

BIG DRIVE BY FRANCO-AMERICANS

Turk Prisoners in Palestine Drive Now Total 42,000

Fresh Drive This Morning on Champagne Front

FRENCH AND AMERICAN TROOPS ATTACKED IN CO-OPERATION IN EARLY MORNING OFFENSIVE

Drive is First Made on This Sector Since Success Last July— British Continue Progress About St. Quentin And on the Flanders Front

By Courier Leased Wire. PARIS, Sept. 26. — Bulletin. — French and American troops began a joint attack this morning on the Champagne front, and in the region beyond it on the east, today's War Office statement announces. Renewed German attacks north of the Aisne have been repulsed. At one point, where the Germans gained a foothold upon the French positions they were ejected by a counter-attack.

The text of the statement reads: "Between the Ailette and the Aisne the Germans renewed their attacks last evening in the region of Allemant and Moulin Laffaux. The enemy succeeded at the latter point in penetrating the French lines, but after energetic counter-attack by the French, they re-established the situation. Further south the French have enlarged their gains east of Sanoy and have taken prisoners. This morning at five o'clock, French troops attacked on the Champagne front in co-operation with the American army operating further to the east.

FIRST SINCE JULY The Franco-American attack on the Champagne front is the first Allied thrust made on that sector since Marshal Foch assumed the initiative in July, and is the logical result of the Allied success in Pi-

BRITISH GAIN IN ST. QUENTIN REGION

By Courier Leased Wire. Bulletin, London, Sept. 26. — Northwest of St. Quentin British troops continued their pressure against the German defences and have captured enemy strong points in the neighborhood of Seleny and Gricourt, Field Marshal Haig reported today. In Flanders the British line has likewise been advanced, progress having been made in the sector north of La Bassée.

North of Gricourt, on the St. Quentin sector, the British repulsed German counter-attacks. The text of the statement reads: "Local operations were continued successfully yesterday afternoon and during the night northwest of St. Quentin. English troops progressed and captured certain strongly defended localities in the neighborhood of Seleny and Gricourt, together with a number of prisoners. In addition to the counter-attacks already reported, which were launched by the enemy yesterday northwest of Fayot, his troops twice attacked the positions north of Gricourt. These attacks were unsuccessful. A successful minor operation was carried out yesterday by English troops northwest of La Bassée as the result of which the line was advanced and over 100 prisoners were taken. A counter-attack launched by the enemy in this locality during the night was repulsed and several prisoners were left in our hands."

FRENCH OFFICIAL. Paris, Sept. 25. — The text of the official statement issued at the war office to-night reads: "In the region of St. Quentin the enemy made an attempt this afternoon to drive our forces from L'Epine de Dallon. All his assaults were repulsed. Between the Ailette and the Aisne the day was marked by the violent reactions by the enemy upon the plateau of Moisy Farm and in the region north of Allemant, where violent combats took place during the entire day. The enemy was not able to

recover the ground gained by us during preceding days. He suffered heavy losses and left prisoners in our hands. Eastern theatre, Sep. 24. — In spite of the arrival of German troops the enemy continued to retreat toward the north. Strong rearguard detachments are resisting strongly. Northwest of Monastir, on the left wing of the Allied forces, we have passed Prilep and advanced on the route toward Krushovo, Kichevo and Veles. In the center, Serbian forces have taken the Massif of Popadja, to the east of Babuna, and have gained ground to the west of the Caran River. We have enlarged the bridgehead between the Vardar and the Kriva Lakavitsa, which the enemy is hastily crossing. On the right wing French British and Greek troops have launched strong advance guards northward along the Vardar toward Gradets and Kvitova. They have taken the Massif of Karaball north of Lake Doiran. Booty captured is being augmented incessantly. During Sep. 23 more than thirty new cannons were captured, and also a large amount of railway material. There is much excited gossip in Bucharest, according to a telegram to the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin as to what would happen in the eventuality of Queen Marie, who is strongly anti-German, becoming re-

WEATHER BULLETIN Toronto, Sept. 26. — The barometer remains high over Canada, except in eastern Ontario, where an area of low pressure is developing. The weather is fair throughout the Dominion, and moderately warm in the western provinces and unseasonably cool in Ontario and Quebec. Forecasts Fresh to strong north to north-west winds, mostly fair, frost to night. Friday fair and very cool.

