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BELGIAN TROOPS SAID TO BE RETIRING FROM BRUSSELS

ENTIRE CHANGE IN PLAN OF CAMPAIGN MAY BE MADE NOW

Movement of Allies in Falling Back, Believed to Be Strategy on Their Part and Real Resistance Likely to Come Later—Today's News From European Centres

An entire change in the plan of campaign may be brought about by the finding of an opening to the north by the German armies in Belgium.

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The German soldiers have occupied the town of Tirlemont and their masses, pushing for the frontier, are believed to have come into contact with allies line of front.

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The censorship here is now so strict that no news of the war is going out of the city, except by courier.

An order has just been issued prohibiting the granting of further military passes to newspaper men, and others and also being that it is impossible for correspondents to go outside the city.

The populace does not appear unduly excited over the prospect of fighting in their streets. The crowds seem placid and the people are attending to their business as usual.

London, Aug. 20.—An official communication issued at Paris last night states that very large German forces are crossing the Meuse between Liege and Namur. The statement continues: "The French army is making a rapid advance on the Sella River, and at the end of the day, have reached Demin on one side of the river, and Montagne on the other."

A despatch to the Times from Paris, says that the first point at which the Germans crossed the French frontier was at Crey-Sur-Vesouse. Since then there has been continued fighting in that region until a day or two ago, when it ended in the victorious advance of the French forces, who inflicted a decisive defeat on the enemy and drove them back across the frontier east of Luneville.

The correspondent says that the laconic reports of the French minister of war, give little idea of the desperate struggle that occurred around the handful of villages scattered along the French border.

Point after point was taken and retaken by one side or the other.

Artillery Fight Terrible Paris, Aug. 20.—(8 a. m.)—An officer of a French rifle regiment gives the following account of the capture of the first German flag.

The engagement of the French troops with the 99th brigade of Germans lasted from 6.40 a. m. to 9 a. m.

The artillery combat was terrible. The French 75 millimetre guns made havoc among the German horses and then reduced the heavy German guns to silence.

The German machine guns from a church steeple continued to ravage the French, but the church was finally demolished.

At nightfall the French charged the enemy's defence works, with irresistible energy, and took it at the point of the bayonet.

They established themselves there for the night.

In this action the Fifth Company of the first battalion captured a German flag with eight guns, ninety horses and 587 prisoners, including ten officers.

German Move May Change Strategy On Both Sides

Paris, Aug. 20.—An official communication received from Brussels, says: "The Germans have gained ground on both banks of the river Meuse and are in contact with the armies of the allies."

120 VOLUNTEERS LEAVE TO-NIGHT FOR VALCARTIER

Local Boys Will Be Given a Rousing Send-Off—Names of Those in the Honor R. II.—Probable Line of March

The last good-byes are being said today by many local soldiers.

Parade orders have been issued for a muster about 6 p. m. for the volunteers from the Canadian Signalling Corps, No. 9 Field Ambulance, and No. 7 Army Service Corps, at the Lower Cove area.

Headed by the band regimental band, these three units in command of their respective officers, Major T. E. Powers and Lieut. Allan Leavitt.

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NOT ABLE-BODIED MAN IN BERLIN

City in Hands of Old Men and Boys, is Statement

LONDON, Aug. 20, 6.40 a. m.—The Times correspondent at Rotterdam telegraphs a statement, which he says was made to him by a party of Chinese medical men, who have arrived in Rotterdam from Berlin.

"When we left Berlin Saturday night," says the statement, "the city was in the hands of old men and boys. Not an able bodied man was to be seen. All the bridges were guarded by boys of about fourteen years, who stood with fixed bayonets on a fortnight ago the Friedrichstrasse bridge was badly damaged by a Russian bomb. We, ourselves, saw the damage done."

"A corps of amazons is being raised in Berlin, leaflets having been distributed to the women to arm."

"A week ago an attempt was made to blow up the bridge of Zoologische without success. A Russian spy being sabred by an officer. The German soldiers look very fit and splendidly equipped."

SOLDIERS' AND FAMILIES PATRIOTIC FUND

Soldiers' and Families' Patriotic Fund. City of St. John, N. B. \$2,000

Survivors from Wrecked Steamer Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 19.—Bringing in twenty-six survivors from the wreck of the steamer Prince Albert, the Prince John docked at noon today at Prince Rupert. One life, that of a child, was lost.

FATHER WERNZ REPORTED DEAD London, Aug. 20.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegram Company from Rome says that Father Francis Xavier Wernz, head of the Jesuit order, died in Rome this morning, almost simultaneously with Pope Pius.

AGAINST THE AUTOMOBILE Charlotte, N. B., Aug. 20.—Yesterday forenoon from all parts of the island met and organized a provincial anti-automobile association. Strong and fiery speeches were delivered against the running of these machines, and candidates at the next provincial election are to be asked to pledge themselves to prohibit them from the province.

Senate Heartily Endorses Defense Measures of the Government Ottawa, Aug. 20.—The Canadian senate yesterday declared its loyal adherence to the measures of defense proposed by the government and to the aid which the dominion will send to Great Britain. There was not a jarring note in any of the six speeches delivered and all the members spoke brilliantly.

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Conclave For Election of Pope May Be Held In Holland

Majority of the Cardinals in Favor of Holding it in Rome, However—End of Pope Pius Came With Startling Suddenness—His Great Grief Over The War



POPE PIUS X. Against each other, ready to take each other's lives."

Rome, Aug. 20.—Cardinal Della Volpe, chamberlain of the church, on the Pope's death early this morning, assumed the direction of the holy see, during the interregnum. A message had been sent to the Pope's brother urging him to come to Rome as quickly as possible, while the Pope's sister, Signora Parolin, reached the Vatican before death ensued.

Confusion reigned at the Vatican because those, with the exception of the papal secretary, who takes charge of affairs in such an emergency, were out of Rome. So little was the death of the Pope expected. Outside the apostolic palace the scene was mournful. From the Pope's sister, Signora Parolin, reached the Vatican before death ensued.

The change came suddenly during the forenoon yesterday, and early in the afternoon their attendance announced that the death was imminent.

As is the practice at the Vatican, the news of the death of the Pope was withheld from the public until it had been officially announced to the various governments. Then it was made known here.

The matter of a conclave was discussed today. It is said that a majority of the cardinals are in favor of holding it in Rome, as is usual, and further because of the neutrality of Italy in the present war. Others, however, suggested that it would be better to meet in Holland, a country which they regarded as even more neutral than Italy.

The arrival of Cardinal Della Volpe, chamberlain of the church, from Innsbruck today, was anxiously awaited. As chamberlain, he will direct the holy see temporarily, and will conduct the traditional ceremony in which the Pontiff is officially pronounced dead. The arrangements for this ceremony were being perfected by Cardinal Merry Del Val, who refused to take any rest although it is said that he has not been in bed since last Saturday.

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WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

Synopsis—The weather continues showery in the Peninsula of Ontario. Elsewhere in the dominion it is fine.

Fine and Warm Maritime—Light to moderate winds, cool and warm today and on Friday.

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War Map of Belgium, the Netherlands and the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg



Canada In The War Newsy Notes of Activities in Many Parts of Dominion

Over \$5000 has been collected in Ottawa for the hospital ship. Many Ontario Indians, members of the Six Nations, are volunteering at the recruiting stations. The French-Canadian women of Ottawa have formed a special organization to collect funds for the hospital ship. Lady Mackenzie, wife of Sir William Mackenzie, will present each of the one thousand members of the Princess Patricia's Light Infantry who smokes with a briar pipe. The Assembly of Ontario endorses the action of Great Britain in this war and the action of John Redmond in pledging the support of the Irish volunteers. Ottawa will probably insure each of its soldier boys for \$1,000 following the example of Toronto. There are already more than a thousand men at Valcartier. Ontario horse dealers tried to hold up the militia department for enormous prices for horses for artillery purposes. The war will have a very serious effect upon the regular staff of the Montreal Technical School. There are five gone from the staff already to the war, and three more are awaiting for instructions. Colonel Morrison, director of artillery in Canada, has renewed his protest against the practice of recruiting using the privilege granted them by the militia department to prevent their husbands going to war. They should be willing, he says, to make sacrifices. A Milan despatch says the main body of the Montenegrin troops, has been incorporated as an army corps in the Serbian army. The Albanian insurgents are moving forward rapidly, they occupy Piana and are now marching south on Avlona, on the Gulf of Arona, in the Adriatic.

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LOCAL NEWS

ECONOMY. \$80 made to order suits for \$19.50 at Fidgeon's, because the rent is low.

Drill tonight, St. Stephen's Cadets. Business of utmost importance. By order Mastered Brown, Capt.

CONCERT TONIGHT The Carleton band will give a concert at Tilley Square this evening. The bandmen will meet at their band room at 7.30.

AT THE ARMORY Mrs. Edward Sears will make a presentation of pipes to the men of the Tenthory this evening before they leave for the war.

THE LEONFIELD On Monday the dredge Leonfield, which is lying submerged on the Beacon Bar, will be lifted and placed higher up on the land, so that temporary repairs can be made to the hull in water. She will then be hoisted and placed on dry dock. The high tides of next week will be suitable for moving the vessel further up on the bar.

AT SAME RATE M. E. Grass, high chief ranger of the I. O. Foresters, received a letter today from the Supreme Court in Toronto, informing him that all members of that order going to the front in the present war would have their insurance carried at the old rate, but the advice was given not to write any new business at this scale.

REMANDED Dr. Malcolm gave evidence this morning in the preliminary examination of John Walsh, charged with assaulting William London. The prisoner was further remanded.

DAMAGING THE STREET. Policeman Corbett has reported Fred Council for driving a wagon over a newly paved part of Main street and damaging the cement. Drivers of automobiles numbers 48 and 1888 have been reported for the same offence.

AFTER GERMAN RESERVISTS A corporal's guard from the 62nd Regiment St. John Fusiliers, will be sent by Colonel J. L. McAvity to McAdam on the Montreal train to bring back two reservists held there. The two men who came from Sydney, C. B., and are understood to have been trying to leave the city, were brought back tonight on the Boston train and held by the local militia authorities.

PICNIC YESTERDAY The members of Dominion Lodge, No. 18, L. O. B. A., Simonds street, enjoyed an outing to Silver Falls yesterday, to the home of Joseph Brown, where they were treated to a picnic. Quite a number went out and had supper afterwards enjoying dancing and music. The return home was made about 10 p.m.

PRESENTATIONS Two presentations of interest to friends took place, one yesterday, the other today, in the office of the Ames-Holden Company, Canterbury street, in which two popular members of the staff, J. Walter McIntyre and Harry Adams were made the recipients of gifts. The former received a handsome travelling bag, the latter a watch. He will have tonight as a member of the Signalling Co., in the overseas volunteers. Both presentations were made by W. M. Angus, local manager, in behalf of the staff.

HUNG IN MAYOR'S OFFICE Handcuffed framed pictures of the Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York were hung today in the mayor's office in city hall.

BURIED YESTERDAY The funeral of James Pettigall was held yesterday from his home at Quilpan, St. John's cemetery. Rev. J. W. Daniels officiated. There were numerous floral offerings.

POLICE COURT. John Warn, charged by Mrs. Gertrude McCarthy, Pond street, with assault, was remanded this morning after the evidence of Mrs. McCarthy was taken. She said Warn tried to force an entrance into the house after he had been turned out.

WAR NOTES The United States may appropriate \$25,000,000 to buy steamers for taking food-stuffs abroad. The Canadian Women's hospital ship fund is to remain open until September 1. On the eve of his departure in command of the signalling corps, Major T. E. Powers was made the recipient of a military wrist watch last evening at a meeting of the Knights Templar Encampment of St. John, of which Major Powers was a former commander.

