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CANADIANS ARE NOW IN LENS

Town is Entered on South and Northwest Boundaries, While Hand-to-Hand Fighting Continues for Possession of the Heart of the City—British and Italians Make Gains.

INVERNESS COPSE IS TAKEN BY BRITISH WITH BAYONETS

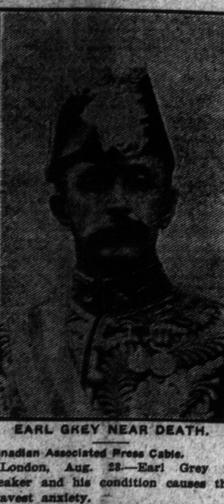
Place Was So Strongly Fortified That No One Dared to Predict Success of Attack.

British Headquarters in France and Belgium, Aug. 23.—Despite heavy counter-attacks from the enemy during the night the British today were holding strongly the positions which they reached yesterday along a front varying in depth from a few hundred yards to half a mile.

Severest Air Fights of the War Are Won by British Flying Men

Twelve German Machines Brought Down and Six Others Put Out of Control in One Day.

London, August 23.—Regarding the air fighting, the British official report says: "During the past week the fighting in the air has been incessant and more severe than at other similar periods since the beginning of the war. Yesterday the activity of the enemy's aircraft was less marked and his pilots appeared disinclined to engage when close up to the lines."



EARL GREY NEAR DEATH. Canadian Associated Press Cable. London, Aug. 23.—Earl Grey is weaker and his condition causes the gravest anxiety.

CANADIANS STRENGTHEN LINE THAT IS TIGHTENING ON LENS BY TAKING GREEN CRASSIER

Manitoba Battalion, in Attack Preceded by Protracted and Exceedingly Intense Bombardment, Takes Important Buffer Between Canadians and Defences of City Proper.

Ottawa, Ont., August 23.—Sir Edward Kemp has sent the following cable to Lieut.-Gen. Sir Arthur Currie: "On behalf of all ranks of our military forces in Canada I desire to extend to you and to the officers and men under your command warmest congratulations upon the splendid manner in which Canadian troops have conducted themselves during the fighting around Lens in defeating the pick of the German army against heavy odds, and steadfastly holding gains made in the face of desperate and repeated counter-attacks. Canada is prouder than ever of her gallant sons who have so bravely and determinedly maintained her honor. We mourn with you the loss of many brave comrades."

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ANOTHER SLICE BITTEN OFF BY THE BRITISH IN BELGIUM

All Gains Have Been Maintained and Slight Additions Made, Despite Violent German Counter-Attacks.

London, Aug. 23.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa agency)—The correspondent at British army headquarters, telegraphing today, says: "All yesterday's gains have been maintained in Flanders, and even added to, in spite of violent German artillery firing and counter-attacks. The advantage of yesterday's success is greater than the advance of a few hundred yards suggests, for we are now fighting for the high ground dominating the whole tactical position in northern Belgium, and we have now been bitten off another slice. The greatest latitude of the ridge is towards the east of Inverness Copse, whence it trends northeast. Naturally the enemy is concentrating his utmost to retain this commanding position, hence the bitter fighting."

G. T. P. WILL FORM PART OF GOVERNMENT OWNED SYSTEM

Announcing Public Ownership Policy, Sir Thomas White States Intention to Acquire Line and Operate National Road From Halifax to Prince Rupert—Liberals Critical.

Ottawa, Aug. 23.—Stung by the campaign being carried on against the Canadian Northern railway, Sir Thomas White boldly stated in the house of commons this afternoon that the issue was public ownership. No sooner had the house gotten into committee on the Canadian Northern bill than Liberal members began to quote from The Montreal Gazette, and the protest carried in that paper this morning, signed by many leading capitalists of Montreal. These capitalists are mainly identified with the big financial group which includes the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and the Bank of Montreal, and Sir Thomas lost no time in re-stating with considerable force and vigor the position of the government.

The Canadian Northern Railway Company, he said, could not finance its undertakings any further, and the road must therefore either be taken over by the government or pass into the possession of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. The issue was squarely one between public and private ownership. The government, he said, would in the very near future take over the Grand Trunk Pacific, and probably the old Grand Trunk as well. In any event, it would soon own a transcontinental line from Halifax to Prince Rupert, composed of the Intercolonial, the National Transcontinental and the Grand Trunk Pacific. To make that big national railway pay at all it must have branches and feeders in the west, and the government must also acquire as part of its system the Canadian Northern Railway.

MAY WIN VICTORY OF FIRST CLASS

Italian Advance Promises Developments of Premier Magnitude.

VERDUN DRIVE EASY

German Had Weakened Line by Withdrawals to Fight British.

London, Aug. 23.—Major-General Maurice in an interview at the war office with the Associated Press today, said: "The withdrawal of German reserves from the French front undoubtedly made the French Verdun push easier, and this was naturally one of the things taken into account by the allies. The French attack at Verdun, I may say, is being carried out according to the same methodical plans as ours in the north. In their first attack they gained about three-fourths of their objectives, leaving the other one-fourth to be cleaned up later by localized operations."

TOT RUNS IN FRONT OF BROTHER'S TARGET

Little Girl Shot Thru Head During Children's Rifle Practice at Beaverton.

Beaverton, Aug. 23.—About 10 o'clock this morning, a rifle squad of Beaverton, a sad fatality occurred at the home of Mrs. Minnie Lyon, widow of the late John Lyon, when her young daughter, Mary, seven years of age, was accidentally shot. Mrs. Lyon had come to Beaverton to work in the morning, and while Henry, her young son of nine years, was searching for some fishhooks, he found some cartridges that had been put away and thought to be where the children could not get them. Henry loaded the gun. He and his sister Lydia, of 11 years, were having target practice at a post when their little sister ran in front of this post and a bullet entered her head. She died in half an hour, before medical aid had arrived.

THEIR MAJESTIES VISIT HOSPITAL

Canadian Associated Press Cable. London, Aug. 23.—The King and Queen, attended by the Countess of Shaftesbury and Commander Sir Charles Cust, R.N., visited Duchen of Connaught's Canadian Red Cross Hospital at Cliveden and Taplow Thursday afternoon.

Heavy Losses Follow Vain Counter-Attacks

German Still Are Fiercely Disputing Possession of Ground Won by Canadians

London, Aug. 23.—The official report from British headquarters in France describes heavy fighting about Lens, where the Canadian troops have gained a foothold on a strong enemy strategic point south of Lens. The text of the statement reads: "Heavy local fighting has taken place all day for the possession of an important enemy stronghold immediately south of Lens, known as the Green Crassier. Our troops gained a footing on the spoil heap early this morning, and have since beaten off several counter-attacks, in which the enemy suffered heavy losses, both from our artillery and in hand-to-hand fighting. Possession of the position will bring us into direct communication with the fortified farms captured by us yesterday, and will furnish most important underground positions within the city, which is rapidly approaching the point where it will furnish most inhospitable quarters for the enemy."

SCREW TURNS AGAIN

Canadians Open Way Towards Heart of City.

Canadian Army Headquarters, Aug. 23.—Another turn of the screw was made this morning on the southwest front of Lens. At 3 o'clock, after a short but intense bombardment, the Manitoba troops attacked the green crassier, huge heap, or pile, of refuse on the north banks of the Souchez River, by which our advance into Lens from the south was barred. The Fosse St. Louis, which consists of a tangle of pit hand machinery, shot to pieces by many bombardments, was also attacked. On a front of about 700 yards the Manitobans went forward from 200 to 400 yards and opened the way towards the heart of the city on the south, as the other advances of the Canadians have been steadily and methodically, and gradually weaving a net around the Germans, who live miserably in their

FURTHER ITALIAN GAINS IN FURIOUS BATTLES

Sixteen Thousand Prisoners Mark Progress of Allies—Both Wings Fight Way Forward Towards Important Goals.

Rome, Aug. 23.—Furious fighting continues on the Isonzo front. The war office announces further gains for the Italians on both the northern and southern wings. Austrian counter-attacks of redoubled intensity are being beaten back by the Italians. Following is the official announcement: "On the fourth day of the battle on the Julian front we again made considerable progress on the northern wing of the line and obtained new successes on the southern wing. The enemy is reacting strongly against our pressure, and redoubling his counter-offensives. Our troops are repelling his counter-attacks from the positions captured, and are gallantly proceeding toward realization of their objectives."

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MANY GUNS USED

Large Concentration by Enemy Against Canadians. London, Aug. 23.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters telegraphs today: "Beginning at 3 o'clock this morning a small force achieved quite a success. The Boches had been relying upon the flooded district southwest of Lens to assure them against attack from this direction. Sweeping around from Pustulaines the Canadian troops got across the river, deploying and pushing on along a front of about 1,000 yards. There was stiff fighting about Green Crassier, a great slag heap full of machine gun posts and dugouts. The

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FRENCH WANT JAPS TO FIGHT ON LAND

Newspapers Agitate Question of Sending Nippon's Men to Russia.

Paris, Aug. 23.—The Figaro takes up the subject of Japanese participation in the war, explaining the moment has now arrived for Japan to take further steps. The writer describes Japan as having hitherto argued that as an essentially Asiatic power it was her duty to reserve all her force for her future mission in Asia. He says, however, that this situation has now changed by China's entry in the war, and therefore soldiers and artillery should be sent to Russia's aid, all the more so now that new Russia has forsworn all ideas of expansion or conquest. The Petit Journal, in an editorial along the same lines, says the military reserves of all these entente powers should be used prudently. It adds that never will the Russian front be more needed on the Russian front than they are today.

GRAIN-CUTTING BEGINS AROUND EDMONTON

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 22.—Cutting is general throughout the Edmonton district on coarse grains, and few farmers are into their wheat fields. By this time next week all wheat will be ripe and ready for the binder. Good yields are expected from barley wheat and oats. There has been some rain at nights for the past week, but not sufficient to stop the binders. Labor seems fairly plentiful, and the supply is being augmented largely by city folks taking their vacations

NOTHING NOTABLE ON FRENCH FRONT

German Drachen Destroyed by Fire of Allied Artillery.

Paris, Aug. 23.—The official statement tonight reads: "Calm prevailed along the whole front. There was reciprocal artillery activity on both sides of the Meuse in the region east of Aitkirch our artillery caught under its fire a German drachen, which was brought down in flames. Belgian communication: On the night of August 21-22 the enemy fired in the region of Neucapelle several thousand asphyxiating projectiles of all calibres. August 22 was relatively calm. In the night of August 22-23 one of our patrols penetrated an enemy trench near Dixmude, but retired before superior forces. There was slight artillery activity today, owing to the unfavorable weather. Eastern theatre, August 22.—In the region north of Vetenik two Bulgarian detachments were repulsed with appreciable losses. At the Cerna Bend our fire caused an outbreak of flames in three enemy batteries."

In the harvest fields, for the most part without pay, selecting employers who have such a big acreage that they need a lot of men at once. Crop conditions in the Moose Jaw district have vastly improved during the past ten days, and cool weather of the past two days is also proving very beneficial. Monday night heavy rains fell throughout the district. Estimates of the yield vary all the way from 12 to 22 bushels to the acre.

NOTHING NEW IN MACROBBIE CASE

Coroner's Inquest Into Death of Hamilton Doctor Adjourned for a Week.

EVIDENCE CONFLICTS

Position of Body Evidently Changed Before Coroner Reached Scene.

Hamilton, Friday, Aug. 24.—Contradictory evidence of Herbert Asseltine, the nightwatchman who was the first to find the body, and Harry Bell, a salesman for the Crescent Oil Co., called immediately to the scene of the tragedy by Asseltine, the fact that the position of the body was changed between the time the former found it and the time the latter found it, and the introduction of two new figures into the mystery, namely Edward Dorman of the Royal Oak Hotel and William Mines, a well-known citizen, furnished the thrills at the opening inquest last night into the death of Dr. Douglas G. MacRobbie, whose almost lifeless body was found on the premises of the Crescent Oil Company Sunday night last.

Only three witnesses were called—Asseltine, Dorman and Mines. Asseltine, Dorman and Mines, an Indian woman residing at 115 North Caroline street. Following the evidence, which lasted until well after 11 o'clock, Coroner McNichol adjourned the inquest until a week from tonight.