"Zimmie" The man with may never be convinced that the golden rule should be the national motto.

SERBS REACH OUTSKIRTS OF ISHTIB

Are Pressing on the Bulgar Town — Advance Also East of Vardar

CAPTURE SUPPLIES And Are Pursuing the Fleeing Bulgar Forces Toward Izvor

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Sept. 24. — Serbian troops reached the outskirts of Ishtib, an important Bulgarian base Tuesday, says a Serbian official statement, dated Wednesday. Elsewhere east of the Vardar, the Serbians have made important gains. The Serbs also have captured Gradsko station, southeast of Uskub. It was defended by German troops. An enormous quantity of supplies, including nineteen guns were captured by the Serbians. North of Prilep the Serbians are pursuing the Bulgarians who are in complete retreat and are approaching Izvor, midway between Prilep and Veles. The official statement reads: "On September 24 Serbian troops achieved a very important success in the left bank (east) of the Vardar. We reached Krivack and the outskirts of Ishtib (15 miles east of Veles) on the Vardar and 38 miles northeast of Prilep. In this region we captured a column comprising a Bulgarian regiment and a considerable number of guns, 100 horse wagons with teams and other material. Gradsko station which was defended by Germans, has fallen into our hands with enormous quantities of supplies, including nineteen guns, mostly heavy ones of 210 millimeters. To the number of prisoners we had already taken we added two German officers and several soldiers. German officers and several soldiers have obtained refuge in the mountains 15 miles north of Prilep) we are pursuing the enemy who is completely routed and in retreat."

Further north the massif of Popadja, east of Babuna Pass, has been taken by the Serbians. Babuna Pass is a rocky dale through which the Vardar flows to the Aegean, and presents a difficult problem to attacking troops. A few days ago it seemed that this natural fortress might be the rallying point of the defeated enemy. But it appears that the position has been outflanked and rendered without value. Greek and British troops have occupied the massif of Karaball, north of Lake Doiran. This series of heights was one of the outposts of the main Bulgarian positions in the mountains south of Strumitza. The enemy still appears to be holding a small triangle of territory west of the Vardar, west of Lake Doiran. Allied forces are advancing northward there, however, and may soon eject them. When this operation is completed, the Allies will be in a position to put the Uskub-Saloniki railroad in commission once more and organize their lines of supply for the troops fighting further north. From Paris comes reports that a ministerial crisis is impending in Bulgaria, and that there may be a complete change in the foreign policy of that country. The present premier, M. Malinoff, was favorable to the Allies before Bulgaria entered the war as an ally of the Central Powers. It is possible that the Allied victory in Macedonia may be reflected in political developments of the important character in Bulgaria. Turkish troops in Palestine have not rallied from their retreat, which must by this time have carried them past the northern end of the Sea of Galilee. Of the utmost importance here is the situation of the Arab tribesmen, who have been advancing along the hills east of the Jordan. If they have advanced swiftly, with sufficiently strong forces, they may complete the discomfiture of the enemy by getting between him and Damascus. The situation in this battle area is still quite obscure. German forces have been launching determined counter attacks against the Allied lines west and north of St. Quentin and on the plateau north of the Aisne. All these attacks have been repulsed. It is reported, especially bitter fighting took place just west of St. Quentin at L'Epine de Dallon yesterday, the Germans evidently attempting to retake the positions lost to the French earlier in the week. Fine weather has returned to the American front in Lorraine, but so far no fighting of an important nature has occurred. Patrol encounters are reported from the Italian front. DENOUNCE PROPAGANDA. By Courier Leased Wire. St. Louis, Sept. 25. — Attempts of the Kaiser to use the Masonic order to abet German peace propaganda were vigorously denounced in a resolution unanimously adopted last night by the Supreme Council, Scottish Rite, Southern Jurisdiction, in convention here. The resolution states that "German terms of peace shall never be considered by Masons because it is an inconclusive peace. Only terms of peace insuring a lasting peace, such as the American proposals, shall be given consideration." The resolution explains that the Masons knew nothing of the German schemes to use the order for peace propaganda last August.