LETTER FROM MINISTER S. P. Grew, commodore of the St. John Power Boat club received a letter of appreciation this morning from Hon. J. D. Hazen, minister of marine and fisheries. Mr. Hazen expressed his thanks for the public spirited offer of the club in offering to place the boats of the fleet and 100 men at the disposal of the government for harbor protection. He said that the offer would be immediately acted upon.

War Risks are Reduced. London, Aug. 20.—The war risks insurance office have reduced the rate on cargo insurance from four to three guineas per cent.

DEATHS FOWLER.—On August 19, Gordon Harold, youngest son of Robert G. and Helen Fowler, aged five months and sixteen days. Funeral will take place on Friday at 2.30 p.m. from the home of his parents, No. 12 Harding street, Fairville. Friends and relatives invited to attend.

QUIRK.—On the 19th inst, John Quirk, aged 76 years leaving two daughters, two sisters and two brothers to mourn. Funeral Friday morning at 8.30 from his late residence, 18 Middle street, to the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception for requiem high mass at 9 o'clock.

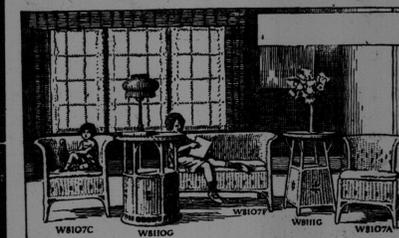
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120 VOLUNTEERS LEAVE TONIGHT FOR VALCARTIER

(Continued from page 1.) Menning, Spat Cove Bldg.; Joseph Pflug, Marietta, Ohio; J. O'Donnell, 882 Main street; Leslie Creighton, 187 Queen street; J. K. Campbell, Amherst, N. S.; W. F. Lovat, Glasgow, Scotland. The names of the volunteers comprising the detachments from the Army Service Corps are as follows:—

Lieut. James Olliphant, 28, City; Charles Kelley, 21, 24 St. Patrick street; Mr. Irvine, 18 Lombard street; Harry Graham, 26, 185 Brussels street; E. R. Morton, 20, 200 Briston street; P. W. Vanderbeck, 26, Millerton, N. B.; Thos. Nash, 42, 300 Union street; G. W. Freeman, 23, Sussex, N. B.; Harry S. Little, 88, 258 Brussels street; Anthony Hagger, 18, Quispansis; John Doherty, 39, City; Charles Edwards, 37, 125 Sydney street; Frank Wharton, 25, 454 Main street; Charles Smith, 19, 9 Clarence street; Bernard McKeown, 34, 69 Chesley street; Charles McAnulty, 24, 48 Erin street; Clement Jefferys, 18, 24 Somerset street; Horace Daley, 21, 88 Adelaide street; Lawrence McCarthy, 19, 108 Acadia street; John Nell, 42, 14 Pond street; Harold Chamberlain, 19, 27 Clarence street; James McCluskey, 30, 80 St. Patrick street; Fred Watson, 89, 9 Marsh road; Bernard McCarthy, 18, 69 Elm street; Frank Thorne, 23, S. S. St. George; Alex. McDonald, 23, S. S. St. George; William McCann, 37, S. S. St. George; James Craig, 30, 1 St. Elizabeth street; Thos. McLeod, 18, 27 Brunswick street; John Martin, 38, Marsh Road.

GUARD AT BITTISH COLUMBIA BRIDGE IS FIRED UPON

Revelstoke, B. C., Aug. 20.—News has just reached the city, that a guard of Rocky Mountain Rangers stationed at Columbia Creek bridge, fifty miles east of Revelstoke, were fired on from an ambush in what is believed to have been an attempt to wreck the bridge just previous to the passage of the troop train on Monday, carrying sailors from the Shearwater and Algerine, to man the Niobe. Wounded men dressing wounds were seen later and it is believed that some of the attackers were hit by bullets from the guard, who replied to the fire. None of the soldiers were wounded although bullets whistled close to their heads in the darkness.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

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CONDENSED DESPATCHES

The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Colwyn Bay, says the cousin of Lord Kitchener was arrested near Colwyn Bay, yesterday as an alleged spy, while she was peacefully painting a spot along the coast. She was later released. London, Aug. 19.—English, French and Belgian papers contain general reports of alleged barbarities to German women. The Hamburg Fremdenblatt says in a sensational article that German women were subjected to the most cruel tortures. Joseph Caillaux, the former premier and minister of finance, who had the rank of sergeant in the reserves, has been promoted to subaltern lieutenant. He is serving in the financial inspection department of the army.

THE PATRIOTIC FUND

(Toronto World) It is our duty to see that these men who will risk their lives to maintain the integrity of the empire have no anxiety as to the welfare of those they leave behind. Their vigor in the field will be increased by the knowledge that the care of their wives and families has been taken over as a sacred trust by fellow citizens. Every citizen should take up the question today and determine the largest amount he can write himself down for. The empire does not often call on us for personal sacrifice, but when the call does come, it should be answered in a way that will leave no doubt as to our loyalty and patriotism. Let us make a record in free giving so that every one of the men who goes to the front goes with the assurance that even though he may not return, his dear ones will not suffer.

WANTS TO FIGHT

Thomas A. Vinal who has served in the British Army for twelve years came to the city yesterday from the country. He had been in the reserves for the last year, and admitted to several persons whom he met in the streets that he had deserted from the regulars at Fredericton about a year ago but was anxious to give himself up as he wanted to enlist for active service. He was directed to Sergeant Baxter who sent him to the police station. Deputy Chief Joseph directed him to the local military headquarters. Needless to say the man was enlisted and the fact that he had deserted in time of peace forgotten. He hopes to be sent to the front.

ENTIRE CHANGE IN PLAN OF CAMPAIGN MAY BE MADE NOW

(Continued from page 1.) continue to cross the river Meuse, between Liege and Namur. German outposts have occupied Dyle. Strategy, Says Correspondent. London, Aug. 20.—(2.30 a. m.)—The Brussels correspondent of the Daily Telegraph telegraphing Tuesday night says: "The Germans seem to be moving in the direction of Antwerp, any Belgian backward movement in this direction may therefore be explained as strategic manoeuvring, which points to the early discomfiture of the enemy."

DEATHS CANNOT BE CURED

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the eye. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by a complete renovation of the hearing organ. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous membrane of the ear, which is usually cured by the use of a medicine which is applied to the ear, and which causes the mucous membrane to become healthy and to secrete a normal quantity of wax. This wax is the natural protection of the ear, and it is this wax which is usually the cause of deafness. It will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness cured by our medicine. Send for circulars, free. Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

RUSSIAN CAPTURE GUNS

St. Petersburg, Aug. 20.—A body of Russian troops, according to an official communication, given out today, has occupied Gumbinnen, 20 miles from the Russian frontier of East Prussia, capturing at the same time, twelve German guns, and a large number of prisoners.

ROLLER SKATING CHAMPION

A visitor to the city today was Leonard T. Saunders former roller skating champion of St. John. He is now local champion in New London, Conn. He is at the Royal.

GARRIBOLDI OFFERS ARMY TO FRANCE

Paris, Aug. 20.—Garribaldi has offered his sword to France. The son of the Liberator engages to raise an army of 40,000.

WHEAT IMPORTS INTO OLD COUNTRY

London, Aug. 20.—An illustration of the normal wheat imports into the United Kingdom is shown in the fact that 2,400,000 weight were imported last week as against 2,500,000 a year ago.

3rd. N. B. Regt., C. A.

All N. C. O's and men of 3rd. Regt., C. A., not enlisting for foreign or home service, must hand in uniforms and rifles at once.

Those wishing to enlist will report at armory at once. Recruiting office open from 8:30 to 10 p. m. No. 3 battery will receive annual drill pay tonight. 8-21

SALE AT RESIDENCE

Upright (Morris) Piano, Oak Buffet, Dining Table and Leather Seated Chair, Mahogany Silk Covered Parlor Set, Mahogany Cabinet, Mission and Morris Chairs, Mantle Mirrors, Iron and Brass Beds, Springs, Mattresses, Dressing Cases, Electric Range, Heater, Silver Moon No. 18 Fender, Carpet Squares, Stair Carpet, Oilcloth, Ornaments, Pictures, Dishes. I am instructed to sell at residence No. 2, Byden street, third street to the left of Adelaide Road, Monday afternoon, Aug. 24th, at 2.30. The furniture contained in this list is practically new, having been in use only a few months. R. F. POTTS, Auctioneer, Main 973. 8-21.

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**PORT OF ST. JOHN.**  
Sailed Yesterday:  
Str Calvin Austin, Mitchell, Boston via Maine ports.  
**CANADIAN PORTS.**  
Hawkesbury, Aug 18—Ard, term sch A V Conrod, Barbados for Campbellton.  
**FOREIGN PORTS.**  
New York, Aug 17—Ard, sch Silver Spray, Sackville (NB).  
Gloucester, Aug 17—Ard, Fannie Hodgkin, Deer Island (NB).  
Boston, Aug 17—Ard, sch C T W, Plympton.  
Cld Aug 17—Sch Helen G King, St John.  
City Island, Aug 17—Sld, schs Empress, Guttenberg for Halifax (NS); Wm L Ekkins, Perth Amboy for St John (NB).  
Vineyard Haven, Aug 17—Ard, sch Warner Moore, St John for New York.  
Nobiska, Mass, Aug 17—Passed sch Harry, Perth Amboy for St John.  
Rockland, Aug 17—Sld, sch Emma S Lord, Hillsboro.

**HE REMEMBERS ONE VAST GRAVE**  
A trip over the battlefield of Diest, Belgium, is described by the Brussels correspondent of the Daily News, He says:  
"I remember best a brown stretch of harvested ground, half a furlong in length, which is the grave of 1200 Germans who fell in the fighting of Wednesday. All over the field are other graves, some of Germans, some of Belgians, and some of horses.  
When I reached the place, peasants with long spades were still engaged in the work of burial. The battleground is about three miles long, with the village of Haelen at one end. The village is hardly scarred. Its houses are pierced with bullets. Hardly a pane of glass remains. The church spire is tumbled over and the town clock wrenched from its place.  
"As I passed across the battlefield a German biplane swept by like a cartoon crow, seeking other victims. Later in the day I visited the Bruges prison, where 400 Germans are held. I never before saw men sleep as these men did. They lay like logs after seven days and nights of almost constant duty on the field of battle. These prisoners are no cowards. They surrendered only when no other course was possible. They were victims of the German military system which drills men out of all independence of the week."  
**TO ASK REPEAL OF PULP LAW**  
Ottawa, Aug. 19—Pulpwood producers will ask the provincial governments of Quebec, Ontario and New Brunswick to repeal the laws whereby export of pulpwood out upon crown lands of these provinces, is prohibited. The action will be taken in order to meet the unusual situation which has arisen out of the war. It is argued that the repeal of these laws will permit of much industrial activity taking place in Canada during the coming winter in connection with logging operations in the woods.