Mrs. MacRobbie was the first witness called. She gave her evidence in a clear and distinct voice, and throughout the examination had remarkable control of her feelings.

She stated that on the morning of the tragedy three men had called in a motor car for Dr. MacRobbie. "But I did not like their looks, so I told them that the doctor was not in," she said.

"Look at the three men over there and state if they are the same," said Coroner McNichol, pointing to Scott, MacAuliffe and Smith, in the prisoner's box. "That looks like one of them," the witness replied. "I don't know," but I could see them in their old clothes I might recognize them," she continued.

Mrs. MacRobbie said that the doctor had left the house about 8 o'clock in the morning, and had not returned until the afternoon. He had no dinner during the day, and she had a patient about 7 o'clock and went out about 7:45.

"That was the last I heard of him until I was informed of the accident about 2:30," she said.

When questioned by C. W. Bell, inquesting for Smith and Scott, and Mr. O'Reilly, K.C., counsel for MacAuliffe, as to whether the doctor was in the habit of telling her where he

was going and how she could get in touch with him if necessary, Mrs. MacRobbie replied, "No."

Asseltine's evidence was that a wife of excitement swept thru the court when Asseltine was called to the witness box.

Two or three times Coroner McNichol had to warn him to be frank in answering the questions of the crown attorney, as he persisted in apparently misunderstanding the questions asked at him.

He stated that on Sunday morning he and a friend had hired a car to take their families into the country. "Who went?" said the crown attorney.

"My friend and his wife, a number of children, my wife and myself," he replied.

"Must have been a freight car," retorted the crown attorney. "To tell the truth, it was a beer car," replied Asseltine, amid laughter.

According to Asseltine they went away in the car all day and returned about 7:30. At 9:30 he saw a motor car opposite the Crescent Oil Co. and was turned on the lights.

"Whose car?" he was asked. "Don't know," but thought some one in the office might have left it there," he stated.

When Lights Were Seen... Asseltine stated that he had first noticed lights in the building about 9:45, but did not investigate. He stated that Mrs. Smith had been working that Sunday afternoon, and that the light upstairs might have been accounted for when she was washing her hands.

"It is likely that Mrs. Smith would have been washing her hands all that day," said the crown attorney.

"Didn't think so," said Asseltine. It was then brought out that on the second trip Asseltine saw Smith and another man going to the office. "You saw the body of Dr. MacRobbie. Did it look like Smith's friend?" was the question.

"Can't say," was the reply. "Two Strangers Appear." After being a five on a car for a stranger, during which work he was helped by C. V. Scott, a resident across the street, two men came up and entered the building.

At this point in his evidence Asseltine admitted that he had tried the door before, as he had heard singing, and asked if there were any signs of life. He was kind of on his back and his head was up against the bars, saw blood on the floor, but was not under the doctor's head," he answered.

Here the crown attorney repeated the question whether the head was on the bars, and Asseltine said: "Yes, just up a little on them," meaning a pile of iron bars that was on the floor. "The man who was on the floor, he said: 'There did not seem to be any breathing.'"

Strangers Offer Advice. On the night of the tragedy with him he telephoned to Harry Bell, the salesman, asking him to come to the

office immediately, as there had been an accident.

"Did you tell the newspapers that it was a bus when you found the body?" was the question.

"Well, I have talked to more of them than I want to," was the reply, as he glanced at the bus scribbles on the newspaper.

Asseltine asserted that he had not thought to wake up his employer to find out what had happened and that he had only told Bell there had been an accident.

Salesman's Movements. When Bell arrived he went upstairs with one of the strange men, then telephoned for Dr. Lange and went after him with an auto. "That's all I know," said the witness, with a sigh of relief that could be heard thruout the court.

"It's not half of what you know," retorted the crown attorney.

To the question if there was any change in the position of the body after Bell had arrived, and who woke the three witnesses, Asseltine gave the usual reply of "don't know."

Asked where he was during the time Bell went to the doctor, Asseltine was outside, inside, and over the fence to "And you and forwards," added the crown attorney.

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WAR SUMMARY

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

THE Canadians added another brilliant success to the chain which they are forging about Lens, when they captured yesterday a large mound of mine debris known as the Green Grassier. This position lies on the southern edge of Lens and it formed a strong obstacle to their progress from the south, partly because the ground about it is half-flooded and partly because the Germans had joined it to their system of fortified cellars by many tunnels. Its gain greatly strengthens the British line and correspondingly weakens the German position in Lens. The enemy has showed marked inferiority in fighting qualities and in leadership to the Canadians and, unless unforeseen developments occur, the Canadians will soon capture Lens and make a distinct place for themselves in the history of the war.

The British have won further ground in their operations to secure the rest of the high ground of Flanders and therewith the dominating position in Belgium. Their chief advance yesterday was northeast of Langemark. The tangled condition of the ground makes this progress slow, but it is none the less sure. The political object of the allies in this advance is primarily to win back the Belgian coal fields, an achievement of the first magnitude. The British aviators and Dover flotilla are aiding in this offensive by their harassment of the enemy in Zebrugge. The Germans are uncertain whether the British will land an army on the Belgian coast or not and this constant doubt serves as a distraction to their higher command.

The French, having cleaned up the captured positions in the region of Verdun, are enjoying a rest, for the enemy, after the failure of his first counter-attacks, has cut his losses by making his assaults few and far between. The crown prince, it is said, is also embarrassing Prince Rupprecht by calling for more men. The French success is dealing another severe shock to German expectations.

The strategy of this war is primarily affected by geology. Thus the Canadians are winning back the French coal fields, the British are preparing to win back the Belgian coal fields, and the French are proceeding to win back their iron mines in the region of Verdun. Official documents, secured by the allies, show that one of the primary aims of the Germans in going to war was to annex the French and Belgian coal and iron mines, so as to control three-quarters of the metallurgical output of Europe. The enemy, however, has now discovered some rich coal veins in Silesia and he is proceeding to exploit them, so that his losses in the west will in part be replaced. The French, however, will certainly make an early attempt to capture the Lorraine iron fields, in the region of Metz. The loss of these would probably decide the war.

The Italians, proceeding with their offensive on the Isonzo front, have thrust both wings of their attacking army forward, beaten off furious Austrian counter-attacks, and have taken 3000 additional prisoners, bringing their total for the offensive up to 18,000. The Austrians are making a desperate resistance, but their opponents are steadily advancing towards their goals. The battle has now proceeded for five days. The Italians are evidently aiming at important successes in the belief that they have fine prospects of dealing the enemy a fatal blow.

Altho the Russians have retired from some advanced positions on their extreme northern flank, the Germans so far have not gained any important success, for the withdrawals appear to have come about from the decision to get away from the preliminary German drum fire. The truth about the Russian situation is that the enemy has dimly failed until the present time, to exploit the temporary disorganization in the Russian army and he has also made a complete fiasco of his offensive against the Rumanians. Fighting has now proceeded for two weeks or more on this front and the only result has been the changing of hands by positions, now to one side and now to the other. In his exasperation and eagerness to gain some advantage over Russia, the enemy is now beginning his attempt on the extreme northern front, with what force is known.

At meetings in Moscow preliminary to the gathering of a Russian national conference, various speakers, including the military minister, strongly denounced Petrograd and the Russian provisional government, warning especially, for tampering with the discipline of the army. Moscow. The prospects point to a renewal of political disputes with the rest of Russia united against the Petrograd domination. The Germans, it is reported, are intriguing to keep the Socialists in control, while the Russian Conservatives present a strong front against the present government, also many blame him for his associations with the Socialists.



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Washington, Aug. 23.—An embargo has been placed on exports of sulphur to Canada in order that the supply for war needs of the United States may not be unduly depleted. Canadian wood pulp mills furnishing sulphur to pulp three-fourths of the newspaper paper used in the United States will be seriously affected. Sulphur will be seriously affected. Sulphur classified with explosives is included in the list of commodities for which export licenses are required. No shipments will be licensed, officials said today, until Canada has presented complete estimates of the requirements of Dominion newspaper makers and of the needs of explosives factories. The impression was given by officials today that while there is every desire that the newspaper industry suffer no embarrassment, war needs will be given first consideration; and it was suggested that sulphur may be permitted to go to Canada in limited quantities only, even after the issuing of licenses is resumed.

OTTAWA INTERESTED. Ottawa, Aug. 23.—Announcement of the United States embargo on sulphur exports to Canada caused a sensation in newspaper circles here today. Officials of the big Booth and Eddy plants predicted that every paper mill in Canada would be forced to close within a few months, probably by the end of the year. It is stated that only other sources of sulphur supply are Japan and Sicily, both out of the question owing to shipping conditions.

In official circles here nothing is known of the Washington sulphur embargo. The view is that there will be some loophole to provide for export by special license to fill actual needs of the pulp manufacturers. It is believed the order is only designed to control and conserve the sulphur supply of the United States.

That Canada will not be wholly cut off is the more probable from the fact that American publishers depend so largely on this country for their newspaper.

RUMANIA ASSURED OF AID BY KING

His Majesty Praises Work of Troops Under Ferdinand's Command.

London, Aug. 23.—King George has now raised and trust in the valor of Rumania, expressing admiration for the resistance the Rumanians and Russians are offering to the enemy, and expressing confidence that their efforts will not be unrewarded. The telegram says: "At a time when your majesty is engaged in a bitter struggle in defence of your country, I desire to convey to you the admiration of the British peoples for the magnificent way in which the allied armies under your command have fought and for the very gallant resistance they are making to the assault of the enemy. The British people are closely following the course of the great battle now raging and trust in the valor of the Rumanian and Russian troops under your leadership for the magnificent way in which the allied armies under your command have fought and for the very gallant resistance they are making to the assault of the enemy. We are permitted to behold the three great international powers—Rome, Social Democracy and Judaism—working in complete unison to bring to shame the German victory for which hundreds of thousands have bled and died. The National Liberals are lending effective aid. It would seem that Chancellor Michaelis does not yet understand how to manage the Reichstag."

FINLAND SITUATION WAXES SERIOUS

Continued Difficulty in Forming Cabinet Makes Matters Worse.

Petrograd, Aug. 23.—The situation in Finland is serious as a result of the continued difficulty of forming a cabinet and of the persistence of the socialists in their plan to renew sessions of the dissolved Landtag on August 29. According to the evening newspapers, Premier Kerensky instructed Gov. Stakhovitch to prevent at all costs a reopening of the Landtag, if necessary to surround the building and compel the members to disperse. Gov. Stakhovitch has conferred with the commander of the Baltic fleet. The socialists have finally refused the help of the Finnish professor, Ingman, to form a government, in Shalmo, near Helsinki, serious disorders have been caused by unemployed workmen supported by soldiers. Citizen guards from Helsinki sent to quell the revolt were fired on and driven into the railroad station, where they were besieged, captured and threatened with summary execution.

Petrograd morning newspapers sharply attacked the Finnish socialists, declaring that if Finland, by convoking the Landtag, violates its own constitution, Russia can consider the constitution non-existent and act accordingly.

FOE APPLIES PRESSURE TO COERCE HOLLAND

Germany Cuts Off Steel—Wants Use of Ships.

Washington, Aug. 23.—Germany is increasing her economic pressure on Holland, and now refuses to let steel go into the Netherlands for shipbuilding purposes until the Dutch agree to devote the ships to German uses for a period of five years after the war. German pressure on all European neutrals, latest advice says, is increasing, but it is being manifested mainly on Holland, Denmark and Switzerland, altho it is understood that Norway is feeling it more and more.

