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RUSSIANS BREAK AUSTRO-GERMAN CENTRE Slav Troops Take 84,000 Prisoners in New Drive From Tarnopol Against Whole Austrian Forces on Line of the Stripa—Italians Push on Beyond Gorizia and Take 15,000 Prisoners in Week—French Capture Over 4 Miles of Third Lines North of Somme—British Advance Toward Martinpuich and North of Pozieres.

TIE-UP OF GREAT RAILWAY SYSTEMS OF U. S. IMMINENT

RAILWAYMEN OF U. S. REJECT ARBITRATION PLAN PROPOSED

Strike Which Will Paralyze Commerce and Throw Two Million Out of Work Is Imminent—President Wilson Seeks To Break Deadlock and Avert Catastrophe.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—A general strike on virtually all the railroads of the nation, paralyzing commerce and throwing approximately 2,000,000 out of employment, can be averted only through the good offices of President Wilson, as a result of today's developments in the dispute over the men's demands for an eight-hour day and time and a half for overtime. The controversy was laid before the president, at his invitation, after the workers had flatly rejected any form of arbitration. They had refused mediator yesterday.

Both parties will reach Washington tomorrow in time for an early conference with President Wilson. The hour for the meeting will be arranged by Secretary Tumulty, who started for this city from Washington late today as Mr. Wilson's representative, arriving here at 9 o'clock tonight.

The final break came today after the men had been in secret session nearly six hours. The men say they refused arbitration because the railroads insisted on arbitrating their "contingent" proposition. The board of mediators in a statement issued tonight declared, however, the men rejected their proposition contending that they would not arbitrate even if the railroads waived the contingent proposition.

The chief objection of the men to arbitrating the railroads' "contingent" proposition lay in their contention that the proposed contract would be out of double compensation features, which the men have gained during 30 years of effort. The railroads have contended that double compensation, together with the demands of the men, if granted, would increase the wages of many of their employes more than 100 per cent.

British Forces in Egypt Are Pressing Turks Hard

LONDON, Aug. 13.—British forces in Egypt are still driving back the Turks who were defeated in the recent battle east of the Suez Canal. The following announcement in regard to this campaign was given out here today: "Our cavalry is still in pursuit of the Turkish rear guard, and yesterday evening had driven back the Turks to a position east of Bire-el-Manca. Although no materials or stores were found at Bire-el-Abd, there were large heaps of ashes in the vicinity of the abandoned Turkish position."

ALLIES MAKING MIGHTY SWEEP IN EAST AFRICA

British and Belgian Forces Bent on Rounding Up Germans. MARCH SPLENDID FEAT Gen. Enslin's Troops Overcome Great Obstacles—Enemy Everywhere Retreat.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—The advance of a wide encircling movement by the British and Belgian forces in German East Africa is reported in an official statement issued by the war office today. The text is as follows: "The forces under Gen. Smuts began a simultaneous forward movement on Aug. 5. A strong mounted force under Brig.-Gen. Enslin undertook a wide enveloping movement north and north-west of the Nguru mountains. After traversing the centre mountains, Gen. Enslin's troops emerged on Aug. 8 at Mhonda Mission, between the mountains and the Kanga hills overlooking the M'Jonja valley, completing an arduous march of 50 miles where wheel transport was impossible. "At the same time, strong infantry forces moved into the M'Jonja valley from the north and to the eastward of the Kanga hills. On Aug. 9 stubborn actions developed at Mhonda and Matamonda in the valley, lasting until Aug. 11, when the enemy's resistance

ITALIANS DRIVE AUSTRIANS OUT OF NEW LINES

Take Two Thousand More Prisoners in Pursuing Enemy. DEBELI AND HILL FALL Ally's Armies Capture More Than Fifteen Thousand Men in Advance.

ROME, Aug. 13, via London, 5.44 p.m.—In the Montefalco and Gorizia sectors the Italians, pressing their offensive, have driven the Austrians from fortified positions, says the official communication of today. More than 2000 prisoners were taken. The statement follows: "Yesterday on the lower Isonzo our troops, always indefatigable, met with further success. In the Montefalco sector, after two days of severe fighting, they carried Hill 121 and Debeli. Further to the north they crossed the Vallone and pushed forward one kilometre (five-eighths of a mile) to the east of Oppacchiasella on the northern edge of the Carso. Infantry division No. 23 carried positions on Nadlogem (Hill 212), which were defended strongly by the enemy. We took 1565 prisoners, of which 57 were officers."

FRENCH CARRY FOE TRENCHES ABOVE SOMME

Gallant Charge Captures Four Miles of German Front. PENETRATE MAUREPAS Allies' Troops Take Third German Defensive Positions.

PARIS, Aug. 13.—In an attack on the third German position extending from east of Hardecourt to the River Somme, the French carried the entire German front of six and a half kilometres (four and one-sixteenth miles), on a depth of 600 to 1000 metres, three-eighths to five-eighths of a mile. This dash captured all the trenches and fortified works of the enemy and it gained the French the southern part of Maurepas Village and the cemetery. They established their new lines on the southern slopes of Hill 109, along the road between Maurepas and Clerly, and on the saddle west of Clerly. In this action they took 1000 unarmoured prisoners and thirty machine guns. Advancing southeast from Maurepas, in minor combats, the French made progress on the slopes of Hill 109. They also stopped by machine gun fire a German attack from the direction of Combes against their positions in the church and cemetery at Maurepas and they took 80 prisoners.

RUSSIANS SMASH FOE CENTRE DRIVE AUSTRIANS ON LEMBERG

Nickel in Southwest Toronto

The record of the Ontario Government in the matter of nickel will be one of the big issues in the Southwest Toronto campaign, a contest that will attract the attention of the people for this week more than anything else. Mr. Dewart, the Liberal nominee, is in the fight and his chief attack will be on nickel; so will that of Mr. Connor, the Social Democrat; also of Mr. Winberg, an Independent-Conservative candidate; also of Mr. Waldron, an Independent-Liberal; Mr. Norris, the Hearst candidate, will also define himself on this issue. All the candidates therefore must outline their attitude at the nomination speeches today; and the voters will then have a chance to judge. So will the prohibition law of the Hearst Government, which is to go into effect in the middle of September. But the big question will be nickel, with the forces against the government's nickel program divided into three or four camps. There ought to be some kind of consolidation of the four attacks to be most effective. But even if divided, the strength of the feeling against the way nickel has been mismanaged in Canada will be presented, so as to command the attention of all our people. The war is the supreme issue with Canadians today; and nickel is at this moment one of the greatest factors in the attitude of Canadians in this war, the greatest war the world ever saw; and Canada's part in it is the chief event in the history of our people since they began to shape themselves up into a great free British democracy on this North American Continent.

Czar's Forces Take Eighty-Four Thousand Prisoners in Advance from Tarnopol, Capture Many Towns, Cross Several Rivers, and Seize Mariampol, Near Halicz.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 13.—Dealing the Austro-Germans the most powerful blow sustained on any side since the war began, the Russians celebrated the birthday of the Grand Duke Alexis Nikolavitch, heir to the imperial throne, by capturing the whole region of the main enemy winter positions between Tarnopol and Buczacz on a front of about 75 miles. A partial return of prisoners taken since the operations began is given by the Russian official report of today as 1741 officers and 82,205 men. The Russians also captured 59 cannons, 33 machine guns, 45 bomb mortars and 125 bombers. They have also taken Mariampol, seven miles from Halicz, the key of Galicia. This action completes the battering down of the fortified wall which the enemy erected last winter from the Pripiet River to the Roumanian frontier.

DEWART PRESSES TO FORE NICKEL AND HYDRO ISSUES

In Accepting Liberal Nomination in Southwest Toronto, He Made Vigorous Onslaught on Hearst Government's Supine Attitude—Plot To Wreck Hydro Charged.

If Hartley Dewart is returned to the legislature from Southwest Toronto on Monday next it will be largely due to the aggressive campaign he is making on the nickel question and the hydro-electric situation. In his keynote speech of acceptance at the Liberal convention for Southwest Toronto in Broadway Hall on Saturday night, Mr. Dewart handled the record of the Hearst government upon these commanding issues with merciless vigor and unsparring invective. Three hundred Liberals arose and cheered themselves to a frenzied enthusiasm when Mr. Dewart declared that Sir Queen's Park long after Mr. Hearst and his colleagues had been forgotten. But the climax of the evening was reached when Rev. John Bennett Anderson, a Church of England minister, rose to his feet and called out with passionate energy: "Conservatives Protest. "I have been a Conservative all my life, but I can no longer keep silent. Mr. Dewart is right in what he says about nickel. I knew it ever since the war commenced. Canadian nickel has been going to Germany and it has been coming back from Germany to Canada in the dead and maimed bodies of the boys we have sent to the front. The scene that followed beggars description. The audience arose in a solemn compromise and agreement entered into by the two parties at

Break Austrian Centre. The Russians had proceeded well on with their operations against the enemy on the line of the Stripa by Saturday. Von Bothmer and other Teuton generals had clung to their centre lines for seven weeks, or since the big Russian offensive began. Their lines ran along the Stripa River from the Dniester to the positions in front of Tarnopol, and their left flank was protected by marshy country. At first they endeavored to relieve the Russian pressure on both wings by launching attacks in the centre in front of Tarnopol, but the Russians firmly held their positions while they kept up the delivery of hammer strokes west of Lutsk and in Bukovina and eastern Galicia. Finally, having aligned their forces, as designed by their general staff plan, they gave the Teutonic centre the requisite push to send it reeling backwards

DEUTSCHLAND SUNK BY PATROL BOAT? Report Comes From Orderly of Captain of French Cruiser. NOT YET CONFIRMED British Patrol Boat Said to Have Announced the Exploit.

BRITISH TAKE TRENCHES IN SUCCESSFUL ATTACK

Make Advance on Mile Front Northwest of Pozieres and Also Take German Positions on Plateau of Bazentin-le-Petit Towards Martinpuich.

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PENSACOLA, Fla., Aug. 12.—The German merchant submarine Deutschland was sunk by a British patrol boat on the morning of August 8, according to a statement made here by an orderly of Captain Lique, commanding the French armored cruiser Admiral Aubé, which put into port today. Captain Lique tonight refused to confirm or deny the report. The orderly said that the cruiser received a wireless message from a British patrol boat in the Atlantic last Tuesday, saying she had sunk the German merchant submarine that morning.

The French armored cruiser Admiral Aubé came into this port today with supplies and coal exhausted. She dropped anchor near the Austrian steamer ship Lucia, tied up here since the beginning of the war. It is reported that Captain Lique has been keeping his cruiser near this port for the last two weeks, watching for the German submarine Bremen. United States naval officers and customs officials boarded the cruiser Tuesday, saying she is entitled to supplies in limited quantities. The Aubé is the first entente warship to seek supplies in an American port.

SUMMER PRICES FOR FURS. The advanced styles in furs for the coming season may now be seen at Dineen's and orders left reserving selected models for latter delivery. The prices are all lower than for the season of wear, and orders placed now will realize a considerable discount. Dineen's, manufacturing furriers, 140 Yonge street.

TWO KILLED, FOUR INJURED IN COLLISION AT HAMILTON

Motorcycle and Motor Car Collided on Wet Pavement Early Yesterday Morning—Nelson Chambers and Miss Jean Secord Were Victims—Sergt. Thompson Had Both Legs Broken.

HAMILTON, Monday, Aug. 14.—Two people were killed, two seriously injured and two badly shaken up when a motorcycle, carrying three, and a motor car, carrying the same number, skidded on the wet pavement and crashed into each other with terrific force at the corners of King and Main streets, near the Delta, early Sunday morning. Two occupants of the motorcycle, Nelson Chambers, 15 Beechwood avenue, the driver, and Miss Jean Secord of Otterville, who was riding in the side car, were killed outright. Sergt. Thomas Thompson of the 205th Sportsmen's Battalion, who was riding on the carrier of the motor-

cycle, had both legs broken and received severe bruises. William Evans, who was driving the taxicab, was badly injured about the body and was taken to the hospital suffering from nervous shock. Walter Male, who was sitting with Evans in the front seat, was badly cut about the arms, and immediately following the accident rushed into the residence of Robert Gage, corner of Kensington and King streets, for assistance. There he became unwell and fainted for a passing taxi and was driven to the hospital. John Stevens, of Britannia avenue, the passenger in the taxi, had the top of his scalp partly torn off and was

WAR SUMMARY THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

AS the result of the past seven weeks of Russian operations and of the feebleness of the Austro-Germans, which forbade them making an effective defence, the Russians have begun to clinch their victory on the Galician-Volynian front by breaking the Austrian centre on the lines of the Stripa and taking more than 84,000 prisoners as announced in Petrograd yesterday. While the Russians were driving back the Austro-Germans all these seven weeks from Lutsk and forcing the Germans to fight for their lives to defend Kovel Junction and while the Russians were clearing their left flank in Bukovina and threatening Lemberg and the plains of Hungary by operations towards Kolomea, Stanislaw and Halicz, the Austrians managed to retain their lines in the centre before Tarnopol and along the course of the Stripa down to Buczacz

By the capture of Stanislaw in the south and the crossing of (Continued on Page 2, Columns 1 and 2).