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**POLLY OF THE CIRCUS**  
PLEASES AUDIENCE  
Clever Acting Seen at Opera House  
Last Evening—Comedy Vain  
Though Fascinating Drama  
When dainty Miss Polly, the world's champion equestrienne in the Famous Blank United Circus, made a slip in her act one night in a small town in the middle west, she sustained injuries which necessitated her confinement to bed for some weeks. But "the circus must go on," so Polly had to be left behind. She had been carried into the house nearest the circus grounds, which happened to be that of Rev. John Douglas, pastor of the local church, and there under his guidance, and the watchful care of his old colored servant, Mandy Jones, she was restored to health. She grew to like her surroundings, and to love the young pastor. But the town-folk went to talking, and gossip was deliberately addressed to her, making her realize that the alleged Christian people in the minister's congregation, deemed it "scandalous" and "shocking" that she should be under his roof. So one night about a year after she had been injured, the circus came back to the town. And her old friend, Big Jim, the only "mother" to her that she could recall from her circus life, came to her, and she went off to her old life, her friends, to the glare of the circus lights, the tent and the sawdust ring.  
This is in brief the story of the fascinating drama "Polly of the Circus," produced last night at the Opera House by a capable company, headed by Miss Elsie St. Leon, who, with her graceful manner, won the hearts of the audience as she did, in her stage role, capture the heart of Rev. John Douglas. Of course the story ends happily—it would be a shame if it didn't—with two such pleasing personalities as Douglas and Polly, and, as the curtain falls upon the last act, it shows the circus wending its way, and other fixtures of the big caravansary moving up the hills from the town, and drawing away in the darkening distance, while Polly and her young pastor lover stand in the vacant show lot, as she waves her last farewell to her old "home" as it "disappears" on wheels over the hills.  
The play as given at the Opera House last night, was original in theme, finely sympathetic, and produced in such a way as to hold the interest of the audience to the close. Of course the best opportunities are given to Polly—that is to be expected of the play. Miss St. Leon fulfilled every requirement of her trying role with skill, being equally at ease in a galloping bareback about the circus ring shown on the stage, turning hand-springs, and in the many charming scenes of love and tenderness which the play abounds. Miss St. Leon showed herself well fitted for the role which brought fame to the name of Talaferno. Mr. DeLord was convincing as Rev. John Douglas, and gave an exacting portrayal with cleverness. Edward Boring, as Big Jim, the boss canvas man, won favor, as did Rena Saunders as "Mandy Jones," the pastor's colored housekeeper. Others who aided in giving strong support were Messrs. Saunders, Morry, Davidson and Lee, and Misses Alvaras, Dunn, and Eberhard. The scenic effects throughout the play were pleasing. An attractive vein of comedy permeates the story and the drama was well produced. It will continue for the remainder of the week.

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All members of the 28th New Brunswick Dragoons, residing in the city are requested to meet at the armory for drill on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.  
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The British Government were expected to take off the embargo on tea at the end of this week, a cable received by the "SALADA" Tea Co. today states that the government have decided to keep it on definitely. This means that no tea can be shipped out of England. Cables have been received this week from Ceylon and India by the "SALADA" Tea Co. which state that all business in tea has ceased. This is no doubt due to the impossibility of getting steamers to carry it to England and elsewhere, as in the past German ships did a great deal of this. It will likely be many months before they can be replaced by British bottoms. This will have a serious effect on the tea trade as Canada has today the smallest stock she has had for years.

**FRANCE AND WAR**  
The sleek sea, gorged and sated, basking lies;  
The cruel creature fawns and blinks and purrs;  
And almost we forget what fangs are hers.  
And must for once her emerald-golden eyes;  
Though haply on the morrow she shall rise;  
And summon her infernal ministers,  
And charge her everlasting barriers,  
With wild white fingers matching at the skies.  
So betwixt Peace and War, man's life is cast,  
Yet hath he dreamed of perfect Peace  
Shepherding all the nations ev'n as a sheep.  
The instant, moody ocean shall as soon,  
At the cold dictates of the bloodless moon,  
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(From the New York World.)  
"Ye're men of peace," the Kaiser said, "Ye wot not how to fight!  
Give passage to my soldier men, nor prate to me of right,  
Or I'll blot out in red the oath ye swore in black and white!"  
The Burgomeister from the wall: "All peaceful men are we,  
But we have sworn that through our land we'll give no passage free.  
They strike the men who dare to keep the oath they swore in black and white!"  
"Push on, my men," the Kaiser cried. "Turn loose the cannon!"  
Hale out that Burgomeister churl to hang upon a tree!  
Rush on, my Uhlan, cuirassiers, dragoons and infantry!"  
Across the meadows, 'neath the walls, the regiments advance,  
The horsemen rush, the footmen push, with cannon, sabre, lance  
They strike the men who dare to keep the oath they swore in France."  
Eftsoons the peaceful meadows groan beneath red mingled leaps,  
In row on row, head to the foe, the fearless German sleeps.  
Alas! full well his pledged word the peaceful burgher keeps!  
"God rest their souls, the gallant men!" the Burgomeister said,  
As from the wall with saddened eye, he looked out over the dead,  
"But what is sworn in black and white must e'en be kept in red!"

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**THE RECRUITS**  
(By Britton B. Cooke in the Toronto Globe)  
They enter the great echoing hall one by one, awkwardly, almost shyly. Outside they cast away the butts of cigarettes. The swagger of the street falls from them like a cloak. They approach the recruiting office. Their faces are lighted for one flickering moment with victory over the last tug of fear at the heart. They give their names. They take the oath. They stand enlisted—committed.  
It is a great sight, this. You, the civilian, shrewd, strong and brave in your own calling, which is not the calling of arms, but of pens, pencils and books, may observe from the gallery of the Army the strange process going on on the pavement below. There is a squad of tonight's recruits—an uneven assortment, loose-standing, irregular of movement, awkward with the freedom of the street. A patient drill sergeant is hammering them into some semblance of order. They obey him—brave fellows—confused and troubled by the new commands and the unaccustomed tone of voice. Nearer at hand is a crowd of last night's recruits, and nearer still are those who first responded. Each night's drilling has left its effect. In the senior recruits, in heterogeneous civilian garb, the traces of military bearing, precision and alacrity of movement are obvious. Tomorrow even this sagging rank will be better "dressed". In a week they will obey the commands of officers automatically. In two weeks they will have forgotten their civilian habits.  
This is impressive, for a curious reason. Looking from group to group, you can see with your very eyes the individuality drilled out of these men, and their metal run, as it were, into the stern mould of the fighting machine. Tonight Number 25 has a loose-jointed gait, a red necktie, a brown suit, a soft felt hat and an easy-good-natured face. He is a young clerk—or a coal-heaver? But when the drill sergeant is through with him his gait will be the gait of the regiment, the necktie, the brown suit, the soft felt hat—all the things which he once took such pains to choose for himself—will be replaced with the brilliant livery of war. At the same time, the easy-going, good-natured face will be replaced with the brilliant livery of war. At the same time, the easy-going, good-natured face will be replaced with the brilliant livery of war.

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OUR SOLDIER SONS

The citizens of St. John will witness this evening the departure of a portion of the contingent which is going from this city to Valcartier, and thence to the mother country and to the seat of war in Europe. The stern realities of war are home in upon us, for though we see these men go forth in the pride of their young manhood we do not know how they will fare amid the hardships and dangers that await them, nor when or under what circumstances they may return to us.

European nations have been plunged. As the supreme head on earth of the Roman Catholic Church, and representative of the Prince of Peace, he could not but recall with horror from the prospect of so many of his own church of different nationalities rushing at each other's throats to maim and kill. He was ever a lover of peace, and it is recalled that his allocution delivered last May was so highly appreciated by the Carnegie Peace Union that special publication and distribution of its plea for disarmament and arbitration was decided on, and copies sent to each of the twenty-three thousand priests of the United States and Canada.

THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK

"Don't be stampeded. Pay your bills and go on doing business." This is the substance of the advice given by an American citizen connected with the Canadian branch of a large American factory. He contends that companies controlling industries which have been making large profits in the past should not take advantage of the first sign of a possible depression in business to shut down their plant and throw thousands of men on the labor market.

NEWS OF THE WAR

It is evident that the Germans are pressing into Belgium in great force, and that a great battle near Brussels must soon be fought. It is not already begun. The Belgians have been falling back before the advancing masses of German troops, but it must be assumed that the allied armies are in position at a point which they regard as favorable for the tremendous struggle which is to break through Belgium into France or be hurled back in defeat.

As a matter of fact the news from London with regard to business generally grows daily more reassuring. The Bank of England has resumed discounting, and the confirmation of previous announcements of the safety of the sea routes has eased the market for many important articles which are imported into this country. This is certainly not a time for pessimism. It is the duty of every citizen of Canada to face the situation with cheerful confidence, and do all possible to prevent stagnation in business.

All eyes are now centred on Belgium, and the news from that quarter is awaited with the deepest anxiety, since it appears to be there the Germans are massed in greatest force, with a determination at any cost to enter France by that route. We are still without information as to the position of the French and British allies of the Belgians, and are likely to remain in ignorance until the great battle has been fought.

BRITAIN'S RIGHTEOUS WAR

If there are any peace advocates in this country who take the extraordinary position that neither Canada nor the mother country had any business to engage in the present war, they will not see any comfort from the leaders of the peace movement in England, all of whom so far as heard from declare that it is a war which must be fought out in the interests of a higher civilization. Kindness to animals is a virtue which ought to be encouraged, but we do not encourage it when there is a mad dog in the street. Similarly the love of peace is a virtue among the nations, but when human liberty and all the principles of right and justice are threatened by a half-mad autocrat there can be no peace until the rest of the world has attended to his case, however great the sacrifice may be. The cause of civilization and of righteousness in the world will be advanced by the overthrow of the German war-lord and the principles for which he stands. We find already as one result of the war that Russia has pledged herself to grant full civil and political rights to the Jews, and has pledged herself as well to the restoration of Poland under an autonomous government. The new Germany that will arise out of the ruins of the old, when this war is over, will be an infinitely stronger bulwark of liberty and righteousness than the Germany of today. In the present Austrian territory as well, the bounds of freedom will be widened, and new and better conditions will arise. To doubt this would be to doubt that Providence has anything to do with the affairs of nations.

POPE PIUS X

At the very beginning of a dreadful war which will recast the map of Europe the world has lost a great peace advocate in the person of Pius X, whose death occurred at an early hour this morning, hastened it is believed by grief over the awful conflict into which the

Give the soldier boys a parting cheer. Sir Robert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier gave eloquent and fitting expression yesterday to the feeling of the Canadian people in this great crisis.

Let us not forget the children. Tomorrow's formal closing of the playgrounds should see a record crowd of people at the Shamrock grounds.

After today St. John will have a new interest in the fortunes of the war. Some of her own sons will have started on the first stage of their journey to the front, and more will quickly follow.

The very dust of the heroes who fell at Waterloo and many another ground on Belgian soil may well be thrilled by the gigantic struggle of the world now hourly awaits the dreadful news.

The spirit which prompted the St. John Power Boat Club to place at the disposal of the government for any necessary purposes in the harbor the craft of their fleet and the services of one hundred of their members is both patriotic and praiseworthy.

The Canadian House of Commons and Senate yesterday proclaimed in no uncertain voice the complete unity and devotion of the people of this country to the flag and the Empire. As the war progresses and more Canadians go to the front the people of all parties, all creeds and all races will be drawn still closer together by the bond of hopes and fears that will be common to us all.

The fact that those of great engagements has been slow in coming must not blind us to the fact of the awful nature of the conflict which has been begun, nor should it give rise to a belief that the struggle will be of brief duration. Germany and Austria have immense resources, and will not be beaten by their knees without a tremendous sacrifice on the part of the allied arm.

This is a very serious business on which we have entered, and we are warned both by the British and French war offices that we must be prepared to hear of reverses as well as victories. While millions of men, armed with death in their machine, are engaged in terrific combat.

USE THE WANT AT WAY

STEP TOGETHER

Step together—boldly tread, Firm each foot, erect each head, Fixed in front be every glance— Forward, at the word "advance"— Serried files that foes may dread; Like the deer on mountain heather, Tread light, Left, right— Steady, boys, and step together!

Step together—be each rank Dressed in line from flank to flank, Marching so that you may halt 'Mid the onset's fierce assault, Firm as in the rampart's bank, Raised the iron rain to weather— Proud sight! Left, right— Steady, boys, and step together!

THE ANGLO-SAXON BLOOD

Deep round her hair the dim sea grows, Gaunt through her night the old Lion prouls; Alert and alone, she scans afar, The Hunters and the Hunters, her! They abide their time, discreet they wait About the tangled paths of hate; While toothless now, and old, his said, She whines and slumbers on her dead!