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EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

Men! Come Saturday and Share in the Savings Afforded in This Great Clearance of Three-Piece Suits at \$10.75

For this item we cannot take phone or mail orders, the quantity being limited—90 suits only

THIS collection of men's suits is really one of the most interesting as far as variety is concerned we've presented in months and easily the best money saving opportunity we've offered in three-piece suits since spring. They are an assemblage of various kinds of suits, including sample suits from our own workrooms, suits that are termed "seconds" because of some slight and scarcely noticeable flaw in the cloth and a few suits that have become a trifle faded. All are, however, absolutely reliable in tailoring and finish, and you can be assured of getting the utmost of satisfaction in every suit, both in appearance and serviceability. In the assortment are fancy tweeds and worsted materials in a variety of patterns and colors, also a few plain black and navy blue serges. There are 2 and 3 button models included, all carefully tailored and finished in every detail. It's a rare chance to pick up a good serviceable suit for business wear at an unusually low figure. There are only 90 suits in the lot and the sizes include 36 to 42, so come at store opening and make sure of satisfactory selection. Clearing 10.75

Men Can Buy Splendid Japanese Panama Hats Saturday at the Reduced Price of \$1.50

THEY are in the conservative crease crown effect, a shape that is always stylish and popular, so that men need not worry about buying a hat now that will be out of style next summer. The Panama is an excellent clean, white, flexible quality and finished with either plain edge or slightly curled brims, some with rope edges. The balance of a previous sale, along with a higher priced line, comprise an assortment of sizes for almost every man. Sizes 6 5-8 to 7 3-8. Special Saturday, each 1.50

Italian Chip Straws Extra Low Priced Too at 50c

Smart Neglige Shaped Italian Chip Straw Hats, with soft, slightly curled brims and with black silk bands, are another feature in Men's Hat Section Saturday. Sizes 6 5-8 to 7 3-8. Extraordinary value, each 50c

EARLY CLOSING SATURDAYS OTHER DAYS

1 P.M. **From MAY until SEPTEMBER** 5 P.M. NO NOON DELIVERY ON SATURDAYS

The Construction Competition for Boys



ENTRIES are now being taken for the Steel Construction Competition being held in Toyland, Fifth Floor. The competition is open to all boys, and interesting prizes are offered to the boy making the best steel construction model with any steel builder toy set. Visit contest display for information, conditions of contest and entry forms. —Fifth Floor.

Men Will Pay More for "Ceetee" Underwear This Fall

A Slight Increase in Prices Necessary to Maintain the High Quality

LAST FALL it was generally admitted that woolen Underwear would either be of an inferior quality or higher priced this season—and it's true—the Underwear this fall is either one or the other. The manufacturer of "Ceetee" Underwear, however, cared more for the quality of the garments than the keeping down of the price, and the recently-arrived stock maintains the same old quality of woolen yarns for which "Ceetee" Underwear is noted. The preserving of quality, however, necessitates increases in prices, which are so slight that men will scarcely note the difference from last year. While the stock is fresh and complete and while quiet selection is available we advise men to purchase their season's supply, or at least examine the new underwear now being specially displayed in men's wear annex.

An Idea of the Values Obtainable in the Famous "Ceetee" Brand

Separate garments, made of cotton and wool, are finished with beige facings and pearl buttons. Shirts have double back and front, French neck and long sleeves. Drawers have double back and close-fitting cuffs and ankles. Sizes 34 to 40, per garment, \$1.15; sizes 42 to 44, per garment, \$1.25; sizes 46 to 50, per garment, 1.50 Men's Scotch Wool Garments, with sateen facings and pearl buttons, have double-breasted shirts and close-fitting ankles on drawers.



Sizes 34 to 40, \$1.75 each; sizes 42 to 46, \$2.00 each; sizes 48 to 50, each 2.25 Men's Wool Underwear, shirts and drawers, in light or dark natural shade. Shirts are double-breasted and have self facings, pearl buttons and close-fitting cuffs; drawers are outside trouser finished. Sizes 34 to 40, \$2.75 each; sizes 42 to 44, each 3.00 Men's Natural Wool Combinations, with closed crotch, self facings and pearl buttons, French neck, and close-fitting cuffs and ankles. Sizes 34 to 42, \$2.50 each; sizes 44 to 46, each 3.00 Men's All-Wool Combinations, the finest garment in the "Ceetee" collection; have closed crotch, with self facings, pearl buttons, close-fitting cuffs and ankles. Sizes 34 to 42, \$5.50; sizes 44 to 50 6.00 —Men's Wear Annex.

Two Good Values in Men's Shirts

Men's Outing Shirts, made of mercerized cotton and duck, have turn-down collars, pocket and mostly all coat style. Sizes 14 to 18. Excellent value .98 Men's Neglige Shirts, made of excellent quality cambric, fancy cottons and repps, with soft double or laundered cuffs. In interesting stripes of blue, helio and black. Sizes 14 to 17. See these at the extraordinarily low price of .69

Boys' Sport Shirts Less Than Half Price Saturday, 37c

Mothers and boys who come promptly at store open Saturday morning are assured of one of the most profitable shirt specials of the season. They include the balances of some of our most popular lines and the assortment for Saturday includes an unusual variety of fancy colored stripe effects, as well as many plain white-shirts. All made of strong, good laundering materials. Have the smart, low, turned-down sport collar and pocket, and provide choice of long or short sleeves. It's economy to buy several of these shirts at this remarkably low price—boys can wear sport shirts at any time of the year. Sizes 12 to 14 years. Less than half price, Saturday, each, 37c

Every Automobile Should Possess a Set of Socket Wrenches

THESE ARE the sort of useful sets that help you out of difficulties when something goes wrong with the engine. They are made in sizes to fit any car and include Ratchet Handle Wrench and Universal Joint



and Extension Bar, besides all the other numerous Socket Wrenches. The Mosberg is unusually popular, especially in Ford cars. Prices, per set, \$4.25 to 14.25 The set of Socket Wrenches illustrated is priced at 7.00



A Few Other Interesting Values From Big Display of Auto Accessories on Fifth Floor

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MOSCOW MAY BE RUSSIAN CAPITAL

Strong Movement Arises to Shift Government From Petrograd.

ATTACK ON CABINET

Speakers at Conference Condemn Socialists for Anarchic Conditions.

Petrograd, Aug. 23.—As the day approaches for the opening of the "extraordinary national council" at Moscow the newspapers are full of speculation concerning expected dramatic announcements of events. Judging from present indications the congress is likely to take the form of a struggle of the cabinet backed up by the socialist left against the bourgeoisie, and the dismissal of the cabinet, who all agree are severely criticizing the present course and policy, demanding radical change. This view is taken by the Petrograd and Moscow press, which declare that no agreement is reached between the contending groups open conflict must follow. First steps already have been taken toward vigorous and aggressive action by the malcontents. Among those who have arrived at Moscow are

President Rodzianko of the duma, A. J. Gushkoff, ex-president of the duma; Prof. Paul Millukoff, ex-foreign minister; A. I. Shingarooff, V. A. Maklakoff, army former commander-in-chief of the Russian armies, General Alexieff and Brusiloff, who yesterday conferred with the leaders of the Moscow movement, M. Ribushinsky, ex-Minister of Trade A. I. Konovaloff and Prince S. Troubetzkoff, General Junenich, conqueror of Erzerum, and a hetman of the Cossacks, arrived later.

Kerensky Acclaimed.

Conferences were held under the chairmanship of M. Rodzianko, at which the differences between the government and the bourgeoisie were sharply emphasized, the only exception being made for Premier Kerensky, whom some of the speakers acclaim as capable of saving the country on the condition that he liberates himself from the socialist and council of deputies' control. The press was excluded from the preliminary discussion and precautions were taken to prevent speeches being recorded, but it was only of their own interests. The speaker continued, in a vituperative manner, in the hands of Petrograd. That is the chief evil, Petrograd being the centre of rottenness. Therefore, he said, it was imperatively necessary to transfer the capital to healthy Moscow. Prince Troubetzkoff exerted only Premier Kerensky from general condemnation, but M. Ilin, a Moscow speaker, declared Premier Kerensky culpable

owing to the association with those responsible for the present anarchy. General Alexieff fiercely denounced the socialist "order No. 1" giving soldiers full liberty and abolishing saluting. The general also denounced Petrograd. General Brusiloff followed, declaring that he agreed with everything that General Alexieff had said.

FOE EATS HUMBLE PIE WITH LATIN REPUBLIC

Germany May Pay for Argentine Ships Torpedoed.

Zurich, Aug. 23.—(British Admiralty per Wireless Press)—Germany has replied to the Argentine note which demanded compensation for the torpedoing of Argentine ships and a pledge from Germany that she would abstain from torpedoing Argentine vessels in the future. It is officially announced from Berlin that Germany has not conceded these demands, but the probability for a settlement is not excluded.

POLISH SOLDIERS QUIT FIGHTING FOR KAISER

Members of First Regiment of Legion Resign in Body.

Copenhagen, Aug. 23.—The officers and men of the first regiment of the Polish Legion have resigned in a body. The commander has published an order accepting the resignations and sending the regiment to Galicia to be disbanded. Austrian subjects in the regiment will be placed at the disposition of the Austrian military authorities.

RUMANIANS CHECK GERMAN ASSAULT

Jules Cambon Reports Failure of Enemy Designs in Moldavia.

Paris, Wednesday, Aug. 22.—(Delayed)—Jules Cambon, general secretary to the French ministry of foreign affairs, in an interview today with the Associated Press, took up the question of the white book just published by the Greek Government regarding the relations between Germany and Greece at the outbreak of the world war and while former King Constantine was on the Hellenic throne. The documents contained in the white book, M. Cambon pointed out, confirmed the revelations made by James W. Gerard, the former American ambassador at Berlin, in his memoirs recently made public. M. Cambon said: "Whether the famous government council was held on the fifth or sixth of July, it is certain the German authorities were agreed to go to war and cannot escape the responsibility which rests upon them. The white book is one of the most historical documents on the question of responsibility for the war."

M. Cambon then commented on the British, French and Italian offensive which, he said, had exerted a tremendous wear and tear on the German troops, the quality of which, he added, was inferior to what it was recently. Likewise the check of the German advance in Rumania reminded him in a measure of the battle of the Marne, where an apparently victorious advance was desperately held in check. All signs point, M. Cambon concluded, to the indication that the German force which once was called indomitable has been checked for all time.

PARISHIONERS OBJECT TO BISHOP'S CHOICE

Father Laurandau of London Refused Admission, Because of Language Opinions.

Special to The Toronto World. Windsor, Aug. 23.—Our Lady of the Lake, one of the oldest and largest churches in London diocese, may be closed temporarily by order of the bishop on account of the refusal of parishioners to accept Father Laurandau of London to succeed the late Father Beaudouin. Trouble has caused a sensation in Roman Catholic circles here. Following a mass service in the church on Wednesday, the participating clergy, including Fathers Laurandau and O'Connor, vicar-general of the diocese, were denied admission to the presbytery. Clothing and personal effects of the visiting clergy were deposited on the lawn outside the church and a guard refused to allow the priests to enter. No violence was attempted. The blockade was orderly but effective. One of the officers stated the guard would remain on duty indefinitely until the bishop had appointed a suitable pastor. According to resolutions drawn up by the committee, it is claimed that Father Laurandau is in sympathy with the views of Bishop Fallon and that he is opposed to teaching French in schools. This Father Laurandau stoutly denies and declares the whole trouble to be unnecessary and regrettable. In the meantime the only priest who is allowed access to the presbytery is Father Emery who was assistant during the illness of Father Beaudouin.

TWO BADLY BURNED.

Kingston, Aug. 23.—Joseph P. Delph was badly burned in his home in trying to extinguish a fire when a match with which he was lighting his pipe set fire to window curtains. John Hamilton, who helped him fight the fire, was also badly burned. The firemen extinguished the blaze.

ALLIES' OFFENSIVE COSTS Foe DEARLY

Enemy on Three Western Fronts Loses Thousands of Men.

London, Aug. 23.—The allies' great offensive, unceasingly boring ahead today, has already cost the Germans and Austrians close to 100,000 in dead and wounded and at least 121,000 prisoners on the British, French and Italian fronts. But despite these staggering losses and no let up today in the deluge of shells and men against their lines on the west and Italian fronts, Germany is starting an offensive of her own has already gained ground on the Riga front. The British theory is that the German war chiefs, apprehensive of a loss of public morale because of the enormous losses and forced giving way on the western and Italian fronts, have started a military move which they will use to keep other front news subordinate. The Russian army's weakness in munitions and supplies permits a relatively small force of well organized Germans to make a strong impression against them.

