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### Red Element Dominates British Labor Congress

GLASGOW, Sept. 12 — Co-operation with international laborites in their campaign to procure Germany's admission to the League of Nations, and for an immediate revision of "the Paris treaty provisions, which are inconsistent with statements made on behalf of the allies at the time of the armistice," was overwhelmingly pledged today by the trades union congress in session here.

The resolution was moved by Delegate Williams, of the transport workers, who is a direct actionist, and who urged it as the first step for the reconciliation of the people's inauguration of a new era of international co-operation and good will.

The champions of direct action today won a clean-cut victory by the congress voting to refer back a portion of the parliamentary committee's report, owing to the failure to explain the committee's reason for refusing a few months ago to call a special conference for the purpose of discussing the advisability of employing direct action to secure the abolition of conscription and other questions.

The vote to refer back was 2,586,000 to 1,670,000 against. Before the vote was taken, G. W. Stuart Bunning, presiding officer, warned the delegates that a reference back of the report would be considered

as a censure of the parliamentary committee.

The result of the vote is attributed to speeches by Robert Smillie, Robert Williams and Frank Hodges, the "big three" of the direct actionists.

Mr. Smillie accused the parliamentary committee of denying to organized labor the opportunity of expressing its attitude on the question. He declared that the government was holding power under false pretences, as it was elected on policies it had since repudiated and the committee had lost the confidence of the trade unionists.

"The trade unionists in Russia today," he added, "are fighting battles on behalf of socialists of the whole world." Mr. Smillie denounced Winston Spencer Churchill in connection with the Russian adventure, as "a Gallipoli gambler and pinch-back Napoleon."

Chairman Bunning characterized this invective as cheap sarcasm.

John Robert Clynes, former food controller, and labor member of parliament, defending the committee, declared that British trade unionists were more divided today than at any time during the war. He counselled the continuance of efforts to achieve reforms through the ballot, not through a strike.

### Lower Florida Hit By Hurricane

KEY WEST, Fla., Sept. 10. — Lower Florida was paralysed today as a result of the violent hurricane that passed over that section last night. Three hundred and twenty frame buildings practically were razed, many church edifices wrecked and five retail stores tipped over. The damage is estimated at more than \$2,000,000.

Shipping off the coast met with disaster. Several small vessels were sunk and others were driven on to the reefs. Tonight a strong wind and rough sea prevented rescue work.

In the little town of Goulds, near Miami, eight buildings were totally destroyed and 13 partially demolished.

Although the property damage was enormous, no fatality has been reported.

The steamer Grampus, with a crew of 125 men, was sunk in Key West harbor and the two-masted schooner U. V. Drew, bound from Tampico for Cuba, with a crew of

seven men, was reported sunk off Key West harbor, where she had put in to escape the storm. Whether or not the crews escaped is not known.

The navy radio station was put out of commission. Fruit and vegetable growers suffered the heaviest losses, the damage around Miami being estimated at half a million dollars.

#### Havana Was Struck

HAVANA, Sept. 10. — Five persons are known to be dead and several others are missing as a result of the cyclone which swept over the city last night, flooding the greater part of the city with huge waves from the gulf, leaving the streets strewn with fallen trees and debris.

The electric lighting and telephone systems are badly crippled, but it is impossible yet to determine the amount of damage, which is very heavy.

### Serious Disturbances in Boston

TWO MEN AND BOY KILLED WHEN CAVALRY CHARGES MOB.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 11. — Two men and a boy were killed tonight in turbulent outbreaks growing out of the police strike. There were numerous injuries of a minor nature to members of mobs, police officers and state guardsmen.

The most serious disturbances were in the vicinity of Scollay Square and South Boston. Cavalry charged the crowds and a machine gun was used, one man being killed and several wounded by its fire. At a late hour the mob was still out of control.

Property damage was slight compared to that inflicted by the wild rampage of hoodlums last night.

One of the most serious elements in the complicated outlook was the possibility of sympathetic strikes by labor unions which have declared their support of the policemen's union. Like the patrolmen's organization, most of these unions are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. The crowd early became riotous and cavalrymen were sent to disperse it. The mob surged in and out of the square. Shots were fired and an unidentified man was killed. A woman was wounded in the arm, a middle-aged volunteer policeman was so badly beaten that he was removed to a hospital, and three cavalrymen were hit over the heads by other missiles and also were given hospital treatment. After military reinforcements arrived the square was finally cleared.

### Government Again Flatly Refuses

OTTAWA, Sept. 14. — Demanding an assurance that the \$2,000 gratuity will be granted them, representatives of the returned soldiers league of Toronto insisted on an interview with the government on Saturday afternoon, and obtained it, but were turned down cold. They were informed that the country could not raise the money and, moreover, were advised that it would be useless to continue the agitation as the government would not be intimidated.

### Winnipeg Strike Leaders Released on Bail

WINNIPEG, Sept. 15. — After twenty-six days' incarceration, the eight strike leaders who have been held in the provincial jail pending their trial on charges of seditious conspiracy, were, at 5.20 p.m. on Wednesday last, in judges' chambers, granted bail. Chief Justice Majhurs, who, together with Mr. Justice MacDonald and Mr. Justice Metcalfe, heard the arguments of the court, read the decision of the court.

Bail was granted in the sum of \$4,000 each and two sureties of \$2,000 each.

William Ivens was the first of the eight leaders to be released. His appearance in the doorway of the jail was the signal for cheers from the crowd of workers, numbering over 1,500, who had gathered to greet their leaders. Some one in the crowd started singing "For he's a Jolly, Good Fellow," and the song was immediately taken up. Ivens as well as the other released men were "chaired" and carried around the square.

### Flemish Activist Leader Condemned in Brussels

BRUSSELS, Sept. 13. — The Flemish activist leader, Dr. August Borms, who during the German occupation helped the Flemish separatist movement with the aid of Germany and accepted functions as an activist minister, today was condemned to death following a trial which lasted a week.

The trial resulted in numerous activist demonstrations one, of which occurred after the sentence had been passed. The police arrested three of the leaders.

In February, 1918, the Belgian government ordered the Belgian judges in the occupied territory to prosecute all activists guilty of having announced the fall of King Albert's government and proclaiming autonomy in Flanders.