She toothless now—when East and West Each Cub and Whelp of her grim breast Snarls, writhing, tumbling, quick with life, And points its fangs on the bones of strife; And once the old roar shakes the night, The Hunter, who has shunned the light And thought her silence solitude, Shall meet and know the Lion's Blood!

(These lines are by Arthur Stringer, the author of "Open Water" which will be published next month in New York and London by the John Lane Company.)

LIGHTER VEIN

"Eddie, what's the matter? Had a fall off your bike?" "No, I tried to hang some pictures and stood some dictionaries up on a table and they slipped from under me. 'Words failed you, I suppose.'"

Class 1's Lawyer (having passed his exams)—Well, I've filed 'em over! I've been worked to death the last two years trying to complete my legal education. Old Lawyer—Cheer up, my boy, 'I'll be a long time before you will have any more work to do."

The Way It Looks. "I've been sining up conditions in criminal circles," began the young man of the notebook, "and I've reached one conclusion."

"That it's a pretty bad world?" "Not only that, but the size of the gift determines the size of the guilt."

Utter Foolishness. "Yes, he's a big duffer. None of the summer girls want anything to do with him."

"Rocks the boat, does he?" "He's more foolish than that. He rocks the hammock."

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MUCH TRUST IN JELICOE

Commander of English Fleet Has Been Called "Future Nelson."

Vice-Admiral Sir John R. Jellicoe, who has become the chief commander of the British fleet, is regarded as a man of large thinking powers and of action based on wide experience in many naval spheres, there is in him an alert keenness, restless activity, and strong nerve power which have sometimes caused

him to be spoken of as a "future Nelson."

He is both a scientific and a practical officer, besides being an administrator of first-rate order, and few men have done better work for the gunnery of the British fleet. In this department of his activity he rendered the greatest service as Director of Naval Ordnance in the administration of Lord Fisher, and from that time have come the enormous advances in the ordnance equipment of the fleet.

Sir John is one of the survivors of the Victoria disaster, which did not shake his nerve. Then he was flag captain to Sir Edward Seymour in China, and he was severely wounded in the advance to the relief of the Peking legations. Afloat, he has served as rear admiral in the home fleets, subsequently in command of the Atlantic fleet, and lastly of the second light squadron. He has displayed great organizing and administrative capacity on the Admiralty Board as third sea lord and controller, and

latterly as second sea lord, in which office he has rendered great service in developing the opportunities of the personnel.

Sir John is 65 years old, and has been described not only as a "future Nelson," but as the "Kitchener" and the "Roberts" of the navy. He attained flag rank early in 1907.

ENGLAND'S JUSTIFICATION

(New York Evening Post) Whatever may be the real and deeply underlying reasons for England's going to war with Germany, it cannot be denied that she had a sound reason, under international law. By invading Belgium Germany was violating a treaty to which all the European powers had set their hand and seal, and in the observance of which England had a peculiar and even vital interest. She was thus well within her legal rights in asking both France and Germany whether they would respect the guaranteed neu-

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BIG JUMP IN THE PRICE OF DRUGS IS EXPECTED

Already Some Lines Have Gone up Twenty Per Cent.—Importations From Germany (Ottawa Journal).

That there are many chemicals necessary for the manufacture of some of the most useful of drugs which may be produced only in Germany, was the statement made to a Journal reporter this morning by William Cochrane, of the firm of Allan & Cochrane. For this reason the prices of these drugs so necessary to the treatment of many serious diseases will advance as the supply now on hand in the jobbing and wholesale houses near depletion.

On account of the war the prices of English and French drugs has already advanced about twenty per cent, and a still greater advance is anticipated in the near future. Substitutes may be procured in Canada and the United States for many of the chemicals which have been brought from Germany and Austria heretofore, and these substitutes will be every bit as effective, though in every case they will be more expensive.

Several druggists interviewed expressed the opinion that there will be no shortage of drugs of any kind for some time to come, although prices have been increased generally, those drugs which are manufactured from raw material procurable only in Germany demanding especially increased prices. Many drugs manufactured in Canada and the United States are also increased in price about 20 per cent, owing to the fact that the materials used in their manufacture are imported from the Old Country.

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trality of Belgium. But the military plans of Germany could not then be changed. She admitted through her chancellor, that she was going counter to the law of nations, and made anxious profession of her purpose to "rectify the injustice" as the German chancellor, phrased it, after the war was over, and in her natural desire to keep England neutral, undertook to give the most formal promise never to annex any portion of Belgium. This promise, coming from an avowed treaty-breaker, was received for what it was worth by the House of Commons—that is, received through Belgian territory, brought upon herself the immense military disadvantage of adding England to the countries with which she is at

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WESTERN CROPS ARE INJURED BY DROUGHT

Standard of Crops Especially in the Northwest Reported as Disappointing

The monthly Bulletin of the Census and Statistics Office on field crops in Canada has been issued.

The reports made by correspondents in July 31 show that conditions of grain crops has undergone a marked change since the last reports for June 30, due to excessive heat and continued drought during the month of July.

Measured by a standard of 100, representing the promise of a full crop, the average condition for the whole of Canada is returned for fall wheat as 77.5, compared with 78 on June 30, and 77.7 on July 31, 1913; for spring wheat as 77.4, against 86.3 last month, and 87.6 a year ago; for oats as 77.9, against 87.2 last month, and 87.4 in 1913; for barley as 77.4, against 86.2 last month, and 87.5 last year, and for rye as 46.5, against 84.7 and 85.

In the maritime provinces conditions are excellent, and in Quebec and Ontario, though drought is reported as having shortened the straw, the grain was said to be filling well and the figures of condition, which for most of the grain crops exceed or approach 90, are not really different from those of a month ago.

Potatoes in the maritime provinces give an excellent promise, with figures of condition, ranging from 85 to 86.

A preliminary estimate of the yield of acre of fall wheat gives 20,335 bushels, as compared with 23,229 bushels in 1913. For the harvested area of Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia amounting to 978,300 acres, the estimated total yield is 20,940,000 bushels, as compared with 22,920,000 bushels, the final estimate of 1913.

The drought has naturally affected the yield of hay and clover, the yield per acre of which for all Canada is, according to the preliminary estimate, 1,115 tons, as against 1,383 tons, the final estimate of 1913. The estimated total yield is 9,200,000 tons, as compared with 10,499,000 tons, the final estimate of 1913. The yield of alfalfa is placed at 129,780 tons, as against 237,770 tons last year.

**Hints for the Cook**

**Quick Cake**

One-third cup soft butter, 1-1/2 cups brown sugar, 3 eggs, 1/2 cup milk, 1-1/4 cups flour, 8 teaspoons baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon each of cinnamon and nutmeg, 1/2 pound of dates cut into pieces. Put ingredients into a bowl and beat altogether for three minutes. Bake in a buttered and floured cake tin for 30 or 40 minutes.

**Flapjacks**

One peck green tomatoes chopped with a cup of salt. Allow this to stand overnight, then drain in colander. Chop 2 quarts of onions, 4 whole green peppers, add 3 cups sugar, 1 large tablespoonful ground cloves, vinegar enough to cover. Cook slowly until tender. When done add 1 large tablespoonful celery seed. More sugar can be used if one desires.

**BRITAIN'S GREAT WHEAT CROP**

The yield of wheat in Great Britain is placed at 84,560,000 bushels, this shows an increase of 10 per cent. over last year. The yield of oats shows a decrease of 3 per cent. Last year the oat crop was placed at 208,000,000 bushels.

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**POPE PIUS DIED THIS MORNING**

Grief Over War Hastened The End

WHOLE WORLD MOURNS

Rose From Simple Parish Priest to Head of Roman Church—His Career

Rome, Aug. 20—Pope Pius died at 1.30 this morning. He had been ill for several days, but alarming symptoms did not develop until Wednesday morning.

Throughout the day Doctors Marchisafa and Amaldi devoted the utmost energies to stimulating their patient and keeping him alive. The cardinals were notified of the pope's grave condition, and some of them, who entered the sick room, describe the impressive and heart-rending scenes, especially when the pontiff, rousing himself from time to time, spoke. Once he said: "In ancient times, the pope by a word might have stayed the slaughter but now he is impotent."

Prayers were said by thousands and the bells of the churches sounded when the sacrament was exposed upon all the altars.

When the court learned of the pope's condition there was the deepest concern. King Victor Emmanuel personally informed Queen Helena, and the news was communicated to the Queen Mother. Extreme-unction was administered by Mgr. Saapini sacristan to his holiness, amid a most touching scene.

The pope's last illness began almost coincidentally with the great war in Europe. Those close to him believe that grief over the situation brought on the final crisis, and so overwhelmed him that he was unable, in his 80th year, to withstand still another attack of his old enemy, gouty catarrh.

His health had been the pontiff's lot for many years, and intermittently the attacks have been so serious that the world was prepared several times to hear of his passing. During the summer there had been numerous denials from the Vatican that his indisposition was serious.

As late as Aug. 10 last upon the occasion of the eleventh anniversary of his coronation, Pope Pius granted numerous audiences. Two days later it became known that he had cancelled practically all engagements, and that he was unable to work, and that he sat listless and silent, for hours, evidently brooding over the great clash of arms in Europe.

Brooded Over the War.

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was a soldier in the papal army under Pope Gregory XVI. His mother was noted for her charitable works and great faith. When Giuseppe Sarto was seven years old, his mother took him to the city of Treviso on a pilgrimage, and there made a vow that the trading that every soldier of the Pope's army gives to holy orders at least one child should be fulfilled in her boy.

On the death of Pope Leo, the Patriarch of Venice was not considered among the possibilities of election to the throne of St. Peter. But the four days' election in which he had not the slightest ambition ended in his almost unanimous choice. The election occurred on August 4, 1903. In the first proceedings of the Sacred College his name did not appear. The second morning two votes were cast for him and in the evening ballot these were increased to seven. The next morning twenty cardinals named him for the pontificate, and in the afternoon thirty-seven votes were cast for him. The following morning he was elected by what was practically an unanimous vote.

When the votes were read out Cardinal Sarto was overwhelmed. With a face full of sadness, almost of anguish, he turned toward his colleagues as he arose from his knees before the conclave altar and addressed his first words as Pope to the members of the Sacred College. His words were: "It is a cross that I receive from you."

Giuseppe Sarto, who succeeded to the throne of St. Peter on the death of Pope Leo XIII in 1903, under the name of Pius X., was born at Riese, a village in the diocese of Treviso, north of Venice, on June 3, 1858. He studied in the seminaries of Treviso and Padua and was ordained priest in Castelbarco in 1883. For many years he performed the ordinary duties of parish priest in several parts of the Venetian territory, which was then under Austrian domination.

It was not till 1875 that he was employed in subordinate diocesan offices in the diocese of Treviso. In 1884 he was made Bishop of Mantua by Pope Leo, who, in the consistory of June 12, 1888, created him cardinal, and three days later appointed him Patriarch of Venice.

The Pope was of humble origin, but his family for generations has been noted for its piety. His grandfather, Leone Sarto, who

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Bath Mats, large size, reversible, several colors. Friday, 65c. each.

One hundred and forty yards Barnsley Linen Crash Roller Towelling, 12c. quality. On Friday, 11 1/2c.

Small Size Linen Tea Cloths, 30 inches square; used for a number of different purposes; red or blue border, 25c. each.

**FOR SCHOOL OPENING**

Children's School Dresses in striped gingham, trimmed in self border. Very pretty design; sizes 6 to 14 years. Value \$1.75. Friday, \$1.29 each.

Boys' and Girls' Jumper Dresses, made from good, strong material. Come in linen shade, caudel, white or dark blue. Absolutely fast colors. Sale 55c.

**OUR AUGUST SALE OF HOME FURNISHINGS**

Twenty per cent. off all drapery goods this month, and that of our well-known low prices, too. Do not miss this real opportunity to save your house money. You can prove every word we say by coming to see the goods and prices.