The British and French onslaught on the west front and the Italian drive to the south gained more ground today after enduring a night of the most violent counter-attacks. Do you wish to buy or sell? Look over the classified advertisements and see how interesting they are.

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WANT NEW POLICY

Conservatives Strive to Have
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Washington, Aug. 23.—Russia's critical international situation, aggravated by the German drive against Riga, has caused the Russian government to re-examine its policy. It is felt that the present policy is not in accord with the political conditions. The outcome of the forthcoming national council to be held in Moscow, is awaited here with interest. It is felt that the council will be a landmark in the history of the Russian government. The council is expected to elect a new government, and to reorganize the army and resume the offensive against the central powers, or open civil strife.

German intrigues in Russia are known to be exerting powerful influence to bring about anarchy within the Russian democracy. Just how they are playing their game in reference to the opposing elements has not been revealed.

The organization of Russian Conservatives, described as formidable, whose criticism of the provisional government's course is to the effect that socialist domination has destroyed discipline and efficiency in the army and left the country exposed to invasion, apparently has not been definitely measured in strength in despatches received here. It combines, however, the disaffected generals of the army, the bourgeois or semi-bourgeois elements, disaffected Moscow business men and other elements, all of which demand a radical change in the government's policy.

Opposing the principles of this combination are the cabinet and the Socialists. Apparently holding the confidence of both, Premier Kerensky, The Conservatives criticize him for submission to Socialist control.

No News From Riga. At the Russian embassy it was said tonight that no news concerning the situation in the Riga region had been received. The military situation appeared to be still optimistic. It was said that the German offensive had been looked for, and regarding the possible capture of the railway line from Archangel, it was pointed out that the port of Archangel would be ice-bound in September.

Officials explained that the great results were looked for from the new arrangements for dealing with the troops. Three committees composed of representatives of the government, commanding officers of the army and delegates from the army. The committee, it was said, are working to create harmony and the confidence of representatives of the government and delegates from the army. The committee is to enlighten the soldiers on the objects of the war, answer questions regarding political matters and otherwise aid in restoring the morale. Russia's chief task now, it was declared, is the transportation of supplies and munitions and the aid which should be rendered to the United States in forwarding the solution of the problem.

ARMY'S DELEGATES TO ATTEND COUNCIL
Kerensky to Preside at All-Russian Conference at Moscow.

Petrograd, Aug. 23.—Premier Kerensky will preside over the extraordinary national council which is to be held shortly at Moscow. The list of delegates to the council has been completed, but it is announced that there will be one hundred representatives present from the councils of workers, soldiers and sailors, and peasants' deputies, five from each of the nationalities, ten from the Cossack council, fifteen from the Petrograd municipality, fifteen from the universities, and in addition, delegates from the labor unions, academies of science and arts, the women's unions and the Orthodox church.

The army will be represented by delegates from committees at the front and from other army committees. Gen. G. Korniloff will attend the council and deliver an address.

On behalf of the government, Premier Kerensky, Vice-Premier Nekrasoff, Minister of the Interior Avksentiev, and Minister of Trade and Industry Prokopovitch will be submitted to the congress for voting.

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Germany Will Not Abstain From Torpedoing Ships in Future.

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Back-Firing Against Move For Unionist Government

Senator Cloran and Col. Currie Criticize Alleged Hold-up of Conscription Measure.

By a Staff Reporter.
Ottawa, Aug. 23.—Back-firing against the movement for union government occurred tonight in both houses of parliament. In the senate Hon. Mr. Cloran demanded to know why the conscription bill was being held up. He said the bill had been hurriedly introduced in the house of commons and put thru as quickly as possible, then was hurried over to the senate and that august body had to sit up nearly all night in order to pass it. Because everyone was assured by the prime minister that there was urgent need for more men at the front. After the bill got thru the senate, however, and went back to the house to have a few trifling amendments, the government seemed to take no interest in conscription. It required the resignation of Hon. Robt. Rogers to make the prime minister move at all to every Canadian serving in the military or naval service of the British Empire or any of the allies. The soldier shall vote in the riding in which he resided four months before enlisting, or, if he did not have such residence in Canada before enlisting, he may vote in any riding in which at any time before enlisting he did reside, or, if he is unable to fix his residence in any place in Canada, he may elect in which district his vote is to be counted. It is estimated that comparatively few soldiers will be unable to say that they have never lived in Canada. Those who have been long expatriated, of course, remain the province and county in which they at some time resided.

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C.N.R. PRIZE OF FINANCIAL FIGHT

Montreal Capitalists Combined Against Big Interests in Toronto.

By a Staff Reporter.
Ottawa, Aug. 23.—A financial battle of considerable magnitude is in progress in the commons. The game of battle is the Canadian Northern Railway, which the government proposes to acquire for the Canadian people. Arrayed against the nationalization are the great money interests of eastern Canada. The situation in parliament therefore is not so much political as financial. So far as one can see it is Montreal finance versus Toronto finance, the Bank of Montreal against the Canadian Bank of Commerce; the Canadian Pacific Railway versus the Canadian Northern. The three great Montreal interests have combined against the three great Toronto interests. Naturally the C.P.R. has no desire to see the C.N.R. become a government road. The fight possibly for the corporation would in the end be a very unequal one. But something must be done regarding the Canadian Northern, and there are only two alternatives as Sir Thomas White pointed out during the debate today, either the C.N.R. must be taken over by the government or it must be absorbed by the C.P.R. These are the only two organizations in Canada that are capable of shouldering the burden. There have been rumors at Ottawa that the C.P.R. strongly desires to get control of the Canadian Northern, and it is said that the opposition which has developed in Montreal against the government taking over the road has been engineered by the C.P.R. Indeed, both Sir Thomas White and Hon. Arthur Meighen hinted at that in their speeches today.

Both Want It.
While the C.P.R. wants the C.N.R., the government also wants it. It is necessary. The reason is that the G.T.P. will eventually fall into the hands of the government. The G.T.P. has no branch lines in western Canada. The C.N.R. has a valuable branch line system which taps the richest parts of the prairie country without the making of a new road. The C.P.R. has a track from coast to coast. Thus the C.N.R. is absolutely essential to the present government system. But there is another consideration which is being overlooked. It is stated that the C.P.R. and the C.N.R. had agreed to demand an increase of 15 per cent in freight rates. This would be a distribution program in perfect form. The C.P.R. with its ten per cent dividends, and it was required in the case of the Canadian Northern. Government ownership would destroy this prospect and would therefore save the people.

The situation in parliament as the result of the railway policy of the government is strange. The long alliance between the C.P.R. and the Conservative party is broken. The C.P.R. for the first time in its history is fighting the Conservative party with the knife, and the chief spokesmen of the Conservative party are fighting the government policy is Hon. William Fugley.

Who is going to win is the all important question. The C.P.R. understands the C.N.R. is stronger than the Canadian Government?

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS HAVE NEW SOCIETY
"Comrades of the Great War" is Announced to Be Non-Political.

Canadian Associated Press Cable.
London, Aug. 23.—The promotion is known as Comrades of the Great War. "To band together in a spirit of mutual comradeship and solidarity, sailors who have served their country in any capacity during the war." The preliminary announcement is signed by several members of parliament, describing themselves as serving members, among them Norton Griffiths and Hamar Greenwood. The proposition will not doct receive sympathetic consideration. The Canadian Press overseas troops in the comradeship. The promoters insist that it is to be non-political and democratic in character. The principal criticism we heard so far is that the war is not even yet in its final stages, a vast majority of the comrades are therefore still busy hammering the Boche, which means that they have no time to consider afterwar comradeships, which again means that any association founded now will be started by comrades who, perhaps for most excellent reasons, have done most of their soldiering a good many miles from the front line.

Nothing Known of Spy.
Montreal, Aug. 23.—Nothing is known about William F. Nain, who according to a despatch from Richmond, Va., was arrested in Louisiana Sunday, and is charged with being a German spy. The prisoner is said to have stated that he is from Montreal and was sending information to his mother here.

Burning Steamer Safe.
Halifax, Aug. 23.—British troop steamer which had fire in her hold, arrived there this evening, and the oil in the lower holds is being pumped out. The fire appears to be well under control, but it is impossible yet to ascertain the extent of the damage.

ALLIES HAD AGREED TO DIVIDE TURKEY

German Chancellor Accuses Britain and Russia of Conquest Aims.

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THE WEATHER

Observatory, Toronto, Aug. 23.—(8 p.m.)—The disturbance which was approaching Lake Superior last night has since been moving eastward across the Great Lakes...

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 40-50; Prince Rupert, 35-64; Victoria, 54-75; Vancouver, 54-78; Kamloops, 52-58; Battleford, 44-52; Prince Albert, 46-52; Saskatoon, 45-52; Regina, 45-57; Qu'Appelle, 48-72; Winnipeg, 35-65; Pelly Sound, 62-75; London, 54-79; Toronto, 54-71; Kingston, 54-52; Ottawa, 62-80; Montreal, 62-80; Quebec, 58-75; Halifax, 64-80.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Showery at first, followed by moderate rain from west and northwest, with clearing, cooler weather.

Upper St. Lawrence and Ottawa Valley—Fresh to strong winds; warm and unsettled, with showers and thunderstorms.

Maritime, eastern portion—Fair and warm at first, showery by night.

Superior—West and northwest gales; clearing and cooler.

Western Provinces—Fine and moderately warm.

THE BAROMETER

Table with columns: Time, Ther., Bar., Wind. Rows for 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m., 8 p.m., Mean of day, 70; difference from average, 5.5 above; highest, 76; lowest, 64; rain, 0.58.

STREET CAR DELAYS

Thursday, Aug. 23, 1917. Carleton and Parliament cars, westbound, delayed 17 minutes at 8:25 a.m. at Gerrard and Sakville, by motor truck broken down on track.

Carleton and Parliament cars, westbound, delayed 12 minutes at 9:41 a.m. on Don bridge, Gerrard street, by load of sand on track.

Yonge and Avenue Road and Dupont cars, northbound, delayed 6 minutes at 4:10 p.m. on Yonge, north from College, by parade.

King cars delayed 6 minutes at 4:48 p.m. at G.T.R. crossing, by train.

Esplanade cars, eastbound, delayed 5 minutes at 2:20 p.m. at Spadina and Front, by horse down on track.

Bathurst cars, both ways, delayed 32 minutes at 9:02 p.m. at Front and Bathurst, by fire.

DEATHS

FOXWELL—On Wednesday, Aug. 22, at the Western Hospital, Walter Foxwell, beloved husband of Gladys Foxwell, in his 24th year. Funeral from his late residence, 219 Macdonell avenue, on Friday, Aug. 24, at 2:30 p.m.

MORISON—On Wednesday, Aug. 22, at 604 Jarvis street, John Morison, in his 80th year. Funeral, Saturday, the 25th inst., at 2:30 p.m. (Motors).

WHEAT HARVESTING GENERAL IN WEST

Operations Favored by Ideal Weather, and Yield is Excellent.

Regina, Sask., Aug. 23.—Wheat cutting is now in full swing, and will be general by the middle of the present week, says the report of the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture.

The weather is all that could be desired for the operations, and during the week local rains have fallen, which have helped to fill the later maturing grain. The wheat crop in many places is picking up beyond expectations, after the drought, and the yield will be materially increased thereby.

Some damage to the wheat crop has been noticed, caused by Hessian fly, but this damage is not serious.

The oat crop is varied, and parts practically too short to cut with a binder, while in other parts there is a splendid crop. South of Wadena are oats from four to six inches to five feet in height, and they look as if they might yield sixty bushels to the acre.

All crops are ripening well, and with favorable weather should be harvested in splendid health. Harvest labor is scarce, but every effort is being made by the department of agriculture to obtain help, and special trains of harvesters are coming in from the east.

Calgary, Alta., Aug. 23.—Alberta's crop prospects have improved materially in the last ten days, and the general estimate is now twenty-five bushels of wheat and from fifty to seventy bushels of oats to the acre. The only bad feature is the recent hail storm in the High River district, which swept more than a hundred square miles of excellent crops. Rains have fallen opportunely, and the weather has been ideal for harvesting.

