau Gives Out Report.

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Sept. 10, 2.10 p.m.—It is stated that the British cruiser Pathfinder, which was torpedoed in the North Sea, Sept. 6, supposed by the Germans to be a mine, was in reality sunk by a torpedo. This information is released by the official information bureau.

Wounded Numerous, But Injuries Slight—Death Rate Two Per Cent.

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Sept. 10.—The Bordeaux correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company states that, according to a statement made today by a member of the health department in the ministry of war, the present European war was not resulting in a very heavy loss of life.

GERMAN PRISONERS TO SWEEP MINES?

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Sept. 10.—That German prisoners are being pressed into the service in the highly hazardous work of sweeping the North Sea of mines, was a suggestion made in the house of commons today. Great Britain now has a large number of German prisoners of war, and German prisoner crews under British officers would handle such craft if the plan outlined were adopted.

GERMAN FLEET SIGHTED. LONDON, Sept. 10, 5.40 a.m.—A despatch to The Daily Telegraph from Copenhagen announces that a German squadron of 31 ships, including battleships, cruisers and torpedo boats, was sighted along the Gulf of Bothnia steaming east.

BOERS READY TO FIGHT FOR BRITAIN

Premier Botha Points to Military Operations Against German S. W. Africa.

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Sept. 10.—A Cape Town despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. says that Gen. Louis Botha, premier of the Union of South Africa, delivered an eloquent address in parliament in which he emphasized South African determination to assist in maintaining the integrity of the empire.

Belief by Diplomats—Only Means to Avoid Break Up of Empire.

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Sept. 10, 6.20 a.m.—A despatch to The Chronicle from Petrograd says: "In Russian and foreign diplomatic circles it is believed that Austria will sue for peace within a fortnight, as the only means of avoiding a complete break up of the empire, which is rapidly growing internal troubles."

GERMAN CHARGES USED AS PRETEXT

French, Foreign Office Indignantly Repudiates Story of Dum-Dum Bullets.

Canadian Press Despatch. BORDEAUX, Sept. 10.—The French foreign office today issued a note protesting strongly against the statements given out by the German government, accusing the allies of using dum-dum bullets.

TO CHASE GERMAN CRUISERS. MONTEVIDEO, Sept. 10.—The British cruiser Goodhope arrived here today.

Acid Stomachs Are Dangerous

THE ORIGINAL 1854 CANADA S.S. LINES

New Time-Table Montreal Steamer No sailing September 10 or 11. Steamer "Toronto," last of season, 2 p.m. Saturday, September 12. Steamer "Belleville" leaves Toronto Monday, September 14, at 10.30 p.m. for Bay of Quinte and Montreal.

Hamilton Steamers Leave Toronto 8 a.m. 11.15 a.m. 2 p.m. 5.05 p.m. daily, up to and including September 12. Thereafter, after two trips only, daily, except Sunday.

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Lackawanna Railroad Excursion--Sept. 17 New York City

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Yesterday morning of the Woman's Sherbourne street...

embassy. This statement came as the result of reports that non-belligerent ships had been blown up by floating mines, which the British have attributed to the Germans.

Fall Overcoats \$15

Formerly sold at \$22.50 and \$25.00. Busy is the word in our Overcoat section yesterday. You'd better come today and make a clear

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COURTNEY WINS THE STEEPLECHASE

Splendid Field of Timber-Toppers in Feature at Belmont Park.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Clear and cool weather and a fast track attracted an unusually large mid-week crowd to Belmont Park today. The Corinthian Steeplechase, handicap, for three-year-olds and up, for \$1000 added, about two miles, the feature of the day's card, brought out a splendid field of timber toppers. Courtney, who opened at 7 to 5 and went to the post a well-played 11 to 10 favorite, breezed home in a record time. Compliment did not begin to run until two jumps from home, and then he came on fast. The field got off to a good start after being three minutes at the post. He caught Kepton, who finished second, and George Eno at the last jump, and drew away on the flat. George Eno tired from setting the pace and was beaten for third money by Footlights, an 18 to 1 shot. The third race, for mares of all ages, was down for another feature, but only two starters faced the barrier. The race was between Hester Prymme, who closed at 3 to 1, and Asyde, at 5 to 1. Asyde got off in front and after making the running to the last furlong was passed by Hester Prymme, who drew away handily. FIRST RACE—Three-year-olds and up, selling, one mile: 1. Royal Meteor, 109 (Buxton), 15 to 20, 1 to 3 and out. 2. Progressive, 110 (McCahey), 5 to 1, 3 to 2 and out. 3. Northerner, 106 (McTaggart), 3 1/2 to 1, 4 to 5 and 1 to 3. 4. The Nibs Capt. Swanson and Muddill also ran. SECOND RACE—Two-year-old fillies and geldings, five furlongs: 1. Sharpshooter, 109 (Karrick), 7 to 2, 6 to 5 and 1 to 2. 2. Saranet, 114 (McCahey), 10 to 1, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1. 3. Doublet, 114 (Kendrick), 8 to 5, 4 to 3 and out. 5 to 10. 4. Waterdown Astrology, Baby Cole and Reliance also ran. THIRD RACE—Mares, all ages, handicap, six furlongs: 1. Hester Prymme, 115 (McCahey), 1 to 3 and out. 2. Asyde, 105 (Butwell), 5 to 2 and out. Time 1:12 1/5. Only two starters. FOURTH RACE—Three-year-olds and up, selling, six furlongs: 1. Earl, 106 (Ford), 7 to 2, 4 to 5 and out. 2. Undaunted, 107 (Butwell), 7 to 5, 1 to 3 and out. 3. Yellow Eyes, 106 (McCahey), 11 to 10, 1 to 4 and out. Time 1:13. Only three starters. FIFTH RACE—The Corinthian Steeplechase, handicap, three-year-olds and up, \$1000 added, about two miles: 1. Courtney, 153 (Travers), 8 to 5, 3 to 2 and out. 2. Kepton, 134 (Tighe), 7 to 2, 16 to 5 and 1 to 2. 3. Footlights, 146 (Haynes), 8 to 1, 5 to 2 and even. Time 4:09. George Eno, Astute and Adventures also ran. SIXTH RACE—Maiden two-year-olds, selling, five furlongs, straight: 1. Gleaming, 108 (McCahey), 11 to 5, 7 to 10 and 1 to 5. 2. Hanson, 103 (Sumter), even, 1 to 2 and out. 3. Ritz Ma'En, 105 (Ford), 15 to 1, 5 to 1 and 5 to 2. Time 1:08 1/5. Maryland Girl, Videt, Fris, Goodwood, Sabie and Clontarf also ran.