August is usually the quietest month in this department, and this discount is to keep hands busy.

All Curtains..... 20 per cent off  
All Curtain Screens..... 20 per cent off  
All Portiere Goods..... 20 per cent off  
All Cretonnes and Chintzes..... 20 per cent off  
All Bed Spreads, etc..... 20 per cent off

Sale Now On. No Goods on Approval

Orders for hotels, boarding houses for bedding, etc., will be received at above prices during August.

**THREE FRIDAY SPECIALS IN WHITEWEAR DEPT.**

Combinations—A line of combinations made in corset-covers and drawers style, trimmed with Swiss embroidery and fine tucks. Good, fine materials, and garments that would regularly be worth \$1.25 each. On Friday, 79c.

Corset-Covers—A late season bargain in corset-covers. New style, made with wide lace yoke, beading and ribbon ties. Friday, 23c. each.

Drawers—Strong, neatly made garments, trimmed with lace and fine tucks and fine tucks. Friday, 37c. each.

Kait Combinations—A line of kait for early fall wear, knee length, with front, or round neck. Etc.

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BOOT MAKING & REPAIRING: REPAIRS While you wait. Brindley's Boot Store, 227 Union; Phone 161-21.

MONEY TO LOAN: TO BUY OR BUILD A HOME, easy monthly payments, covering over 12 years, at 5 per cent interest.

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MONEY TO LOAN: MONEY TO LOAN on satisfactory security; properties bought and sold.

COAL: SCOTCH COAL, Special prices. Don't fail to give us a call.

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FOR SALE: Building Wood, cut to stove length, hardwood, \$2.00 delivered.

GOOD LINE OF SECOND HAND STOVES—Well repaired, will sell cheap; also new stoves of all kinds.

T. M. WISTED & CO., Scotch Cove Slip, Brittain street, Scotch and American Anthracite Coal.

COATMAKERS—We have a good position for an experienced Coat-maker, who can also handle the selling.

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WANTED—Three experienced waitresses at once. Apply Wannamakers Restaurant, King Square.

CONTRACTOR: EXCAVATING Contractors, etc. First class household painting and paper-hanging.

WANTED—To purchase, Gentlemen's cast of clothing, boots, shoes, jewelry, diamonds old gold and silver.

DRINK HABIT: THE GATLIN—A High Class Scientific 5 day Guaranteed Treatment for Alcoholics.

WANTED—To purchase, Gentlemen's cast of clothing—Hats, coats, jewelry, diamonds old gold and silver.

ENGRAVERS: F. C. WESLEY & CO., Artists and Engravers, 25 Water street.

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FEATHER BEDS: FEATHER BEDS made into Folding Feather Mattresses and Puffs.

WANTED—To purchase, Gentlemen's cast of clothing—Hats, coats, jewelry, diamonds old gold and silver.

HORSE FURNISHINGS: HEADQUARTERS FOR HARNESS, Horse Blankets, Fur Robes, and a general line of horse furnishing goods.

WANTED—To purchase, Gentlemen's cast of clothing—Hats, coats, jewelry, diamonds old gold and silver.

HAIR SWITCHES: MISS K. A. HENNESSEY, St. John Hair Store, Hair Switches this month \$1.50 up.

WANTED—To purchase, Gentlemen's cast of clothing—Hats, coats, jewelry, diamonds old gold and silver.

HATS BLOCKED: LADIES' Tapes chip straw hats blocked over in latest style.

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HAIRDRESSING: MISS McGRATH, New York Parlors, Imperial Theatre Bldg.

WANTED—To purchase, Gentlemen's cast of clothing—Hats, coats, jewelry, diamonds old gold and silver.

IRON FOUNDRIES: UNION FOUNDRY AND MACHINE WORKS, Limited, George H. Waring, manager.

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HELP WANTED—MALE: WANTED—Two men, one for a farm and one for stable.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET: TO LET—Furnished Rooms for light housekeeping, suitable for married couple.

LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY: German Operations Against Russians in Charge of Field Marshal Von der Goltz.

ITALIAN SOCIETY for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals: The Duke of Sermoneta has some of the finest game preserves in all Europe.

AUCTIONS: We are now prepared to receive goods for our next sale at our auction room, 96 Germain St.

WANTED—A junior office clerk. Apply by letter in own handwriting, stating age and experience.

BOARDING, 208 Brussels street, near Union. Military expert in all parts of the world will watch with interest the operations of the German army against Russia.

TO LET—Ladging room, 84 Germain street. TO LET—Ladging room, 84 Germain street.

TO LET—Furnished Rooms for light housekeeping, suitable for married couple, use of bath and telephone.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE: Two Family House property with barn—Central and good residence locality.

WANTED—First class chef. Apply at Wannamakers, King Square.

ROOMS WITH BOARD, 68 Mecklenburg street. ROOMS WITH BOARD, 68 Mecklenburg street.

TO LET—Large furnished rooms, 182 Princess street. TWO Pleasant furnished rooms to let.

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WANTED—A first-class wood turner. CHRISTIE WOOD WORKING CO., 221 St. John street.

BOARDERS WANTED, Mrs. Philip Pitt street. FURNISHED ROOM, 176 Waterloo.

FURNISHED ROOMS, Bath, electric light, Telephone. 67 Sewell (right bell). 14742-9-21

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WANTED—A smart energetic young man. Must have knowledge of book keeping. No other need apply.

WANTED—Two lodgers for back parlor, 848 Union street. 15195-8-21

FLATS: FLAT TO LET, 624 Main street. Apply F. Garson, 8 St. Paul Street.

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WANTED—Middle aged woman, family two, 155 Brunswick street, City. 15362-8-21

FLATS: FLAT TO LET, 7 rooms and bath, hot and cold water, electric light.

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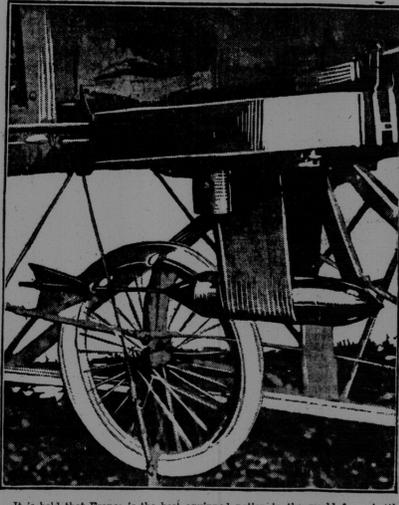
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**LEATHER TRADE IS HARD HIT BY WAR**  
 Skins From Which High-Grade Calf Leather is Made All Come From Continent  
 The Davis Leather Company, Limited, of Newmarket, Ont., has issued the following circular to the trade, under the heading of "An International Crisis":  
 "Almost without warning the civilized nations are facing a crisis deemed by most men impossible. The strongest and best armed of the world's nations are at war. Commercially, there is an unprecedented breakdown.  
 The skins from which high-grade calf leather is made all come from France, Austria, Germany and Russia. For the time being, these countries are all severed commercially from the American continent. Dependence must be placed on stock on hand which, in most cases, owing to the slow trade for many months, is much less than normal. All foreign skins are imported under letter of credit, but owing to the tremendous upheaval in financial conditions, bills, maturing in London, England, yesterday, were quoted at unheard-of rates of exchange. Domestic skins in quantities at this season of the year are not to be had, nor before April next.  
 "We were compelled August 1st to withdraw all prices. Your immediate requirements we will endeavor to fill so far as you entrust them to us at lowest prices possible, in view of existing conditions."  
**DRY GOODS SITUATION.**  
 Trade Conditions Subject to Change Daily Owing to War.  
 The Dry Goods Economist says: The merchandise situation, in its details, is subject to change almost daily, as manufacturers and distributors outline new linkages as to what the European conflict means in connection with the supply of the goods they produce or handle. With a keener realization of the extent and probable duration of the abnormal conditions with which the trade is confronted, owners of merchandise in certain branches are advancing their prices. As a rule, marked restraint has been shown in the matter of taking advantage of the scarcity, even where it bids fair to be most acute. It is true that in some lines prices have been advanced very steeply, but even in these cases a sincere effort appears to have been made to take care of customers as far as lies in the seller's power. In spite of this broad-minded attitude, it is only too evident that even in the few lines in which advances have not yet been made can the old prices be adhered to for more than sixty days.

**USE THE WANT AD. WAY**  
 Silver Black and Patched Foxes supplied for companies and private ranches at reasonable prices.  
 For sure and prolific breeders and full quality of foxes, Ontario Foxes have any superior cases a sincere effort appears to have been made to take care of customers as far as lies in the seller's power. In spite of this broad-minded attitude, it is only too evident that even in the few lines in which advances have not yet been made can the old prices be adhered to for more than sixty days.

**War Service**  
 First—No extra premium will be charged on policies now in force on the lives of any policyholders of the Canada Life Assurance Company who may engage in military or naval service, in or outside of Canada, irrespective of whether such policies provide for an extra premium or not.  
 Second—In the event of any policyholder not having paid any premium falling due during his absence, the Company will keep his policy in full force and effect during his term of service abroad, the unpaid premium being treated as a loan upon the policy.  
 Policyholders should notify the Company upon entering foreign service.  
**Canada Life Assurance Company**  
 HERBERT C. COX, President and General Manager

**NEW AND TERRIBLE INSTRUMENT OF WAR**



It is held that France is the best equipped nation in the world for a battle in the air. Here is shown a French aeroplane bomb or aerial torpedo. It can be carried over a city or a battleship fleet and if dropped with any degree of accuracy—and the French have been fairly accurate in their mimic warfare practice—can work incalculable damage.

**The Song of The Sea Children**

Prologue.  
Where the world's highway is narrow and the sea gulls wheel and cry,  
You shall see the children flocking in a long procession by.  
Battered by the good salt billows? thrashing the cold grey seas.  
They are flocking, flocking homeward to their Mother England's knees.

The liner from Australia, and the trader from Cathay,  
The grimy, blunt-nosed collier, and the mailboat from the Bay,  
And the trooper, from the Indies, rolling through the Channel seas,  
They are flocking, flocking homeward to their Mother England's knees.

To and fro in ceaseless vigil prowling the watchers grim and grey,  
That guard their mother's ranges and patrol the world's highway,  
In the name of Drake and Jervis, Hawke, and Nelson, hold the sway,  
And they keep their watch for England and who shall they then say?

You far flung wand'ring children you are speeding home once more,  
You have rounded the world and back again to Mother England's shore,  
The winds have beat you sorely and you know of angry seas,  
But you're flocking, flocking homeward to your Mother England's knees.

See, the ocean highway narrows, you are thronging England's gates,  
You are weary, you are homesick, Mother England's welcome waits.  
The long, long wished home coming, and the way was rough and long  
Sing you, then, you wandering children, sing you then the homing song!

**THE OCEAN TRAMPS**  
We have plowed the hidden highways from the Horn to Singapore,  
We have borne the dear old Ensign from Bahia to the Norc,  
From China to Jamaica, from the Cape to Sydney town,  
We have tramped and tramped the highways of the ocean up and down.

Wherever we have wandered Mother England's sign we saw,  
From the rocky cliffs of Greenland to New Zealand's South-western shore,  
And no man has had us tarry and no foe has said us nay,  
For our Mother, Mother England, she has cleared for us the way!

And some of us are broken now and some of us are old,  
We're battered and we're rusty and the worm has got its hold,  
We are weary, aye, and head-achin', hear our song upon the breeze,  
We're limping, limping homeward, to our Mother England's knees.

**THE LINERS**  
We have done your bidding, Mother. We have sought the long sea trail  
We have braved the hidden iceberg, we have ridden out the gale  
To the ends of all the earth, aye, and back once more,  
We have trafficked, as you told us, every coast and every shore.

No man has dared molest us and no foe has harmed the way  
For your flag has cleared a pathway thro' the sunset to the day  
And o'er all the ocean ranges, sternly silent, broad awake,  
The strong war guards of England their defiant vigils make.