### Heavy Attack on League in U. S. Senate

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12. — Characterized as an alliance and not a league, "which will breed wars instead of securing peace," the German peace treaty, including the covenant of the League of Nations, was formally reported to the senate today by the foreign relations committee with forty-five amendments and four reservations.

Accompanying the treaty was the majority report of the foreign relations committee subscribed to by every Republican member, excepting Senator McCumber, of North Dakota, explaining the amendments and reservations, all of which, it was declared, were "governed by a single purpose, and that is to guard American rights and sovereignty, the invasion of which would stimulate breaches of faith, encourage conflicts and general wars."

The reservations propose: (1) The unconditional right to withdraw from the league. (2) Declination to accept any of the legal or moral obligations of the much-discussed article 10, or to accept any mandatory from the league, "except by action of the congress of the United States."

### D'ANNUNZIO'S IDEALISTIC COUP MAY HAVE SERIOUS EFFECT ON PEACE.

ROME, Sept. 14. — Premier Nitti, in a statement in the chamber of deputies, today regarding the Fiume raid, announced that the commander of the Sixth Army Corps had been ordered to intercept and disarm Gabriele D'Annunzio's troops, but that these troops refused to obey the commander's order.

The latest advices were to the effect that the situation arising from the coup was serious and the premier declared he was determined to act in a manner to avoid grave conflicts. He deplored what had happened, because for the first time sedition, though for idealistic

### Wholesale Raids All Over Ireland

DUBLIN, Sept. 12. — Following closely upon a speech delivered by Viscount French, lord lieutenant and governor-general of Ireland, and Belfast on Thursday, in which it was declared the British government would not hesitate to resort to drastic steps to maintain law and order in Ireland, the authorities announce a number of raids were made today in Ireland.

In the raids some arms and explosives were found. Large quantities of documents and Sinn Fein literature were seized, notably in Dublin, where every copy of the report of Frank P. Walsh and Edward F. Dunn, which explained conditions in Ireland, and correspondence relating to arranging trade relations between Ireland and the United States and other foreign countries fell into the hands of the authorities.

The Sinn Fein parliament was ordered suppressed. An extensive police and military movement against the Sinn Fein has begun this afternoon. The scope and object of the operations were not revealed, but by government forces are reported throughout the country.

There were many arrests and seizures of arms and literature. The search of the Sinn Fein headquarters here lasted two hours. It included even a personal search of visitors to the premises. The documents sought related to the loan of the Irish republic and to the correspondence on which the report of the American delegates who visited Ireland was based.

An exhaustive search was also made of the private house of Count Plunkett and that of the Sinn Fein member of parliament, Michael Staines.

This is the twelfth raid that has been made upon the Sinn Fein headquarters here and no prosecutions have followed.

Raids were carried out in Belfast, Liswin, Derry, Dundalk, Louth and Enniskillen.

### No High Profits Allowed For Retailing

TORONTO, Sept. 14. — A warning against retail dealers profiteering in flour has been issued by the Canadian wheat board. This warning is given in a statement handed to the Canadian Press, Limited, which is by way of reply to a statement made in a public meeting of the Canadian wheat board in this city, that the board had permitted an increase in the price of flour. Following is the statement:

"At the time the board was created, the wholesale price of winter wheat flour was \$10.50 per barrel and over, while today's price quoted in the newspapers is \$9.40. Notwithstanding a decline in the wholesale price of flour, we still find there is no apparent reduction to the consumer, as the average retail prices quoted today are \$12 to \$12.20 per barrel, in half barrel sacks, and as high as \$14 in seven pound packages, or a spread between the wholesale and retail prices of from \$2.60 to \$4.60 which, in the latter case, includes the additional cost providing smaller packages.

"The maximum wholesale price now allowed by the board for winter wheat is \$9.95 in Toronto, or \$10.10 in Montreal. It is the opinion of the Canadian wheat board that the consumer should be able to buy his flour in the city of Toronto under \$11 per barrel, which would allow a reasonable profit to the retailer, and if the prices do not come down at once to this level, it is the intention of the board to adopt measures to bring them down if necessary establishing flour-selling depots.

#### FATE OF SPARTACAN

BERLIN, Sept. 14. — Hammer, the notorious Spartacan leader at Essen, and chief instigator of the general strike last February and insurrection in the Ruhr district, has been assassinated. His body was found in the woods near Reinseheid, southeast of Dusseldorf.

(3) Reserving to the United States the exclusive right to decide what questions are within its own domestic jurisdiction. (4) Absolute reservation of the Monroe doctrine to the judgment of the United States alone. The principal amendments are proposed to provide: Equal voting power for the United States with Great Britain in the assembly of the league. Giving to China instead of Japan the province of Shantung. Relief of the United States from having representatives on commissions declining matters in which it has no concern.

Others concern phraseology. These amendments and reservations, the majority report says, are submitted to preserve United States independence and thereby best serve the welfare of mankind. Fears that other nations may not accept an amended covenant the report dismissed with the statement:

"That is the one thing that certainly will not happen. The other nations will take us on our own terms for without us their league

is a wreck and all their gains from a victorious peace are imperilled. That the adoption of amendments will necessitate reassembling of the peace conference, the report denies, asserting that the conference will probably be in session for six months more in Paris and might as well be "usefully employed," as "they are now in distributing and sharing southeastern Europe and Asia Minor."

German delegates, the report contends, could easily be brought to Paris and as Germany is not a member of the league, she need not be consulted about changes of the covenant.

#### Says Wilson Spent Money Like a Drunken Sailor.

During a side debate on the League of Nations today, Senator Norris, Republican, of Nebraska, charged that President Wilson "spent money like a drunken sailor in Europe," and "cavorted around with the representatives of foreign monarchies." Individual economy being an effective weapon against the high cost of living, Senator Norris declared the president might have led the way.

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask., Sept. 13. — Sheriff Seath was notified by wire today from Chief Brown at Regina that the minister of justice had ordered a month's reprieve for Dr. Gervais, Victor Carmel and Jean Baptiste St. Germain, sentenced to be hanged here next Wednesday for the murder of James McKay at Steep Creek last November. The reprieve is to October 17.

The case became famous throughout the country because of the brutal nature of the crime and the fact that Carmel and St. Germain were draft evaders and had been living in a dugout at the foot of the steep embankment of the Saskatchewan river throughout the summer.