AT BELMONT PARK. NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Belmont Park entries for tomorrow are as follows: FIRST RACE—Three-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs, main course: 1. Beethoven, 110 (Travers), 11 to 10, 4 to 5 and 1 to 2. 2. Calumny, 114 (Ambrose), 3 to 1, 5 to 2 and 1 to 2. 3. Puritan Lass, 106 (Metcalfe), 10 to 1, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1. Time 1:15 1/5. May L. Leneval, The Governor, Sackcloth, Lamb's Talk, Billy Collins, Cullion, Nevada Moss, General Ben McClintock and Strife also ran. SECOND RACE—Purse \$200, three-year-olds and up, non-winner, six furlongs: 1. Arran, 105 (Metcalfe), 8 to 5, 3 to 2 and out. 2. Chad Buford, 106 (Callahan), 15 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 3. Grizzle, 95 (Kelly), 20 to 1, 8 to 1 and 2 to 1. Time 1:15 1/5. May L. Leneval, The Governor, Sackcloth, Lamb's Talk, Billy Collins, Cullion, Nevada Moss, General Ben McClintock and Strife also ran. THIRD RACE—Purse \$1200, Hochelega Handicap, two-year-olds, six furlongs: 1. Ormulu, 118 (VanHusen), 4 to 5, 1 to 4 and out. 2. Sir Egar, 122 (Taplin), 4 to 1, even and 2 to 5. 3. Shyness, 113 (Burns), 12 to 1, 4 to 1 and even. 4. Stalwart Helen and Zin Dick also ran. FIFTH RACE—Purse \$600, steeplechase, four-year-olds and up, about two miles: 1. The African, 114 (Gaddy), 2 to 1, 3 to 2 and out. 2. Dorothy Webb, 149 (Hendry), 8 to 5, 2 to 3 and out. 3. Joe Gately, 186 (Williams), 16 to 1, 8 to 1 and even. Time 4:14 1/4. Malaga, Brossaud and Panama (fell) also ran. SIXTH RACE—Purse \$500, three-year-olds and up, selling, six furlongs: 1. Parlor Roy, 112 (Taplin), 7 to 1, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5. 2. Arnon, 97 (Metcalfe), even, 3 to 2 and out. 3. Armor, 107 (Callahan), 8 to 1, 3 1/2 to 1 and 4 to 5. 4. Dick's Pet, Cowl, Captain Ben and Houghton also ran. SEVENTH RACE—Purse \$1000, four-year-olds and up, \$1000 added, six furlongs: 1. Abbotford, 103 (Metcalfe), 4 to 1, 6 to 10 and 2 to 5. 2. Thrift, 105 (Callahan), 3 1/2 to 1, 4 to 5 and 1 to 3. 3. The Rump, 110 (Watts), 8 to 5, 7 to 10 and out. Time 2:09 1/2. Rinstock, Dick Deadwood and Annie Sellers also ran. EIGHTH RACE—Purse \$1000, three-year-olds and up, selling, six furlongs: 1. Parlor Roy, 112 (Taplin), 7 to 1, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5. 2. Arnon, 97 (Metcalfe), even, 3 to 2 and out. 3. Armor, 107 (Callahan), 8 to 1, 3 1/2 to 1 and 4 to 5. 4. Dick's Pet, Cowl, Captain Ben and Houghton also ran. SEVENTH RACE—Purse \$1000, four-year-olds and up, \$1000 added, six furlongs: 1. Abbotford, 103 (Metcalfe), 4 to 1, 6 to 10 and 2 to 5. 2. Thrift, 105 (Callahan), 3 1/2 to 1, 4 to 5 and 1 to 3. 3. The Rump, 110 (Watts), 8 to 5, 7 to 10 and out. Time 2:09 1/2. Rinstock, Dick Deadwood and Annie Sellers also ran. NINTH RACE—Purse \$1000, three-year-olds and up, selling, six furlongs: 1. Parlor Roy, 112 (Taplin), 7 to 1, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5. 2. Arnon, 97 (Metcalfe), even, 3 to 2 and out. 3. Armor, 107 (Callahan), 8 to 1, 3 1/2 to 1 and 4 to 5. 4. Dick's Pet, Cowl, Captain Ben and Houghton also ran. TENTH RACE—Purse \$1000, four-year-olds and up, \$1000 added, six furlongs: 1. Abbotford, 103 (Metcalfe), 4 to 1, 6 to 10 and 2 to 5. 2. Thrift, 105 (Callahan), 3 1/2 to 1, 4 to 5 and 1 to 3. 3. The Rump, 110 (Watts), 8 to 5, 7 to 10 and out. Time 2:09 1/2. Rinstock, Dick Deadwood and Annie Sellers also ran.

Today's Entries

AT BLUE BONNETS.

MONTREAL, Sept. 10.—Entries at Blue Bonnets for Friday: FIRST RACE—Purse \$100, selling, 2 1/2 furlongs: 1. Almoa Leslie, 98 (Betterton), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 2. J. B. Harrell, 103 (Caamba), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 3. Don Cortico, 103 (Caamba), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. SECOND RACE—Purse \$500, selling, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs: 1. Mordcaud, 103 (Droll), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 2. Toy Boy, 106 (Capt. Elliott), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 3. John Graham, 109 (Springmass), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 4. Black Chief, 105 (Ruby Hyams), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 5. Pampinea, 109 (Rubicon H.), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 6. Prince Ahmed, 114 (Armor), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. Also eligible: 1. Gordon, 103 (Sir Fretful), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 2. Brandy Wine, 114 (Spellbound), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 3. Malik, 103 (Gerrard), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 4. Canadian-breds, all ages, 7 furlongs: 1. Pepper Sauce, 99 (Casper Sauce), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 2. Marion Gately, 105 (Fitzthorpe), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 3. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 4. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 5. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 6. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 7. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 8. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 9. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 10. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 11. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 12. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 13. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 14. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 15. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 16. Slipper Hill, 106 (Lindesta), 10 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. 17. 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UNIVERSITY DEFICIT WILL BE LARGER

resident Falconer Says Government Grant Will Probably Fall Short Again.

FACULTY IS DEPLETED

Five Professors Fighting in Europe Now and Others May Go.

University work has been interfered with to the extent that three native members of the French staff are in their native country, probably fighting in the French army, and that Dr. Stadler, who was recently appointed to the staff in German, is still in Germany, and is doubtless wearing a German uniform.