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**FRAMED PICTURES AT 59c.**—Picture sizes 15 x 20 and 16 x 20 inches. There are many well executed reproductions in sepia or color of famous figure or landscape subjects. The sepia pictures are framed in 2-inch mission oak or 2-inch walnut finished moulding. The colored pictures are stretched and varnished, and framed in 3-inch ornamental gilt moulding, with ornaments on the corners. Cattle, sheep, pastures, villages, seascapes are included in wide variety. And just measure the size of them on your wall and imagine the price! Any picture in the lot, sale special, 59c.

**FRAMED PICTURES AT \$1.00.**—The picture size is 16 x 20 inches. The frames are made of 4 1/2-inch gilt moulding, sweep style, and are heavily ornamented at the corners. Included are mountain and lake subjects, seas, cattle, sheep, homesteads and figures, so well colored that it's hard to tell them as reproductions short of a close examination. Sale special, each, \$1.00.

**LARGE SEPIA FRAMED PICTURES AT \$1.50.** This is another shipment of one of our most popular lines, but to stimulate big selling while they last, and to get them in the sale, we've marked them at a reduced price. The picture size is 14 x 22 inches, and the frames are of gilded pyramid shape walnut finish moulding. Many of the subjects are equally suited for offices, schools, public buildings or the home, including "Stratford-on-Avon," "Peter's Rome," "The Forum," "The Coliseum," "The Horse Fair," "Spring," "The Wedding Dream," and "Castle St. Angelo." Well glazed, well framed, and finely printed in every detail. Sale special, each, \$1.50.

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### Dining-room Furniture on the Second Floor

**BUFFET**, as illustrated, fumed oak, top shelf and mirror back; 48 inches long, 2 cutlery drawers, one lined, 2-door cupboard, long linen drawer, wood knobs. Sale price, \$21.00.

**DINING-ROOM CHAIRS**, in sets of 5 side chairs and 1 arm chair; fumed oak, panel back, box seats upholstered in leather. 6 pieces. Sale price, \$14.50.

**DINING-ROOM SUITE**, "Jacobean rope turnings," made in quarter-cut oak, fumed finish, antique drop handles.

Buffet has mirror back; 50 inches long. Sale price, \$32.50. Side Table. Sale price, \$11.25. 2-door China Cabinet. Sale price, \$24.00. Pedestal Base Extension Table, 48-inch top. Sale price, \$29.50. Set of 6 Chairs. Sale price, \$28.50.

**DINING-ROOM SUITE**, mahogany finish. Adam motif, very suitable for apartment dining-room. Buffet. Sale price, \$32.50. China Cabinet. Sale price, \$18.50. Side Table. Sale price, \$10.00. Set of Diners. Sale price, \$19.75. Round top pedestal base Extension Table, 6-foot slides. Sale price, \$17.50.



\$12.50

—Furniture Building, James and Albert Streets.

**THE COMFORTABLE CHESTERFIELD Sofa** is one of the most cherished pieces of furniture in the modern home—and the one illustrated is \$55.00. This price shows the result of the efforts we have made to bring this most comfortable and much desired piece of furniture within the reach of the average home, and again demonstrates the kind of values that are offered in what promises to be the greatest sale in the history of the Store. This Chesterfield Sofa is 6 feet 6 inches long, has stuff-over frame, high back, low arms, and deep seat. Seat and back tufted and covered in fancy tapestry. Round legs in mahogany finish. What a couch for in front of a fireplace! Sale price \$55.00.

### Note Also These Equally Good Values In Living Room and Parlor Furniture

**Davenport Sofa**, mahogany finish, show wood frame, 6 ft. long; upholstered back and sides; seat fitted with 3 loose cushions covered in fancy floral tapestry. Sale price, \$34.00.

**Arm Chair and Arm Rocking Chair**, suitable for living-room or bedroom use; large size, stuff-over frames, spring back and seat, low roll arms covered in fancy tapestry. Sale price, \$13.50.

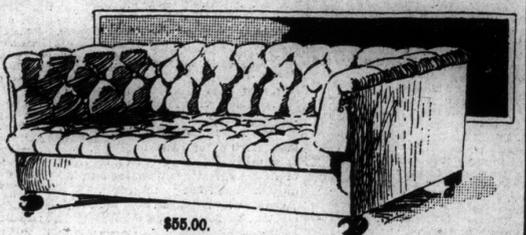
**Living-room or Parlor Suite**, large massive frame in mahogany finish, high back, shaped centre panel, scroll arms, extra large deep spring seat covered in tapestry. Sale price, \$45.00.

**Parlor or Living-room Suite**, mahogany finished frames, shaped top, panel backs, box frame seats well upholstered and covered in tapestry. Arm Chair, Arm Rocker and Settee. Sale price, 3 pieces, \$21.00.

**Parlor and Living-room, Arm Chairs, and Arm Rockers**, assorted lot of designs, upholstered and covered in tapestry. Sale price, \$6.50.

**Sample lot of Couches**, 6-foot frames, some show wood and some all-over upholstered, plain buttoned tops, roll head covered in tapestry and velour in a variety of patterns. Sale price, \$12.50.

**Kindel Sofa Couch**, 7 feet long, new style, fumed oak ends, 40 coil springs in seats fitted with felt mattress, covered in green denim, buttoned top. Sale price, \$11.00.



\$55.00.

### Indian Rugs, Any One of Which Means Dollars Saved, the Result of a Special Purchase

**WHEN WE BOUGHT** these rugs from a local dealer who was forced to go out of the rug business through not being able to get his goods into Canada, we paved the way for some tremendous bargains.

There are still many useful sizes left, but we cannot too strongly recommend all who can possibly do with an Indian Oriental rug to see these without delay before they are sold, for the past few days' selling indicates that they'll not remain here long. Characteristically Indian in design and their richly blended colors, they are heavy, firm, thick, and should last for many years under ordinary conditions. The predominating colors are green, ivory, red and blue.

Size 3.0 x 6.0. Special price .....	\$9.00	Size 10.1 x 13.4. Special price .....	\$70.00
Size 4.0 x 7.0. Special price .....	\$14.00	Size 10.2 x 17.00. Special price .....	\$90.00
Size 5.0 x 8.0. Special price .....	\$20.00	Size 12.0 x 15.0. Special price .....	\$95.00
Size 6.0 x 9.0. Special price .....	\$27.00	Size 11.0 x 18.0. Special price .....	\$105.00

**ENGLISH TAPESTRY RUGS, SPECIAL VALUE AT \$11.00 and \$13.75.**—These are a maker's surplus stock left over at the end of this season, and we bought them up at a fraction of the price their quality represents. Included are green grounds with chints patterns and 2-tone red or tan with floral chints patterns. Size 9.0 x 10.5. Special price, \$11.00. Size 9.0 x 12.0. Special price, \$13.75.

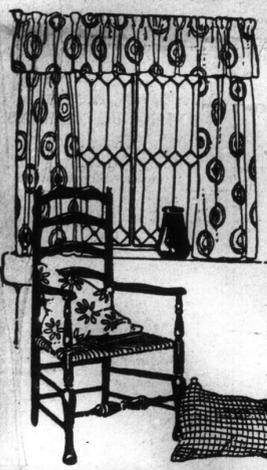
**Wilton Rugs**, woven from finely spun worsted yarns and well dyed. Included are 2-tone greens and blues, and Oriental styles in blue, red, green and tan.

Size 9.0 x 9.0. Special price .....	\$13.75
Size 9.0 x 10.5. Special price .....	\$21.50
Size 9.0 x 12.0. Special price .....	\$24.75

—Fourth Floor.

### Big Bargains for a Tremendous Tuesday Clean-up in Draperies

Casement Cloths, at 11c; Art Satens, at 19c; Nottingham Curtains, at 98c; Extension Rods, at 12c; and Several Other Equally Big Savings.



**FROM VELOURS TO Casement Cloths, Tapestry Curtains to Extension Rods**, the Drapery Section is fairly throbbing with bargains for Tuesday. We cannot describe them at length here; it is necessary to come personally to grasp the full significance of the opportunity. In addition to the following specials are many more bargains, but particular attention is directed to these, most of which are reductions almost without regard to profit to clear broken lines and special purchases.

**Broken lines of English Art Casement Cloths**, 30 inches wide, in cream or ivory, with conventional border designs in assorted colors. Sale special, yard, 11c.

**Broken lines of English Art Satens**, 30 inches wide, in floral or conventional border designs and combination colors of green, rose, blue, Nile, crimson and terra cotta. Sale special, yard, 19c.

**Broken lines of Nottingham Lace and Fish Net Curtains**, 50 and 52 inches wide by 3 and 3 1/2 yards long, in white only. Block, floral or medallion designs on evenly woven grounds, with scalloped edges. Sale special, pair, 98c.

A limited quantity only of curved extension rods that extend from 30 to 50 inches, made of polished brass, and are suitable for any light draperies or valances. We cannot promise to fill phone or mail orders. Sale special, each, 12c.

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**Sofa cushions covered with odds and ends of chintzes from regular stock.** Size 20 x 29 inches, without the 2 1/4-inch handkerchief border, filled with special quality of Russian down. A limited quantity only. Sale special, each, 75c.

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### RUSSIANS SMASH TEUTON CENTRE

Break Thru Seventy Mile Front and Advance Toward Lemberg.

### CAPTURE MANY MEN

Czar's Forces Seize Many Towns, Including Mariampol, Near Halicz.

(Continued from Page One.)

upon Lemberg. As the Austrians and Germans have a good road system behind them it is believed that they will succeed in saving the bulk of their artillery and the remnants of their armies, but the Russians are prepared to give them vigorous pursuit.

### Forced Teutons to Retreat.

The ball was started rolling by the advance of General Gerbachev, who in a week's operations, unopposed by Russian official communications till yesterday, forced the Teutons to retreat from the entire fortified line of the Sireta River. In front of Tarnopol and the Russians captured the villages of Bnadi, Vorobievsk, Czeroff, Czerna and Pokropivna, which had been all strongly fortified, and advanced to Zosloff, about 20 miles southwest of Tarnopol, on the Tarnopol-Lemberg railway. The town was well protected by the Burkinow forest, it

speedily fell before the Russian assault.

### Take Town of Ezerna.

This success was immediately followed by General Scherbatoff, who advancing rapidly westward along the Sireta front captured the town of Ezerna. The Russians then drove westward to the line of the upper Sireta on a front between the villages of Plavucha, Veska up to Pityche, and have begun to cross to the left bank. South of Pityche the Russians have arrived on the line of the villages of Zlota, Loboda and Uvse, and they are established before the town of Podgiacy and the little town of Kholkoche.

### On the southern flank the Russians are pursuing their operations with vigor.

They have pushed across the River Koropce, and they have captured strongly fortified positions on the heights between the Koropce, Zlota Lipa and Khorovanka, and continuing their drive to the south they have reached the Dniester at Mariampol and they have captured this town.

**Throw Men Across.**

South of the Stanislau the Russians have captured Nadvorna and Fitkov Village, and they have crossed the Sireta at Sobovina. They are constructing bridges and continuously throwing troops to the western bank of the Rivers Bystrizza-Nadvorna and Bystrizza-Solotvina, and have driven the enemy back to the left bank of the last named stream, capturing 12 officers, 1000 men, seven machine guns and a trench gun.

South of Delatyn the Russians are also continuing their forward march into the Carpathians and they have consolidated their positions on several heights near Voroskita, Magura and Jablonitsa.

Attempts of the enemy to resume his offensive, the Russians say, were everywhere repulsed.

Last night's Russian communication reads:

"The fetid day in celebration of the birthday of the heir to the imperial

throne, the Grand Duke Alexis Nikolaevitch, by a fortunate coincidence, happened at the same time as the battering down of the fortified wall which the enemy erected last winter from the Pripiet River to the Rumanian frontier.

### Take Many Villages.

"Today, owing to the vigorous and determined efforts during the past seven weeks by the gallant troops under Gen's Gerbachev and Sakharoff under the leadership of Gen. Brusiloff, the villages of Gladki, Vorobievsk, Czeroff, Czerna and Pokropivna, all strongly fortified, fell into our hands. Further, Kosloff (southwest of Tarnopol) well protected by the Burkinow forest, and the whole line of the River Stripa met the same fate.

### Thus, the whole region of the main enemy winter positions between Tarnopol and Buczacz, pressed by us on both flanks, fell into our possession.

"The gallant troops under Gen. Letchitzky, captured Nadvorna (south of Stapslain), and the Village of Pitkov, and then crossed the River Bystrizza at Solotvina."

The Sunday afternoon Russian statement follows:

"In the region of Novogradok, Gorodoch and Stolbey enemy aeroplanes flew over our positions. They dropped ten bombs on the dressing station hospital in the Village of Adamov, to the west of the Town of Mir. A German aeroplane which appeared over the town of Nesvij, was attacked by our aviator staff, Captain Kruten, and brought down after a brief fight. We captured the machine and its occupants.

### Sakharoff Wins Success.

"On the upper Serech the troops of Gen. Sakharoff, developing their success, drove off the enemy from a series of fortified positions and reached the lines of the Villages of Zvyjen, Olev, Bozovica and Blakovec. Our breaking thru on the River Stripa

forced the enemy to abandon strongly fortified positions.