### Tremendous Oil Blaze on Long Island

Tank After Tank of Crude Oil Explodes More Than 50 Persons Injured and Damage Nearly \$10,000,000.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14. — With more than fifty persons injured and the damage already done estimated from \$5,000,000 to \$10,000,000, weary fire fighters tonight still were fighting a threatened further explosion of oil tanks at the scene of the fire which practically wiped out the Stone and Fleming Oil company's plant in Long Island City yesterday.

Five tanks of crude oil were burning today. Should there be a sudden shift in wind from north to northeast, many additional tanks in plants nearby would be threatened, as well as thousands of tons of coal. Firemen are now working in short shifts. So exhausted had they become that when relieved for a brief rest they lay in the streets near the fire zone and went fast asleep. The twenty acres of fire-swept territory looked like a scene in war-devastated Belgium. Few walls were left standing and burning oil continued to flow along the surface of Newton Creek.

The fire, starting early Saturday afternoon, from the explosion of an oil tank in the Stone and

Fleming works a subsidiary of the Standard Oil company on Newton Creek, spread over virtually the entire area of the plant which covers 20 acres, and spread to the Columbia Distilling company's buildings on the same side of the creek, the Peter Cooper Glue works, and American Agricultural Implement plant across the water and the Green Point bridge.

At the same time flames carried across the stream by blazing oil, threatened the plant of the Standard Oil company on the opposite bank.

Following a series of explosions the fire spread so rapidly that, in addition to the three-score fire companies a signal was sounded summoning back all members of the department who had gone off duty. Despite the constant danger of explosions which they faced, the fire fighters stuck to their posts, retreating only when the heat became intolerable. In the front lines the men worked on 20-minute shifts, refusing to relinquish the fight, in spite of the severe burns.

### Austria Has Signed Peace

ST. GERMAIN, Sept. 10. — Austria's signature of the peace treaty today and the departure of Dr. Karl Renner, the Austrian chancellor, and head of the peace delegation, for Vienna in an endeavor to brace up the unstable government, have caused a feeling of relief in conference circles where there has been great uneasiness lest the Vienna government should fall before the completion of the treaty.

The Bulgarian treaty probably will be handed to the Bulgarian delegation on Friday at the French foreign office, where arrangements have been made for an informal ceremony, the Bulgarians having expressed discontent in the proposed simple delivery of the treaty by the secretary of the conference.

Probably 21 days will be granted the Bulgarians to make observations on the treaty.

Dr. Renner's cheerful acceptance of the treaty which, he had frankly denounced as impossible of

acceptance and the dignified good nature he displayed throughout the day's ordeal when he alone faced the peace conference and signed the document which seals the fate of the old Austria-Hungarian empire and precludes the union of the old Austria-Hungarian empire and remaining fragment of the dual empire with Germany, proved the transcending feature of the ceremony and excited the imagination of all the allied delegates and spectators.

The feeling of friendliness among Austria's former enemies inspired by Dr. Renner's sportsmanlike conduct, augurs well for Austria and is generally commented upon as assurance that Vienna with its two millions of population and the four millions in the remaining bit of old Austria, comprising the present republic, may reasonably expect amelioration of the treaty terms in the near future if they make an honest effort to live up to them.

### Dominion Parliament in Special Session

"What," asked T. A. Vien, Liberator, in the house of commons, on Tuesday, Sept. 9, "is the difference between a nation and an autonomous colony?" and it was Canada's status in the empire which largely formed the battle ground of continued debate in the peace treaty. Opposition members pursued their argument that approval by the Dominion parliament made no difference to the treaty. The Canadian parliament, according to Ernest Lapointe, could not dot an "i" nor cross a "t" in the treaty but was yet bound by all its provisions. Canada's place in the League of Nations, he argued, had been granted, not by reason of any growth in her status, but as part of the British empire.

Hon. N. W. Rowell followed. He dealt in detail with criticism of the league covenant. He spoke of the "Rip Van Winkle attitude" of the acting leader of the opposition. The five nations of the empire had made war, declared Mr. Rowell, then why should they not be consulted in the making of peace? At the evening sitting, Lucien Cannon, Dorchester, described the treaty as severe in its economic clauses. He would have liked to see Ireland given the same rights as other nations in Europe.

"Supposing," said Mr. Lapointe, "trouble should arise between Great Britain and the United States, what would the position of Canada be?" Mr. Lapointe argued that proposed changes in the Canadian constitution should be submitted to the referendum of the people before being put through.

There seemed to be no disposition on the part of the government of the United States to decrease amendment, said Mr. Lapointe. The United States proposed increasing her military strength four times. Great Britain had sent Admiral Jellicoe on a tour of inspection, so that he could advise the overseas dominions how best to increase their naval strength. "When the

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### Denikine Administers Defeat To Bolshevik Force

LONDON, Sept. 14. — The war office announces a decisive victory over the Bolshevik forces at Tsaritryn by Gen. Denikine, in which 9,000 prisoners, 11 guns and 100 machine guns were taken. Three Bolshevik regiments surrendered and two others were destroyed.

The announcement says: "The right wing of Wrangel's volunteer army was engaged for the past week in a stubborn defence of Tsaritryn against Bolshevik, attacks from the northeast and south. The main attack was supported by an armed flotilla on the Volga and continued for three days. The enemy was finally defeated, leaving 9,000 prisoners, 11 guns and 100 machine guns. Three Bolshevik regiments surrendered and two others were destroyed."

The whole Amur territory from Khabarovsk to Hoenggyed in eastern Siberia, has been cleared by the Bolshevik, according to a wireless report from Moscow. It is stated that the Bolshevik forces, aided by 200,000 Chinese troops, attacked the White Guard.

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## Sheep and Swine Sale

Mr. J. G. Robertson, Live Stock Commissioner and Secretary of the Saskatchewan Sheep and Swine Breeders' Association, has sent out to the executive of these associations the following advance notice of sheep and swine sales to be held this fall at Regina and Saskatoon at the time of the Winter Fairs at these points.

At a joint meeting of the executive of the above associations it was decided to hold two sheep and swine sales this fall, one at Regina during the last week of November at the time of the Winter Fair, probably on the 27th and 28th, and another at Saskatoon at the time of the Winter Fair there, possibly on the 4th and 5th. These sales will be well advertised and it is expected that a large number of buyers will attend them. An entry fee of 50c per animal entered for the sale will be charged and all entries must be in the hands of the Secretary on or before October 1, 1919. So, if you are contemplating entering any animals, send in your entries in plenty of time. It is expected that upwards of one hundred and fifty purebred sheep and seventy-five purebred swine will be offered for sale.