Legislature Pays. Asked about the finances of the university, Dr. Falconer said that there was a deficit of \$50,000 last year, which had to be met by the legislature, besides their regular grant.

MRS. CARMAN FACING A CHARGE OF MURDER

Doctor's Wife Committed to Jail to Await Trial in December.

Canadian Press Despatch. MINNEOLA, N.Y., Sept. 10.—A super-heated indictment charging murder in the first degree was found this afternoon against Mrs. Florence Carman by the judge investigating the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey, shot down by an unseen assailant in the office of Dr. Edwin Carman at Prepost on June 30 last.

ELGIN COUNTY FULL OF PATRIOTIC ARDOR

Farmers' Wives Offer Feather Mattresses to Be Made into Pillows.

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, Sept. 10.—It is intimated here that the people of Elgin County are beginning a campaign to raise \$100,000 for the general war fund, in addition to what they are doing for the Patriotic Fund.

NEW NATIONAL SPIRIT IS ABROAD IN RUSSIA

Czar Observed Motoring Unattended Thru Streets of the Capital.

Canadian Press Despatch. NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Newton Booth Knox, a mining engineer of San Francisco, who has just reached London from Russia, relates that Emperor Nicholas may be seen motoring thru the streets of Petrograd unattended.

BALL PLAYERS HELP.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The American Red Cross today received a contribution of \$1200 from the American League baseball clubs and \$848.62 from the National League.

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Rev. M. B. Davidson Officially Inducted into New Pastorate.

BRITISH CAPTURE TWO MORE SHIPS

Orlando and Goldbeck Were Forced to Yield in Atlantic. The Orlando left Mejillones, Chile, on May 27 for the English Channel. The Goldbeck, a German barque, sailed from Tacoma on April 23 for London, and was reported as having passed the Lizard yesterday.

"RED CROSS" WILL HAVE CREW OF AMERICANS

Ship of Mercy to Leave United States Early Next Week. Canadian Press Despatch. NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Captain Rust of the steamer Red Cross announced this afternoon that he had succeeded in securing a crew composed entirely of American citizens and that the ship would sail on her errand of mercy to the wounded from European battlefields on Monday or Tuesday next.

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Teachers Wanted

SCHOOL OF MINING and College of Applied Science, Queen's University, Kingston, Ont. Applications will be received by the undersigned until Sept 20th for the position of lecturer in mathematics at \$1200 per year. Geo. Y. Chown, secretary. 245

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PLUMS FAVORITES ON FRUIT MARKET

The Supply Large, Demand Exceeds Offerings—Prices Become Stronger.

PEARS ALSO FIRMER

Quality of Fruit Improves With Season's Advance—Green Corn Scarce.

Plums sell more readily than most of the fruit being shipped on the market at the present time, and the wholesale supply did not equal the demand.

The Bartlett pears are of much better quality than formerly sent in and consequently the price was also better.

The overgreen corn is in such demand it is difficult to supply it. It sold at from 10c to 12c per dozen.

James Bros. had a good shipment of apples from W. J. Baker, Warwick, Ontario, and a shipment of choice peaches from B. D. Lowery, St. David, in 11-quart leno baskets.

Wholesale Fruits. Apples—30c to 30c per 11-quart basket. Blueberries—\$1.25 to \$1.50 per basket.

Bananas—\$1.25 to \$1.75 per bunch. Cantaloupes—11s, 20c and 30c; 16s, 30c to 40c.

Crab apples—20c to 25c per basket. Grapes—Tokay, \$2.25 to \$2.50 per box; Cabernet, 17 1/2c to 20c per basket.

Limes—\$1.25 per hundred. Lemons—\$5 to \$5.50, and \$4.50 to \$5 per box.

Oranges—\$2.75 to \$3 per box. Peaches—Washington, \$1 per box; six-basket crates, \$2.50.

Plums—11-quart flats, 60c; 5s, 40c to 50c; 11-quart leno, 85c to \$1.25. Pears—Bartlett, 40c to 60c per basket.

Years—Washington Bartlett, \$2.50 to \$3 per box. Watermelons—25c to 40c each. Whole-sale Vegetables.

Beets—75c per bag. Beans—20c per 11-quart basket. Cabbage—55c per bushel box.

Carrots—20c 11-quart basket; 75c per bag. Celery—Canadian, 55c to 60c per dozen.

Cauliflower—\$1 to \$2 per dozen. Cucumbers—10c to 25c per 11-quart basket.

Cor—4c and 7c per dozen; evergreen, 10c and 12c per dozen. Egg plant—10c to 15c per 11-quart basket; a drug on the market.

Onions—50c to \$1 per 11-quart basket. Onions—Spanish, \$2.25 per crate; large green Canadian, 30c per 11-quart basket.

Onions, dried, 35c to 40c per 11 quarts; American, \$2.25 per 100 lb. Onions—Picking, 75c to \$1.50 per basket.

Lettuces—50c per box; Boston head, \$1 per hamper. Parsley—A drug on the market. Peppers—Green, 11 quarts, 50c; red, 75c to \$1 per hamper.

Potatoes—30c per bag. Sweet potatoes—\$4.50 per barrel; \$1.75 per hamper.

Summer squash—20c per 11-quart basket. Tomatoes—Eleven-quart flats, 20c; 11-quart leno, 22 1/2c to 30c.

Turnips—50c per bag. Vegetable marrow—10c to 20c per 11-quart basket.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET. There were fourteen loads of hay brought in to the farmers' market yesterday, the price remaining unchanged.

Farm Produce, Retail. Grain—Wheat, fall bushel, \$1.10 to \$1.12. Barley, bushel, \$0.70 to \$0.72.

Peas, bushel, \$0.80 to \$0.82. Oats, bushel, \$0.58 to \$0.60. Eye, bushel, \$0.70 to \$0.72.

Buckwheat, bushel, \$0.75. Hay and Straw—Hay, per ton, \$21.00 to \$22.00.

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IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

D. R. WILKIE, President and General Manager. CAPITAL PAID UP \$7,000,000. RESERVE FUND 7,000,000.

BRANCHES IN CITY OF TORONTO. HEAD OFFICE—Wellington St. and Leader Lane.

Adelaide and Victoria. Bathurst and Dupont. Bloor and Lansdowne. Davisonville. Dundas and Bloor.