The grain is grading up well, the first samples going No. 2 Northern. Cutting is general in the south and central districts.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Warpers, customs broker, 39 West Wellington st., corner Bay st. BRANTFORD WANTS FISH. Special to The Toronto World. Brantford, Aug. 23.—With two "measles" days weekly, local citizens are continuing to agitate for a supply of fresh fish here. It is pointed out that fish in Brantford is sold for one-third the cost of fish here. Brantford has fast connection with Port Dover, where a big supply of fish landed daily. Toronto gets the bulk of the catch.

G.T.P. FORMS PART OF NATIONAL ROAD

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ed that the committee rise and report progress.

On the orders of the day Sir Robert Borden announced that he would make a statement on the Bruce report and the army medical situation on Monday next, and at the same time would foreshadow the policy of the government in respect to pension legislation.

The C. N. R. Purchase.—When the house got into committee on the Canadian Northern bill Sir Thomas White laid considerable information upon the table, in reference to the Mount Royal tunnel and Montreal terminals. Sir Thomas repeated his former statement that only \$78,000 would be required to complete the same. This estimate includes the tunnel, the Mount Royal terminals, including the Mount Royal station and all other items, will be \$10,401,281. Of this amount \$9,822,715 has been paid in cash up to date by the company, and enough has been realized from property acquired in working out the plan to reduce the net amount necessary for the completion of the entire work to \$78,000.

Sir Thomas said that some construction work to be done in Saskatchewan, which had been delayed by the company on account of the security of the common stock, will be for the same, but against this liability there was the sum of \$1,202,000 in bank to the credit of the provincial treasurer of Saskatchewan in trust for the company.

With reference to the holding of common stock by the Canadian Railway Company, Sir Thomas announced that \$51,000,000 was the absolute property of Mackenzie, Mann & Co. Stock to the par value of \$4,000,000 was held by certain undertakings by the government of British Columbia. Two million dollars was held in trust for certain officials and employees of the Canadian Northern Railway Co. One million dollars was held by John Aird and H. V. F. Jones in trust, and \$26,000 by the British Empire Trust Co. Small holdings of stock from two thousand to ten shares each, had been issued to a number of gentlemen to qualify them for directors, including Sir William Mackenzie, Sir Donald Mann, D. E. Hannan, Senator Richardson, W. H. Mackenzie, Hon. J. A. Lash, Hon. Payne, E. J. Mackenzie, Senator Nicholas and W. J. Christie. The shares of Mackenzie, Mann & Co. were held in trust for the Canadian Bank of Commerce, not to secure any specific loan, but to protect their account.

Western Land Values.—Replying to a question by Pugsley, Sir Thomas White said the value of the company's western lands could only be estimated. They had been sold in the past as high as \$15 an acre.

Mr. Pugsley doubted if the lands would sell for as much as the land values in the west, and he suggested that the government should not take over the lands at all.

Mr. Macdonald (Picton) wanted the Mackenzie and Mann stock to be taken over without compensation. Why could that be done under the legislation which was being introduced?

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Mr. Meighen replied that the people of Ontario and the people of Canada generally had complete confidence in Sir Wm. Mackenzie, Mann & Co. as a company, and he thought the danger of the country paying anything more for the stock than it was worth. He warned members of the opposition that the withdrawal of the bill from the conscription issue by trying to inflame the minds of the people about the Canadian Northern purchase.

Mr. Macdonald: "A great many prominent Conservatives are disgusted with the government's action in this matter; they are heartily in favor of conscription."

Mr. Meighen: "If they are in favor of conscription they will vote right."

George P. Graham then read a protest against the Canadian Northern purchase signed by a number of prominent capitalists which appeared in today's Toronto papers. It also read The Gazette editorial on the protest.

Sir Thomas Replies.—Sir Thomas White replied in a vigorous speech in the course of which he said that the protest appearing in The Montreal Gazette was nothing more or less than a piece of public ownership. The only issue before the house was whether the Canadian Northern should be taken over by the government or whether it should be acquired by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. The Canadian Pacific, its press, its bankers, and its friends were all too eager to gobble up the Canadian Northern, but the government was determined to go forward with the policy of railway nationalization. It would in the near future nationalize the Grand Trunk Pacific and probably the old Grand Trunk as well.

After denouncing as false the charge in The Montreal Gazette that the government did not know what assets it was acquiring or what liabilities it was assuming in connection with the purchase of the capital stock of the Canadian Northern, Sir Thomas pointed out that the country already owned the intercolonial and the National Transcontinental. It had no choice but also to acquire the Grand Trunk Pacific, but of what use would this long line from sea to sea across the continent be if the branches and feeders in western Canada?

It was absolutely necessary to take over the Canadian Northern if Canada was expected to do anything within five years' time; but should the government continue to make annual financial grants to the system only to make Mackenzie, Mann and company magnates in the future? Would it not be better to own the road and reap the prosperity that would come in the future from its successful operation? The government now had a splendid chance to get the road, and he did not believe that much money would be awarded Mackenzie and Mann for

TROUBLE ENDS AFTER TWELVE LONG YEARS

Condition Grew So Serious Fairness Was Forced to Give Up, He Declares.

WORKS EVERY DAY NOW Is Stronger and Healthier Than in Years Since He Took Tanlac, He Says.

"I can tell you, for three weeks before I started on Tanlac I was so played out I couldn't hit a lick of work and you know how hard I had to work before I finished my first bottle I was back on the job, feeling like a new man," said W. E. Fairbairn, in an interview with the Toronto World, Tuesday, August 21, 1917.

Mr. Fairbairn, who is a well-known Toronto, and his many friends will be glad to learn of his recovery.

"My stomach had been troubling me for twelve years," he continued, "my appetite went back on me and I had gotten to where I could hardly eat a thing. What little I did eat disagreed with me and I was miserable nearly all the time. I was losing weight, I was always had sickening, nauseated feeling right after my meals and many a time I couldn't retain anything I had eaten. I had no rest, no sleep, no satisfaction in the pit of my stomach and felt like my food had lodged there and formed a hard lump. Sometimes I would get up in the middle of the night and I would feel like I had a lump in my stomach. I couldn't eat a bite of supper. I was so nervous and restless I couldn't get any sound sleep, and would get up in the mornings worn completely out. I never felt like doing anything, in fact, I felt half dead all the time and what little strength I had was getting away from me rapidly."

"Finally I just had to surrender to my troubles, and the day I took my first dose of Tanlac I had been away from my work for three solid weeks. All the time I had been taking Tanlac I had been begging me to try Tanlac, so I got my wife to go down to the drug store and buy me a bottle, and I have never felt like this since. I don't mean my life, I believe the very first dose made me feel better, and before I finished my first bottle I started back to work, carrying a little bottle of Tanlac in my pocket. I don't mean I wouldn't miss a dose. I kept on working every day and improving rapidly and steadily. My third bottle I felt like I was doing anything, in fact, I felt half dead all the time and what little strength I had was getting away from me rapidly."

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RUSSIANS RETIRE TO ANOTHER LINE

Alies Withdraw on Account of Heavy Foe Artillery Fire.

Petrograd, Aug. 23.—The Russian forces on the northern and central Russian front, where the Germans have begun an offensive, yesterday retired under pressure from the region of Ragnedalen and Kemmer, to the Lake Shloyrin and Frankendorf region. The enemy artillery conducted an intense fire in this sector.

The official statement issued today by the Russian war department, after the withdrawal, says that the German artillery conducted an intense fire in this sector.

The text of the Russian statement follows: "Western (Russian) front: In the direction of Tukkuim, under pressure of the enemy, we retired from the region of Ragnedalen and Kemmer, to the Lake Shloyrin and Frankendorf region. The enemy artillery conducted an intense fire in this sector."

"Southwest of Lake Babbit, after a hand-to-hand encounter, a strong German scouting party was dispersed, leaving some prisoners in our hands. The enemy artillery here also displayed more vigorous activity in shelling our trenches. While inspecting this position, Major-General Kruglevsky, the gallant commander of a division, was injured."

"In the region of the River Kekkau, advanced enemy detachments have shown increased activity."

"In Volhynia, in the direction of Sokal, yesterday, an enemy battalion brought up its artillery and conducted an intensive fire in the region of Zborzh and Wyduka and succeeded in penetrating our trenches at Zborzh. Our counter-attack drove him out."

"Rumanian front—Last night, the enemy attacked our positions northwest of Iassky, but a counter-attack of our troops restored the position."

"In the direction of Oena, the fighting continued. The enemy conducted attacks north of Grozestchi, near the factory of Staklerie and in the region of Zborzh. They were all repulsed by the Rumanians."

"In the direction of Pokshani, the Germans last night, attacked on the Monastirion-Marasochi front without success."

"Caucasian front—There were further and more intensive reconnaissance. The government now had a splendid chance to get the road, and he did not believe that much money would be awarded Mackenzie and Mann for

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Classes for the vocational re-education of returned soldiers who have been disabled as to prevent them from resuming their former occupations have been provided, and any man who regards his disability to be of such a nature as to entitle him to the benefit of the classes as requested may make application to Mr. W. W. Nichol, Vocational Officer for Ontario, No. 116 College Street, Toronto, when full particulars will be furnished and arrangements at once made for a board to enable those entitled to obtain courses of instruction in the subjects suitable to their particular disability.

In addition to getting instruction free, the support of the soldier and his family or dependents during the course of training, and for one month after it is completed, is provided for, according to scale.

Cases where assistance for the families of soldiers is required are daily reported to us, and we will thankfully receive subscriptions to our "Relief Fund." Subscribers to this fund are asked to pay their contributions from same are made only after careful investigation of the merits of each case, and particulars will be furnished on request to subscribers as to the method of making donations. All donations should be made payable to the order of the Soldiers' Aid Commission, and in each case an official receipt will be issued therefor.

All services are free of charge. For further particulars as to our work please write or telephone N. 2800. W. D. McPHERSON, K.C., M.P.P., Chairman.

J. WARWICK, Secretary.

Smith, Ottawa, Ont.: A. H. Jones, England; Fred Barrett, London, Ont.; Percy Nelson, Port Elgin, Ont.; Peter McDonald, New Waterford, B.C.; Wounded and gassed—A. G. Griffith, Hamilton; 362188, Percy Stroud, 40 1/2 Dagmar avenue, Toronto; F. H. Head, England.

II—W. E. Windridge, England; Ernest Reynolds, England; Harold Haigh, Winnipeg; R. F. Murray, England. Reported to have died in error—John Burns, Montreal.

ARTILLERY.

Wounded—Gunner J. D. Beales, Aroha, Sask.; Lieut. S. L. Haakel, Lachine, Que.; Signaller C. J. Davis, Whites Bay, Nfld.; Gunner C. J. Kettleton, Moragoston, Ont.; James McKeth, Scotland.

II—Signaller Richard Sterling, England.

ENGINEERS.

Died of wounds—Sapper George Fieldsend, England.

Presumed to have died—James Burns, Scotland.

Wounded—Lieut. F. F. Steers, Ottawa; Lieut. C. E. Richardson, Scotland.

KENT COUNTY ENJOYS A PATRIOTIC PICNIC

Special to The Toronto World. Chatham, Aug. 23.—One of the most successful patriotic rallies ever held in Kent County was given today under the auspices of the North Warwick Patriotic League at Frank

CITY BAND PLAYS BEFORE THE QUEEN

Highland Battalion Pipe Band Heard at Buckingham Palace.

SEVENTY-SIX RECRUITS

Volunteers Include Twenty-Five British-Born From United States.

Toronto Highlanders take pride in the news from the 134th Highland Battalion Pipe Band that it has been playing before royalty at garden parties at Buckingham Palace, London.

There were 10 recruits added to the 1st Reserve Infantry Battalion, C. E. F., all being supplied from among the British-born from the south. Other C. E. F. units gained recruits as follows: York and Simcoe Foresters, 7; Army Medical Corps, 4; U. of T. Training Co., 8; Canadian Mounted Rifles Engineers, each 2; Royal Canadian Dragoons.

Need More Cyclists. An Ottawa order received yesterday afternoon at the Toronto mobilization centre authorized resumption of recruiting for cyclists' platoon of military district No. 2 for overseas service.