In addition to a great number of the best sheep that Saskatchewan has to offer for sale, the Saskatchewan Sheep Breeders' Association is importing about twenty-five very high-class ewes and five extra choice purebred rams. These importations will be made in conjunction with the Live Stock Branch of the Department of Agriculture, and will afford an opportunity for Saskatchewan sheep men to purchase the very finest imported stock that can be secured. The majority of these importations will be Shropshire, but other breeds will also be included.

Please keep these dates in mind and make it a point to attend the sales. You can attend the Winter Fair at the same time. Further information, rules and regulations can be had on application to Mr. Robertson, Department of Agriculture, Regina.

## Troops Handled By Canadian Government Railway

From August 1914 to November 30th, 1918, the Canadian Government Railways handled 462,240 men by special train, and 296,585 by regular train, total 758,825. Number of special trains same period 1911, total number special train miles 808,359. From December 1st, 1918, to May 31st 1919 we handled by special trains 153,609 and by regular train 17,680, total 171,289. Number of special trains same period 352, representing special train mileage 303,515. Summary total number of troops handled by Canadian Government Railways, August 1914 to May 31st, 1919, 930,114, total number of special trains same period 1543. Total number of special train miles 1,111,874.

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### COMPARING THE PLATFORMS

Without any design of doing injustice to the Liberal party of Canada, or belittling the newly erected platform, which was constructed at Ottawa recently, in discussing the question of "Taxation of Land Values," we have made the statement: "One of the notable deficiencies in the new Liberal Platform is the manifestation of a lack of courage in placing a plank dealing with "Direct Taxation."

As the press reports of the convention, which appeared in the daily papers, were necessarily abbreviated, it was not possible to study the full text of that platform, which has subsequently been published in detail. In the platform as published in full is a paragraph devoted to "Finance and Taxation." For the purpose of comparing this plank with that in the Farmers Platform, dealing with the same question, they are herewith given side by side.

### Taxation Proposals of Farmers Platform

Under date of Nov. 29th, 1918, the Canadian Council of Agriculture, in outlining its taxation proposals, says:

"As these tariff reductions may very considerably reduce the national revenue from that source, the Canadian Council of Agriculture would recommend that, in order to provide the necessary additional revenue for carrying on the government of the country and for the bearing of the cost of the war, direct taxation be imposed, in the following manner:

1. By a direct tax on unimproved land values, including all natural resources.
2. By a graduated personal income tax.
3. By a graduated inheritance tax on large estates.
4. By a graduated income tax on the profits of corporations.
5. That in levying and collecting the Business Profits Tax the Dominion Government should insist that it be absolutely upon the basis of the actual cash invested in the business and that no considerations be allowed for what is popularly known as watered stock.
6. That no more natural resources be alienated from the Crown; but brought into use only under short term leases, in which the interests of the public shall be properly safeguarded; such leases to be granted only by public auction.

### Liberal Party's Finance and Taxation

From the official platform issued by the Dominion Liberal Association, under the heading, "Finance and Taxation," the following is designated plank in the Liberal platform recently adopted, dealing with the question of Direct Taxation.

"Whereas, the national safety demands that the serious financial position of the country should be known and appreciated, in order that steps may be taken to cope with the same, and:

"Whereas, on March 31st last, according to the statement of the Minister of Finance, the net public debt was \$1,584,000,000, or roughly, \$220 for every man, woman and child in the Dominion, involving an annual interest charge of about \$115,000,000 and thus imposing an annual burden for interest on debt alone of \$15 per head for the population; and

"Whereas, the estimated expenditure of the Dominion Government for the present fiscal year is over \$800,000,000, or roughly \$100 per head of the population; and

"Whereas, the estimated revenue is only \$280,000,000, thus creating an estimated deficit of over \$500,000,000 — a sum equivalent to \$62.50 per head of the population — which sum the finance minister proposes to obtain by borrowing; and

"Whereas, national disaster will overtake this country should the present method of financing the country's affairs be continued; and

"Whereas, Great Britain and the United States at present raise more than 80 per cent of their revenue by direct taxation, while

Canada raises not more than 20 per cent.

Be and it is hereby resolved:

1. That the serious nature of the country's financial situation calls for the profoundest consideration of all patriotic citizens, and the exercise of the severest economy by the government;
2. That increase of revenue must be sought from an equitable and effective imposition and collection of graduated taxes on business profits and income applicable to all incomes above reasonable exemptions;
3. Taxes on luxuries.

Enforcement of Income Tax Law  
This convention condemns the government because it has not enforced the Income Tax Law in such a manner as to make it produce the revenue which such a tax should produce, if properly collected."

### Man And A Horse

The Canadian Council of Agriculture, in its pronouncement of a political platform, under date of July 1917, under the heading of "Taxation," says:

"When the tariff shall have been reduced to a revenue basis it will be necessary to supplement the national income from other sources. This we propose to do by levying a direct tax on unimproved land values, including a tax upon all natural resources; as well as by formulating a program for the imposition of a sharply graduated personal income tax. In addition, the Canadian Council of Agriculture strongly advocates the placing of a heavily graduated inheritance tax on large estates and a graduated income tax on the profits of corporations."

"A little over seventy years ago the great sage of Chelsea, Thomas Carlyle, asked:

"Why is that any well-formed horse, with its stupid head and clumsy hoof, can always fetch a good price in the market; while a man, with that marvellous world on his shoulders, and those wonderful hands at the end of his shackles, often is not only worth nothing to society, but society can afford to pay him a good round sum if he will only consent to go and drown himself."

### HAIL LOSSES HEAVY

At a meeting of the directors of the Saskatchewan Municipal Hail Insurance association it was estimated that the hail losses this year in the province will necessitate the paying of an indemnity of \$1,950,000. In order that this claim may be met it will be necessary to levy an excess seeded acreage rate of 22 cents per acre.

The total number of claims received up to August 30 was 7,780, while it is expected that there may be a few more to come in. The flat rate of four cents per acre levied on all lands within the municipalities adopting municipal hail insurance is estimated to produce this year a revenue of about \$800,000. It is estimated that about 6,000,000 acres of cultivated land are liable for the excess levy of 22c per acre, which will add \$1,320,000 to the revenue, bringing the total up to about \$2,120,000. This is the first year since the passing of the legislation providing for an excess seeded acreage rate, that it has been taken advantage of.