"Pursuing the enemy, the gallant troops of Gen. Scherbatoff captured the town of Ezerna and, continuing to advance to the west along the whole front, reached the upper Serech from the Village of Plavucha Veska up to Pityche, where they are crossing to the western bank. To the south of Pityche we reached the line of the Villages of Loboda, Zlota and Uvse, and arrived before the Town of Podgiacy and the little town of Kholkoche.

### Take Strong Heights.

"Detachments which in pursuit of the enemy crossed the River Koropce by the lower stream captured the strongly fortified positions on the heights between the Rivers Koropce, Zlota Lipa and Khorovanka, and continuing to the south, reached the Dniester and Mariampol.

### On the Rivers Bystrizza-Nadvorna and Bystrizza-Solotvina, the construction of bridges and the passage of our troops to the western banks is going on continuously.

The enemy is being from the western bank of the River Bystrizza-Solotvina at our positions and our troops which are crossing.

**Win in Carpathians.**

"To the south of Delatyn, in the advanced near Voroskita, Mobra and Jablonitsa continues. Here we consolidated positions on several heights. Attempts by the enemy to resume the offensive were repelled everywhere.

"In view of the great military importance attached to the capture today, Aug. 13, of the final remaining positions on the enemy's winter line of fortifications, the several armies are endeavoring to give details of prisoners and booty taken in the recent operations. One corps of Gen. Sakharoff's troops took between Aug. 4 and 11 a total of 307 officers and 16,594 of the rank and file, and captured four guns, 41 machine guns and 16 bomb mor-

ars. The troops of Gen. Scherbatoff have taken, from June 5 to the present time, 1263 officers and 55,158 of the rank and file, and have captured 55 cannon, 211 machine guns, 29 bomb mortars and 9 throwers and 138 limbers.

The troops of Gen. Letchitzky took, from Aug. 1 to 10, a total of 171 officers and 10,450 of the rank and file, and captured 9 guns and 77 machine guns.

### Sunday night's Russian communication says:

"Our crossing of the Rivers Stripa, Koropce and Zlota Lipa is continuing. We have occupied the Town of Podgiacy.

"On the Dniester our cavalry has captured the Town of Mariampol.

"In the region of the Bystrizza, we drove the enemy back to the left bank of the River Bystrizza-Solotvina, during which operation one of our infantry regiments captured 12 officers and 1000 men and 7 machine guns and 1 trench gun."

### I. O. F. CONVENTION AT NIAGARA.

**Special to The Toronto World.**

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Aug. 13.—The annual convention of the High Court of Western Ontario, Independent Order of Foresters, to be held here at the collegiate institute, August 29 and 30, will be attended by hundreds of people from all over the province. A reception will be given the delegates and their wives on the evening of the 29th.

### ARE YOU GOING TO EUROPE?

If you intend taking a trip across the Atlantic be sure you secure your passage and steamship ticket from A. F. Webster and Son, 53 Yonge street, the oldest established steamship agency in Toronto and probably in Canada.

### PRISONERS' FREEDOM ONLY LASTS FEW HOURS

Young Men Who Escaped From Welland County Jail, Caught at the Border.

### Special to The Toronto World.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Aug. 13.—Elmer Florence, 21 years of age, and James Tyson, 16 years of age, who escaped from the Welland County jail, about 4 o'clock this afternoon, were caught here shortly after 8 o'clock while buying tickets at the lower bridge in an attempt to enter the United States.

The arrest was made by Ontario Policeman McNamara, who was on duty at the bridge. When arrested the prisoners were wearing civilian clothes. They would not state where the civilian clothes were secured and when questioned as to how they made their escape the prisoners stated that they had "walked out."

The younger of the pair had \$1 to his possession. Florence was sentenced here to 30 days for vagrancy and Tyson was sentenced at Fort Erie to six months for theft.

### JOY RIDER REMANDED.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Aug. 13.—Alex. Green, a colored man, was remanded for a week, when he appeared in the police court charged with driving a motor car while under the influence of liquor. When the police boarded his car in order to arrest him on a charge of intoxication, he gave them such a fast and exciting ride that it ended in Constable Moore being thrown from the car and badly injured.

### ALLOWANCE PAY WILL BE RECEIVED REGULARLY

Men Enlisting in the Forestry Battalion Are Assured of This.

One striking feature of the 238th Forestry Battalion, now rapidly reaching strength here, is the care which is being taken by Lieut. H. S. Price, officer commanding, that all matters pertaining to separation and patriotic allowances pay to soldiers' wives will be fully arranged before the battalion sails for overseas in a couple of weeks. To go thoroughly into the matter and see that every married member of this battalion will be assured that his wife will receive her allowances regularly and without delay, two men from the paymaster's department, Ottawa, will arrive in Toronto early in the week. The battalion has 158 men attested and ten more men signed up to apply Monday morning, which will likely make it a record day. A place for a few more men can be made for this, the soonest battalion to go overseas.

### ONE SON WAS KILLED ANOTHER TAKEN PRISONER

Mrs. Nesbitt, at Woodstock, Was Officially Notified.

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 13.—A few weeks ago Mrs. Nesbitt received two notices that one of her two sons at the front had been killed. The next day news was received that her other son, Pte. Donald McLarty, was missing. Today she was officially notified that he is a prisoner of war at Achen, Germany.

FEAR COMPELLED SALE OF ISLANDS

U. S. Purchase of Danish West Indies Actuated by German Conduct.

HUNS MADE SURVEY

Teutons Inspected Every Fort on Venezuelan Possession.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Aug. 13.—(Thru Reuters) Although no official here may lift the veil of secrecy held down by express agreement with Denmark over the negotiations for the sale of the Danish West Indies, information was given today which throws some light on the guarded statement made in the Danish Parliament yesterday that it was an international situation, and not domestic or economic considerations that induced Denmark to agree to the transaction.

Denmark, said the Danish foreign minister, was persuaded to sell the islands for fear that retention of them might lead to international complications. Was this, asked the leader of the left party, an insult to the United States? Had the United States threatened to seize them?

To those startling intimations of an international complication, brought out as a surprise to the American public, there can be no answer made now, it can be made no clearer than these intimations made it; that there has been danger of extension of a foreign control in the western hemisphere inimical to the vital interests of the United States is proclaimed in the Monroe Doctrine. There are evidences of this foreign extension of control—in short, evidence of a German grip—upon other islands of the West Indies.

Inspected by Germans. There is an official report in the government archives here of the voyage of a German vessel, when German ships still were able to keep the seas, along the route taken by the Spanish fleet of Admiral Cervera in 1898, north of the mainland of South America. This German vessel anchored off the little island of Margarita, a possession of Venezuela, and scientists from the vessel completed a survey of every foot of that island before the vessel proceeded toward the Dutch West Indies.

There are three islands in the group of the mainland which belong to Holland—the islands of Curacao, Oruba and Bonaire.

Three wireless stations with the German apparatus have lately come to the knowledge of the outside world as being located upon and operated from these islands. There are other German activities in the islands which have raised the suspicion that Curacao is being used as the Danish West Indies were, according to reports at the outset of the war, as a German base.

Consul There Transferred. The information which the United States government possesses regarding German activities in Curacao is, however, very limited. The American consul there, until recently, was Mr. H. C. von Struve, who was transferred to the consular service in April, 1914.

Mr. von Struve was formerly a teacher of German and French in a private newspaper. Some time after the reports were received of German activities in Curacao, Mr. von Struve was transferred to another post and his place taken, by Mr. Messer Smith, formerly a consul in Canada.

Long before the Deutschland proved the practicability of transmitting radio messages, the admiralities of the entente powers became convinced that sooner or later the Germans would endeavor to operate their submarines on this side of the Atlantic. They now suspect that Curacao is likely to harbor a base for these submarines and that it is more than likely that German submarines supposed to be journeying across the Atlantic to American ports in reality make one trip between the United States and the submarine base in the West Indies.

INDIANS CONTINUE WORK FOR ALLIES

Strenuous Efforts to Assist Towards Final Victory Keep Up.

COUNTRY IS TRANQUIL

People of Bengal Contribute Two Hospital Companies for Troops.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—(Thru Reuters) Ottawa Agency.)—An official despatch from Simla, India, says: "Interest in the war grows keener with each success of the allies, and strenuous efforts to assist towards final victory continue unabated. The internal condition of the country, where in portions of Bengal, where the Dacoities periodically break out, are highly satisfactory, and the situation is much the same as noted in a previous despatch.

The people of Bengal showed their desire to help in the war by organizing a stationary field hospital for service in Mesopotamia. This hospital, with the exception of the officers commanding, was staffed entirely by Bengal medical graduates and the personnel was entirely Bengali. After doing excellent work this hospital has now been withdrawn, but scope for the most and patriotic aspirations of the Bengalis has been afforded by the raising of a double company of this class. It will be based on the frontier and will fit for active operations. The result of this experiment will be watched with interest. Besides a Bengal double company of Indian Christians recruited from the Punjab have recently been raised.

CANADIAN CAPTIVES WERE BADLY USED

Number of Disabled St. Julien Heroes Get Their Liberty.

FOOD GIVEN IS POOR

Rations Decidedly Limited—Germans Seek to Coerce Prisoners.

Canadian Associated Press Cable. LONDON, Aug. 13.—The proverbial saying of the "Prussians" is as nothing compared to that of young Canadian lads, who after fifteen months' residence in Germany are once again enjoying British liberty and freedom. There were eight Canadians included in a party of exchanged wounded who arrived here three days ago. Their names are: Pte. M. E. Hughes, Trenton, Ont., 2nd Battalion; Vernon Hughes, Vancouver, 29th; Alex. B. Clarke, Calgary, 19th; Darcy Latimer, Ottawa District, 2nd; Henry James, Verdun, Montreal, 13th; Fred Higgins, E. Ontario, 29th; Arthur Ward, Moose Jaw, 6th; and Jack Mackey believed to belong to the 1st.

With one exception in the case of Vernon Hughes, all of them were wounded and made prisoners in the second battle of Ypres, and have since April, 1916, been either in hospital or camps.

Crippled But Cheerful. Everyone of them is able to go about freely. Some with the aid of sticks, others with crutches, and all seem in excellent spirits. They make most bitter complaints about the supply and quality of food against medical treatment in camps. "We should have been starved long ago," they say, "had it not been for the parcels received from the Canadian Red Cross. When we ask for more the commander will turn around and tell us England was entirely responsible for it because they refused to allow supplies to come into Germany, adding 'our own children are starving as well'."

Describing more specifically the kind of food they receive, two men who came from Minden camp said there was occasionally variation in the menu but their usual ration was a cup of so-called coffee and a lump of brown bread for breakfast, with horse beans and some other vegetable mixture of four potatoes and gray made with a powder for dinner, with a piece of horse flesh thrown in once or twice a week, while in the evening they have raw herring and tea, also what they had left from the breakfast served to them in the morning.

Peep Hospital Treatment. Clarke of Calgary, who was at Senel Ager, said they had one meal a day for several weeks, and that consisted of bread and soup. Both Clarke and he had his leg taken off below the knee, and Hughes, whose hip was taken off and who looks very poorly, complained very bitterly against the hospital treatment. For days at a stretch they received no change of food, and they resented any kind, and if they complained to the medic officer in charge they were told there was no one there to attend to them.

Every fit man, medical officer, however, seems to have been taken for duty at the front, while nursing is entrusted to the men but their usual ration was a cup of so-called coffee and a lump of brown bread for breakfast, with horse beans and some other vegetable mixture of four potatoes and gray made with a powder for dinner, with a piece of horse flesh thrown in once or twice a week, while in the evening they have raw herring and tea, also what they had left from the breakfast served to them in the morning.

Montreal Robbed. Henry James of Montreal, who had a piece of his right chin taken out, thinks the Germans are first class loafers. He has not seen a Federal don camp, he said, "than that they have two gold rings and watch. I made several protests but it was no use. Soldiers have consistently refused to work for Germans in munition factories or mines. One Canadian, Harry Hogan, refused to work for them, and is undergoing a second term of imprisonment for refusing to do any kind of work for the Germans. He has not done a day's work for them yet and does not intend to. He refuses even to salute commanding and camp officers, and that if they speak to him he turns his head the other way in disgust. A fortnight ago the commanding officer told him to return to camp, on his way back he was overtaken by a sentry, who without making any enquiry bayoneted him twice in the back and hit him on the head with the butt of his rifle, rendering him unconscious. He was then taken to the hospital.

One fact has given the men considerable satisfaction. During the past six weeks German doctors and other camp officers readily admit they are now beaten and that it can't go on much longer.

DROWNED AT KINGSTON WHEN CANOE CAPSIZED

Special to The Toronto World. KINGSTON, Ont., Aug. 12.—John W. Eves, aged 24, was drowned in a canoe capsized when a companion, John Clark, who was with him, managed to get to the canoe until help came. He could not swim. Eves was regarded as a good swimmer. Eves came here from Bermuda and was a medical student at Queen's University. The body was recovered Sunday morning.

SIR G. TURNER DEAD

LONDON, Aug. 12.—The Right Hon. Sir George Turner, former premier and treasurer of Victoria, died suddenly of a stroke at Melbourne, according to a despatch to Reuters' Telegram Co. He was born in 1851.

ITALIANS DRIVE ON PAST ISONZO LINE

Southern Ally Takes More Austrian Positions East of Gorizia.

CAPTURE MANY MEN

Fifteen Thousand Teutons Fall Prisoners to Victorious Troops.