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SAVINGS DEPARTMENT at each Branch of the Bank, where interest is paid on deposits at current rates. Bank Money Orders, Drafts and Letters of Credit issued available in all parts of the world.

BANK OF ENGLAND WALL STREET IS MORE CHEERFUL

Weekly Statement Also Shows Drop in Circulation and Deposits. Hope of Early Peace in Europe Has Stimulating Effect.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Wall street inclined a willing ear to the many peace rumors current in the district today even though they were accepted with reservation in high banking circles.

Altogether, however, the financial situation made further progress towards betterment, as was shown by the decision of leading banking houses and bond dealers to resume business in high-grade securities, subject to certain necessary restrictions.

Interest centred mainly around the Washington conference of the bankers and the federal reserve board, from which came the announcement that a syndicate of nine bankers would care for \$20,000,000 of New York City's obligations held abroad, leaving only something like \$7,000,000 to be raised outside the city to meet other European obligations.

Also the exchange market failed to reflect any unusual conditions in connection with the plan for the payment of the city's debts to London and Paris, the belief still prevails that a round robin of gold, probably not less than \$25,000,000 will be shipped to Ottawa in connection with the city's obligations.

Cables and demand on London rose day after an early period of ease. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 19.81 per cent; last week it was 19.02 per cent. Rate of discount, 5 per cent.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes Wheat, No. 1, 126 1/2; No. 2, 115 1/2; No. 3, 114 1/2.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes Corn, No. 1, 74 1/2; No. 2, 73 1/2; No. 3, 72 1/2.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes Soybeans, No. 1, 55 1/2; No. 2, 54 1/2; No. 3, 53 1/2.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes Pork, No. 1, 22 1/2; No. 2, 22; No. 3, 21 1/2.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes Lard, No. 1, 11 1/2; No. 2, 11; No. 3, 10 1/2.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes DULUTH GRAIN MARKET. WHEAT—No. 1, 114 1/2; No. 2, 113 1/2; No. 3, 112 1/2.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET. WHEAT—No. 1, 114 1/2; No. 2, 113 1/2; No. 3, 112 1/2.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes BANK CLEARINGS. WINNIPEG, Sept. 10.—Bank clearings for the week ended today, \$25,112,940.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes QUEBEC, Sept. 10.—Bank clearings for the week ended today were \$2,821,422.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes OTTAWA, Sept. 10.—Bank clearings for the week ended September 10 were \$2,864,808.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes CHEESE MARKETS. BROCKVILLE, Sept. 10.—At today's cheese board the offerings were 2005 colosse and 1050 white.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes TURKS HAVE BUBONIC PLAGUE. LONDON, Sept. 10, 5.30 p.m.—A despatch to the Central News from Constantinople says that bubonic plague is causing severe ravages among the Turkish troops at Smyrna and other stations.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes CHICAGO LIVE STOCK. CATTLE—Receipts, 1200; market, firm; beefs, \$6.90 to \$11; Texas steers, \$6.85 to \$9.35; stockers and feeders, \$6.40 to \$9.20; calves, \$7.50 to \$11.50.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes HOGS—Receipts, 18,000; market unsettled; light, \$8.95 to \$9.85; mixed, \$8.50 to \$9.85; heavy, \$8.25 to \$9.85; bulk of sales, \$8.10 to \$9.25.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes SHEEP—Receipts, 36,000; market strong; native, \$5.10 to \$8; yearlings, \$5.25 to \$6.85; lambs, native, \$6.50 to \$8.15.

MARKET WEAKER FOR MOST CATTLE

Only Those of Good Quality Firm in Price at Stock Yards.

QUOTATIONS TOO HIGH. Buyers Say Values Must Come Down—Hog Prices Strong.

Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards on Thursday were 23 carloads, comprising 573 cattle, 268 hogs, 413 sheep and lambs and 46 calves.

Any cattle approaching good quality sold readily at firm prices, while those of light weights and common to inferior quality did not sell at as high values as on Monday and Tuesday, but all classes are too high for present conditions of trade.

The stocker and feeder trade was quite active at steady values. Very few milkers and springers were offered and values for them were unchanged.

Veal calves, sheep and lambs were firm at Wednesday's quotations. The deliveries of hogs were again light and prices were firm.

Choice steers sold at \$8.50 to \$9.30; loads of good, \$8.25 to \$8.50; medium to good, \$7.75 to \$8.15; medium, \$7.50 to \$7.75; common to medium, \$7.25 to \$7.50; inferior heifers, \$6.50 to \$7; choice cows, \$7.75 to \$7; good cows, \$7.25 to \$7.50; \$3 to \$4.50; choice bulls, \$6.75 to \$7.50; common bulls, \$5.50 to \$6.25.

Choice steers, 900 to 900 lbs., are selling at \$7.50 to \$7.75; good steers, 600 to 700 lbs., at \$6.75 to \$7.25; stockers, \$5.50 to \$6.50.

Milkers and Springers. A limited number of milkers and springers sold at \$2 to \$2.50 each, the bulk of sales being made between \$5 and \$5.50 each.

Veal Calves. Receipts moderate and values practically unchanged. Choice veal calves \$10 to \$12; good, \$8.50 to \$9.50; medium, \$7.50 to \$8.50; common, \$6.50 to \$7.50; inferior at \$5.50 to \$6.50.

Sheep and Lambs. Receipts moderate and values moderate. Sheep, ewes, light, and of good quality, sold at \$6 to \$6.25; heavy ewes 14 to 16 yearlings, \$4.25 to \$7; lambs sold at \$5 to \$5.50, the bulk going at \$3.50 to \$4.50.

Hogs. Selects, fed and watered, sold at \$9.75. Representative Sales. Rice and Whiskey sold 24 carloads.

Butcher's—24, 1000 lbs., at \$8.50; 4, 950 lbs., at \$8.20; 1, 800 lbs., at \$7.50; 2, 800 lbs., at \$7.25; 1, 700 lbs., at \$7.00; 1, 600 lbs., at \$6.50.

Cows—1, 1010 lbs., at \$7.80; 1, 1190 lbs., at \$7.25; 4, 1080 lbs., at \$6.25; 3, 1030 lbs., at \$5.50.

Bulls—2, 1410 lbs., at \$6.50; 3, 1550 lbs., at \$6.12 1/2.

Canners—3, 910 lbs., at \$4.35; 2, 920 lbs., at \$4.10.

Milkers—1 at \$8.00. One deck of sheep and lambs—Lambs, \$2 to \$2.50; sheep, ewes, \$2 to \$2.50; choice hogs, \$10 to \$12.