## Rheumatism

A HOME CURE GIVEN BY ONE WHO HAD IT

In the spring of 1909 I was attacked by Rheumatism and Inflammatory Rheumatism. I suffered as only those who have it know, for over three years. I tried many remedies, and doctor after doctor, but each failed as I received only temporary relief. Finally, I found a remedy that cured me completely, and it has never returned. I have given it to a number who were terribly afflicted and even bedridden with Rheumatism, and it effected a cure in every case.

I want every sufferer from any form of rheumatic trouble to try this marvelous healing power. Don't send a cent; simply mail your name and address and I will send it free to try. After you have used it and it has proven itself to be that long looked-for means of curing your rheumatism, you may send the price of it, one dollar, but understand, I do not want your money unless you are perfectly satisfied to send it. Isn't that fair? Why suffer any longer when positive relief is thus offered you free? Don't delay. Write today.

Mark H. Jackson, No. 541 F. Cursey Bldg., Syracuse, N. Y.  
Mr. Jackson responsible. Statement true.

## DESERTER FINED \$1,000.

TORONTO. — Bugler Henry Slingland, who deserted from the 122nd battalion, was fined \$1,000 and costs or 12 months in Burwash. The penalty constitutes a record in the police court in connection with these cases.

## ALIENS IN CANADA

OTTAWA. — The question of interned aliens is to be brought to the notice of the house of commons by W. D. Euler, North Waterloo, who has given notice that he will enquire on Wednesday how many alien enemies are still interned in Canada, how many were interned after the signing of the armistice, and when may their release or repatriation be expected.

Mr. Euler will also ask if a British subject being a naturalized citizen of New Zealand, of German origin, may be interned in Canada or if he may be deported to Germany.

## VETERANS PROTEST GERMAN TRADE

KINGSTON, Ont. — The Kingston unit of the Army and Navy Veterans at an enthusiastic meeting recently demanded the immediate passage of the peace treaty and approved by parliament of the position taken by Sir Robert Borden and the Canadian delegates at the peace conference. The veterans also decided to protest against any attempt to place German made toys on the Canadian market and if an attempt was made to do this they would boycott the German products.

## MORE PUBLICATIONS PUT UNDER BAN

OTTAWA, Sept. 13. — A book entitled "The Proletarian Revolution in Russia," by N. Lenin and Leon Trotsky, published by the communist press of New York city has been declared by the secretary of state to contain objectionable material, and anyone issuing or having it in their possession is liable to a fine or imprisonment.

"The Soviet," published at Edmonton, Alberta, is also banned. Other publications condemned by the censor are "Gusly," a collection of national and revolutionary songs printed in Russian at New York, and "Development of Industrial Democracy," a pamphlet printed in Finnish by the Soviet publishing company, at Duluth.

## Dominion Parliament

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noble lord arrives in Canada," said Mr. Lapointe, "I would suggest that he be treated with the greatest consideration and told that as far as advising Canada, it would be wiser for him to wait until the people of this country asked his advice."

Debate on the peace treaty continued in the house throughout Wednesday.

Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, who took up the major portion of the afternoon, agreed that the covenant of the League of Nations was useless without Article 10. But by ratifying the treaty, he asked, was Canada not surrendering full control over her military and financial powers? He described the Dominion government's war policy as one of exploitation, extravagance, profiteering and waste. There had been an utter disregard of statesmanship with an abject surrender to party needs. He thought, too, that the Irish home rule bill should be enforced and "King Carson silenced."

W. F. Cockshutt, Brantford, was critical of the league, although declaring he would vote for ratification.

Throughout the night on Thursday and till the early morning hours on Friday, debate continued in the house of commons on the peace treaty. In the afternoon proceedings were spirited, a succession of sharp verbal duels. There came too, the first amendment to the motion of Sir Robert Borden that parliament do approve of the treaty of peace between the allied and associated powers and Germany.

The amendment was Hon. W. S. Fielding's, it was seconded by Ernest Lapointe, of Kamouraska, and asked that this clause be added to the resolution before the house:

"That in giving such approval this house in no way assents to any impairment of the existing autonomous authority of the Dominion, but declared that the question of what part, if any, the forces of Canada shall take in any war, actual or threatened, is one to be determined at all times as occasion may require by the people of Canada through their representatives in parliament."

The house divided at 1.15 a. m. on the Fielding amendment with the result: Against 102. For 70.

## Majority against, 32.

It was a straight party vote, with no "switches." Sir Robert Borden's motion was then declared carried.

The main speakers were Mr. Fielding and Hon. C. J. Doherty. As the debate proceeded the galleries filled, till in the evening they were crowded. From each side of the house, as either Mr. Fielding or Mr. Doherty held the floor, came rapid-fire questions. Mr. Fielding argued that Canada was still a dependency, subject in international questions to the British government; Mr. Doherty that Canada was one of a group of nations constituting the empire.

Mr. Fielding thought that ratification by Canada was "arrant humbug." He asked why Canada should go through the tomfoolery of ratification. Mr. Rowell, he said, amid opposition laughter, was one of those who made "houses of later of fancy soap."

Mr. Fielding held that a special session of the house was unnecessary and that the country would pay a million dollars because it had been called.

Following brief discussion, the house on Friday approved of two more treaties—one in regard to administration of occupied Rhineland, the other, the treaty with Poland.

Debate on the address was scheduled to resume once these resolutions were disposed of, but as no speakers were ready, it was again adjourned. In the course of discussion of the Polish treaty, S. W. Jacobs, Montreal, took opportunity to protest against the alleged massacre of Jews in Poland. "I trust," commented Mr. Jacobs, "that if Mr. Paderewski (president of the Polish republic) runs up against the League of Nations, he will find that he is playing with fire and not a piano."

Hon. C. J. Doherty, Montreal, was questioned whether Canada was assuming any obligations under the treaty.

"The obligations," Mr. Doherty replied, "are all on the side of Poland."

Announcement was made that a special committee of the house would be appointed to consider an amending bill on the re-establishment of returned men. It is understood that the question of additional gratuity will be likewise considered by the committee.