(Continued from Page One). and also two medium calibre guns and some machine guns. Also Capture Hill. In the hilly region east of Gorizia, Hill 174, for the north of Tivoli was captured; 533 prisoners and some machine guns being taken. On the remainder of the front there were the usual demonstrations by the enemy, which everywhere were disposed of. Altogether, since Aug. 6, 15,333 prisoners have been taken, including 330 officers. In the same operations we have taken 16 guns, a large number of machine guns and war material of all kinds.

AT CANADIAN CAMPS

Canadian Associated Press Cable. LONDON, Aug. 13.—Lieut. T. W. F. MacDonald, Charlottetown, Canadian Brigade Signal Artillery, Horsham, has been promoted to the rank of captain. Lieut. H. R. Thomson, Hamilton, Ont., 58th Ont. Battalion, 3rd Division, has been granted three months' leave, with permission to proceed to Canada. Lieut. A. H. Appleton, 15th Nova Scotia Reserve Battalion, East Sandling, has been appointed adjutant of his battalion, vice Lieut. E. H. Henry, vacated.

Capt. J. H. Chabell, Valleyfield, P.Q., 23rd Montreal Reserve, has been permitted to revert to the rank of lieutenant at his own request, the quicker to get out to the front.

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MENTAL TORTURE FOR CREWS OF BIG SHIPS

German Submarine Sinks Three in Sight of Other Three, But Men Saved.

HAVRE, Aug. 12.—Six ships were held up at once by a German submarine on Thursday morning. The commander of the submarine ordered the crews of the French steamer, the Norwegian steamers Crede and Soro, and the British ship, the vessel with bombs in view of the crews of the other five ships.

The Norwegian steamers Crede and Soro were next sent to the bottom. Each vessel going down in ten minutes. The three ships were allowed to continue their voyages after being searched and their papers examined. The crews of the three sunken ships were picked up by the Danish steamer Robert, and landed at Havre on Friday morning.

MAN KILLED AT INGERSOLL

INGERSOLL, Aug. 12.—Angelo Marino, an Italian, employed at the Ingersoll Lumber Co., fell from a trolley car tonight, near Beachville, fracturing his skull. He died at the Alexandra Hospital later.

U.S. ORDERS TROOPS TO MEXICAN BORDER

Washington Hurries Off All National Guardsmen in Training Camps.

FEARS REVOLUTION?

Report Says Northern States of Latin Republic Will Revolt.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Officials of the government outside of the war department were mystified tonight by the immediate rush orders for the immediate transfer of all national guardsmen now in the mobilization camps to the Mexican border.

The general order of President Wilson called out the entire national guard, estimated at 120,000. There are actually on the border 98,500 men, leaving a mobilization camp of 21,500. For weeks recruiting has been going on and these troops have become disheartened at the inactivity of camp life. The order for mobilization was issued three days ago, but was permitted to leak out only today. All these forces will be under way Monday.

Why, in view of the rosy reports from the border and the satisfactory statements issued from the state and war departments for three weeks past, these troops should suddenly be ordered to the border, is answered by the department with the formal statement that the order for them to move as soon as they were in condition and properly equipped and recruited has never been rescinded.

This does not satisfy the public. There is a suspicion that perhaps the border troubles are not so serious as reported here from confidential sources in Mexico that the people in all the border states of Mexico are in a state of starvation and ripe for revolution under the banner of the "Villistas," along the border.

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BRITISH INFANTRY RENEWS ADVANCE

Makes Important Gains on Over Two Miles of Front.

OUR MEN GAIN RIDGE

Lose Crest South of Guillemont Thru Foe's Gunfire.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 13, via London, Aug. 12.—Anyone who reads the British official report of the British offensive was overjoyed to find a visit to the field that a terrific battle was in progress, judging from the unceasing and enormous volume of gunfire. No one could expect a visit to the field that a terrific battle was in progress, judging from the unceasing and enormous volume of gunfire. No one could expect a visit to the field that a terrific battle was in progress, judging from the unceasing and enormous volume of gunfire.

BRITISH TAKE FOE'S TRENCHES IN FIGHT

Advance on Front of Nearly One Mile Northwest of Pozieres.

DRIVE ON MARTINPUICH

Our Troops Gain Considerable Ground on Bazentin Plateau.

(Continued from Page One). bank, except for some fairly heavy shelling of our front trenches and minor encounters with hostile detachments near Delville Wood, there was no event of importance.

"North of Pozieres the enemy were observed by aeroplane to be concentrating large numbers behind Mougout farm. Our artillery was directed at the enemy's concentration in the direction. No hostile attack developed. In the same neighborhood a working party of 200 Germans was surprised by our machine guns and lost heavily. On the remainder of the front there was nothing of importance except some hostile shelling of our back villages.

"Yesterday our flying corps carried out a long distance raid and did great damage to some railway works and sidings. Several short raids and reconnaissance were undertaken with good results. Hostile aircraft, although fairly active, avoided combat. We drove down an enemy machine and one of ours is missing."

"Another communication issued by the British war office shortly before Saturday midnight is as follows: "Between the Ancre and the Somme there is no change. There has been intermittent shelling on the whole front. After a heavy bombardment of our trenches southeast of Ypres this morning the enemy's infantry, of a newly-arrived corps, attempted to take the trenches and attack. The attempt was repulsed. Everything is now reported quiet."

Most of the villages this side of Bapaume are filled with debris of houses which the British shellfire has battered down.

The significant value of inoculation to prevent typhoid is shown by the fact that despite the heat and battle, sanitation, where burying the dead and according to the last report, according to 17 cases in the immense army in France.

TERRIFIC CANNONADING

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"The question this week," said a staff officer, "is whether our guns have killed more Germans than their guns have killed of us, and we know that the odds are in our favor at least 2 if not 3 to 1.

"For six weeks the British have maintained a steady attack which has kept the Germans in a state of constant nervousness, who have been at Verdun, say surpasses anything they endured there; while at the different points where the shells have been seen as plentiful as the day before the grand offensive began.

"The British gunners pleased. It is a matter of taste as to the advantage of position over the German counter-attacks, which were overwhelmed by the British gunners. The British here have gained the crest of Pozieres ridge, down the slope, and the British gunners gain up trying to keep them in the rear, and they scatter into big shell holes, where snipers and machine gun complements have orders to fight to the last man when the British advance.

At some points on the Somme battle line the British are using the same method, and the actual firing line consists of groups of both sides taking cover in this fashion. Last night's fighting was a case of the British out-ferreting the Germans out of shell craters.

After the British had swept over a space of 500 yards, which was cleared of its debris, the British were directing against their new line, the British burst out laughing at the spectacle.

British gunners are screened behind the conquered slopes of Pozieres ridge, while from the crest the British are able to see all the way to Bapaume. Thus exposed, the German guns have been gradually retiring, for they are after it with a concentration of fire like packhounds after a cornered fox. The British are hammering every village on the way to Bapaume and Bapaume itself and at the same time their superior numbers of shells continue dropping bombs on the same targets that the artillery bombard. Wherever the Germans are quartered they are subjected night and day to this nerve-racking bombardment. A British artillery commander has only to say: "To the guns," and a couple of salvos of 12-inch into Thiepval or a night as well spotted that working party of 200 Germans was surprised by our machine guns and lost heavily. On the remainder of the front there was nothing of importance except some hostile shelling of our back villages.

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MONTREAL MOTORBOAT DESTROYED BY FLAMES

Fifty Thousand Dollar Jovial Burned on Lake of Two Mountains.

MONTREAL, Aug. 13.—The motorboat Jovial, valued at \$50,000, was destroyed by fire and her owner, Dr. J. J. Kent, and John Armstrong had a narrow escape during the annual regatta of the St. Anne de Bellevue Club on the Lake of Two Mountains yesterday. The Jovial, an electric boat, was speeding along in the 25 mile race when a flame sprang from the carburetor and caught on oil in the bottom of the boat. Dr. Kent turned off his tanks and the boat put on Hobel's and jumped overboard. Armstrong was badly burned about the left arm and hand, and Dr. Kent's face was burned.



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FRENCH CARRY FOE SOMME TRENCH

Capture Third Line of German Defensive Positions.

PENETRATE MAUREP

Galic Infantrymen Win Five Miles of Teuton Front.

(Continued from Page One). Clergy and Maurepas failed under our fire. "South of the Somme we carried out numerous destructive operations on the region of Denicourt. The Germans in the Somme battle area had 15,000 casualties from mortar fire and shellfire alone.

After three days of cooler weather, another heat wave has come. For four weeks there has been no rain except a slight shower now and then. The ground is parched with the drought and the leaves are beginning to fall from trees in some places. One result of the widespread shell fire over a great depth of the German front, whether 12-inch shells into distant villages, or 150-pounders into the front line and support trench, is to prevent the Germans from bringing water, as well as food up to the thirty men penned up in trenches of burning hot earth in this fierce August weather.

ALLIES MAKING AFRICAN SWEEP

Germans in Hasty Retreat Before British and Belgian Forces.

(Continued from Page One). was broken at Matamonda and pursuit started down the valley.

Further west Lieut.-Col. Vandenberghe, after occupying Kilingindio, Dodomo and Kikombe, on the central railway, pushed eastward thru Kwanyanga on the main road to Mpwanya, and at nightfall on Aug. 11 encountered the enemy in a strong position in a road duff at Schungu, 10 miles west of Mpwanya. The enemy was defeated and pursued by us. In all these engagements the enemy's losses were relatively severe.

"In the south our columns, after inflicting severe losses on the enemy at Malagali, are now approaching Iringa. We occupied Kirando Island, also Kato. On the road from Bismarckburg, parallel to the eastern shore of the lake, the Belgians occupied Karema, 50 miles north of Kirando. South of Lake Victoria, Nyansa, the British and Belgian columns are closely pressing the enemy on the roads to Tabora."

BORDEN VISITORS SEE VARIETY OF WEATHER

Warm Sunshine, Cool Air and Sand Experienced on Sunday.

By a Staff Reporter. CAMP BORDEN, Ont., Aug. 13.—Sunday visitors to camp today were given a new experience of Borden weather. While a combination of bright sunshine and cool air made it very pleasant where persons were sheltered, the high wind which carried the sand before it made it very uncomfortable, the sand stinging the skin of anyone who faced it. There was a usual number of visitors on the morning of the sand in spite of the large number of men who were away from camp on leave.

Special to The Toronto World. BORDEN, Ont., Aug. 13.—A special work for soldiers was inaugurated here today under the auspices of the army and navy board of the Methodist Church. A large pavilion has been erected and reading and rest rooms have been provided. The work was inaugurated by special services at 11 o'clock. Rev. V. W. Watch, who is directing the undertaking, Lieut.-Col. Williams and others assisted in the opening of the tents. There was a large attendance at the meeting.

### INSPECTS WORK IN TORONTO SCHOOLS

Dr. R. G. Boville of National Association Praises Clay and Modeling.

#### CHILDREN'S INDUSTRY

Educators Should Be Proud of Product of Ontario Intelligence.

Dr. R. G. Boville, director of the National Association, under whose auspices the four daily vacation Bible schools have been conducted this summer in Toronto, visited Toronto and examined the work of each school at Riverdale, College Street Baptist Church, Memorial Institute and Metropolitan Church.

Dr. Boville was afterwards entertained at luncheon by the local executive, Rev. R. G. Glassford, presiding, and made an interesting address, outlining this work, which he started in New York 12 years ago, and which has now extended to all the principal cities of the United States and eastern Canada, totaling 500 schools, 3700 teachers and over 100,000 children. Dr. Boville is a Canadian who formerly lived in Hamilton.

Each of the Toronto schools specializes in some form of hand work—boys making hammocks, baseballs, toys, cardboard furniture, clay modeling, girls doing plain and fancy sewing, machine work, embroidery, sewing, etc. A New departure has been made by enlisting the co-operation of the Toronto Advertising Club, whose members have been enthusiastic in the support of the school work. The club is providing the funds necessary for the united picnic of all four schools, on Tuesday next, the 15th inst., at Island Park, furnishing not only the food, but prizes for the games, etc. Members of the club have also been selected, who have given addresses to the four schools in turn, on trade topics with which they are connected. These are given in popular language and illustrated with the products of the factory, and the children are afterwards invited to visit the factories and see for themselves the manufacturing processes. In this way they become familiar with the local industries, and by the help of suggestions from their guides thru the trades which they should enter. In many cases boys who have had no definite idea as to any trade, make up their minds to go into some specific work which requires apprenticeship, and thus become skilled workmen.

Excellent Work. Dr. Boville, in his remarks, referred to the excellent work in the Toronto schools in all lines, particularly to the unique work in clay modeling, as one of the most wonderful things he had seen anywhere, different from what he had found in any of the United States schools, although some of them had done marvelous brass work, and in his office had a set of porch furniture made by one of the American schools. He believed that the exhibition he had seen of clay modeling in Toronto could be sent to a provincial exhibition, and that the educators of this province would be proud of it as a product of Ontario intelligence, and even of including it in the list of exhibits in place in the kindergarten.

Sent to Exhibition. Dr. Boville asked that a selection of the local schools and sent to New York for the National Exhibition there in November.