**THE WARSHIPS**  
Oh Mother we have served you full and well from day to day,  
There are none who dared dispute us, there are none to say us nay;  
We are wardens of the ranges, we patrol the living seas,  
That you're tired wand'ring children may creep home to England's knees.

Watch and watch, with tireless vision, for your honor we have kept,  
Where'er the winds have howled and where'er the waves have swept,  
Ours the duty, ours the honor we have watched with tireless eyes,  
And o'er the world's wide oceans the peace of England lies!

**EPILOGUE**  
'Tis well, 'tis well, my children, come you home again once more,  
Let the broad of Mother England flock home to England's shore,  
Come you home you tired children, weary wits of seven seas,  
Come you home at last dear children to your Mother England's knees.

—L. C. Shadwell, in The Navy.

**TRYING VOYAGE ACROSS ATLANTIC**

Prominent New Englanders Tell of War Results

**EXCITEMENT ABROAD**

Great Enthusiasm in the European Capitals When the Struggle Began—Aquitania Convoys the Laconia and Passengers Talk About the Trip

On board the Cunard liner Laconia, which arrived at New York on Monday, were a large number of prominent New Englanders who described with great vividness the scenes in London, Paris and other European capitals when the war broke out.

Judge John F. Crosby of the Massachusetts Superior Court in speaking of the trip across the ocean said: "Most Trying Voyage."

"We have had a most trying voyage. We were conveyed by the Aquitania, now an armored cruiser, until we reached the 40th parallel of latitude, a considerable distance off the Banks of Newfoundland. At times we have been very near the German cruisers, and so far as we are able to learn English and French warships have been within easy call.

"At night most of the lights were out; those that were left burning were hidden by curtains at all windows and doors, and all port holes were closed. No lights were on the masts and no others were shown except the starboard and port lights. The passengers have been under great nervous strain and have had an experience that none of them will care ever to repeat.

Personally I have felt that my greatest danger was in the possibility of being fired upon by the German ships, who have used desperate means by wireless to reach us and who would no doubt be glad to cripple ocean traffic upon the Atlantic and thereby cut off England's food supply, unless the lines of travel can be kept open and unobstructed.

"The Laconia is now the largest of the ships now crossing and as she flies the British flag will be regarded as a great prize and it is generally believed that the German cruisers are much in need of coal and provisions.

"I hope that our government has already taken steps to provide funds and ships to bring our people back to their homes and will see that adequate naval escorts accompany them."

**Berlin in War Times**  
Charles A. Hanley of Brookline, had an interesting journey across Europe from Constantinople. He traveled by way of the Black Sea and Roumania to Vienna. Railroad travel was so much interrupted that in getting from Budapest he had to change trains four times in a five-hour trip. He got to Berlin the day war was declared between England and Germany.

"It was an experience of a life-time," he said. "I saw the great Unter den Linden, a street wider than Common-wealth avenue in Boston, so jammed with people from 2 to 4 o'clock in the morning that you couldn't see an inch of the street. The crowd, men, women, and children, marched and sang and waved flags and seemed half crazy. In front of the Austrian Embassy they cheered. Papers with war news were being given away. You should have seen the people rush for them. But the police had a wonderful control over the crowds, who melted away when ordered to go to their homes.

"I got out of Germany by way of the Belgian frontier. Travel was very slow. There were soldiers everywhere, marching, moving guns, getting ready to fight. I got to Liverpool the day before the boat sailed and was lucky enough to get a ticket through a friend—with the aid of a little bribe."

**Had a Temporary Stateroom**  
J. Fred Harvey, proprietor of the Hotel Bellevue, Boston, was at The Hague with his wife when war began.

**When The Amphion Went Down**

London, Aug. 19—4:08 p. m.—The official information bureau has issued an interesting account of the sinking of the British cruiser Amphion by a mine in the North Sea, which was first reported last week.

After describing how the Amphion and the third destroyer flotilla had proceeded to carry out a prearranged plan of search the report continues as follows: "A trawler informed them that she had seen a suspicious ship throwing things overboard. Shortly afterwards the German mine layer Koeningen Luise was sighted steering east. Four destroyers gave chase, and in about an hour's time she was rounded up and sunk.

**STRUCK EARLY IN MORNING.**  
"After picking up the survivors of the German ship the plan of search was carried out without incident until 3:30 in the morning. At this hour, as the Amphion on her return course was near the scene of the operations of the Koeningen Luise, her course was altered to avoid the danger zone. This was successful until 4:30 a. m., at which hour the Amphion struck a mine.

"A sheet of flame instantly engulfed the bridge. The captain was rendered insensible and fell to the fore and aft bridge. As soon as the captain recovered consciousness he rang to the engine room to stop the engines, which were still going at revolutions for twenty knots.

"As all the forward part of the Amphion was on fire, it was found impossible to reach the bridge or flood the fore magazine. The ship's back appeared to be broken, and she was already settling down by the bows. All efforts, therefore, were directed to placing the wounded in places of safety in case of an explosion, and in getting the cruiser in tow by the stern.

"By the time the destroyers had closed in, it was clearly time to abandon the ship. The men fell in for this purpose with the same composure that had marked their behavior throughout.

"All was done without hurry or confusion, and twenty minutes after the cruiser struck the mine, the men, the officers and lastly the captain, had left the ship.

**SECOND EXPLOSION.**  
"Three minutes after the captain had left another explosion occurred. This enveloped and blew up the entire forepart of the vessel. The effect of this showed the Amphion must have struck a second mine, which exploded the fore magazine. Debris falling from a great height struck the rescue boats and the destroyers, and one of the Amphion's shells burst on the deck of one of the destroyers, killing two Englishmen and one German prisoner.

"The after part of the Amphion then began to settle quickly until its foremost section was on the bottom, and the whole after part was inclined to an angle of forty-five degrees. In another quarter of an hour this also had disappeared.

"Captain Fox, of the Amphion, speaks in highest terms of the behavior of his officers and men throughout. Every order was promptly obeyed, without confusion or perturbation."

**INVESTORS' OPPORTUNITY**

The City Land and Investment Company, Limited, are offering for subscription a very limited amount of Preference Stock. The sale of this Stock was withdrawn from the market in anticipation of the sale of sufficient lots to pay all the outstanding liabilities, and an option has been given for the sale of One Hundred Lots in Moncton (out of nearly 600 owned in that City) for \$70,000. The Company has deemed it advisable, pending the option, to offer for sale 400 shares of Preference Stock at the par value of \$50.00 each.

This stock has preference both as to principal and dividends at 6% over all the Common Stock of the Company, and no Stock on the market can compare with this in absolute safety and certainty of profits.

Call and investigate the affairs of the Company, or write for further information.  
**HANINGTON & HANINGTON,**  
127 Prince William Street,  
St. John, N. B. Solicitors.

**Politics Forgotten In Hour of Empire's Peril**

**Both Parties Stand Shoulder to Shoulder and Parliament Speaks With One Voice**

Ottawa, Aug. 19—Canada speaks with one voice. The voice of a united parliament is the voice of a united people.

Both leaders, rising above all considerations of party politics, struck a high and inspiring note in memorable and historic utterances before crowded galleries, a full attendance of members, and with a consciousness of the gravity and import of their utterances.

The Liberal leader, on rising to speak for his party, after the brief and appropriate speeches of Donald Sutherland and D. O. Lesperance, the mover and seconder of the address in reply, was received with a sincere and enthusiastic outburst of cheering from both sides of the house. His eloquent and telling summing up of the issues of the war, freedom against oppression, democracy against autocracy, civilization against the barbarism whose only law is that right is might, was interrupted time and again by torrents of applause, led by cabinet ministers opposite.

Sir Robert Borden, in a correspondingly brief and statesmanlike presentation of the salient issues of the conflict and of the steps which had been taken by the government for Canadian and imperial defence, was similarly cheered by his political opponents.

Sir Robert Borden gave a succinct summary of the situation leading to the war and of the emergent measures taken by the government for which parliamentary sanction was asked. He announced that the government has offered to France, on behalf of the Canadian people to equip and to maintain a hospital of fifty beds in Paris or elsewhere for the care of the French wounded.

A further new announcement made by the premier was that in January last, on the suggestion of the imperial government, a conference of the chief deputy heads of departments in Ottawa had been held with a view of preparing plans for prompt government action to meet just such emergent conditions as had arisen. As a result of this conference the government had been in a position to act promptly along prescribed lines.

**The Outlook in Canada**

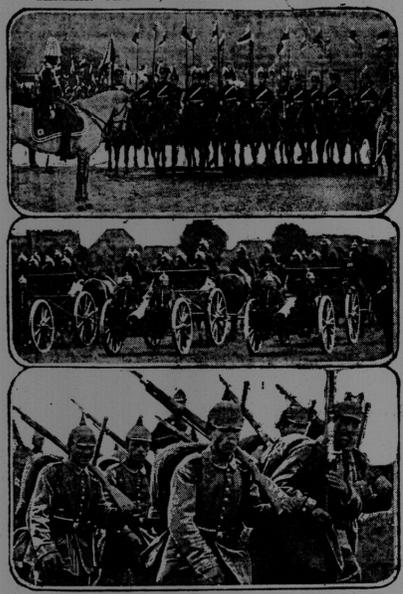
**TRULY**, it is an ill-wind that blows nobody good. One Continent's "down" is another Continent's "up." The industries of Europe are, generally speaking, at a standstill, and matters will be worse before they can be better.

The whole world is looking to the North American Continent—to Canada and the United States—for much of its provisions, machinery, textiles, boots and shoes, beverages, vehicles, cement, brick, earthenware, fancy goods, furs, glass, garments, paper, soap, tobacco, wood products, and much else. Canada must get ready to meet the demand made upon her. We have continued prosperity ahead of us if our manufacturers and merchants rise quickly to take advantage of their opportunity.

**It is a time for business hopefulness, not for business gloom**

(Canadian Press Association.)

GERMAN UHLANS, ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY



German Spies in England Were Promptly Arrested

Many of Them Badly Frightened When Captured Just Before War Started—Unfounded Rumors of an Absurd Character—England's Credit Business

(Times' Special Correspondence) London, Aug. 12.—Of course the outbreak of war suspends all ordinary law, but for at least a fortnight before the declaration the habeas corpus act had been suspended in England and no one but a few officials knew anything about it.

Official England knew that war was inevitable and was determined not to be caught napping. London and every other important centre was swarming with German spies and it was essential that their operations should be stopped and that at the same time nothing should be done to alarm public opinion.

Under the ordinary operation of the law these men would have been entitled to a police court hearing and a trial in one of the higher courts. Instead of this, however, they were taken directly before a high court judge in chambers—which means that the judge sat in secret in his private room—and were committed to prison out of hand on the mere statement of the policeman or other official who arrested them.

The raids on the houses of suspected spies which have taken place since the declaration of war have had some amusing features. A police officer who was in charge of the raids in one of the northern districts of London tells me that three of the Germans whom he arrested fainted when they were informed that they were under suspicion as spies.

Another incident on the lighter side of the war is the unanimity with which German traders in London have removed their signs from their shop fronts.

TORONTO MAN'S HARD TIME IN LEAVING THE HOSTILE COUNTRY

Dr. Cook and His Family Held up Many Times by German Soldiers and Their Car is Taken From Them

(Times' Special Correspondence) London, Aug. 11.—Dr. George E. Cook of Toronto, who has just arrived in London from Holland, with his wife, four young children and his mother, they had been motorizing in Germany for the past year, and were traveling through Luxemburg by easy stages on their way to Holland.

Remarkable scenes were witnessed. Women thoroughly panic-stricken offered hundreds of pounds to be taken on the train, and some of them were pulled through the windows after the train had started.