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Minutes of Council Meeting held in the Secretary's office, Jansen, on Saturday, August 30th, 1919, the following members of the Council being present, namely: the Reeve and Councillors Marclay, Dunn and Holfeld.

Dunn—That the Minutes of the last Meeting be adopted as read.

Holfeld—That the North East quarter of section 5, township 32, range 21, W. 2nd. Mer. be redeemed from Tax Sale by the Municipality on account of the owner being overseas, and that the arrears of taxes against the said quarter be cancelled.

Howat—That Councillor Barclay's report regarding the assessment on the S.W. 35-33-20-2 be accepted, and that the said assessment remain unchanged.

Dunn—That the Reeve and Secretary-Treasurer be authorized to sign the blue-print received from the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. showing the crossings of the line proposed to be built through the Municipality.

Barclay—That the Annual Tax Sale be held in the Secretary's office, Jansen, on Wednesday, November 5th next, at 1 p.m.

Holfeld—That we authorize Councillor Barclay to buy in, on behalf of the Municipality, any lots put-up for sale for which there are no offers.

Barclay—That the following accounts be paid, viz.: Western Municipal News \$1.05; Moritz & Clement \$2.25.

Holfeld—That we adjourn to meet again on Saturday, September 27th, next.

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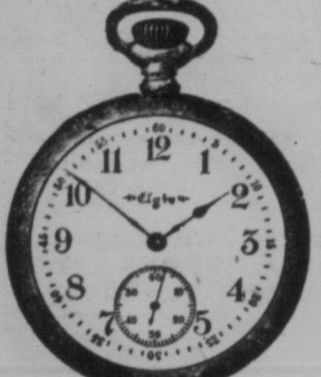
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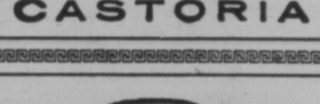
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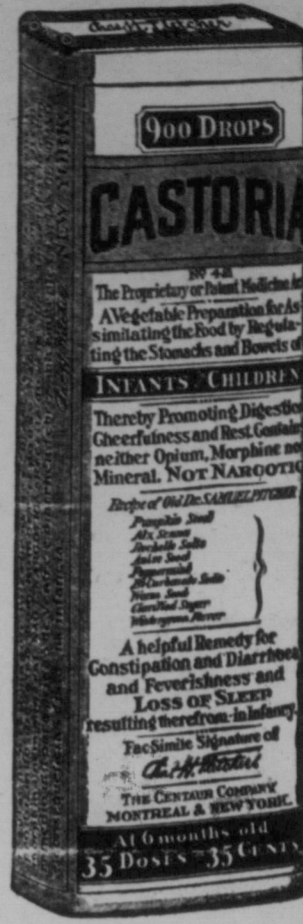
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### TENDERS RESERVOIRS

Scaled tenders will be received up to 10:30 a'clock, Monday, September 29th, 1919, for each of the undermentioned works:

(a) The excavation for a reservoir on the North-west quarter of section 10, township 25, range 22, west of the third meridian, near Snake Lake Post-office, Sask.

(b) The excavation for a reservoir on the North-east quarter of section 15, township 28, range 24, west of the third meridian, south of Fairmount, on the C. N. Railway.

(c) The excavation for a reservoir on the North-east quarter of section 21, township 27, range 24, west of the third meridian, south of Fairmount, on the C. N. Railway.

The contract will be let separately for each individual work.

Tenders may be mailed under one cover, but tenders for each individual work must be accompanied by an accepted cheque or other satisfactory deposit for the amount of \$50.00. Deposits of unsuccessful tenders will be returned when contracts are awarded.

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Plans, specifications, form of tender and all information may be obtained on application to the undersigned.

The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement will not be paid for.

H. S. CARPENTER, Deputy Minister of Highways, Regina, Saskatchewan, September 8, 1919.

### nearer to the Goal

At last we have made another Step in the right Direction.

On account of the establishing of a third store at Kendal, Sask., we have been put into the position to buy goods in greater quantities and to buy them cheap. The new store at Kendal is modern in every respect and keeps a first class assortment of goods of every description. In connection with this business we have opened a complete Lumber Yard.

All our customers who know the business methods adopted by us, no doubt are aware of the fact, that the advantages reaped by us are also to their best interests.

Our stock is really too numerous to be mentioned in detail. We assure our customers that we hold for sale in every one of our stores only the best of goods.

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**Regina and District**

**BORN A DAUGHTER**

We are informed that on Monday, September 8th, a daughter has been born to Rev. J. and Mrs. Fritz, 1948 Ottawa Street. The Courier heartily congratulates and wishes the newly born a "bon voyage" through life.

**STOCK LOADING DAYS**

For the information of farmers who have live stock to ship, W. W. Thomson, director of Co-operative Organizations for the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture, has secured from the three railway companies their stock loading schedules on all main lines and branches in the province. Special arrangements have been made by the railway companies to handle stock expeditiously on these stock loading days.

The stock loading days on the Regina-Melville Line are Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, on the G.T.P.

**DUCK SHOOTING HAS COMMENCED**

At the first flush of dawn on Monday the guns began to bark and ducks were on the wing. September 15 was the opening of the season for the ninerds of Saskatchewan, and autos loaded with ducks and geese will be returning to the city.

**WANT GOVERNMENT TO TAKE DRASTIC ACTION**

Citizens of Regina who attended the meeting at the Regina theatre Sunday afternoon went on record unanimously in a resolution asking the federal government to:

- Take possession of boots, clothing and other necessities of life in factories and warehouses;
- Seize coal and fuel at mine heads, and in storage, with a view

to regulating the distribution and sale thereof for the benefit of consumers, in fair proportion, and at reasonable prices;

Take steps to punish profiteers by heavy fines and imprisonment.

**BOY SHOT AT BEACH**

Arthur Corbeau, 14-year-old son of E. C. Corbeau, was injured on Wednesday at Regina Beach when a twenty-two calibre rifle, accidentally discharged, the bullet lodging in the chest. He was brought to the General hospital here and the bullet extracted, after it had been located by X-Rays.

**PROGRAM FOR VISIT OF PRINCE ARRANGED**

The official program in its final form of the public functions to be held on the occasion of the visit to Regina of the Prince of Wales on Saturday, October 4, to Monday, October 6, was announced by Lieutenant-Governor Sir Richard Lake. The program we shall make public in our next issue.