Hogs—One deck, \$9.75 to \$9.90, fed and watered.

Stockers—14, 780 lbs., at \$7.25; 4, 850 lbs., at \$7.15; 12, 900 lbs., at \$7.40; 2, 840 lbs., at \$7.20; 25, 770 lbs., at \$7.25; 800 lbs., at \$7.75; 3, 860 lbs., at \$6.25; 16, 820 lbs., at \$6.25; 4, 640 lbs., at \$6.25; 8, 820 lbs., at \$6.10; 5, 810 lbs., at \$6.10; 2, 800 lbs., at \$6.10; 6, 800 lbs., at \$6.10; 2, 820 lbs., at \$6.10; 4, 830 lbs., at \$6.10; 7, 780 lbs., at \$6.50.

H. F. Kennedy sold two loads of fat cattle. Good butchers' \$3.25 to \$3.60; medium butchers' \$2.75 to \$2.75; three loads of stockers at \$7 to \$7.25.

Dunn and Lovack sold. Butcher's—1, 900 lbs., at \$7.25; 12, 890 lbs., at \$7.35; 6, 790 lbs., at \$7.25.

Stockers—7, 820 lbs., at \$7.25; 1, 710 lbs., at \$7.25; 2, 275 lbs., at \$5.25; 4, 470 lbs., at \$5.25; 1, 780 lbs., at \$7.75; 1, 600 lbs., at \$5.25; 1, 600 lbs., at \$6.90; 4, 780 lbs., at \$6.10; 1, 670 lbs., at \$7.50; 7, 680 lbs., at \$5.25; 3, 710 lbs., at \$6.25; 1, 730 lbs., at \$5.25; 1, 850 lbs., at \$6.50; 1, 750 lbs., at \$6.25; 2, 750 lbs., at \$7.25; 2, 850 lbs., at \$7.25; 2, 900 lbs., at \$7.25.

Cows—1, 1000 lbs., at \$4.75; 2, 1240 lbs., at \$7.50; 2, 1150 lbs., at \$5.50; 2, 910 lbs., at \$5.25; 2, 1340 lbs., at \$5.25; 2, 980 lbs., at \$4.50.

Milkers—1 at \$8.10; 1 at \$7.50. Lambs—200 at \$3.50 to \$3.65. Sheep—25 at \$3 to \$3.50. Calves—30 at \$5 to \$11.

Horse—140 at \$9.85, fed and watered. Corbett Hall and Conklin sold 20 carloads of live stock: Steers and heifers, \$3 to \$8.40; choice cows, \$6.75 to \$7.25; good cows, \$5.50 to \$6.70; milkers and springers, \$6 to \$8.50; 1 load feeders, 900 lbs., at \$7.25; 1 load stockers, 700 lbs., at \$7.10; 1 deck of hogs, 700 weighed off, care at \$10; 1 deck of lambs at \$5.40 and \$6.60. And bought and shipped two car loads of feeders on order.

Samuel Hisev sold 1 deck of lambs at \$8.85; 1 deck of lambs at \$8.80. Sheep—25 at \$3 to \$3.50. 20 carloads of live stock during the past week: Butchers' steers and heifers, \$8 to \$8.60; cows, \$4.25

THE UNION TRUST CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A DIVIDEND OF TWO AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. for the current quarter, being at the rate of Ten Per Cent. Per Annum on the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Corporation, has been declared, and that the same will be payable on and after THURSDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF OCTOBER next to Shareholders of record at the close of business on the nineteenth day of September, 1914. Transfer Books will be closed from Sept. 21st to Sept. 30th.

By order of the Board. JOHN M. McWHINNEY, General Manager.

GEO. O. MERSON & CO., THE METROPOLITAN BANK

Notice is hereby given that a Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of The Metropolitan Bank will be held at the Head Office of the said Bank, in the City of Toronto, Ontario, on Monday, the 14th day of September, A.D. 1914, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon for the purpose of considering an agreement for sale by the said Bank of the Metropolitan Bank of its assets to The Bank of Nova Scotia, upon the terms set out in said agreement, a copy of which is mailed to each shareholder with this notice, and if deemed advisable of passing a resolution or resolutions approving the said agreement and authorizing the President and the General Manager of The Metropolitan Bank to affix to said agreement the corporate seal of the Bank and to sign and execute the same for and in the name of, and on behalf of the Bank; and also for the purpose of considering, and if deemed advisable of passing all such further and other resolutions for fully carrying out the said agreement and the terms thereof as the shareholders shall consider expedient or advisable, and for the purpose of authorizing the Board of Directors of The Metropolitan Bank to give all such notices and make all such applications, and to pass and execute all such resolutions, orders, deeds, instruments, matters and things as may be deemed necessary for the proper conduct of the business of the Bank and in the name of, and on behalf of the Bank; and also for the purpose of carrying out the same and distributing the proceeds of the said sale.

By order of the Board. W. D. ROSS, General Manager.

FLEMING & MARVIN

Members Standard Stock Exchange. 310 LUMSDEN BUILDING. Mining Stocks Bought and Sold For Cash.

Porcupine Legal Cards. COOK & MITCHELL, Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries, Etc., Temple Building, Toronto; Kennedy's Block, South Porcupine.

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By order of the Board. W. D. ROSS, General Manager.

U.S. MAY SUSPEND DUTY ON WHEAT

Rumored Action by Congress Depressed Prices in Chicago Pit.

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—Wheat suffered a decided setback in price today, mainly because of a movement in congress to suspend the import duty on that cereal, which has been in effect since 2% lower than Tuesday night.

Other leading staples, too, all underwent a setback, reaching 2% above Tuesday's final figures. Then the developments in congress began to take effect, and through the rest of the day the descent in quotations was virtually unchecked.

Differences between the top prices and the lowest level showed an extreme fall of 4% a bushel.

Corn Depressed. Corn had poor support and was handicapped by a bullish construction placed on the government crop report, the estimated yield being larger than expected. Much of the depression in the market, however, resulted from sympathy with the setback in wheat.

Peace talk and the break in other grains carried down oats. Many stop loss orders were executed on holders brought the provision market to the verge of a semi-panic. Brokers presumably acting for packers tried to stem the tide, but met with only indifferent success. The flurry came about chiefly because of the weakness of grain.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK. CATTLE—Receipts, 1200; market, firm; beefs, \$6.90 to \$11; Texas steers, \$6.85 to \$9.35; stockers and feeders, \$6.40 to \$9.20; calves, \$7.50 to \$11.50.