Army Service Corps recruits for overseas will now be accepted for all three branches, horse transport, mechanical transport and supply section. Instead of being limited as during the past few weeks to chauffeurs only, no limit is set by the militia department to the number the A.S.C. may enrol.

Big smaller Ward, son of School Inspector Ward of Kippendene avenue, who was sent from the trenches to the hospital with double pleurisy, is now at the Ontario Hospital at Orpington, England, and making good progress.

Capt. V.H.K. Moorehouse will succeed Major V. H. McWilliams as adjutant of the military base hospital, Gerard street. Capt. Moorehouse won the military cross for attending wounded under fire on the battlefield. He was registered at the base hospital. Capt. G. Cameron is now acting registrar.

Capt. W. B. C. McCarthy, who is anxious to return to the front, has resigned as acting adjutant at Spadina Military Hospital. He was badly wounded while fighting with his machine gun unit.

Over two hundred returned soldiers and friends made a boat trip on the steamer Macassa yesterday to Grimsby Beach for a picnic under the auspices of the Overseas Club.

WAR SAVINGS CAMPAIGN.

In response to a call from the national service board of Canada for assistance in connection with the "war savings bonds campaign," the local council of women are taking the matter in hand with the view to arousing practical interest among the members. This afternoon a special emergency meeting is being held at which expert information on the subject will be given by a member of the national service board.

ARREST FOLLOWS ROW.

Joseph Multia, 106 Claremont street, was taken into custody last night by Acting-Detective Elliott on a charge of attempting to wound a hand Fenick, with whom he worked at the Polson Iron Works. It is alleged that during an altercation yesterday noon Multia drew a knife and aimed for Fenick's stomach.

TREASURER SUPERANNUATED.

Special to The Toronto World. Cobourg, Aug. 23.—Cobourg Town Council at its last session granted a superannuation allowance of \$300 per year to Mr. A. Poe, who resigned after serving ably as treasurer of the corporation for many years.

NEW ART TEACHERS

The department of education announces the results of the summer course for teachers of art. The following teachers were successful, and have been granted the certificate indicating their status as Specialists.

Brain, Beatrice; Doherty, Mabel; Farris, Kathleen; Galloway, Janet; Hart, Luther S.; Johnston, Hally; McLellan, Mary; Nicholson, Elizabeth; O'Connor, Alice (St. M. Ambrose); Redmond, Edith J.; Shourds, Olive I.

OWNERS ARE WANTED FOR MUCH JEWELRY

Two Men, Held by Police on Vagrancy Charge, Have Many Valuable Articles.

John O'Leary, 91 Wilton avenue; Ben Lead, 123 York street, and James Marshall, 152 York street, were taken into custody by Detectives Archibald and Taylor last night on a charge of vagrancy. According to the police, the following articles of jewelry were found in possession of the men: Three brooches, one a gold bar, set with amethyst and pearls; a silver wishbone enameled with red and white; a silver heart-shaped piece enameled with a red flower; a dark pearl-handled knife; a silver cigar cutter; a ring set with several turquoise stones; one set with seed pearls; a pair of pearl earrings; silver studs; a watch; a pocket watch; a Bank token, dated 1862; another, copper coin which is undecipherable; a signet ring adorned with a unicorn and bearing the initials of the descriptive initials "J.L.F. to F.G.B., 25-12-10"; and two officers' A.S.C. collar badges. As yet the police have not found owners for the articles. Lead had a loaded revolver in his possession when arrested.

Patrick O'Donohue Dead Following Motor Accident

Patrick O'Donohue, aged 73, of 51 Palmerston avenue, died in St. Michael's Hospital last night as the result of internal injuries received when struck by a motor car driven by Lester Levy, 82 Forest Hill road, Queen street and Palmerston avenue at noon yesterday. The old man, the police say, was crossing the intersection when Levy came along Queen street and hit him. Levy is held on a charge of criminal negligence.

RUSS ELECTIONS DELAYED.

Petrograd, Aug. 23.—The Russian provincial government has postponed until Nov. 25 the elections to the constituent assembly. The first meeting of the assembly will not be held until December 11.

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agrees to give house delivery before 7 a.m. in Toronto and Hamilton. World subscribers can co-operate and add to the efficiency of the service by promptly reporting complaints of late or non-delivery, our co-operation in this respect is necessary to insure satisfactory delivery service.

PLAYS, PICTURES AND MUSIC

"THE BIRD OF PARADISE"

Outside of Robert Louis Stevenson Jack London, there is probably no man who knows the South Sea Islands better than Richard Walton Tully, who gave the stage that delightful Hawaiian play, "The Bird of Paradise," which Oliver Morosco has given such a wonderful production and sends on tour each season. Tully spent nearly two years in the Hawaiian Islands, and is thoroughly familiar with the natives, their customs and habits. "The Bird of Paradise" will again be seen in this city for one week, commencing Monday, August 27, at the Alexandra.

"A DAUGHTER OF THE GODS"

The motion picture masterpiece, "A Daughter of the Gods," featuring Annette Kellermann, will be the attraction at the Grand Opera House during the period of the Canadian National Exhibition, commencing Saturday, August 25, and will be shown twice daily. Beautifully staged, gorgeous in its majestic beauty and perfect in its artistic detail, this production bids fair to go down in history as the last word in this company's recent attempt in the line of amusement endeavor. This engagement is the first in Toronto at popular prices.

GAYETY.

Because he named the attraction which he is to present at the Gayety Theatre next week, commencing with the matinee performance on Monday, "Sam Howe's Big Show," Mr. Howe took particular interest in the entertainment which would live up to the title, and advance reports indicate that he has performed this task more than well. In this company, besides Sam Howe himself, Helen Taylor, Frankie Fay, Joe Kane, Frederick Starr, Ethel Hall, Sted Anderson, Edith McNeil, Ed. Ryan, Geo. Meyers, Lew Harris, Tom Farnsworth, Chester Weeks and others, and a chorus of Broadway beauties. The production which Mr. Howe has provided as a treat for this company is expected to be the most adequate and the most interestingly effective.

STAR.

At the Star Theatre next week will be seen "Pat White and his Gaiety Girls" in two brilliant and up-to-date burlesques, entitled "Casey at the Derby" and "The Hurly Burly Hotel," in many scenes in which the services of cap-tain White and his Gaiety Girls are so fascinatingly leading women, together with the inevitable chorus of all kinds of pretty girls, will be employed.

BIG REGENT PROGRAM.

Those who see "Then I'll Come Back to You" at the Regent Theatre will agree that Steve O'Mara had something to fight for. The thread of interest which is in evidence from the start until the close of the picture is very strong, and holds one with compelling interest. Victor Moore, in "Silverings," creates much laughter. The picture is a weekly original and instructive. Regent music is for those who enjoy real music.

FANNIE WARD AT STRAND.

Today and tomorrow there will be presented at the Strand Theatre the most unusual and thrilling drama in which Fannie Ward, the versatile and vivacious, has yet been seen. This is "The Crystal Gazer," a superb Laskey production in which the gifted actress plays three distinct roles—those of a mother and two daughters. The play is a clever and absorbing exposure of false mediums, clairvoyance, etc.

AT THE MADISON.

For the first half of next week the feature at the Madison Theatre will be the great Laskey triumph, "The Squaw Man's Son," the sequel to the fascinating and entrancing "Squaw Head." Anita King and Wallace Reid head the "star cast, and the photoplay is full of action and thrills.

DRANK WOOD ALCOHOL.

As the result of drinking wood alcohol, Sam Goodman, 125 Borauren avenue, is in the Western Hospital. His condition is not serious. Goodman was taken into custody by the police last night, and when his removal in the ambulance to the hospital.

COAL CAUGHT FIRE.

At the Dunlop Coal Company's yards, 11 Dublin avenue, last night, fire caused by spontaneous combustion, was responsible for \$600 damage in coal out.

TORONTO YOUTHS ARRESTED.

Port Hope, Aug. 23.—Stafford Bowle aged 17, and Philip Rutheven, 18, who gave their address as 188 Riverdale avenue and 51 Arundel avenue, Toronto, respectively, were arrested here yesterday. They were in the company of a man confined in the east end of the town. A Toronto officer will take them back.

Society---Mrs. Edmund Phillips

H.R.H. the Princess Patricia at a recent Red Cross sale in London gave a bracelet set with diamonds, rubies and sapphires.

Lady Violet Henderson and her children are leaving their house at Meach Lake for a few days to visit Her Excellency the Duchess of Devonshire at Blue Sea Lake. The two sons of Colonel the Hon. Harold and Lady Violet Henderson, who have been at school in England, arrived last week and will remain in Canada with their parents. Master Gavin Henderson has been at Eton, and Master Michael Henderson at Mr. Worsley's school near Uxbridge.

Brig-Gen. Sir John and Lady Gibson and Major-General and Mrs. Logie are the guests of Col. and Mrs. J. R. Moodie, Point Pelee, Muskoka.

Mr. C. A. Bogert is spending a few days in Ottawa.

Mr. James Lockhart, R.F.C., is at the Royal Muskoka.

Captain Fred Malloy's name was among those mentioned in despatches in the last list issued by the war office on August 7. Mrs. Malloy has rented her house in Grosvenor street and taken an apartment in The Abernethy, Howard street.

Maj. Stewardale Murphy, who went to England with the 20th Irish Battalion, has severed his connection with that corps.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Haney, Port Credit, have been at Fort William recently.

The bishop of Fredericton, N.B., spent the week-end at The Algonquin. St. Andrew's by the Sea.

Miss Edna White and her sister, Miss Gladys White are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. J. H. McKeown, at Hillcrest Villa, Knowlton, P.Q.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Burritt have returned to town from St. Andrew's by the Sea.

Mr. and Mrs. Copping have been spending some time at Swamscott.

Miss Marie Macdonell has returned to town, and as president of the Rosary Hall Association will take charge of the luncheon tent at the Exhibition as usual.

Mrs. Edward Seagram and her children have returned to Waterloo, Ont. after a stay of some weeks at Dover.

Col. Noel Marshall will go overseas this autumn in connection with his work as chairman of the Canadian Red Cross. During the entire South African war the total Red Cross expenditure did not exceed eighty thousand dollars. Col. Marshall, who was

REDUCTION OF ORDERS MEANS FEWER WORKERS

Lessened Activity in Munition Plants Followed by Laying Off Nightshifts.

The reduction in shell orders in Canada is being followed by the abolition of night shifts in the various munition plants. At the plant of the Russell Motor Company 1500 workers, including 1000 women, representing the night staff, have been laid off, and the reduction of the staff at another plant of the same company is now being considered. It is estimated that up to the last few days there were between 22,000 and 25,000 men and women employed in Toronto on munition work, and of these, over 10,000 were women.

In last week's Massey-Harris Company laid off 100 men, representing the night gang. Out of the 200,000-odd men and women employed in Canada on munition work, it is calculated that at least 50,000 to 75,000 will be displaced.

Announcements

Notices of any character relating to future events, the purpose of which is the raising of money, are inserted in the advertising columns at 5 cents an agate line. Announcements for churches, societies, clubs or other organizations of future events, where the purpose is not the raising of money, may be inserted in this column at two cent word rate, or minimum of fifty cents for each insertion.

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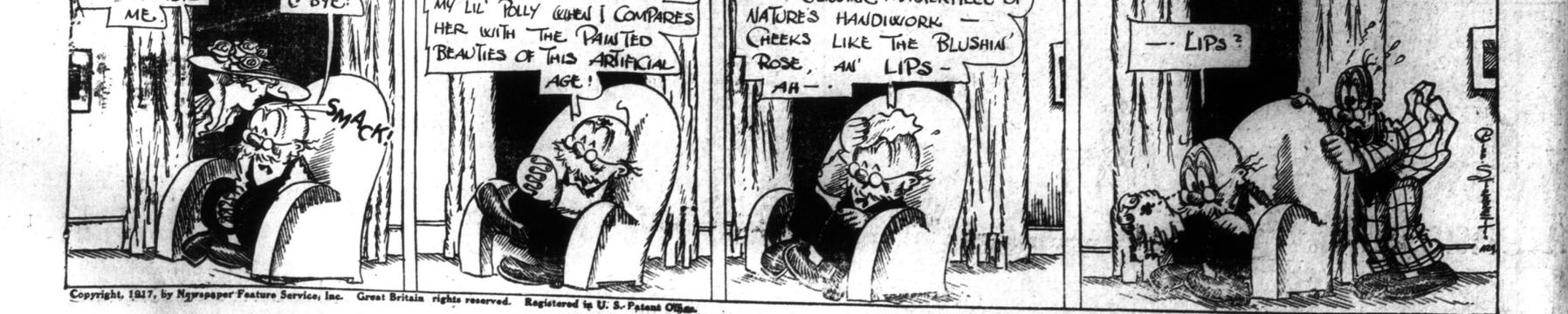
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Oppose Board's Proposal to Send Children to Regal Road.