**CHILD SEVERELY SCALDED**

The little eight-year-old daughter of Martha Hoffman, at Kennel, about twenty-four miles north of Regina, was severely scalded as the result of an accident with a kettle of water on Saturday afternoon. The injuries are very serious and little hope for her recovery is entertained.

**LIVER COMPLAINT.**

Mr. Henry Finke of Cleveland, Ohio, writes: "I was troubled with liver complaint and severe catarrh in my head. After using Forni's Alpenkrauter I am now feeling well." This well-known herb remedy acts upon the liver and restores its normal activity. It is not sold through druggists; special agents supply it. Write to Dr. Peter Fahney & Sons Co., 2501 Washington Blvd., Chicago, Ill. Delivered free of duty in Canada.

**Canadian Provinces**

**Saskatchewan**

**JOHN SPRINGER CRUSHED TO DEATH BY A SEPARATOR**

A sad accident occurred on Tuesday evening before last, when John Springer, a well-known farmer residing in the Schmidt district, was crushed to death between a separator and an engine.

The crew was on the way to the Schlahl farm to stop for the night. The unfortunate man was sitting on the coal box of the engine and while going down a small incline in the road, the separator which was drawn by chains, crowded into the engine, crushing Springer so severely that he expired a half hour later.

**BIGGAR HOSPITAL TO BE GOOD ONE**

According to plans which are being prepared the new union hospital at Biggar will be one of the most up-to-date institutions of the kind in the province. J. Melrose Morrison, the architect for the hospital, was in Regina recently and consulted with Dr. M. M. Seymour, provincial commissioner of health.

It has been decided to add two new features in connection with the hospital. One of these will be an X-ray room and the other will be a fully equipped and modern laboratory.

Other changes in the original plans desired are twelve-foot storerooms, and a ten-roomed nurses' home instead of a building of only seven rooms.

**ARGUMENT ENDED IN HOSPITAL AND ARREST OF MIKE**

Another of those periodical outbreaks in the northern section of the province was reported in a telephonic communication from Inspector Tait, Prince Albert provincial police, to Superintendent Mahony.

Mike Krenicki got into an argument with D. Zubik at Davis, a little town east of Prince Albert, and, it is alleged, in order to put a quick finishing touch to the affair, took his longbladed road-stabber, lunged into Zubik and found his mark three times. Just as he finished, it is stated, he noticed the C.N.R. passenger train bound for Winnipeg pulling into the station. He grabbed his coat and hat, and running at top speed made the station in time to swing onto the platform of the last car.

Zubik recovered about five minutes later and gave the alarm. Inspector Tait got the telephone lines busy and when Krenicki arrived at Melfort, Corporal Fieldhouse, of the provincial police, walked up to him and placed him under arrest.

Zubik was rushed to the hospital at Prince Albert, where an examination of his wounds showed that the one in the chest is very serious, while the two in the head will also cause some trouble. Provided no complications set in Zubik has a fairly good chance for recovery.

**LABORER GASSED IN WELL**

Gas in a well he was digging sixteen miles north of Biggar, Sask., overcame and killed George Hiske, a farm laborer, according to information received by Inspector C. M. Smith at provincial police headquarters. The body was removed from the pit, and Coroner Johnson and Cpl. G. S. Nutt, of the provincial police, investigated the circumstances of the accident. It was decided an inquest would not be necessary. Further details of the fatality are lacking.

**ALLEGED VIOLENT THEFT**

MOOSE JAW. — W. R. Vorra, whose preliminary hearing on a charge of alleged theft with violence, was completed this morning before Magistrate Lemon, was committed for trial at the high court. The victim of the alleged assault, Mike Machuck, stated that Vorra hit him and took his purse out of his hip pocket.

**MOOSE JAW EXPECTS GAS**

MOOSE JAW. — Drilling operations in the gas field in the north-west part of the province from which the Great Northwest Gas Co. hopes to supply this city with natural gas, are said to be meeting with excellent success. The company was granted a franchise by the citizens and is to have gas in the city within two years.

**RECORD LAND SALE AT ESTERHAZY**

ESTERHAZY. — A new record in land values for this district was arrived at recently when Joseph Clavelle sold his E. 1-2, 9-19, 2M to Steve M. Bartok for \$30,400 or \$95 per acre. The land is situated in the Kaposvar district and is in a high state of cultivation.

**FATAL ACCIDENT ON FARM**

MOOSE JAW. — Mathew Main, whose home is at Socrates, Que., died in the general hospital here of a broken back. Main received his injuries near Wood Mountain when a team of horses he was driving ran away and dragged him some distance.

**SUDDEN DEATH AT EARL**

Miss Hilda Kornum, a young lady of Earl, Sask., a post office in the Willow Bunch district, died suddenly of heart failure on Sunday evening, just as she was about to retire for the night. Dr. Godin, of Willow Bunch, the coroner for the district, viewed the body and decided an inquest would not be necessary.

**GETS ONE YEAR AND TEN LASHES**

MOOSE JAW. — William John Francis, a solicitor for farm magazines, and formerly a newspaper writer in Winnipeg, was given one year in Regina jail and ten lashes by Magistrate Lemon on a charge of indecent assault on a young girl of 9 years of age.

**SEVERE PRAIRIE FIRE**

MAPLE CREEK, Sask. — A severe prairie fire went through the south country on August 31, burning up over thirty miles of grass, over a thousand tons of cut hay, a hundred head of cattle, barns, etc. It is stated that a man accidentally started the fire by throwing away a lighted match which he had used to light a cigarette.

**COULD NOT STOP THE HEADACHES**

**Until She Tried "Fruit-a-tives" — Made From Fruit Juices**

112 Coburg St., St. John, N.E.  
"I feel I must tell you of the great benefit I have received from your wonderful medicine, 'Fruit-a-tives'." I have been a sufferer for many years from Violent Headaches, and could get no permanent relief. A friend advised me to take 'Fruit-a-tives' and I did so with great success; and now I am entirely free of Headaches, thanks to your splendid medicine."  
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50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At all dealers or sent on receipt of price, postpaid, by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

**NEWS FROM SEDLEY AND DISTRICT**

Threshing is still general, with varying results, but excellent weather assists the quick ending of the season. New grain grading No. 1 Northern is being drawn to the elevators, and a general period of animation prevails. Results on the whole in the district are very gratifying. The northern district is more fortunate than in previous years, where another bad crop would have been serious for the residents.