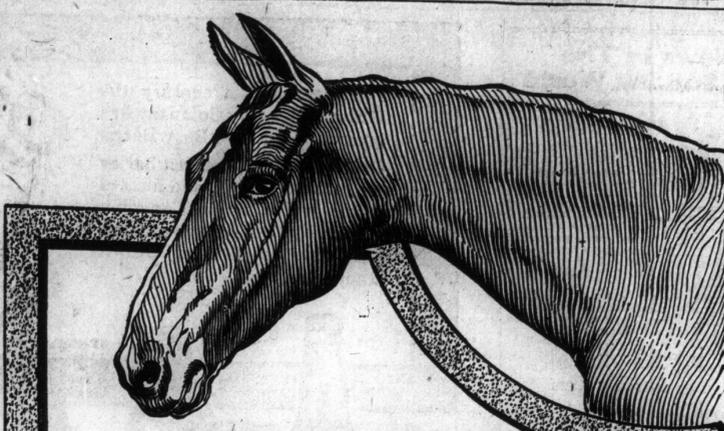
Dr. Boville told of the work in Montreal and Ottawa, and referred to the fine singing, marching and drill in all the Canadian schools. In Ottawa, the attendance was very large. In Toronto, the hot weather interfered somewhat, but the attendance totaled about 600.

GRAIN WILL BE CLEANED OUT. Little Left in Calgary Elevators—Cutting Begun.

CALGARY, Aug. 12.—Over four million bushels of grain were handled this season at the Calgary internal elevator. Stocks in elevator at the end of July were only 137,000 bushels of wheat and 10,000 bushels of other grains.

Reports received from the southern part of the province say cutting is well under way now. One field was cut Tuesday. The crop is standing out and harvesting will be earlier than last year. Cutting is expected to be general next week.

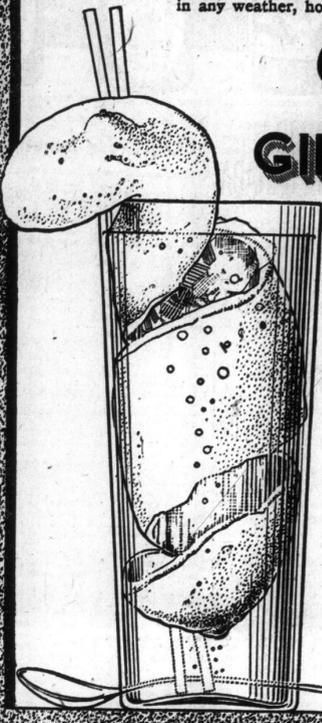
B. C.'S FOREST REVENUE. VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 12.—The forest revenue last month far exceeds that of the same period last year, and that of May was a record, twenty million feet being scaled.



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### PROGRAMS FOR TODAY MOVIES SCREEN GOSSIP

#### Talks With Screen-Struck Girls

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Beatriz Michelena

WHEN I was a girl I used to go to the country for my vacation times. There was a big ranch and a big house and a monstrous big barn. There was also a lot of traps during the harvest time. I remember them well in their unaccountable grings and comings was to steal little girls.

One day the men drove up to the big barn with a load of hay and derick-torke it thru a high little window 'way up near the roof, and dropping it down inside. After the unloading was finished they heard raucous cries coming up thru the straw. This covered a very much disheveled tramp. He had sneaked inside the barn to steal a midday nap, and the men were upon him unawares.

I know that I must feel very much as did that tramp when he awakened from his dreams. Questions have been pouring in and down upon me from screen-struck girls who have covered high above my head. I don't know how I shall ever clamber out.

One of the points on which I receive a multitude of enquiries is about the necessity of athletic accomplishments. "Must I be able to ride?" they write, or maybe it is "Must I know how to swim?" Others want to know about rowing or autoing or what not.

Now, none of these things are absolutely necessary to becoming a motion picture actress. They often help, but, after all, are accessories to rather than the substance of the thing. The outstanding essential to becoming a great motion picture actress is being able to actually live and breathe a great part and make the audience believe it. The success of anyone on the screen is not a matter to be analyzed, for analysis is a thing of cold intellect and motion picture success lies in making the people feel rather than think.

Athletics that work for soundness of body and mind very greatly help the picture actress, although indirectly. They may also be of immediate use. I would advise every girl entering motion pictures to learn to ride and swim and do all the rest of it, but I would have her realize their subordination to the really artistic side of the profession. Good, warlike, often a very handy thing for the film actress to have, but because of it she seldom becomes a great actress, not even more nearly a great actress. The same may be said of athletic accomplishments when considered merely as such and not as possible aids to good health and clear thinking.

### MOTION PICTURE DIRECTORY

- Bluebell, Wilton and Parliament, "Iron Claw," "Call of the New Bagdad."
- Beaver, 1784 Dundas, "My Madonna," "The Pardon."
- Crystal, Dundas and Navety, Marion Leonard, "Mother's Love."
- Cum-Bac, 1012 Dovercourt road, "Who's Guilty?" "Pay Dirt."
- Doric, Bloor and Gladstone, "A Price For Folly."
- Empire, Booth and Queen, "The Girl and the Game," "A Fool's Gold."
- foia, 315 Danforth avenue, "The Galley Slave," "Theda Bara."
- Maple Leaf, 250 Danforth, "A Million Bids" (five acts).
- Monarch, College and Crawford, "The Old Homestead."
- Peter Pan, 1909 Queen East, Marie Dore, "The Heart of Nora Flynn."
- Victoria, 651 Yonge street, "The Family Cupboard."
- Odeon, Queen and Sorauren, "Pag o' the Ring," No. 10.
- U-Kum, College and Dovercourt, "Mak-ing of Madalena."
- Vermont, 1069 Bathurst, "The War Bride of Plumville."

#### EXEMPTION OF HOTELS MEANS BIG LOSS TO CITY

Policy of Council Not Known Regarding General Request.

That general exemption would be asked of the city council in connection with the proposed York Hotel, by hotelier in applying for fixed assessments, was the opinion expressed by Mayor Church Saturday. He said he did not know what the policy of the council would be in this regard.

Twelve hotels have made application and if these are granted will mean an annual loss of \$7425 to the city. Some of these have solicited standard hotel licenses, the holding of which is necessary to the obtaining of total or partial exemption.

The total assessment on these hotels is \$466,814, of which \$27,500 represents assessment on buildings.

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Tusco, 235 Jarvis street, \$21,880; Isabella, 170 Isabella street, \$40,000; Marlboro, 210 Jarvis street, \$1,750; Selby, 595 Sherbourne street, \$9,895; Tuxedo, 501 Sherbourne street, \$16,800; Westminster, 240 Jarvis street, \$9,538; Wilton, 71 West Queen street, \$2,000; Royal Cecil, Jarvis and Wilton, \$4,356; Manly, 25 Mantou road, \$7,700; Spanner's, Ward's Island, \$13,000; Waverley, 484 Snadina avenue, \$2,275.

Total, \$466,814.

BOTH LEGS BROKEN BY SHRAPNEL. BROCKVILLE, Aug. 12.—Pte. A. W. Tye, a Brockville man who went to the front with the 28th Battalion, after going to England with the 69th, is receiving hospital treatment at Sussex. Three days after going into the trenches he was wounded by shrapnel, both legs being broken by the impact. Pte. O'Donoghue, whose home is in York, Toronto, a military com of Tye, was wounded in both feet in the same engagement.

#### SAYS MAN IN MUFTI IS MENACE OF DEMOCRACY

Q. M. S. Wayman Defends Men in Khaki at Meeting of the "Libre Penseur."

"Against your argument that the man in khaki is making for absolutism and militarism, I would say that the citizen soldier of the type I represent, is fighting against that, and the man in mufti is the real menace of democracy today."

Quartermaster-Sergeant Matthew Wayman, of the 169th O. S. Battalion, made the above statement yesterday at the annual conference of the "Libre Penseur" of Canada, in reply to a resolution declaring that Canada was faced with the peril of militarism.

About 100 members were present, and this is the first occasion that any of the "Free Thinkers" have done khaki at an annual assembly.

Following his statement the Q.M.S. said that citizens were fighting for various reasons, but those who had devoted their lives to the cause of labor, socialism or free thought, saw how necessary and urgent was the call to the colors if a true expression of the people was to prevail, and the spirit of democracy to develop.

Mr. Alexander Chisholm, secretary, said that half the membership of the Dominion had responded to the call.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MALES. The British and foreign males via England, scheduled to close at the general postoffice at 8 a.m., 6 p.m., 9 p.m., Monday, the 14th instant, have been canceled. Parcel and newspaper mail for the United Kingdom will be closed at 6 a.m., Sunday, the 13th instant.

SECOND BROTHER KILLED. KINGSTON, Aug. 12.—Charles H. Huthbach, aged 26 years, who lived in the village of Batters and enlisted with a western battalion was killed in action, according to a cable received this morning. His marriage in England took place six weeks ago. Another brother, Ernest, was killed in action at the battle of Langemarck.

#### CONCILIATION BOARD IN SESSION FOR WEEK

Investigate Claims in Controversy Between G.N.W. and Employees.

With the prospect of being in daily session, with the exception of Tuesday, the board of conciliation appointed to investigate the claims in the controversy between the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company and its telegraphers will devote all of next week, beginning at 11 o'clock Monday morning in room 108 in the city hall, to its work. The board hopes to complete the work by Saturday.

George D. Perry, general manager of the company, and Charles E. Davies, superintendent of traffic, will present the claims of the company, while the employees will be represented by S. J. K. Koenekamp, international president of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America; C. E. Malette, Winnipeg, general chairman; Thomas H. Murray, Toronto, and G. F. Hines, Montreal.

The board includes Chairman C. B. Snider, senior judge of Hamilton; P. McGuigan of Toronto, who represents the company, and David Campbell of Winnipeg, who represents the employees.

#### AN ELOQUENT LADY RECRUITER.

A large gathering at the corner of Danforth and Logan avenues on Saturday evening repeatedly applauded Miss Bessie McMurchy, a returned nurse as she described the splendid work of the British and French troops in Belgium and France. Lieut. Good-year, of the 201st Toronto Light Infantry, and Thos. McIllicuddy, chairman, were also well received.

MOOSE JAW'S COME-BACK. Business at the local postoffice in July was much greater than July last year. Money orders paid increased nearly \$20,000, money orders issued increased \$12,000, saving deposits increased from \$713 last year to \$5990.

"The Rideau" and "The York," From and to Toronto Union, Ideal Trains Between Toronto and Ottawa.

The Canadian Pacific day trains, "The Rideau" and "The York," afford an opportunity to spend a half day in Toronto or Ottawa, returning by the midnight train. The route is via the "Lake Ontario Shore Line," through Whitby, Oshawa, Bowmanville, Port Hope, Cobourg, Trenton, Belleville, "The Rideau," leaves Toronto (Union Station) 1:45 p.m., arriving Ottawa (Central Station) 10 p.m. "The York" leaves Ottawa (Central Station) 1:15 p.m., arriving Toronto (Union Station) 9:30 p.m. Most modern equipment. Particulars from Canadian Pacific ticket agents, or W. B. Howard, district passenger agent, Toronto, 1231

#### QUEEN OF PORTUGAL INTERESTED IN NURSES

Brockville Girl, Writing From Belgium, Has Good Word for Her Majesty.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., August 12.—Wm. Shearer, secretary of the Brockville Board of Trade, has a letter from his daughter, a military nurse in France. She states that she was in-validated for ten days to the Princess Louise's Nursing Sisters Convalescent Home to recuperate from blood poisoning. Queen Amelia of Portugal, who was at the hospital for four days, is thus described by Miss Shearer:

"She is most gracious and we have wondered if it were possible for any woman to be kinder than she. She is very large and very good looking. We lunched and dined with her majesty, and at the same table. The queen talks to us all and after the first meal she was able to remember us and even the hospitals we came from. Each evening she shook hands with us before retiring, and in every way made us feel as if we were very human and found us quite interesting people."

SASKATCHEWAN GRAIN MOVEMENT. REGINA, Sask., Aug. 12.—More than 43,000,000 bushels of grain will have been handled by the Saskatchewan Farmers' Elevator Company at the district passenger agent, Toronto, 1231

### Polly and Her Pals



### Neewah Proves a Triator to Paw



### By Sterrett



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MONDAY MORNING, AUGUST 14.

### The Saloniki Campaign

Saloniki is the latest war centre to show signs of activity. It does not appear at present whether the advance on Doiran preceded or was inspired by the news from Persia and the Caucasus where the Turks have shown renewed activity. The probability is that Saloniki moved on its own schedule, in relation to the advances at the Somme, at Gorizia, and in Galicia. The people of Bulgaria have never been quite a unit in following their ruler Ferdinand.

For a long time it was expected that Bulgaria would join the entente allies, and her reward was to be the Macedonian territory which she desired. The Germans were able, however, to convince Ferdinand that they were the stronger force, and he took the step of joining himself with the latter. The people never expected to be dragged into the struggle to the extent which Germany has insisted upon. Private advices from Bulgaria state that the people generally have their eyes opened, and recognize the inevitable. They are unable to cope with the forces gathered at Saloniki and they do not expect to make a serious resistance. It is to be remembered that Roumania is liable to an uncertain element, in the case of the war on the side of the entente allies, and therefore against Bulgaria. It is necessary for Bulgaria in an evil plight.