AFRAID OF ACCIDENTS

Deputy Reeve Miller Claims District Has Been Favorably Treated.

A public meeting of the ratepayers and school trustees of school section 13, York, was held last evening in Oakwood Baptist Hall, Oakwood avenue, York. The meeting was held behind closed doors, and the press was summarily shown the door by R. W. Phillips, the county clerk, when a reporter for 'The World' attempted to enter. When asked for the reason he simply replied that "these meetings are always private."

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HIGHWAY COMMISSION DOESN'T LIKE PUBLICITY

Meeting Held Behind Closed Doors and Press Representatives Ushered Out.

A meeting of the York Highway Commission was held yesterday afternoon in the county buildings, the chair being taken by Controller J. Foster. The meeting was behind closed doors, and the press was summarily shown the door by R. W. Phillips, the county clerk, when a reporter for 'The World' attempted to enter. When asked for the reason he simply replied that "these meetings are always private."

POLICEMEN AND PRODUCTION

East Toronto Men Are Doing Much Valuable Work.

Two East Toronto policemen, Jonas Powers and Alfred Collier, have cultivated in their spare time a large garden plot on East Gerrard street, just opposite Woodlee avenue. It measures about 50 feet by 120 feet of solid "production," and is filled to capacity with potatoes, corn and other vegetables.

MOUNT DENNIS FUND

Residents Depositing Money in Bank for Benefit of Returned Soldiers.

For the benefit of the returned soldiers of Mount Dennis the residents have opened a fund in the local branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia. On their behalf they propose to deposit all the moneys raised from entertainments and games.

ROADS IMPASSABLE

Kingsmount Park road and Normandy boulevard, south from Gerrard, are almost impassable since the heavy rain. Holes two feet wide by many feet deep have been washed in the road. As a measure of safety, red lights have been placed by some of the excavations.

PREPARING FOR FESTIVAL

Earls Court Children Look Forward to Annual Event.

During the last two weeks the children of the Earls Court playground have been very busy preparing for the summer festival which takes place tomorrow. The children are engaged in cross-stitch and muffs work, and several choice pieces have been finished for exhibition to the industrial section of the fair.

HOMING ASSOCIATION

Awards in Third Young Birds' Race From Allis Craig.

The third young birds' race from Allis Craig in conjunction with the Great Northern Homing Association, Oakwood, recently held resulted as follows: Abram Brox, 1925.4; W. Jennings, 1925.4; Russell & Cornwell, 1925.4; Walker & Sons, 1925.4; H. Rumbly, third all pools, 1925.00; A. Henney, 1927.61; G. Lawrence, 1928.29; G. J. McInyre, 1928.40; W. Troman, 1928.24; E. Sackfield, 1928.19; C. Jennings, 1928.19; G. Budge, 1928.48; E. Foster, 1928.18; and Martin Brox, 318.47.

UNION JACK, I. O. D. E.

At a regular meeting of the Union Jack Chapter of the I. O. D. E. held yesterday in the Mimico Public Library, the members showed much interest in the return of a young bird liberated two years ago, to the loft at headquarters, recently. The bird, a male of the species, had been captured and caged, and it is supposed many birds of the association have been sent overseas for carrying purposes since the outbreak of war.

BEACHES PATRIOTIC LEAGUE

The Beaches Patriotic League entertained last evening at the Toronto Base Hospital at Thornhill last evening. The party arrived in motor cars at the residence of Mrs. Chas. Simpson, Thornhill, at five o'clock. Games were enjoyed, and at six o'clock supper was served, after which there was a dance and entertainment given by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Simpson of Toronto. Following the entertainment the soldiers were conveyed home in motor cars.

SEND BIRDS OVERSEAS

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ARRANGE OPENING OF NEW SCHOOL

Handsome Building in Port Credit is Rapidly Nearing Completion.

To celebrate the opening of Port Credit's splendid new school, located on Forest avenue, and which is rapidly nearing completion, the public school board is inviting Hon. W. D. McPherson, provincial secretary of Ontario, and Samuel Charters, ex-M.L.A. for Peel, to deliver addresses. All the county and civic officials have also been invited to attend.

The school is a two-story solid pressed brick building, costing with site, about \$30,000. The interior walls are built of interlocking tile, while all the stairs are of steel and stone. There is a Gothic entrance with large oak doors which leads into a spacious hall.

What struck the reporter for 'The World' as he inspected the building yesterday was the brightness and roominess of the school. It contains four large rooms and an abundance of windows. Each room is capable of seating 60 pupils and is finished in Georgia pine with maple floors.

SPACIOUS HALL

On the second floor the two rooms are connected by folding doors, which allows the floor to be turned into a hall. On this floor is also situated a room for the principal, while in the hall there will be located the school library and a room for the teachers. The basement, which is entirely cemented, will be used by the children as a play-room.

TWO ASSAULT CASES BEFORE MAGISTRATE

Leaside Dairyman in Court for Assaulting County Constable Bell.

Charles Collins, a dairyman of Leaside, appeared before Major Brunton in the county court yesterday on a charge of assaulting D. J. Bell, county constable of Leaside. The trouble appears to have arisen over a 13-year-old boy, Bernard Brittain, who drives Collins' wagon, and who Collins alleged was roughly treated by Bell, when the boy was accused by Bell of stealing apples from off a tree at the side of the road. Collins owned that he knocked Bell down, and when Mrs. Bell pulled him off the top of her husband he retaliated by hitting her fingers. The magistrate asked him if he was a cannibal when he also owned up to having put his fingers in Bell's mouth and eye. During the struggle a third party, a Mr. Dawson, appeared on the scene and kicked Collins in the ribs, breaking three ribs. As Collins stated that he did not know Bell was a constable, the magistrate said he would not be charged with assaulting an official, but only a private citizen, and let him out on suspended sentence by paying the costs, amounting to \$4.50.

MISS BIAHOCH STEWART, WHO WAS SERIOUSLY HURT IN THE MOTOR CAR CRASH AT SUNNYSIDE RECENTLY, WHEN SHE WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY LAST NIGHT BY THE POLICE AS A MATERIAL WITNESS IN A PREVIOUS INQUIRY INTO MRS. HENDERSON'S DEATH AT THE MURKIN AN ADJOURNMENT WAS ORDERED UNTIL SEPTEMBER 5 TO ALLOW MISS STEWART TIME TO RECOVER FROM HER INJURIES AND ATTEND THE INQUEST. A MAN NAMED MCCARTHY, CHAUFFEUR OF THE CAR, IS UNDER ARREST ON A CHARGE OF MURDER.

BABY BOY SCALDED

Earl Hansen, aged two years, of 52 Bielew street, was badly scalded about the arms and body when he pulled a pan of boiling water over him at his home last night. He was removed to the Hospital for Sick Children in the police ambulance.

CANADIAN PROMOTIONS

Canadian Associated Press Cable. London, Aug. 23.—Capt. F. E. Colman has been gazetted to the adjutant-general's rank in the Canadian army. He is currently acting as adjutant-general in the 1st Canadian division. Other promotions include: Major J. G. Hodges, adjutant-general; Major J. G. Hodges, adjutant-general; Major J. G. Hodges, adjutant-general.

CASE WAS DISMISSED

The case against Albert Smith of Lambton Park, who appeared before Major Brunton in the county court a few days ago to face a charge of stealing twelve bottles from Mrs. Tessie Frapin, was dismissed, but he was ordered to pay 72 cents for the bottles, and the costs, amounting to \$4.

The King Edward Hotel Cafeteria

A high-class Cafeteria at popular prices, for ladies and gentlemen. **Now Open** THE DANCE TEA ROOM, where afternoon tea and refreshments will be served, will be opened shortly.

VETERANS' DAY AT EXHIBITION

Two Thousand Returned Men Expected to Parade at Opening.

WORKERS ARE BUSY

Workmen Putting Finishing Touches to the Grounds and Buildings.

So hearty has been the response of employers of Veterans of the Great War in Toronto that representatives of the association expect they will have 2000 men in line when the parade starts on Monday afternoon for the Exhibition grounds.

Representatives of the G.W.V., the veterans of '66, '65, army and navy and South Africa met yesterday evening in the administration building, Exhibition grounds and completed arrangements for the demonstration. The Great War Veterans will assemble at the corner of Dufferin and Queen streets at 2 p.m. and expect to reach the grounds about 2.35.

Here they will join the veterans of other wars, who have been summoned to gather at the old log cabin. The parade will then proceed to the grand stand, where His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire will present the Victoria Cross to J. J. Sifton of Wallaceburg and the Carnegie hero medal to Mrs. Fraser of Paris, Ont.

In many cases employers are giving the Great War Veterans a full day off with pay, while in other cases a half day with pay has been granted, and the indications all are that there will be a hearty response from the men to the request from his excellency the governor-general that as many men as possible be present at the double presentation and subsequent review.

Preparing for Monday. There is feverish activity in and about the grounds day and night. Exhibitors, concessionaires and workmen are working at top speed, and the indications are that everything will be complete when his excellency pushes the button on Monday afternoon.

The judging of cattle does not start until Wednesday next. Live stock is already beginning to arrive freely. D. O. Bull's head of Jerseys, from Brampton being the latest to secure stabling.

The famous 22 pound team of 12 Percherons arrived in their special car last evening from Chicago and are quartered in their elaborately decorated stalls in the horse arena. In the same stable are the 36 artillery horses which arrived last night from Petawawa to haul the big guns in the artillery drive each day.

Victim of Motor Accident Held as Material Witness

Miss Blanche Stewart, who was seriously hurt in the motor car crash at Sunnyside recently, when Mrs. Helen Henderson was fatally injured, was taken into custody last night by the police as a material witness when she left Grace Hospital. A previous inquiry into Mrs. Henderson's death at the mortuary an adjournment was ordered until September 5 to allow Miss Stewart time to recover from her injuries and attend the inquest. A man named McCarthy, chauffeur of the car, is under arrest on a charge of murder.

BRANTFORD DELEGATION SEEKS POWER FOR CIVIC COALYARD

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MEAT IS EXPORTED TO UNITED STATES

Trade Authority Blames Shipment of Live Stock for High Prices.

COMPETITION DEAD

Claims Butchers and Cattle Raisers Are at Mercy of Corporations.

"If the food controller is going to control, why does he not prohibit the export of meat to the American market?" is the pertinent query of Thos. Bartram, 756 Yonge street, past president of the butchers' section of the Retail Merchants' Association.

According to Mr. Bartram the best of our beef cattle, lambs, hogs and mutton, are being sent to the United States and other markets, and it is next to impossible to get first quality meat in Toronto.

Three weeks ago one packing company bought up every number one lamb on the Toronto market for export to Jersey City, with the result that it was impossible to get a number one lamb in the city, and the next day the wholesale price of lamb had risen from 25 to 30 cents a pound, said the butcher.

Mr. Bartram said that everything possible should be done to facilitate the export of meat to the United States, but at the same time there should be no allowing two meatless days a week and allowing all kinds of meat to leave the country for no reason.

Both the butcher and the cattle raiser are at the mercy of the large corporations that have the killing and packing. The cattle man may as well sell his cattle to the first man offering to buy them as a butcher may as well sell his meat to the first man offering to buy it on a given day is the same, said Mr. Bartram.

Big Packers Control. The laws regarding the dressing of meat had driven all the small meat out of business, and now the meat market was in the hands of a small number of large packers who could store and hold for prices that suited them.