THE RUSSIANS ALSO OBSERVE SECRECY The London Morning Post correspondent at St. Petersburg says:—The ignorance in which the public is kept of warlike operations is such as was never experienced in any former wars.

RECRUIT'S MORAL FIGHT. Torn By Duty to Aged Parents and Love of Country. (Montreal Gazette.) Those who are shouting "Rale Britannia," and killing the enemy with their mouths, but have not the courage to come forward and give the enemy the spear, so he called him inside.

CHEESE AND THE WAR On the Cornwall, Ont., cheese board sales there are at a fraction under thirteen cents. The European war conditions were again under discussion, and she sold the cheese at a price of securing thirteen cents or better.

HOW TO STOP STOMACH TORMENT Sound Advice From a Well Known Physician. Men and women who suffer from what they call Dyspepsia, indigestion or just plain "stomach-trouble" usually seek regular relief in the form of some peppermint pill or tablet, or other artificial digestant.

COURTEOUS SERVICE Customers of this bank appreciate the constant courtesy they meet in our office. There is no need for the hypochondriac to fear "red tape," and women clients may feel assured of our willing attention to their banking requirements.

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WOODSTOCK CONTINGENT

Woodstock Press) Col. W. C. Good who was among the first to volunteer has received word that he had been accepted for foreign service.

For foreign service—Austin Clowes, John Langley, Percy F. Dando, Jack Fillmore, John Ferris, W. A. Vickery, T. Reed, J. Starkey, George Holton, Elijah Page, Frank Reddall, A. Gregory, Matt McClellan, T. D. Jelling, William Knox, Kenneth Miller, H. Griffin, Michael Callaghan, John Homewood, Ernest Parsons, William Sutton.

Major W. W. Melville, Major E. K. Connel, Capt. E. R. Vince, Capt. A. Theriault, Lieut. W. H. A. Hamilton, Lieut. Boyle, Lieut. W. Shields, Lieut. H. E. McKeen, Sergt-Major S. Hudson, Sergt-Miles Jackson, Corp. Robert Moore, Corp. Eugene Dyer, Sappers—Alex. Niel, Chas. McLean, J. Watson, Leslie Gray, John O. Bragdon, Harry Austin, Joseph Steel, A. R. Connolly, H. Lawson, Russell Phillips, Kenneth Golding, Jas. Tompkins, Fred Campbell, S. G. McDougald, Messrs S. Collingwood, L. E. Henehaw, R. C. E. Lieut. Boswell, R. C. E. Percy Corbett.

"Why, Willie," said the teacher, "have you been fighting again? Didn't you learn that when you are struck on one cheek you ought to turn the other one to the strikers?"

"Yes," agreed Willie, "but he hit me on the nose, and I've only got one."

No More Cutting For Sore Corns For Sore Corns The real corn remedy, is Putnam's Corn Extractor, which makes corns and callouses go quickly, and without pain.

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SPORT NEWS OF DAY, HOME AND ABROAD

BASEBALL National League At Pittsburgh: Pittsburgh, 5; New York, 1; Cincinnati, 8; Cincinnati, 1.

American League At New York: New York, 7; Cleveland, 5; Boston, 8; Chicago, 1; Boston, 2; Boston, 4; Philadelphia, 7; Detroit, 6.

International League At Newark: Toronto, 11; Newark, 8.

Racing at Pittsburg The following are the results of the Pittsburg races yesterday: 210 turf, purse \$5,000, Star Winter, Donald, time 2:08.

HORT HATS FOR ALL-ROUND SPORTS To judge from the pictures of the sporter-Smith fight they are in a class with Bob Armstrong and Yank Kenny.

The American bureau of fisheries has distributed 4,000,000 fish during the year; one of which we hope some day catch.

Between Tom Jones yelling because he was damaged, Jess Willard's chances of drawing a good house to fight Jack Johnson and some lesser reasons, the United States may be justified in mediating in Europe.

Martin Delaney says a man is like an auto because rattles warn him something wrong. We thought it was because a would go without cranking.

A Chicago paper says, "Jess Willard looks like the man to whip Jack Johnson." Well, we'll bite, what good fighter Jess look like?

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A vast swarm of human beings moved slowly down Broadway. Suddenly there was a disturbance. A man, gesticulating and pointing, shouted.

"See that man? See that man?" "Yes," screamed a bystander. "What is he doing?"

"Look at him," screamed the disturber. "Look at him. He's the man Frank Chance has not tried at first base."

PICKED RIGHT TIME TO SUBDUCE COLT (By Fullerton.) Bert Rogers, who lives on a farm near Miles, Mich., had an exciting experience recently.

"Talk of tough luck," he says. "I had three-year-old colt that was scared to death of automobiles. I decided to break him of his fear, and hitching him to a light cart, I went out on the road looking for an auto, being determined to make him stand up to it. Pretty soon I heard a foot, and saw a car coming down the road. I tightened my grip on the reins and started past it. The colt bolted, and I managed to hold him, and was just getting him calmed down when long came another, and he bolted again."

"Where's the tough luck?" inquired a friend. "What?" said Rogers. "That auto I met was the first of 150 cars making a run from Detroit to Chicago. That colt ran away 150 times before we got past them, but it cured him. He insists on having his oats put in the tonneau and eats them with the engine running."

One Good Point. "I'll say this for the prune," remarked the grouchy boarder. "We all listened attentively. You can eat it or leave it and that is it. You don't find it continually jibbing up as a made-over."

ANY DYSPEPTIC CAN GET WELL

By Taking "Fruit-a-tives" Says Capt. Swan

Life is very miserable to those who suffer with indigestion, dyspepsia, sour stomach and biliousness. This letter from Captain Swan (one of the best known skippers on the Great Lakes) tells how to get quick relief from Stomach Trouble.

Port Burwell, Ont., May 8th, 1913. "A man has a poor chance of being and enjoying life when he cannot eat. That was what was wrong with me. Loss of appetite and indigestion was brought on by constipation. I have had trouble with these diseases for years. I lost a great deal of flesh and suffered constantly. For the last couple of years I have taken "Fruit-a-tives" and have been so pleased with the results that I have recommended them on many occasions to friends and acquaintances. I am sure that "Fruit-a-tives" have helped me greatly. By following the diet rules and taking "Fruit-a-tives" according to directions any person with Dyspepsia will get benefit."

H. SWAN. "Fruit-a-tives" are sold by all dealers at 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, or trial size 25c, or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

PROSECUTE FIRMS TO BLAME FOR ADVANCES. Chicago, Aug. 20.—Inquiry into the present high price of food stuffs was begun here this week by officials of the federal, state and city governments.

A PEACE ADVOCATE JUSTIFIES THIS WAR. Dr. Clifford, a great Baptist preacher, and England's champion peace advocate, just returned to England from a peace conference in Germany, preached last Sunday his open support of this war.

He described the position as "Not a war between Britain and Germany, but between the forces of freedom and those of slavery; between the forces that mean the growth of popular government, the independence of nations, the sanctity of treaties, fidelity to promises, and those against."

"This war is for the progress of humanity and all that hinges thereon, and we were forced into it."

TORONTO TO PROCEED WITH PUBLIC WORKS

The City of Toronto will, as far as possible, carry out its programme of expenditures upon public works, in spite of the situation created by the war in Europe. The Board of Control at a private meeting decided to go on with the construction of the new registry office, and to expend upon it this year \$100,000, or as much as would be spent under ordinary circumstances.

City Treasurer Patterson said that the city had disposed of only \$600,000 worth of bonds, instead of \$6,000,000 as contemplated. He had had word from Lloyd's Bank in London, however, and had been informed that there was plenty of money in England, and expected to find the financial situation there satisfactory in a few months.

In Ottawa Mayor McVety takes the view that there should be no curtailment of civic work, but rather that more and larger operations shall be undertaken than ever before thought of in connection with the city. If an arrangement can be made with the bank for funds, this plan may be adopted.

M. CLEMENCEAU UN GERMAN EMPEROR. "For twenty-five years William II. has made Europe live under the weight of a horrible nightmare. He has found sheer delight in keeping it in a state of perpetual anxiety over his boastful utterances of dry powder and sharpened sword. Five threats of war have been launched against us since 1874. At the sixth he finds himself caught in the toils he had laid for us."

He threatened the very springs of England's power, though she was more pacific in her attitude toward him. Forty years, thanks to him, the continent has had to join in a giddy race of armaments, drying up their sources of economic development and exposing our finances to a crisis which we shrink from discussing.

We must have done with this crowned comedian, poet, musician, sailor, warrior, pastor, this commentator absorbed in everything and saying nothing. Mr. Clemenceau sums up the Kaiser as "Another Nero, but Rome in flames is not sufficient for him. He demands the destruction of the universe."

NEW ZEALAND MINISTER ENDORSES SINGLE TAX. Hon. G. Foulds, formerly minister of education of New Zealand, addressed the Single Tax Association of Toronto last week. He declared that the taxation of sites only, with the exemption of buildings, had worked to the great advantage of the municipalities which had adopted it.

His population had increased three times as fast as the places which had adopted the system of taxing both sites and improvements. The sites only method was optional with municipalities. About half of New Zealand had adopted it.

He declared that the extension of the franchise to women had been of public benefit.

Thursday, August 20, 1914

AT THE JAMES V. RUSSELL CLEARANCE SALE 695 MAIN ST.

100 Pairs Of MEN'S ODD BOOTS are offered at 90c. a pair

Suitable for work during this warm weather

695 Main Street J. V. Russell Clearance Sale

EYE-STRAIN

You may see clearly by straining your eyes—but if so you need glasses quite as much as those who cannot see distinctly. Investigate the matter.

Eyes Examined and Glasses Furnished K.W. Epstein & Co. OPTICIANS 193 Union St. Open Evenings

Rush Hour Jettings. The pompous woman stepped into the car. "Step lively, please," remarked the conductor mechanically, "he being a small one."

"Sir," thundered the woman, "I want you to understand that I am one of the officer's wives." And then she wondered why the rude man in front of her said something under his mint-scented breath about a modern Bluebeard.

TO MAKE CLOTHING FOR THE SOLDIERS

First Work of Local Red Cross Society—Lunches For Trip to Quebec

At the first regular meeting of the Red Cross Society held yesterday afternoon in St. John's (Stone) church school house it was decided to provide nightshirts and pajamas and pneumatic jackets for use in the hospitals.

On motion it was decided to appoint the following ladies a committee which should be known as the needlework committee: Mrs. D. B. Edgson, Mrs. F. S. White, Mrs. J. F. Harding, Mrs. John E. Moore, Mrs. R. S. Hooper, Miss Patton, Mrs. D. A. Pugsley, Mrs. R. R. Hatchell, Miss E. S. Simons, Mrs. R. O'Brien, Mrs. E. H. Robinson, Miss Tingey, Mrs. MacLaren, Mrs. Kenney, Mrs. F. B. Ellis, Miss Lillian Eason.

Lunches for the soldiers who leave for Valcartier tonight have been prepared by members of the Women's Canadian Club and will be given to men at the station.

POWER BOAT CLUB OFFERS THEIR FLEET

The fleet of 150 or more motor craft of the St. John Power Boat Club has been placed at the disposal of the government for towing purposes, carrying despatches, and other like work to aid in the local defence. In addition, the club has offered the services of 100 of its members eligible for service to assist in the defence of the harbor.

A resolution to this effect was adopted unanimously at a special meeting held last night in their club house, 215 Gore, at which Commodore Gerow presided. A telegram was sent to Hon. J. D. Hazen, minister of marine and fisheries, immediately after the meeting, notifying him of the action of the organization.

Before the adjournment of the meeting stirring patriotic speeches were made by the commodore, Vice-Commodore J. C. Chesley, Rear-Commodore F. W. Tapley, John Thornton, Henry McIntyre, W. S. Gandy and others. The National Anthem was sung at the close.

Makenny-Rowley. A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of W. H. Rowley, Rodney street, last evening at 8.30 o'clock.