The Saloniki campaign is necessary to a cleaning up of the Balkans. It may be that so far as Bulgaria is concerned there may be no fighting, but this will not save Ferdinand. A similar situation exists in Greece, where Constantine, influenced possibly by his wife, the Kaiser's sister, made another bad guess. A Balkan situation, in which Turkey has been eliminated, and dominated by Russia, Great Britain, France and Italy, will have a better chance of settlement than under any possible policy which Germany would propose.

Count Andrássy represents Russia as protecting "murderous Serbia." His judgment as a Hungarian, two months ago was that France was bleeding to death at Verdun, Britain was unequal to and unwilling to make the sacrifices a stiff campaign called for, and that Italy and Russia were exhausted. The amazing blindness of the central powers to the true state of the case was never more aptly displayed. The new offensive at Saloniki, coupled with the crushing blow received by Austria from Italy, the overwhelming movements of the Russians, and the domination of the western front by the French and British, all combine to demonstrate the total error of the German calculations. At the same time we must not lose sight of the long, tough struggle still to be endured. Already in England careful observers are beginning to talk of a possible fourth year of war. If we desire to end the war by next summer our enlistments must show more devotion, our munition manufacturing more energy, and our government a fuller realization of the needs of the situation.

### Donated Cup for Bayonet Fighting

By a Staff Reporter.  
CAMP BORDEN, Aug. 13.—Lieut. Colonel H. C. Bickford, general staff officer, has donated a camp championship cup for bayonet fighting. It will be contested for by a picked team of 40 men from each battalion.

On a four-weeks' course of interest will centre in the bayonet fighting and physical training exhibition to be held at the new bayonet fighting area close to the headquarters offices. Lieut. Colonel Mays, director of bayonet fighting for the Dominion, is expected to be present.

An order has been given that all battalions or detachments marching through the streets through the camp must march in single file, and that the proper compliments are paid to all guards, etc. Officers commanding will be held responsible that this order is complied with.

Commence Signaling Course.  
A four-weeks' course in advanced signaling under direction of Major S. D. Dunn, will commence tomorrow at Camp Borden. The course will be held at three N.C.O.'s' messes from each of the 33 units of the Toronto Military District.

A syllabus of bombing training, based on his experiences at the front, has been prepared by Capt. N. P. Kelley, Canadian bombing instruction officer. Presently in the advanced bombing school at headquarters, Capt. Kelley is giving the Toronto officers approved by the headquarters, the gold stripes on the left sleeve, authorized exclusively for officers wounded in action in the present war. It is recognized that he is doing splendid work and proving a great acquisition to the camp.

A course for assistant instructors in bayonet fighting and physical training will be held at Barrfield, commencing next Wednesday, and concluding about Sept. 13. Specially selected recruits from the Royal Canadian Dragoons, Cyclists, Artillery, 157th, 162nd, 212th, 215th, 220th, 228th Barrfield battalions, will attend the course.

Checker Tournament Arranged.  
A checker tournament will start on Monday night at the battalion lines of the 172nd Highlanders, near the Y.M.C.A. It will be conducted by Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, Capt. MacGillivray is a Bruce County checker champion.

Lt. Col. Moodie of the 205th Hamilton Trenchers has presented a bolt for boxing competitions. It has not yet been announced which class of boxers will compete for the belt.

A big new tent for the headquarters of the Camp Borden Athletic Association, which has been erected in the Battalion for the C.B.A. staff, will be open today. The tent is near the centre of the camp.

### Berlin and Waterloo

Now that the postmaster-general has declined, and we suppose there is no appeal from the decision, to allow Berlin to adopt the name of Kitchener, out of deference to the claim of a post-office in British Columbia, it is probable that the whole question will be reconsidered once more. We have no desire to enter upon the somewhat arid controversy which has arisen in Berlin over the question of changing the name. It appears to be admitted by both sides that the element of loyalty or disloyalty does not chiefly, nor even considerably, govern those who favor a change, and there appears to be room for compromise.

By all odds the most obvious compromise is on the proposal to unite the

### BATTERY MEN SAY TREATMENT UNFAIR

Pay Big Fare From Kingston to Say Farewell to Friends in Toronto.  
KILLING RECRUITING  
Mayor Declares Scenes Witnessed as Troops Depart Are Harmful.

The recruiting depot is only open until 1 o'clock on Saturdays and this accounts for the usual poor results in recruiting on that day, but the returns yesterday were below even the treatment of the depot. Seventeen appeared for examination, but only seven were attested. The different unit rates are as follows: 204th, 2, 288th, 69th, 69th, 2, Divisional Cyclist Corps, 1.

Compensation Monday, Aug. 14, the recruiting depot will be open from 9 to 12 a.m. and 1.30 to 5 p.m. on Monday and Friday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m.

One-fifth of the members of the 48th Battery arrived in the city yesterday and they are leaving before proceeding overseas. The battery which is in the present station at Petawawa, is composed entirely of Toronto men, and they are allowed home for four days, the men are protesting against the treatment they have received in regard to their last leave in comparison with that accorded to the 68th Battery of Kingston.

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Union is bound to come in both these cases and the sooner it is consummated the better for all concerned.

Berlin and Waterloo are perhaps more logically near to union, but Post-William and Port Arthur have little to keep them from as close relations. It is sentiment, of course, that keeps both couples apart, but sentiment is often too costly to be indulged, and sober thought will discover sentiment on the other side of the decision, once it is taken, the sentiment of success and goodwill.

### BELOVED BY SOLDIERS

Commanding Officer Says Capt. Benjamin Was One of Best Officers.  
Rabbi Jacobs has sent to The World an extract from a London paper bearing witness to the great gallantry and devotion of Capt. Benjamin, a member of a well-known Jewish family of Toronto, who was killed in France. The extract follows:

"Capt. John Alfred Benjamin, whose death was reported in our last issue, was killed instantaneously on July 5. His late commanding officer writes: 'He was one of my best and most able officers. I shall always remember his gallant bearing during our first real operation on the night of August 13, when he was in the front line, in a trench only 80 yards from the German trenches and how he encouraged the men by his bearing. Extracts from letters written by his brother officers at the front read as follows: 'He was one of the most high-principled and unselfish men that I could possibly meet. He was a man of high character and of the highest integrity. He was a man of high character and of the highest integrity. He was a man of high character and of the highest integrity.'

### HELD UP FUNERAL TO IMPANEL JURY

After Hour's Discussion, Coroner Was Allowed to Proceed to Cemetery.  
TO HOLD POSTMORTEM  
Death of Mrs. Pennock at Whitevale Will Be Investigated.  
Special to The Toronto World.  
WHITBY, Ont., Aug. 13.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Sam R. Pennock was held for over an hour on Saturday afternoon at Whitevale, to impanel a coroner's jury to investigate the circumstances surrounding her death. On Wednesday night Mrs. Pennock took a tablet under the impression that it was a purgative, shortly before retiring. She was awakened in intense pain and for Dr. MacDonald, who was unable to relieve her. She went into convulsion and died inside of two hours from the time she took the tablet. In the opinion of Dr. MacDonald a strychnine poisoning was the cause of death. The jury, which was hurriedly impaneled, met under Coroner Dr. Chas. F. McGillivray, with Wm. D. Rogers, coroner, as foreman.

After an hour's discussion, the coroner postponed the funeral for the holding of a postmortem, it was decided to let it proceed until the matter of a postmortem over the return from vacation of County Attorney J. E. Farewell, and the day afternoon at 2 o'clock.

During the time the funeral was held up the time of the village, where the late Mrs. Pennock, was thronged with people. Around the neighborhood a death had caused a profound sensation and developments are eagerly awaited by the entire community.

Samuel R. Pennock, the unfortunate husband of Mrs. Pennock, was at the station at the time of her death, and is believed to have been the driver of the motor car in which she was killed.

### News in The Sunday World

THE WAR.  
An air raid on the British naval port of Dover occurred Saturday afternoon. One officer and six men were injured, but little material damage was done. Following the capture of Stanislaw the Russians are pushing ahead, and Halicz appears likely to fall soon. Pierce battles are progressing along the Stokhod with varying success. The Italians have advanced between three and four miles along a front twenty miles. The fall of Tolmino is imminent.

Other German front two German attacks in the vicinity of Fleury were repulsed. The French reorganized positions south of the Somme. The allied tanker motorway in Wurtemberg resulted in great damage. One munition factory was blown up.

THE UNITED STATES.  
The final effort of the United States board of mediators to settle the differences between the railroads and their 400,000 employes has failed. A new form of arbitration has been proposed and was discussed, but the facts were not made known. President Wilson has promised a helping hand.

Secret steps by the investigators have been made, and a report issued in the Chicago wheat market. The U. S. war department has ordered 25,000 more troops to the Mexican border.

LOCAL.  
Hartley Dewar will accept the nominations in Southwest Toronto. His platform is hydro and the nickel question, being out and against the policy of both governments, especially against the relations between the province and the International Nickel Co. The Bank of Hamilton is negotiating for the lease from the Royal Bank of the Traders Bank Building on Front Street for a term, it is said, of 21 years.

Twelve hotels have made application to the council for fixed assessments, and if these are granted it will mean an annual loss of taxes to the city of \$7,426.

### CAPT. BENJAMIN MET HIS DEATH GALLANTLY

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### SCARCITY OF LABOR PROBLEM IN CANADA

Lack of Scientific Methods in Recruiting, Subject of Criticism.  
MUNITIONS HAMPERED  
Much Anxiety is Felt, Says Bank of Commerce Report.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce in its monthly commercial letter, just issued, states that the problem of recruiting operations in the west will be very heavy. As the middle of August, black rust has been reported from points immediately north of the international boundary, and the damage from hail has been sustained, when the whole outlook is for an average crop.

In Ontario, with the exception of hay, the field crops are below normal. Roots suffered from high temperature and lack of rain during the latter part of July and will require favorable weather in August. In the eastern provinces crop conditions are normal except in the case of hay, which is everywhere in a very heavy crop. As a whole the general results of field and orchard production will be about normal.

Labour Scarcity Problem.  
Much anxiety is felt as to labor conditions and much effort is being expended in dealing with the available supply so as to obtain the best results. The country's general failure to advance wages and at the same time national exigencies make it most desirable that the cost of munitions, which at present is an important part of our industrial production, should be reduced. It is common knowledge that very decided economies in this regard could be effected if the supply of labor were more dependable and more efficient. The cost of munitions is frequently enhanced and that of the soldiers in the trenches, essential to complete production, and this failure is often traceable to the shortage of labor. Involuntary and reduced hours of labor, invalid holidays and the loss of time through illness, as it does, not only the waste incidental to the prolongation of the war but also the results of this inefficiency of labor do not appear to be understood by many of those who might give service to the country. It is imperative that the country realize that this hour of their country's peril demands sacrifices and unremitting exertion on their part. In the interests of the country's welfare it is most regrettable that our resources in men are not being conserved by more scientific methods of recruiting. It should be remembered that the unheated services of a worker in a munition factory are in their way as valuable and necessary to the nation as the services of the soldier in the trenches, of carrying out our offensive on the battlefield, call for and have a right to expect the utmost help from our factories. This requires help from the munition industry, the sacrifice of normal pleasures and privileges in order that an abundance of artillery and ammunition may be forthcoming at crucial moments. Soldiers at the front are daily risking their lives to preserve our freedom, and while they are so doing, it is with self-sacrifice and diligence to strive to provide them with anything and everything that will minimize the loss of life. Sacrifices made within our well-defended shores to insure industrial efficiency are significant compared with the sacrifices made by our men in the trenches, twenty-four hour duty in the trenches, for which there is no compensation in terms of profits or wages.

When the War Ends.  
Second only in importance to providing for the requirements of our factories is the duty of preparing for economic readjustments when the war ends. Sir George Foster, minister of trade and commerce, urges business men to determine another with a view to the best means of meeting the coming situation and of mobilizing the forces of Canada so as to employ our labor. During the war we have enlarged our markets along peace lines. \* \* \* Our marketing from two years and more of the most destructive and wasteful war of history, the world will plunge into a trade and economic constancy in which forces will assume the form of a keener and stronger competition, and when science and organization will play a leading part in any successful role."

### SEASIDE EXCURSIONS, VIA CANADIAN PACIFIC.

An exceptional vacation trip is offered by the Canadian Pacific seaside excursion.

Tickets on Sale  
To Lower St. Lawrence, Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland resorts, leaving Aug. 15th, 18th, 21st, 24th, 27th, 30th and 31st; good returning until Sept. 6th, 1916.

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Special fares for any Canadian Pacific ticket agent in Toronto, Ontario, and the Maritime Provinces.

### ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Hugh Bell Caught When He Tried to Swallow Carbolic Acid.  
Hugh Bell, a printer, of 168 John Street, was caught attempting to swallow a quantity of carbolic acid at the corner of Queen and Spadina avenue late Saturday night by a policeman. Bell was arrested and appeared in morning in the police court charged with attempted suicide.