Having been in business for forty years, Mr. Bartram remembers the time when drovers brought in their cattle and had the advantage of offering to a number of buyers, who in turn, after killing the cattle, had to compete with many in selling it to a butcher. Meat was scarce in some seasons and would not be offered at other times. Hogs, for instance, would come in the fall and last through the winter. Now the meat is sold the whole year round, but the public has to pay higher prices the whole year round.

According to Mr. Bartram, the large packing houses and abattoirs, and the consumer absolutely helpless and the first step in government control should be to limit the number of packers and abattoirs to a few.

Should Save Calves. The killing of calves is causing considerable discussion among the butchers, who are against the practice, and the consumer absolutely helpless and the first step in government control should be to limit the number of packers and abattoirs to a few.

From the farmers' viewpoint it may be better to sell a few weeks old calf weighing 150 pounds for 22 cents a pound than feed it and as a two and a half year old sell it for ten cents per pound. It is, however, possible that the best use of the calf is to keep it until it is a year old, when it will give us our future beef if we kill all our calves now. We might just as well, when we get our beef, as we did when we killed the babies in the country. The answer is, we won't have any," said Mr. Bartram.

ALLIES RIGHT INTO LENS, SAYS MAURICE

Canadian Associated Press Cable.

London, Aug. 23.—The operations around Lens are described by Major-General Maurice of the war office today as a series of deliberate advances, day after day, right in the town, he "we are now in the face of the most determined opposition, and so far this month the allies had captured at least 22,500. This is against the 41,000 Russians which the Germans allege they would be stragglers with arms."

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BRITAIN TO ANSWER AIRCRAFT DEFENCE POPE FOR ALLIES

Balkan Problem, Omitted by Vatican, Proves Most Formidable. Spectators of Raids Over Britain Enjoy Spectacular Sight.

Paris, Aug. 23.—France probably will not answer the Pope's peace note individually, since it has no representative at the Vatican, but Great Britain, doubtless, will tender a collective reply in the name of the entente. The French Government's views on the note, therefore, are unobtainable officially.

An important figure in the political life of France whose speciality is foreign politics said to the Associated Press today that while the humanitarian character of the Pope's step was incontestable, he had, in ignoring the Balkan question, passed over the most formidable problem with which the peace negotiations will have to deal. This question, it was stated, involved a mass of contradictory interests and irreconcilable rights of all nations.

Regarding the Belgian question, it was stated, it was impossible to re-draw the independence of which the Pope spoke with the requisite of servitude prescribed by the Germans.

"In addition," said this man, "were one to accept the pontifical theory about the absence of indemnity one would be doing nothing less than sanctioning a retrogression of several centuries which Germany, by its new war methods, is imposing upon mankind."

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By G. H. Wellington

That Son-in-Law of Pa's PA'D BE STILL BRAVER OVER A LONG-DISTANCE PHONE

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BUT-YOULL GET THE MONEY BACK, OLD TOP, JUST AS SOON AS HE WINS A FIGHT!

HUH! SOON'S HE WINS A FIGHT! WHY, THAT BIG GLASS-JAWED PRUNE COULDN'T WIN A FIGHT WITH A CRIPPLE! HE COULDN'T BEAT AN EGG! AS A FIGHTER HE'S—

A-HEM!

I DIDN'T GET ALL DEM KIND REMARKS, CUL— WOULDJA MIND REPEATIN' EM?

ER-UH-SURE I'LL REPEAT 'EM!

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BRIG. KETCHEN NOW C.M.G.
Canadian Associated Press Cable. London, Aug. 23.—Brigadier Juntly Ketchen, Winnipeg, has been invested with the Companion of St. Michael and St. George, and Major Joseph Archambault has received the distinguished service order...

CHRISTOPHER JARVIS DEAD.
Special to The Toronto World. Woodstock, Aug. 23.—The death took place today of Christopher Jarvis, aged 63. He was well known in the city, where he has resided for a number of years...

COUNT TAKEN PRISONER.
Paris, Aug. 23.—Among the 600 prisoners made in the hollow recesses of Dead Man Hill was a battalion commander with his staff, including Count Eugene Bernstorff, the nephew of the former German ambassador to Washington.

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LIVE STOCK MARKET

Trading at Union Stock Yards yesterday... There were no special features, and the market was inclined to be slow...

Sheep and Lambs. In the lambs and sheep prices remained higher than yesterday, and there was little record in the way of change...

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.
Sparkhall & Armstrong. Sparkhall & Armstrong report the following sales: Butchers—20 cattle, 1000 lbs., at \$10.25...

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.
Chicago, Aug. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 5000; market weak. Steers, \$11.50 to \$12.00; cows, \$10.50 to \$11.00...

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.
East Buffalo, Aug. 23.—Cattle, receipts, 350; slow. Receipts, 50; steady, 300 at \$16; 400 at \$15.50...

HIDES AND WOOL.
Prices delivered, Toronto: City Hides—City butcher hides, green, flat, 2 1/2; calfskins, green, flat, 2 1/2...

NORTHERN ONTARIO CROPS TO BREAK ALL RECORDS
Returned Missionary Says Soil There is Almost Unequaled Throughout All Canada.

"The country up around Northern Ontario is looking splendid," reports the Rev. C. J. Cameron, secretary of the Baptist Home Missions for Ontario and Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron have just completed a nine days' tour of the Timiskaming district, visiting all mission stations on route to Cochrane. There are 140 Baptist missions maintained by the Baptist Church in Ontario and Quebec, and of these the majority are in the clay belt.

Mr. Cameron reported that the Baptist Home Missions are holding their way thru the stressful days of the war.

HARVEST HELP EXCURSIONS \$12 TO WINNIPEG.
The Grand Trunk Railway System will sell Harvest Help Excursion tickets to Winnipeg on following dates: August 21 and 30, from all stations Toronto and east to Lyn, Ont., and north to Huntsville, Meaford, etc.

NEW WOODSTOCK FACTORY.
Special to The Toronto World. Woodstock, Aug. 23.—A new cotton spinning concern is to be located here. Today ground was broken for the building, to cost over \$40,000, which will be occupied by the Woodstock Cotton Spinning Co. before the new year.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.
There was only one load of hay brought in yesterday. Butter advanced slightly on the wholesale during the past week, selling as quoted below.

EXTRA FINE LINES Canadian & California Fruits Always on Hand ALSO LEMONS AND ORANGES H. PETERS Fruit Market TORONTO

New-laid eggs remained stationary at 46c per dozen. Wholesale new honey is beginning to come slowly, and is quoted below on wholesales.

Wholesale Fruit and Vegetables. Raspberries. Raspberry shipments were quite light, and most of the berries were soft, selling at 10c to 20c per case.

Plums. Black currants varied in quality, some better than others, selling at \$1.75 per 11-quart basket, and a few extra choice ones brought \$2.25, the six-quart basket at 90c to \$1.30.

There were some really choice gooseberries shipped in yesterday, which brought \$1.50 per 11-quart basket.

Blueberries. Blueberries were plentiful, selling at \$1.25 to \$1.75 per 11-quart basket, a few extra choice ones bringing \$2.00.

Plums were shipped in heavily, and were generally of better quality, selling at 25c to 40c per 11-quart basket, and a few extra choice ones brought \$1.25 per 11-quart basket.

There were some extra choice peaches shipped in, which brought 60c per 11-quart basket, some not quite so good selling at 50c to 55c per 11-quart basket.

Lawson berries were very plentiful, and brought from 15c to 20c per case, according to quality.

Tomatoes improved slightly, and sold at 40c to 50c per 11-quart basket.

Eggplant shipments were larger, and the price slightly lower, selling at \$1 to \$1.25 per 11-quart basket.

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Green peppers declined, selling at 50c to 55c per 11-quart basket.

Corn. Corn kept about stationary in price, selling at 15c to 20c per dozen, some Golden Bantam bringing 25c per dozen.

Apples declined slightly, selling at 40c to 50c per 11-quart flat, and 75c to \$1 per bushel.

H. Peters had a car of California fruits, Bartlett pears selling at \$2.75 per case, plums at \$1.75 per case, and Crawford peaches at \$1.75 per case.

White & Co. had a car of peaches, California Crawfords, selling at \$1.50 per case.

Joe Bamford & Sons had a car of Ontario potatoes, selling at \$1.50 per case.

Formis and Sons had a car of California peaches and pears, selling at \$1.50 to \$2.50 per case, and peaches at \$1.40 to \$1.75 per case.

The Union Fruit Produce, Limited, had a large shipment of black currants, which sold at \$1.25 per case, and \$2 per 11-quart; a shipment of extra choice gooseberries and Morello cherries from Walker of Burlington, which sold at \$1.25 and \$1.50 per 11-quart basket, respectively.

Chas. S. Simpson had a car of Bartlett pears, selling at \$2.75 to \$4 per case; a car of California Crawfords peaches, at \$1.50 to \$1.60 per case; and a car of California peaches, selling at \$1.50 per case.

McWilliam & Everist had a car of peaches, selling at \$2.50 per case; a car of California peaches, selling at \$1.50 per case; and a car of California peaches, selling at \$1.50 per case.

Apples—Canadian, 25c to 40c per six-quart basket; 40c to 75c per 11-quart flat, and 80c to \$1.25 per bushel. Bananas—\$2.50 to \$3.00 per bunch. Blueberries—\$1.25 to \$2 per 11-quart basket.

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CONTROL OF PRICES IMPAIRS STOCKS

Heavy Selling Follows News of Washington Interference

New York, Aug. 23.—Latest aspects of the government's price-fixing program for wheat...

ADANAC WORKING ON TOP OF ORE CHUTE

Car of High Grade to Be Shipped Shortly—Kirkland Lake News

The following was received over the telephone from the Ontario Mining Association...

OF MEN REQUIRED IN WESTERN CANADA

Men Required to Work at Harvesting

Agents Regarding Harvesting

IMPORTANT STRIKE REPORT AT NEWRAY

Five-Foot Vein of High Grade Encountered in Crosscut

The following wire was received last night by the Newray management from Manager Charlebois at the mine in Porcupine...

Record of Yesterday's Markets

Table with columns: TORONTO STOCKS, STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE, and various stock names and prices.

TORONTO SALES

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Local Traders Nervous When the New York Market Shows Signs of Dipping

The action of the New York market yesterday sent a shiver thru the Canadian exchanges and promptly put a damper on any unpremeditated attempts at buoyancy...

Toronto Board of Trade Market Quotations

Table with columns: Manitoba Wheat, Ontario Oats, and various market quotations.

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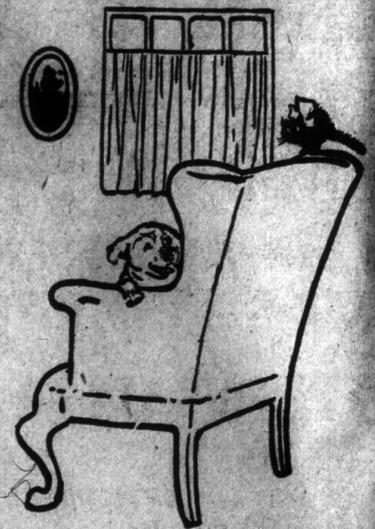
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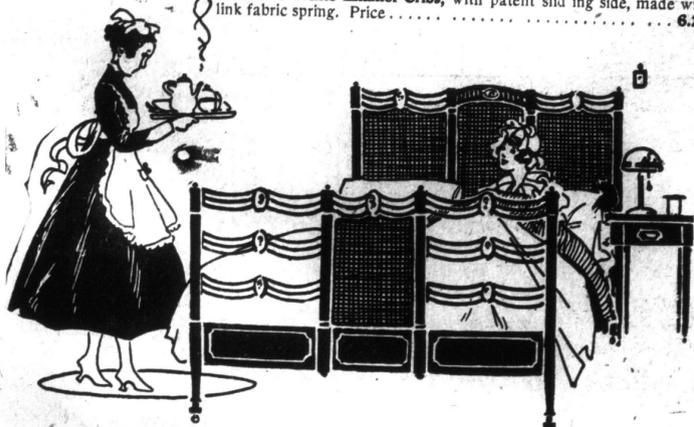
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