**NEWS FROM MILESTONE AND DISTRICT**

On September 4 a serious accident occurred at the William Pederson farm south of town. Mr. Pederson is having a large barn erected, and while engaged on this, four men crashed to the ground from the peak, where they were at work. The rafters were being raised to position by a derrick, and as one was being placed it struck against another already in place, and loosened it in such a manner that all that had been put up fell. As the men were falling, Grant Jones of Gull Lake, one of the crew, jumped inside to the loft floor, and in so doing one of his legs went through the floor, and the other, which caught on a joist, was severely broken at the ankle. Carl Krause, also of Gull Lake, suffered a broken leg just below the knee. The other men were very fortunate in escaping with nothing more serious than a bad shaking. The injured men were taken to the General hospital at Regina to receive treatment. The barn at which the accident occurred is one of the finest and most expensive in this district. Al Winkler, local contractor, has charge of the work.

**MANITOBA**

**WINNIPEG VISITED BY BAD ELECTRICAL STORM**

A thunderstorm of an intensity and duration that makes a record for this year was experienced in Winnipeg and district on Sunday morning. It came from the west and a report from Portage states it was apparently as severe there. Inquiry north and south gained the information that at Dauphin there had been a rainfall of several hours, and that there had been a short but heavy fall at Emerson. It did not go further south. It was reported, however, that the roads north were in bad shape.

**ALBERTA**

**ALBERTA SUES RAILWAYS**

EDMONTON. — Action has been commenced by the provincial government against the Canadian Northern Railway company and the Canadian National Railway company as co-defendants to recover the amount of taxes under the act to supplement the revenue of the crown in the province of Alberta for the years 1913 to 1918, both inclusive, amounting to with interest, approximately \$150,000.

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**CUSTODY-BREAKER CAUGHT ONCE MORE**

EDMONTON. — Chief Constable Hill received a telegram from Detective Campbell that he and Constable McElroy had re-arrested Larsen, the man wanted on holdup charges and suspected murderer, who made a sensational getaway Thursday by leaping from a fast-running gasoline speeder on which he was being taken from Mountain Park to Edson.

**BRITISH COLUMBIA**

**JANITOR STOPPED COAST ROBBERY**

VANCOUVER. — L. W. Terry was shot and slightly wounded and an attempt of robbers failed to blow the safe of the Western Canada Power company in the Carter-Cotton building at an early hour this morning. Terry, who is janitor

of his house badly wrecked. All of his stock confined in this building escaped injury, except two young cattle, which had to be killed on account of their injuries.

**WAGE INCREASES TO TOTAL \$400,000 ON STREET RAILWAY**

WINNIPEG. — Although no official statement will be made until the end of the week, it was learned from an authoritative source that wage increases to the extent of \$400,000 must be made by the Winnipeg Electric railway, according to a decision reached by the Mathers board which recently sat to investigate the men's grievances. The increases may be made retroactive, it is stated. This increase will affect carmen, conductors, motormen, trackmen, repairmen and inspectors.

**HALF VILLAGE BURNED**

WINNIPEG. — Word reached here that half of the village of Mooschoon, Man., 119 miles north-west of Winnipeg, was destroyed by fire, with an estimated loss of \$100,000. The cause of the conflagration is believed to have been the explosion of a gasoline lamp in the local creamery.

**BODY FOUND IN BUSH**

The body of Mrs. Boily, who disappeared from the home of her sister, Mrs. H. Seward, La Broquerie, Man., Aug. 16, has been found in the bushes less than three-quarters of a mile from the house. Mrs. Boily had been visiting at her sister's home. No evidence of violent death were reported and it is believed that the woman died from exposure.

**TWO YEAR OLD CHILD ASLEEP ON THE TRACK KILLED BY TRAIN**

PILOT MOUND, Man. — A fatal accident occurred a mile east of town. Norman Douglas, 22-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Monkman, was run over by a passenger train, westbound and instantly killed. The child was apparently asleep on the tracks. The father is working at Humboldt, Sask.

**LIGHTNING SETS FIRE TO CHURCH**

The Lutheran church at West Selkirk was totally destroyed by fire during the electrical storm storm early on Sunday morning. The fire was caused by lightning. The only things saved were the organ, the baptismal font and four pews. Out on Lake Winnipeg one of the worst gales in years was blowing. No loss of life or shipping has, however, been reported so far. At Gimli the waves washed clean over the pier, while the spray frothed around the upper part of the lighthouse.

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tor of the building, frustrated the robbers when he went to investigate a noise on the fifth floor of the building and was shot when he grappled with one of the men.

**STEAMER AND CARGO SUNK BY ROCK IN FRASER RIVER**

VANCOUVER. — The steamer B X., plying on the Fraser river for the British Columbia Express company, was lost on Saturday afternoon near Woodpecker Island, half-way between Prince George and Quesnel. No casualties occurred, but the vessel and a full cargo are probably a total loss.

The vessel was on her way down the river and close to the landing stage at Woodpecker Island when she struck a rock. She was immediately beached, and the passengers and crew had little difficulty in getting ashore. The steamer later drifted into deep water and sank. The mail was saved, but a big cargo of cement for the Pacific Great Eastern railway bridge at Deep Creek, besides other freight, is a total loss.

**Eastern Provinces**

**KILLED BY TRAIN**

FORT WILLIAM, Ont. — Theodore Arnold, ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Arnold, 1729 Crawford avenue, was picked up in a dying condition near the crossing of Neehing avenue, over the Canadian Pacific tracks, having evidently been struck by a train.

He was found by Frank Roy, a Murillo farmer, who was passing the spot, and was rushed to the McKellar hospital, where it was found his skull was fractured. An operation was unsuccessfully performed, the boy dying at 8 o'clock in the morning. An inquest will be held.

**KINGSTON GUARD BREAKS NECK**

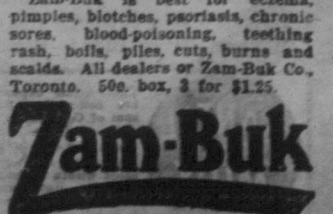
KINGSTON. — Joseph Purcell, a guard at the penitentiary here, while cutting oats in one of the prison fields recently, along with a convict, was knocked down, the horses on the reaping machine having become frightened, running over him and breaking his neck.

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