GEM

Two-part political story by Essany Players. Dreams of an inner circle of greatness.

"Night Hawks" GEM ORCHESTRA Ford Sterling in one of his funniest comedies "Snooker's Flirtation"

Sell-Heard News Picture, showing late news events, including "Polo at Narragansett," "Duck and Goose Race," "Hanged," man swims Hell's Gate, and other features, with new wax phonos.

Coming Fri. and Sat. Two-part Kaleem feature "The Call of The Tribe" Marc McDermott in "A Matter of Moments" and Ford Sterling in another laugh "The Crash"

when his only daughter, Zella Alberta, was united in marriage by Rev. W. R. Robinson, to Roy Cecil Mackenny. The bride was very daintily attired in a pretty gown of shadow lace over white satin, with a bridal veil trimmed with lilies of the valley, and carried a large bouquet of bridal roses. She entered the room on the arm of her father, and was followed by the Misses Vera MacBeth and Cora Makenny, who acted as flower girls. The room was very daintily decorated for the occasion with ferns and other potted plants, and the ceremony was performed under an arch of ferns and daisies.

Among many out of town friends and numerous city friends of the bride and groom, there were present the grandfather of the groom, who has recently passed the ninety-fourth mile-stone, and the aged grandmother of the bride, Mrs. Solomon Belyea, who will soon celebrate her eighty-fifth birthday.

After an excellent supper was served at the bride's home, the happy pair left for a three week tour of the province, after which they will reside at their new home in Prince street, West Side.

The ushers for the occasion were Miss Lottie Wetmore and Mr. Albert MacLac.

A Giant on the Force Horace E. McLeece, twenty-one years of age, who came here recently from St. George was sworn in as a member of the police force yesterday afternoon. McLeece is the tallest man on the police force and measures six feet four and a half inches. He weighs 285 pounds.

To finish out this last week of our sale 30 suits have been reduced to \$10 from \$18 right up to \$27.

Bring in a \$10 Bill. Go Out With a Suit Worth from \$18 to \$27 and save \$8 to \$17

Remember, They're Gilmour's, There's Only 30, and Time Flies.

GILMOUR'S - 68 King St.

TOOTH-SOME SWEETS

If you'd like something really chic in Chocolates—something quite different to what you've been eating—by DELECTOS, the select Chocolates with smooth, rich coatings and delicious assorted centres. In dainty boxes, \$1.00 the Pound or GANONG'S ALMONTINO—The finest confection of its kind ever produced. The proof is in the eating; or ALGONQUINS—The dainty Chocolates with fruit and nut centres, 80c. the Pound.

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Two-Act "THE POOR FOLKS' BOY" Sweet, Simple Home Story

IMPERIAL'S BILL FOR TODAY ONLY Another Mary Pickford Film "WHAT THE DAISIES SAID" Excellent Laughing Material TWO NEW COMEDIES

1-Violin Solo: "Adoration" -Carolyn Weekes NEW MUSIC MENU 2-Berouze de "Jocelyn" -Mildred Eichel 3-Trio—"Hungarian Dance" -Brhms

OUR MUSICAL FEATURES THE TALK OF THE TOWN FRI. NEW SHOW Kathryn No. 12—"The King's Will" Also Edison's Splendid 2-Part Drama "THE SHATTERED TREE" FRI. NEW SHOW

WED. UNIQUE THU. LYRIC THUR. FRI. "OUR MUTUAL GIRL" UNDETALES A DANGEROUS MISSION AND ALSO SEES THE LATEST STYLES IN SUMMER GOWNS AT STERN BROS.

KEystone FUN To Make You Forget the War "20 MINUTES OF LOVE" Diversion—Wall I Reckon FRI. "The Colonel's Orderly"

Little Ada Taylor is again instrumental in causing Margaret to suffer from a terrible experience from the hands of East Side gangsters. THE PRINCE OF BOHEMIA Will March at the Head of the American Forces, and The Alliance Co. Will Send "A PAIR OF CUFFS" To Assist in the Fight!

OPERA HOUSE TODAY --- Matinee and Night "POLLY OF THE CIRCUS" With ELSIE ST. LEON

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Coca-Cola advertisement featuring a man holding a bottle and the text "The quickest answer to every thirst. Chosen by men of brain and brawn for its wholesomeness."

White Horse Scotch advertisement featuring a horse and the text "Rules the Waves of Popular Opinion"

NICHOLAS OF RUSSIA



The Czar, Commander of Russia's Army

Thousand Girls and Boys Will Be In Line In Big March

Formal Closing of Supervised Playgrounds For The Season To Be Observed In Patriotic Manner - Band To Accompany Children From King Street East To North End

The citizens of St. John will be treated tomorrow to one of the greatest children's marches that has ever been seen in the city...

VALLEY RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION WORK MAY BE STOPPED

Contractors Sorely Pressed, For Funds as Result of Stock Markets Being Closed on Account of the War

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 20 - A special meeting of the local government is called for today to consider the rather serious situation which has arisen in connection with Valley railway finances...

Volunteers Wanted For Local Training HOME SERVICE 62nd FUSILIERS Recruiting Offices, 81 Prince William Street Open 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

Mid-Summer Headwear for Men and Boys Boosters, lower and high crowns, in Straws; also in Soft Straw, at special price. See Our Panama Hats \$4.00 and \$5.00 Child's Straw Hats at Special Prices J. L. THORNE & CO., LTD. Hatters and Furriers 55 Charlotte Street

LOCAL NEWS

THAT PRIZE UMBRELLA

Some time ago the base ball team of the Every Day Boys' Club held a drawing, the prize being an umbrella...

ELAINE RAMMED WHARF

The steamer Elaine going up river yesterday rammed the wharf at Hampstead, doing considerable damage to it, smashing some of her own windows and causing some other minor damage.

TUESDAY'S BENEFIT

The sympathetic spirit of the American lessees of the Opera House and the members of the American company playing there, in giving a benefit next Tuesday afternoon, the entire proceeds to go to the fund for the volunteers, is appreciated by the citizens.

TO INVESTIGATE

Commissioner McLellan this morning asked Magistrate Ritchie to investigate some time next week, the recent fire which destroyed the L. R. elevator. The magistrate has agreed to do so but no date has yet been set for the hearing...

MISS HEGAN SAFE IN GERMANY

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hegan, 51 Haven street, have received no word from their daughter, Miss Edith Hegan, since they had a cablegram from her on August 15th saying that she would have to remain in Baden-Baden, Germany, where she was then with an American family...

MAN REFUSED CHARGED WITH RIOTING

Magistrate Explains Seriousness of the Offense and Says Law Must Be Obeyed

Percy Wain and Bedford Hindle charged with rioting on the night of July 23, were committed for trial by Magistrate Ritchie this morning...

The magistrate held that the point was too technical on which to grant discharge. He spoke very strongly on the seriousness of a riot and said that in such a case the order of the king should be obeyed...

WAR CRIPPLES STAFF OF SOUTH SEA EXPLORER

London, Aug. 18 - Owing to the loss of his navigating officer, his surveyors and his scientists, all of whom have been called to join the army or the navy...

IN THE COURTS

Hearing in Case Under Workmen's Compensation Act. Hearing in the case of O. Arnold Crawford vs. Murray & Gregory, Ltd., application under the Workmen's Compensation Act to recover compensation for injuries received by the petitioner in the defendant's mill last May...

TROOPS LEAVE THE ISLAND

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Aug. 20 - This morning a detachment of the 82nd Infantry regiment and Ninth Field Ambulance Corps, seven officers and 80 men in all, who volunteered for overseas service with the Canadian contingent left for Valcartier, Que.

FAIRVILLE VOLUNTEERS TO THE FRONT; 15 TO LEAVE FOR VALCARTIER

Large Attendance Expected In Schools Next Term - Willis L. O. L. Elects Officers

When the Boer war broke out, Fairville was considered doing its duty well to flag and country when one volunteer offered for service in the ranks today...

The first Fairville contingent consists of Percy Stymest, William Mullin, Arthur Wright, Frank Kelly, Frank Kane, George Charles, Ernest Humphreys, Leo Quigg and Ernest McFarlane.

The regular annual meeting of Willis L. O. N. T. was held last evening in Orange Hall and a large attendance was reported. In his address the W. M., H. P. Allingham, referred to the various matters in connection with the order and then touched on the European war...

Inside Tyler - Wm. Catherwood. County Master, G. Earl Logan of St. John East was also present and gave an address. The lodge is in excellent financial standing and sided twenty new members the past year.

HOLIDAY AT CAPITAL IN HONOR OF TROOPS

Fredericton Contingent to be Given a Hearty Send-Off Tonight

Fredericton, Aug. 20 - Fredericton's contingent for foreign service numbering ten officers and 180 men will leave for Valcartier this evening in special cars attached to the Intercolonial express.

Mayor Mitchell has proclaimed a holiday and has invited citizens and school children to turn out and give the boys a hearty send-off. There is great bustle and activity at the barracks today and great enthusiasm prevails among the troops. They will parade at six o'clock and each man will be presented with \$5 for pocket money.

MISS FLORENCE DICK WRITES PARENTS OF HER ARRIVAL IN NEWFOUNDLAND

Mr. and Mrs. George Dick of Queen street, were greatly relieved this morning by the receipt of a letter from their daughter, Miss Florence, announcing her safe arrival in Newfoundland on her way home from Europe. Miss Dick was in England at the time of the outbreak of war and like others, had plans disarranged by the events which followed.

ST. JOHN BANK CLEARINGS The St. John bank clearings for the week ending today are \$1,402,087; for the corresponding week last year they amounted to \$1,481,486.

Macaulay Bros. & Co. King Street, St. John, N. B. Our Stores Open 8 a.m. Close 6 p.m. Fridays 10 p.m. Saturdays 1 p.m.

We Are Now Showing a Grand Collection of New Fall and Winter Coat Cloths for Ladies' Misses' and Small Girls

Hundred of new designs, any combination colorings, in soft, warm makes, in plain plaids, stripes, checks and Scotch mixtures. Special Showing of All-Wool, Soft Polo Cloth at \$1.15 for mid weight, and \$1.25 for heavy weight. Just the makes for sports coats, capes and raglans, all are 58 inches wide.

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Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords

For a Few Days Only, We Are Cleaning Out Some Broken Lines of Ladies' White Buckskin and Tan Russia Pumps. Regular \$5.00 Values. SPECIAL PRICE \$2.98

White Canvas Oxfords and Pumps \$1.98 - Special Value. THE SLATER SHOE SHOP - 81 KING ST. R. P. SWEETMAN, MGR.

We Started This Sale With Over 2000 Pairs of Trousers

And the reductions are from prices that were already 25 per cent. and more below those of any other store. Where's the man or young man who cannot find use for an extra pair of trousers at this time of year, especially when they can be bought at a saving of about 50 per cent?

There are Homespuns, Tweeds and fancy Worsteds in a wide range of the newest striped and checked patterns, also Blue and Black Worsteds and Cheviots. Every pair is the product of our own factory and is tailored in the best possible manner.

Table with 4 columns: Price, Reduced to, Original Price, Reduced to. Rows include 1.25 Trousers, 1.50 Trousers, 2.50 Trousers, 3.50 Trousers, 4.00 Trousers, 5.00 Trousers, 6.00 Trousers, 7.00 Trousers.

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What house is furnished too luxuriously of beautiful women. We have the elegantly designed furniture in beautifully grained woods that tickle and delight feminine fancy. Hence we are benefactors for we contribute much toward happy homes. Are you about to plunge into matrimony? We can make your plunge somewhat less abrupt by our unusually low prices.

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If so, you know the need of a good pair of MOTOR GLOVES, with their long gauntlets protecting your sleeves from wear and grease, they are not a luxury, but an INVESTMENT - A MOTOR CAP, don't forget it, you'll need one and it is the only kind of headgear suitable for the purpose.

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