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UNION STOCK YARDS LIMITED

TORONTO LIMITED ONTARIO. THE PRINCIPAL MARKET FOR BEEF, FEEDER AND DARY CATTLE SHEEP, LAMBS, HOGS AND HORSES.

DIRECT CONNECTION WITH ALL RAILROADS.

By G. H. Wellington.

Making a Will

THE making of your Will should not be delayed. Whether you have much or little your Estate should be divided according to your wishes. This Company is well qualified to act as your Executor.

Wills appointing the Company Executor are kept in our Safety Deposit Vaults free of charge.

National Trust Company Limited. 18-22 KING STREET EAST, TORONTO.

That Son-in-Law of Pa's. CEDRIC DEAR, THIS IS TOO LOVELY OF YOU FOR WORDS!

IT'S NOTHING, MOTHER, RAHLY! THIS RING IS JUST DARLING, CEDRIC, DEAR!

JUST LOOK PA, WHAT CEDRIC BROUGHT ME! A DIAMOND NECKLACE!

AND HE BROUGHT SALLY A PERFECTLY LOVELY RING!

Store Opens at 8.30 a.m. The Robert Simpson Company, Limited Store Closes at 5.30 p.m.

Crockery Specials Saturday

60c a Dozen Tumblers for, Dozen, 27c — Splendid Quality Canadian Pressed Glass "Colonial" Style Water Tumblers, serviceable, strong, well-finished glass. Regularly 60c dozen. Saturday, per dozen 27
 Cannot fill orders for less than half dozen.

20c Jardinieres, Saturday, 9c—Excellent grade American 7-inch Jardinieres, blended red and green decoration; clear, even, perfectly smooth finish; hard, brilliant overglaze. Regularly 20c. Saturday special, each 9
 Not more than three to a customer. No telephone orders filled.

25c Globe Shape Tea Pots, 12/25—American Globe Shape Brown Tea Pots, four-cup size only, extra strong, serviceable ware. Regularly 25c. Saturday, special, each 12/25

English Fur Fabric Samples

FUR FABRIC SETS
 Including lamb, mole, pony, seal and ermine, about 60 sets in the lot; no two alike; the muffs are plain pillow shapes, the scarfs are about 6 inches wide and 72 inches long; all are nicely lined with mercerized saten or silk, priced at less than manufacturer's cost. Per set 2.50 to 4.50

New Dresses for Misses and Women \$3.95

Only 40 Dresses in the Lot — All brand new, in serviceable materials and smart styles; wool crepes, in shades of sage and tan and imported serges, in navy, black and sage. Becoming collar of Roman stripe with girle to match or trimmings of harmonizing shades. Another particularly smart style has a long tunic. Saturday, at 8.30, to clear 3.95

SMARTLY TAILORED SKIRTS

Made from excellent serge, in black or navy, black and white check and serge and check combinations. The styles are the newest, with long tunics, ornamented with buttons. Made to sell at 4.50. Saturday 2.98

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SUITS, \$8.95.

Made from splendid black and navy English serge; coats are silk lined and have tailored, notched collar, cut-away lengths, self or bone buttons as ornaments. Skirts have slightly raised waist line and tunic. Saturday 8.95

NEW BALMAICAN COATS.

Materials are mannish tweeds, in splendid range of shades, new ripple back styles with tailored collars. All sizes. Saturday 3.95

SPECIAL IN GIRLS' COATS.

Made from good tweeds, in the newest styles, including capes; some with a deep pleat down back and belt, Raglan and set-in sleeves and turnover collars; also a few heavier coats of splendid quality, in a good variety of colors. For ages 6 to 14 years. Saturday 3.95

New Millinery for Saturday

At \$5.00—Black Velvet Trimmed Hats, the shapes are all of the very latest; the quality of the best. They are trimmed with hawk feather, bands and mounts, with plush poppies, gold and silver braid, fancy ostrich mounts, and moire or satin ribbons. Saturday 5.00

At \$4.50—Black Velvet Shapes, made from a good quality of Lyons velvet, which shows its richness in finish; some of the shapes are decidedly new, and are sure to be picked up early. Each 4.50

At \$2.75—Shapes of good silk velvet, all new, and very becoming, two big tables for Saturday, at 2.75

Children's School Hats, for girls from 3 to 10 years of age. Three big tables of velvets, fancy corded silk and superior quality felt hats; many are New York samples; these are all nicely trimmed. Worth \$2.00 and \$2.50. Saturday 1.50

Lace Price Cut in Two

\$2500 Worth Hand-Made Irish Crochet Lace and Lace Collars, to sell Saturday morning for \$1250; \$20.00 Irish Collars, \$10.00; \$12.50 Irish Collars, \$6.25; \$12.00 Irish Sets, \$6.00; \$7.50 Irish Sets, \$3.75; \$6.75 Irish Sets, \$3.38; \$6.50 Irish Sets, 3.25

Real Irish Crochet and "Baby" Irish Lace Insertions and Laces, from 2 to 5 inches wide. Saturday, half-price: \$1.00 yard, for 50c; \$1.50 yard, for 75c; \$2.00 yard, for \$1.00; \$3.00 yard, for \$1.50; \$2.50 yard, for \$1.25; \$4.00 yard, for \$2.00; \$5.00 yard, for 2.50

Cotton Wash Laces for Underwear. Regularly 3c yard. Saturday, 12 yards 25
 Finest Quality Mull or Batiste Hand Loom Embroidered Yokes. Each 25
 48c Per Yard Frilled Baby Flouncings. Saturday 33
 33c 17-inch Corset Cover Embroideries. Saturday, yard 25
 Neckwear, 25c—136 dozen Women's Neckwear, including all the wanted styles; dozens of patterns to choose from, all one price 25
 50c Shadow Laces, on sale Saturday, yard 25
 Women's Lawn Handkerchiefs, 3 for 25c, 6 for 25c, 8 for 25

Gloves and Hose Reduced

Women's Glace Finish Kid Gloves, extra soft, pliable skin, two dome fasteners, oversewn seam, neat self point, perfect finish and fitting; black, tan and white; sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2; 75c value. Saturday 59

Women's Washable Chamoisette Gloves, very much like the real leather, wear and wash splendidly, extra fine cloth, two dome fasteners, strong sewn seams, will give good service, natural and white; sizes 5 1/2 to 8; 50c value. Saturday 39

Men's French Suede Gloves, medium weight skin, extra soft, pliable finish, shades tan and gray, heavy stitched back, oversewn seam, gusset fingers. Sizes 7 to 10; \$1.25 value. Saturday 79

Women's Thread Silk Hose, three-quarter silk leg; extra fine thread, sheer weave, deep lisle thread top, spliced heel, toe and sole; black, tan and white; sizes 8 1/2 to 10; 59c value. Saturday 50

Women's "Liana" and English Samples in Black Cashmere Hose, seamless, and fashioned; fall weights, extra fine yarns, close weave, best finish. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10; 40c value. Saturday 29

THE EXHIBITION RECEPTIONAL

TODAY AND TOMORROW crowds of visitors will face homeward.