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### Red Cross Donations

- Brigadier-General James Mason, honorary treasurer of the Canadian Red Cross Society, reports that since the public acknowledgment of the following contributions to the fund of the society \$25,000 has been received, amounting to \$13,525.80.
- Alberta Provincial Branch, C.R.C.S., \$5,217.50
- Picnic of S. S. No. 2, Croft, \$3.00
- Nine Boy Scout and Girl Scout Guides, Allandale, Ont., 25.50
- Anon. Cookville, Ont., 18.72
- Brashear, in express, 24.00
- Branch C.R.C.S., Brampton, Ont., 25.00
- Mrs. E. F. Boyer, Guelph, Ont., N. S., 4.00
- Girls Patriotic Club, Bowmanville, Ont., 28.00
- Cameron Sunday School, Bothwell, Ont., 1.00
- Women's Pat. League, Bowmanville, Ont., 100.00
- Branch C.R.C.S., Brantford, Ont., 29.00
- Branch C.R.C.S., Brantford, Ont., 300.00
- Branch C.R.C.S., Callander, Ont., 25.00
- L.O.E., Chatham, Ont., 24.00
- Branch C.R.C.S., Collingwood, Ont., 50.00
- Branch C.R.C.S., Collingwood, Ont., 1,500.00
- Charter, Master Theophilus, Port Hope, Ont., 1.00
- Mrs. F. C. Chappell, Toronto, 2.00
- Y. C. Can. Pat. Fund, Dawson, 1,163.50
- Madeira Pat. League, Eldon, 250.00
- Ont. Pat. League, Eldon, 60.00
- People of Eagle River, Ont., 52.00
- Helping Hand, Port Hope, Ont., 34.00
- Branch C.R.C.S., Guelph, Ont., 60.00
- Miss H. A. Hay, Falkenburg, 5.00
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- Dauphin, Man., 4.00
- Beausville, Ont., 2.00
- Mrs. and Mrs. Macdonnell, 5.00
- Women's Pat. League, 2.00
- Clover Valley picnic, Mantowaning, 79.90
- Ont. Nat. of Clarke, 40.00
- Pennock, Miss, Paris, Ont., 2.00
- Women's Pat. Relief Society, 5.00
- American Friends, 2.50
- ern, Ont., 10.00
- Branch C.R.C.S., Renfrew, Ont., 178.45
- Royal Bank, Ont., 15.00
- Mrs. W. E. Stevenson, Kindersley, Sask., 5.00
- Mrs. E. R. Stevenson, Toronto, 2.50
- Mr. and Mrs. George B. Smith, Belleville, Ont., 4.00
- South Cayuga Tp. organization, 200.00
- Branch C.R.C.S., Seaforth, Ont., 500.00
- Nickel Lodge No. 427, Sudbury, Ont., 100.00
- Proceeds of the 1916 Picnic, 253.55
- Women's Pat. League, Ont., 25.00
- Toronto branch, C.R.C.S., 182.72
- Unionsville, Ont., polling sub-div., 70.00
- Miss M. M. Vivien, Toronto, 2.00
- Vanover, B.C., branch C.R.C., 600.00
- Women's Institute, South Bruce, 40.00
- Holywood, Ont., 40.00
- Women's Institute, Bethel, Hummerston, Ont., 6.10
- Carleton Place, Ont., 40.00
- Women's Institute, Horning's Mills, Ont., 25.00
- Women's Institute, Vernon, B.C., 50.00
- Women's Institute, South Mountain, 200.00
- Women's Institute, Lansdowne, 7.50
- Women's Institute, 112.00
- Proceeds of union service, Waukegan, Ont., 8.00
- Collection by Mrs. Starr, Whitby, Ont., 407.50
- Materials, advertising, etc., 407.50

### LEGION ACCEPTED AMBULANCE GIFT

Purchased With Proceeds of Fete Held at Scarborough Beach.  
Lieut.-Col. McCormick Returns Thanks to Toronto Women.  
CAMP BORDEN, Aug. 11.—Lt.-Col. E. J. McCormick, officer commanding the 21st Battalion, American Legion, today formally accepted the gift of a motor ambulance which was entirely paid for through the proceeds of American Legion day, held on July 29 at Scarborough Beach. The event was highly enjoyed by all who attended, and the principal source of revenue, and the principal fund for the gift of the ambulance, was the proceeds of a fete given by the public. Chairman David McCann, who presided, was assisted by a local firm, the gift of the ambulance was a beautiful one, and the principal fund for the gift of the ambulance was the proceeds of a fete given by the public. Chairman David McCann, who presided, was assisted by a local firm, the gift of the ambulance was a beautiful one, and the principal fund for the gift of the ambulance was the proceeds of a fete given by the public.

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### SCARCITY OF LABOR PROBLEM IN CANADA

Lack of Scientific Methods in Recruiting, Subject of Criticism.  
MUNITIONS HAMPERED  
Much Anxiety is Felt, Says Bank of Commerce Report.

### BELOVED BY SOLDIERS

Commanding Officer Says Capt. Benjamin Was One of Best Officers.  
Rabbi Jacobs has sent to The World an extract from a London paper bearing witness to the great gallantry and devotion of Capt. Benjamin, a member of a well-known Jewish family of Toronto, who was killed in France. The extract follows:

### HELD UP FUNERAL TO IMPANEL JURY

After Hour's Discussion, Coroner Was Allowed to Proceed to Cemetery.  
TO HOLD POSTMORTEM  
Death of Mrs. Pennock at Whitevale Will Be Investigated.  
Special to The Toronto World.  
WHITBY, Ont., Aug. 13.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Sam R. Pennock was held for over an hour on Saturday afternoon at Whitevale, to impanel a coroner's jury to investigate the circumstances surrounding her death. On Wednesday night Mrs. Pennock took a tablet under the impression that it was a purgative, shortly before retiring. She was awakened in intense pain and for Dr. MacDonald, who was unable to relieve her. She went into convulsion and died inside of two hours from the time she took the tablet. In the opinion of Dr. MacDonald a strychnine poisoning was the cause of death. The jury, which was hurriedly impaneled, met under Coroner Dr. Chas. F. McGillivray, with Wm. D. Rogers, coroner, as foreman.

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PLAYS, PICTURES AND MUSIC

ALEXANDRA

Tonight at the Alexandra will mark an epoch in the history of the theatre...

LOEW'S THEATRE

The Royal Manchu Chinese Princesses, Jue Quong Tai, whose father is one of the richest men in all China...

STAR

George Fisher will furnish another headliner in his act, "Partners"

HIPPODROME

For this week, Bessie Barricade, the noted Triangle star, will be featured...

THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Aug. 13 (8 p.m.)—With the exception of a few showers along the Nova Scotia coast...

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 44-62; Prince Rupert, 59-62; Victoria, 50-64; Vancouver, 60-70; Kamloops, 48-60; Calgary, 44-62; Edmonton, 46-60; Battleford, 42-78; Saskatoon, 40-72; Regina, 42-72; Medicine Hat, 42-73; Moose Jaw, 42-71; Winnipeg, 42-73; Port Arthur, 42-72; Parry Sound, 48-85; London, 48-72; Toronto, 54-72; Ottawa, 50-68; Montreal, 58-68; Quebec, 48-62; Halifax, 56-72.

Probabilities: Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay and Ottawa Valley and Upper and Lower St. Lawrence—Moderate to fresh northwesterly to westerly winds; fine; not much change in temperature.

Gulf and North Sea and Maritime—Fresh to strong northwesterly to west winds; fine and cool.

Superior—Moderate to fresh northwesterly to southwest winds; fine; not much change in temperature.

All West—A few local thunderstorms, but generally fair and quite warm.

THE BAROMETER

Time. Ther. Bar. Wind. 8 a.m. 68 29.61 14 N.W. 11 a.m. 70 29.62 14 N.W. 2 p.m. 72 29.59 24 W. 5 p.m. 74 29.56 24 W. 8 p.m. 74 29.54 24 W.

Mean of day, 64; difference from average, 3 below; highest, 73; lowest, 54; rain, 12.

STREET CAR DELAYS

Saturday, Aug. 12, 1916. Harbor cars, westbound, at 9:02 a.m., delayed 8 minutes on A. Hamilton street, between Bay and Church, by parade.

College and Carlton cars, westbound, delayed 8 minutes at 1:55 p.m. at Lansdowne and York College by auto stuck on track.

In addition to the above there were several delays of less than 6 minutes each, due to various causes.

King car delayed 4 minutes at G. T. R. crossing at 7:03 p.m. by train.

King car delayed 5 minutes at G. T. R. crossing at 10:09 p.m. by train.

BIRTHS

BURKE—On Sunday, Aug. 12, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. Victor A. Burke, 8 Hamilton avenue, Hamilton, Ont., a daughter.

DEATHS

ALBERY—At his late residence, 7 Bowden avenue, Sunday, Aug. 13, 1916, Edward, dearly beloved husband of Annie Alberly, in his 40th year.

Notice of funeral later. Collingwood and Meaford papers please copy.

CAVERS—Suddenly, at Oakville, at 12 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Aug. 12, John Cavers, aged 70.

Funeral at Galt, Monday, Aug. 14, from the Grand Trunk station, on arrival of 10:05 train. Interment at Mountview Cemetery.

HEVD—At 53 Woodlawn avenue east, Sunday, August 13, Norman Dinitch, dearly beloved only child of Norman G. and Mary Hevd, aged 1 year 11 months 13 days.

Funeral (private) from above address, Tuesday, Aug. 15, 2:30 p.m., interment Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

KYLE—On Saturday, Aug. 12, at the residence of his brother-in-law, Irving Wood, 620 Indian road, West Toronto, Maria Kyle, late of 194 Delaware avenue.

Funeral on Monday at 3 p.m. to Mt. Pleasant Cemetery.

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BUSHMAN AT STRAND

Today, tomorrow and Wednesday, will be presented the Strand Theatre the modern military photo-drama, "The Wall Between"

"The Wall Between" in five superb acts, and with Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne in the two leading roles. Many of the interiors in the stirring photo-drama were photographed in a fort near Savannah, Georgia, and their accuracy is unimpeachable. Not only were the barracks, but the officers' club, quartermaster's department, etc. Over two thousand people appear in this production, which mainly locates in Cuba. The soldiers supplement the "extras" used in the battle scenes. The other big feature for the same three days will be "The Tarantula," a tense and gripping photo-drama in five great acts.

The exterior of the convent which is shown was built in the huge yard of V. L. S. E., and is said to be the best thing of its kind ever erected.

MADISON

Charlie Chaplin himself, all alone and with no assistance from anyone but the chauffeur who plants him unceremoniously on his own doorstep in an atrocious condition, manages to think of enough comical and ridiculous things to do to keep his audience in fits of laughter. Thirty whole minutes of fun in "One A.M." which will be shown at the Madison theatre starting this evening. It is either a unique accomplishment for Chaplin, or the sole member of the cast and this is one of his funniest pictures, just Chaplin, Myrtle Stedman in "The American Beauty," has a play which is quite worthy of her charming personality and unique powers as an actress. Miss Stedman is fast becoming one of the favorites of the Famous Players' staff of stars.

Harper, customs broker, 39 West Wellington street, Toronto, Ont.

SOCIETY

Conducted by Mrs. Edmund Phillips

The Right Hon. Sir Robert Borden has returned from his trip to Vancouver and Halifax. Lady Borden is remaining in Halifax for a few weeks.

General and Mrs. W. E. Hodgins have left for Halifax, where they will spend the next few weeks.

The Hon. Mrs. Heaulerik has returned from St. Andrew-by-the-Sea to Montreal. She has been visiting her mother, Lady Shaughnessy.

Mrs. Clyde Caldwell is leaving for Ottawa today to spend a few days there.

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Beardmore came up from Caccouna last week to spend a few days in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Harman have left for Muskoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Northcott are leaving shortly for England, where they will spend the next six months.

Miss Florence Platt is in Montreal, the guest of Mrs. W. E. Matthews.

Miss Martha Allan, Montreal, has been spending a few days in Burlington, Vt.

Miss Maude MacLachlan has returned to Ottawa.

Mrs. Brock, wife of Major W. R. Brock of the Universities Battalion, will leave this week with her children to visit her father, Hon. Justice Britton. On her way east Mrs. Brock will visit Winnipeg and she will also stop in New York before returning to Vancouver.

Miss Elizabeth Ritchie, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Mason in Montreal, has left with them on a boat trip to Duluth.

Miss Katherine Roberts is visiting Mrs. Herman Hughes in Barrie, Ont.

Mrs. Cobble, 50 Douglas drive, has returned from Jackson Point and is now with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Lamont, at her island cottage, Capt. W. Gerald Cobble, who has been home on furlough, has returned to duty at the front.

Miss Marjory MacMurchy has left to spend a fortnight on the Georgian Bay.

After spending several weeks in Muskoka Mr. Robert Stark has returned to 50 Maitland street.

Miss Jessie Clark, Montreal, has been visiting in New York and is now the guest of Miss Jean Caulfield, Howard Park avenue.

The marriage of Miss R. E. Maud Baird, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Baird, Ottawa, to Major Gordon Gordon, of the 1st Cavalry, Ceylon Battalion, was solemnized at Calgary last week. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. C. Farrell of Wesley Methodist Church.

Mrs. Percy McGeehan, Montreal, is visiting her mother, Mrs. McPhail, at Centre Island.

The Union Jack Chapter, I.O.D.E., Mimico, at their Red Cross meeting on Thursday voted the sum of \$20 per month while the war lasts for the benefit of prisoners in Germany, and the Queen Street Auxiliary of the same chapter gave \$10 to the Red Cross. This chapter will not meet again until the second Thursday in September.