TODAY AND TOMORROW bring the chance to turn the pleasure trip to practical account.

TODAY AND TOMORROW our store news tells of how the dollars spent will do double work for you, bringing you twice the usual quantity in some cases, in others twice the regular value.

TODAY our great \$1.95 sale is on. TOMORROW you can pick and choose among the following and many other goods specially bought and specially priced for week-end business. Store open 8.30 to 5.30.

Women's Wash Chamoisette Gloves 25c Pair

Come in shades, natural and white; equipped with two dome fasteners; neat raised cord back; strong sewn seams; serviceable, dressy, and good appearing; correct for fall wear. Sizes 5 1/2 to 8. Regularly 35c quality. Saturday .25

Embroideries on Sale Saturday

48c AND 58c YARD FOR 25c.
 3500 Yards 27-inch Swiss Embroideries, mostly in neat, effective eyelet designs, a good range of patterns to choose from. The price we ask is much below the Swiss manufacturer's cost. Saturday, 8.30 a.m. 25

Girls Middy Blouses

Finest quality white drill, straight style with yoke, long or three-quarter sleeves, laced front, deep sailor collar and cuffs of navy, scarlet or cadet blue flannel, three rows of white braid on collar, small pocket in front; our best quality; ideal for school wear; sizes 6 to 14 years. Regularly \$1.50. Saturday, 8.30 a.m. 55

1,000 Men's Soft Hats

Manufacturers' samples, in half-dozen and one-dozen lots; mixed and fur felts; mixed, plain and rough finishes; in a wide variety of colors. Regularly \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00. Saturday, 8.30 a.m. 75
 Men's Staff Hats; imported fur felt, the grade of trimmings, 95c, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50.
 Young Men's Soft Hats; American shapes; tapering, medium or high crowns, with contrasting bands, or self color trimmings, in navy, brown, slate, green or black. Saturday 2.00



Hand-Painted China at 39c

"Royal Nippon" Hand-painted Japanese China; floral and conventional; sugar and cream sets, in numerous shapes; whipped cream bowl, with ladle and plate; trinket or dresser sets (comb and brush tray, hat pin holder, hair receiver, powder box). Regularly 39c. On sale Saturday 8.30 a.m. 39

Fancy Linens Clearing

Hundreds of Pieces of Beautiful Imported Fancy Linens, to go with a rush Saturday at 98c. Included in these are Cluny, Venetian, Madiera drawn-work and Irish embroidery; in 5 o'clock centrepieces, tea covers, shams and scarfs. Regularly \$1.50 to \$4.25. Rush price Saturday 98
 See Yonge Street Window.

Embroidered Net Waists

144 Beautifully Embroidered Ecru Net Waists, in five distinct designs, mostly silk lined, well sized from 34 to 42 inches. Regularly \$1.95, \$2.48 and \$2.95. For Saturday selling at 8.30 a.m. 95

\$7.50 Bracelets Saturday for \$3.89

HALL MARKED 98c GOLD BRACELETS.
 Hand engraved, in many dainty designs, gold safety chain attachment, strong joint and catch. Regularly \$7.50. Saturday selling at 8.30 a.m., at 3.89

Half a dozen or more torpedoes sent into this group could not have played much greater havoc with prices. You may have the goods Saturday morning at fractions or splinters of their regular prices.
 (No phone or mail orders for these items)

Toilet Goods

Real Ebony Hair Brushes, with 11 rows of hand-drawn bristles. Special, each 59
 Grained Ivory Clocks, with reliable movements. Special, each 1.00
 French Tooth Brushes, with pure hand-drawn bristles. Special, each 15
 Hand Mirror, ebony finish, with 6-inch heavy bevelled plate glass. Special, each 98
 Yale's Skin Cream at half price, \$1.50 jar for 75c, \$3.00 jar for \$1.50.
 Imported Corylopsis Talcum Powder, 1/2-lb. tins. Special 10
 English Toilet Soaps, Buttermilk, Oatmeal and Glycerine and Cucumber. Special, 5 cakes for 25
 Toilet Paper in rolls. Special, 8 rolls for 25
 Phone direct to Toilet Department.

Curtains at Reduced Prices

400 PAIRS OF NOVELTY NET, MUSLIN, SCRIM AND MARQUETTE CURTAINS ON SALE SATURDAY.
 There are curtains for bedrooms, for living-rooms, for the dining-rooms, in Brussels net, scrim and marquette, trimmed with lace, insertion or edging, length 2 1/2 yards, width 28 to 45 inches. Regularly \$2.50 pair. On sale Saturday, pair 1.69
 Brass Curtain Rods, 70 Each—Brass Extension Rods, with silver slip-on ends, and hook brackets, extend from 30 to 45 inches. Regularly 12 1/2c. On sale Saturday, each 7
 Scotch Madras, 44c Yard—50c Scotch Madras, beautiful quality and cut designs, 50 inches wide, a very durable material and easily laundered. On sale Saturday, yard 44

In the Drugs

Absorbent Cotton, sterilized, in square cartons, per 3-oz. package, 25c; per lb., 45c.
 Wyeth's Lozenges, pepsin and charcoal, per oz. 3
 Wyeth's Lozenges, pepsin, bismuth and charcoal 10
 Digestive Compound Tablets, per 100 50
 Cascara Tablets, 3-grain, per 100, 25c; 5-grain, 35c.
 Castor Oil Capsules, 30-min., per doz. 15
 English Sherbet, per lb. 10
 Menthol Plasters, each in tin box 15
 Liver Granules, 50 in bottle .10; 3 for 25c.
 Blaud's Capsules, one pill with arsenic and strychnine, per 100 . 50
 Caroid and Soda Tablets, 50 in bottle 40
 Arnold's Catarrh Cure, 50c size .25
 Vibrators, "White Cross," special, \$12.00 and \$18.00.

Toric Eyeglasses

EXTRA \$3.50 SPECIAL.
 Regular values \$5.50 to \$8.00, complete with gold-filled chain and genuine leather case; these lenses are the best deep curved oval glass, large sizes. Better glasses cannot be obtained at any price. This means a saving of dollars and no extra charge for grinding. Eyes tested by specialists.
 (Optical Dept., Second Floor.)

Lighting Fixtures Specially Priced Saturday

Ceiling Shower, with three lights, suspended from a 12-inch ceiling plate with links of chain, fitted with fancy shades. Regularly selling for \$3.25. Saturday 2.25
 Dining-room Shower, finished in "Flemish Old Brass" or "Brush Brass," built for 2 lights, with 12-inch plate, suspended from ceiling on chains or rods, complete with suitable glassware. Regularly \$5.25. Saturday 4.59
 Square "Mission" Fixture, with 4 lights suspended with chain, with loose link arm ends, each supporting a square "Mission" lantern, fitted with amber art glass, finished "Brush Brass" or Mission "Bronze"; very suitable for dining-room or den. Regularly \$10.00. Saturday 10.39
 Crystal Parlor Fixture, combining semi-indirect and direct systems of illumination, fitted with hand-cut crystal bowl and prisms; metal parts cast brass, with ornate decoration; finished rich gilt and satin. Regularly \$21.00. Saturday 14.95
 (Electric Fixtures Department, Fifth Floor.)

Suits for Boys in English and Scotch Tweeds

Double and single-breasted Norfolk styles, with bloomers; brown and gray cloths, serge linings; sizes 25 to 33. Regularly \$7.00 to \$9.00. Saturday 4.90

BOYS' BROWN TWEED RUSSIAN SUITS.
 Single-breasted, with belt and elastic bottom bloomers, English tweeds, in brown; sizes 2 1/2 to 7 years. Saturday 3.49

Men's Winter Overcoats \$8.90

Double-breasted, convertible collar style, of materials selected by us from an English manufacturer's stock. Heavy all-wool coatings, in dark brown and gray diagonal patterns. We had them made up to keep a factory going in the quiet season, reducing the cost to us of manufacture, and enabling us to offer you \$12.00 values Saturday morning. Sizes 35 to 44 8.90

Men's \$15 to \$22 Fall Suits at \$12.95

Broken lines from our regular stock, including some fine English worsteds, and rich tweeds, in grays and browns; striped patterns, single-breasted, three-button, sack coat style. The vest is single-breasted, twill mohair linings. Sizes 34 to 44. To clear 12.95

FALL WEIGHT OVERCOAT, \$9.95, VALUE \$15.00.

In the lot are fine English cheviot, in plain black and in Oxford gray; also a number of young men's styles, in light gray tweeds and browns; they are cut in the fashionable single-breasted Chesterfield style, and also in young men's belted coats, twill mohair linings. Sizes 34 to 44. Regularly \$15.00. Saturday, 8.30 a.m. 9.95

MEN'S \$18.50 AND \$20.00 TWO-PURPOSE COATS, \$15.00.

English made, light weight, will turn the ordinary shower; of tan burberette cloth, Raglan shoulder and semi-Balmacaan style, silk sleeve linings, and silk through shoulders. Sizes 34 to 46. To clear Saturday 15.00

Men's Natural Wool Underwear

Mostly English makes, medium or heavy weights, double or single-breasted style, well-known makes, all sizes to select from. Regularly \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00. Saturday 1.00

MEN'S SWEATER COATS.

Some below cost price, heavy and extra heavy weights, high or medium collar, and several V-shape neck styles in the lot; some very warm knitted vests, with long sleeves also; lots of colors to select from, plain or fancy weaves. Regularly \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00. Saturday rush price at 2.98

WARM SHIRTS AT \$1.00.

Several Dozen of Men's Stripe Flannelette Shirts, made negligie style, with double cuffs and separate collar to match; a fine quality lightweight shirt, with lots of warmth and comfort; all sizes 14 to 18. Regularly \$1.50. Saturday 1.00

Flowers in the Basement

DIRECT TELEPHONES ADELAIDE 6100.
 1,000 Gladioli, assorted colors, No. 1 stock. Saturday per dozen 25
 100 only, Rubber Plants, 2 1/2 feet high, 10 leaves. Regularly \$1.00. Saturday 50
 100 Fern Pots, asparagus and mixed ferns. Regularly 30c. Saturday 20

Saturday Grocery List

TELEPHONE DIRECT TO GROCERY DEPARTMENT, A 6100.
 2,000 lbs. Fresh Creamery Butter, White Clover brand. Per lb. 24
 Toasted Cornflakes, 3 packages 24
 Loaf Sugar, 3 lbs. 21
 Clark's Pork and Beans, in chili sauce. Large tin . 25
 Baker's Marmalade, 2 lb. jar 24
 Shirrif's Cocoa, 1/2 lb. tin 24
 Finest Mild Cheese Per lb. 18
 Garton's H. P. Sauce. Per bottle 18
 Choice Red Salmon. Per tin 14
 Finest Canned Corn or Peas. 3 tins 25
 Choice Olives. 18-oz. bottle 25
 Basset Finest Sardines. Per tin 18
 Beehive Table Syrup. 2-lb. tin 12
 Macoonie's Pickles, mixed, chow and walnuts. Pint bottle 22
 Kkovah Custard Powder, 3 packages 25
 Finest Canned Strawberries and Cherries. Per tin . 20
 Kkovah Lemon Cheese, assorted. 4 packages . . . 20
 Blue Bell Jelly Powder and Raspberry Jan. 16-oz. jar . 20
 Aylmer Black Currant and Raspberry. 6 lbs. . . . 25
 Jersey Sweet Potatoes. 6 lbs. 15
 500 lbs. Fresh Peel Cake. Per lb. 25
 Fancy Mixed Biscuits. 2 lbs. 25
 FRESH ROASTED COFFEE, PER LB., 27c.
 1,000 lbs. Fresh Roasted Coffee, in the bean, ground pure or with chicory. Saturday, per lb. 27
 CANDY SECTION, MAIN FLOOR AND BASEMENT.
 500 lbs. Lowmy's Fancy Shape Chocolates. Per lb. . . 25
 1,000 lbs. Simpson's Special, an assortment of chocolate creams, caramels and bon-bons. Per lb. . . 25
 1,000 lbs. Quaker Chewing Candy. 2 lbs. 25
 1,000 lbs. Butterscotch Drops. Per lb. 25

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