WILLS PROBATED

Ancillary probate has been solicited for the will of Lieut. William G. C. Gladstone of Hawarden, castle, grandson of Right Hon. William Ewart Gladstone, who died in action while serving with the Royal Welsh Fusiliers in France April 13, 1915, leaving an estate of \$448,437. The Ontario estate comprises \$2053 in Brazilian Tractation.

He left bequests to friends, relatives, employees and charitable institutions. George A. Anderson is appointed executor and sole beneficiary of the estate of his wife, Mrs. Annie Anderson, who died in Toronto July 15 last. The estate is valued at \$5145.

Harry T. Roessler is sole beneficiary of the estate of his wife, Mary Louise Roessler, who died July 20, 1916. She left an estate of \$865.

APPROVE THE SALE TO UNITED STATES

Danish Senate Resolves Into Committee to Consider Bill Regarding Danish West Indies.

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 12, via London, 6 p.m.—The Danish Landsting or senate on motion of its president today decided to resolve itself into committee to consider the bill for ratification of the cession of the Danish West Indies.

There are apparently the best grounds for the prediction that the Folketing, which today resumes its deliberations on the bill, will approve the sale. The Landsting, however, seems to have a safe majority against the proceedings.

The result, according to the best opinion here, will be that the Rigsdag will be dissolved, and a general election held under the new constitution, which, while its going into effect, will have been postponed until after the war, will in event of need be put into force immediately.

NOT NEARLY ENOUGH

VANCOUVER, B.C., Aug. 12—About 5000 men have registered here for harvest work in Alberta and Saskatchewan.

DEWART PRESSES ISSUES TO FRONT

Hearst Government's Attitude Toward Nickel Trust Hotly Denounced.

LIBERALS ENTHUSIASTIC Saturday's Night's Meeting Lively, But Fair Order Prevailed.

(Continued from Page One)

the last session of the legislature as a wet measure. And he would support it "as far as the nickel trust is concerned."

Norris' Methods Assailed. He denounced in unsparring terms the so-called double dealing of Mr. Norris, he said, had deceived the public about the riding promising beer to the workmen and as wine and beer license to the liquor trust.

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and to put the Hydro-Electric Commission under political control for political purposes, met with hearty comment. But, as has already been said, the great enthusiasm of the night came with the Liberal candidate's denunciation of the nickel question. Mr. Dewart said that W. E. Maclean, M.P., had rendered great public service on the floor of parliament and that the world is unconquered and that the nefarious disloyal nickel trust, he had driven the provincial government into saying that at least some nickel would be refined in Canada.

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FOR FIRE SUFFERERS of Northern Ontario. Anyone wishing to donate clothing they are unable to sell, please send to: 24, Dineen Building, and goods will be called for on Friday.

Amusements

LOEW'S VAUDEVILLE







ALL SHARES RISE ON GREAT DEMAND

Reports of British Interests Placing Contracts En-hance Stocks.

MARINES TAKE FALL

Atlantic, Gulf and West Indies Also Experience One Point Loss.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Metal shares were the conspicuous feature of Saturday's short session, which was characterized by the usual week-end settlement of professional contracts.

The rise in copper, which ranged from 1 to almost 3 points, was based upon reports that foreign interests, chiefly British, were about to close contracts for enormous quantities of the refined metal, running into the tens of millions of pounds.

Changes elsewhere in the active list were without much significance, except among shipping issues. Mercantile Marine pfd. made an extreme decline of 2 1/2 points on announcement of the plan of capital reorganization, with one-point loss for Atlantic, Gulf and West Indies.

Munitions, equipments and motors held their ground or registered moderate gains. In the additional points for General Motors, which attained a new high record at 58 1/2.

General news of the day included a hardening of francs, with no material change in sterling or rates to continental centres other than Paris. Mercantile reviews referred to the stability of business at important points throughout the country, although in the west and northwest is tempered by reduced crop prospects.

Contrary to expectation, the bank statement fell short of the usual large excess of gold from Canada. Instead of an actual cash gain, a moderate loss was disclosed in that item, with a loan expansion of slightly more than \$20,000,000 and a decrease in excess reserves of more than \$9,000,000.

Bonds were steady, with large offerings of French and Canadian. Total sales, (par value) \$2,110,000.

Mining Notes

CHAMBERS-PERLAND TO SHIP.—The next shipment from the Chambers-Perland will, it is expected, be sent out this week or early in the next. There is said to be about twenty-five tons of ore to be shipped from the westward of the company, and all of which went out this year. The last shipment went to the westward and consisted of two carloads, one of high and one of low-grade ore, and was practically all of this year's production.

KERR LAKE MANAGER RESIGNS.—Mr. Robt. Livermore, who was, no doubt, largely responsible for the rejuvenation of the Kerr Lake mine, is resigning his position as manager on Sept. 1. He will, however, be retained as consulting engineer, and will act in the same capacity for Goodwin & Co., with offices at 60 Broadway, New York. Mr. H. K. Kee, superintendent of the Nipissing Mines, has been appointed Mr. Livermore's successor.

HOLLAND CLAIMS OPTIONED.—Mr. R. H. Lyman of Cobalt, acting on behalf of a syndicate, has optioned a member, has taken a working option on the Benny Hollinger claims at Bonanza Creek. The men in the syndicate are New Yorkers, and the syndicate is to proceed at an early date to open up the property. The option is to be done under the direction of Mr. Lyman, who is to be retained as a consultant of two claims in Peacock Township.

SINKING ON GENESSE.—A depth of 189 feet has been attained on Genesee, and it is expected now that the slate strata will be reached any round now. The plan of development is to sink to 400 feet, and the second shaft at approximately 200 feet, and the second at 400, and making calculations from the experience at the Chambers-Perland, the ore-bearing strata is below the level of the water in the conglomerate. All exploration work will be carried on from a depth of 400 feet.

AT THE DOME LAKE.—Both the 300 and 400-foot levels of the Dome Lake mine are being opened up, and the results of the work during the past week have been fully up to expectations. On No. 1 vein, which is about 80 feet in width, drifting has been continued, and sampling shows the ore to remain very consistent around \$11.50 per ton. The production for July compares very favorably with the previous months. For the month the mill made a 91 per cent extraction.

THOMAS CLAIMS OPTIONED.—W. J. Clearhouse and associates in the United States have taken an option on the Thomas claims in Deloro Township, and the first payment on a hundred thousand dollar basis has been made. The claims adjoin the Hayden Gold Mines, Limited. It is understood that diamond drill contracts will be let shortly. Some drill contracts will be let shortly. Some drill contracts will be let shortly.

COBALT SHIPMENTS.—COBALT, Ont., Aug. 12.—Ore figures for the week ending Aug. 11 are: Trefhewey, 37,729; Conings, 54,805; Mining Corporation, 97,431; Dominion Red' Co., 86,600; Aladdin Cobalt, 50,400; La Rose, 87,448; McKinley-Darragh, 163,283.

MONEY RATES.—Glassbrook & Co., exchange and bond brokers, report exchange rates as follows: Buy. Sellers. Counter. N.Y. f.d., 1-16 pm. 3-32 pm. 3 1/2 to 3 3/4. Montreal, 47 1/2. Cable t., 47 1/2. Cable t., 47 1/2. Cable t., 47 1/2.

READJUSTMENT MADE BY MERCANTILE MARINE

Back Dividends on Preferred Stock to be Dealt With by New Board.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Committees representing the holders of bonds and stocks of the International Mercantile Marine Co. finally have agreed to a plan of financial readjustment of that company, which was distributed today.

The plan provides for the refunding of the company's bonds, and the payment of dividends in cash. The \$2 per cent. of back dividends due on the preferred stock is left to be dealt with by the new board of directors.

New bonds to be issued in part change for old bonds will be authorized to the amount of \$50,000,000, but only \$10,000,000 will be retained in the treasury for refunding purposes and the balance of \$40,000,000 will be retained in the treasury for other purposes.

The new board of directors will consist of fourteen to seventeen members.

U. S. BUSINESS OUTLOOK MIXED IN CHARACTER

Great Deterioration in Crops is Bad News for Wall Street.

Early Termination of War Not Considered at All Probable.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Henry Clews says: "The stock market is continuing with a series of perplexing reports, foreign liquidation, inflation in commodities, the Mexican crisis, the presidential campaign, etc. The volume of business has been more or less restricted by the large number of vacation contractors, but the general undertone has been consistently improving in spite of the conflicting tendencies referred to."

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NEW YORK STOCKS.

J. P. Bickell & Co. report fluctuations in New York stocks as follows:

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RECEIPTS OF LIVE STOCK AT UNION STOCK YARDS

Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards since Saturday consist of: Cattle, 188; calves, 2008; hogs, 1606; sheep, 140; lambs, 620; calves, 97; and horses, 714.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Cattle—1000. Market steady. Bees, \$6.30 to \$10.80. Pigs, \$10.25 to \$13.35. Hogs, \$6.50 to \$11.35. Calves, \$9 to \$12.65.

PRICE OF SILVER

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Bar silver, 31 1/2-32 per ounce. Money, 4 1/2 per cent. Discount rates, short and three months' bills, 5 1/2 to 5 3/4 per cent.

FIVE U. S. RAILWAYS TO BE CONSOLIDATED

Pennsylvania Lines West of Pittsburgh Merged Into One Corporation.

WILL CUT EXPENDITURE

More Than Twenty-Three Hundred Miles Included in Systems.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 12.—The merger of the Pennsylvania Railroad lines west of Pittsburgh into one corporation to be known as the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad Company, was officially confirmed here today.

The consolidation of the five railroads does not involve the acquisition of properties by the Pennsylvania road, it was announced, but will mean the simplification of the corporate and financial structure of all the lines concerned in the consolidation.

More Than 2300 Miles. The Pennsylvania company, which is controlled by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, owns virtually three-quarters of the outstanding stock of the five lines to be taken into the merger, including the Pennsylvania, Valley, Pittsburg, Wheeling and Kentucky Railroads, the Chicago, Indiana and Eastern Railroad and the Anderson, Cincinnati and Eastern.

Official notice of the merger will be sent to stockholders on Monday. The annual meeting of the stockholders will be held in February in October, and the transfer of stock will be the important subject to be considered, it is expected.

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EXPECT BIG DEMAND FOR NEW WAR LOAN

Aggregate of Applications Should Give Pessimists Food for Reflection.

In referring to the coming Canadian war loan, Edward Cronyn and Co. say: "Some people of pessimistic temperament have feared that the fine offering made by Canadians on the occasion of the last loan (the amount called for having been over-subscribed by more than 100 per cent.) used up much of Canada's financial energy, but we are very strongly impressed with an opposite view, and our opinion is that this new loan will be much over-subscribed."

DULUTH-SUPERIOR EARNINGS.

Duluth-Superior Traction earnings for the first week of August were \$28,544.96, an increase of \$8566.12, or 31.6 per cent.

WHEAT EASES OFF FALLS AT CLOSE

Canadian Crop Almost Completely Escapes Damage From Frost.

AFFECTS ONLY OATS

Corn Develops Strength Ow-ing to Illinois Bullish Reports.

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—Almost complete escape of the Canadian crop Friday night from expected serious damage by frost tended Saturday to ease down to some extent the wheat market here.

Closing prices, although unsettled, were 1-8 to 1-16 not lower, with September \$1.42 7-8 and December at \$1.42 1-2. Provisions finished at a range varying from 30c decline to a rise of 10c.

Timely changes of wind, together with the fact that the weather became cloudy, appeared to have dispelled a general fear of a hard frost west and to have saved the Canadian wheat provinces at least temporarily from crop losses that, according to a general authority, would have had a serious effect on the harvest.

Provisions averaged lower with hogs. Besides, shipments of lard and meats were less in volume than at this time a year ago.

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TRADING AT MARKETS ACTIVE ON SATURDAY

North Toronto Establishment Gives Promise of Popular Favor.

ADVANCE IN POTATOES

Tomatoes Arrived More Freely and Price Receded Somewhat.

Tomatoes came in such large quantities Saturday they exceeded the demand, causing prices to slump—quite a large number being still unladen late in the afternoon—the bulk of the No. 1's sold at 60c to 75c per 11-quart, an odd one of extra choice quality, selling at 80c bringing 85c and 91c, and some not so good at 60c; the No. 2's selling at 50c to 60c per 11-quart.

Apples—The bulk coming in are still of exceptionally poor quality, selling at 30c to 60c per 11-quart. There were, however, small quantities of really A1 quality, selling at 75c to 80c per 11-quart, which sold at 75c to 90c per 11-quart leno baskets.

Blueberries were shipped in quite heavily and a good many of them were very poor quality. Their sale was slow according to latter prices, which sold at 40c to 75c, and the very small lot, at 30c to 40c.

Peaches are improving in quality, and sold at 30c to 75c per quart—the latter price being for fine quality long filled baskets.

McWilliam & Everist had a car of Michigan onions, selling at \$4.75 per 100 lbs.; two cars of watermelons at 60c to 80c each; a car of California peaches, selling at \$2.25 per 100 lbs.; a car of oranges at \$5.25 to \$5.50 per case; a car of peaches, selling at \$4.00 per 100 lbs.; a car of Washington apples, selling at \$4.00 per 100 lbs.; a car of California peaches, selling at \$1.75 per case; and a car of potatoes, selling at \$5 per ton.

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