BAG OF TURK PRISONERS NOW 42,000

Paris, Sep. 26. — The number of Turkish prisoners taken in Palestine now aggregates 42,000, according to the latest advices reaching Paris. A British official statement Wednesday reported 40,000 Turks and 265 guns had been captured. Liberated territory in Palestine will be administered under the agreement reached between the British, French and Russian Governments in 1916. It is learned here. England and France will carry out the agreement under which France is charged with the preparation of a scheme of self-government for the people of Palestine. This work will be the object of conversations which will take place shortly. When the Bolshevik authorities took control in Russia they published a number of secret diplomatic documents found in the archives in Petrograd. Among them was a convention negotiated between Russia, France, and Great Britain under which Alexandria in Asiatic Turkey, was to be a free port and Palestine was to be a protectorate under the three governments.

TURNING MOVEMENT BY ALLIED ARMIES IN MACEDONIA MAY OUTFLANK BULGAR FORCES

Entente Troops Swing East and West From Line Followed in First Advance; Ministerial Crisis Believed Impending in Bulgaria

NEW YORK, Sept. 26. — The Associated Press this morning issued the following: Swinging to the east and west from the line followed in their first plunge through the Bulgarian lines in Macedonia, the Allied armies are engaged in a turning movement which appears to be of equal, if not greater importance than their continuous advance northward toward Veles and Ishtib. On the west the Serbians and the French have passed Prilep and are advancing along the roads toward Krushovo and Kichevo, which are in the foothills of the mountains separating Serbia from Albania. North of Prilep they are moving toward Veles. On the right the Allies have enlarged their bridgehead on the eastern side of the Vardar, and are on the range of hills between the Vardar and Kriva Lakavitsa, a river which parallels the Vardar on the east. It is officially reported that the Bulgarians are hastily crossing the Kriva Lakavitsa.



The map shows in detail the ground traversed by the triumphant Serbian and French forces. They have advanced south of Dobropolje, Sokol, Etrénik, Kukuruz and Kovil to beyond Vitolishta and Rojden, after reaching the intermediate line shown on the map to the south of Orlova Voda, Topoletz and Zbornsko. The mountain crests on the frontier were tremendously strong and their storming by the Allies was a particularly brilliant performance.

PRINCE PREFERS WIFE HE LOVES TO UNCERTAIN THRONE

By Courier Leased Wire. Amsterdam, Sept. 24. — In answer to pleas that he desert his bride of humble birth, Crown Prince Charles of Roumania has replied that thrones are so unstable nowadays that he preferred the certainty of having the wife he wanted to the chance of losing the succession. The escape of the Crown Prince in going to Odessa and marrying Cecilia Lambling, the daughter of a major in the Roumanian army, reopens the question of the Roumanian dynastic succession. When King Ferdinand heard of the marriage he ordered that the Crown Prince be given 75 days solitary confinement for absconding himself without leave from his garrison. King Ferdinand also sent an emissary to Bender, Bessarabia, where the young couple are spending their honeymoon with instructions to try to undo the nuptial knot, but to no avail. The bride refused to part with her wedding ring and the Crown Prince declined to leave her.

BULGARIAN TERRITORY IS INVADED BY BRITISH

Enemy Base at Strumitza is Threatened as a Result — First Bulgar Army in Danger of Annihilation

By Courier Leased Wire. SALONIKI, Sept. 26. — Bulgaria has been invaded by Allied troops, according to a British official statement issued here today. British troops entered Bulgarian territory opposite Kosturino, about six miles south of Strumitza, the enemy base in this region. LONDON, Sept. 26. — Reports in official quarters here indicate that the Prilep-Veles road has been cut at Izvor, isolating the first Bulgarian army from its main line of communication, and placing it in a precarious position. The first army is on the Allied left. The position of the first Bulgarian army on the Allied left in Macedonia is dangerous, according to reports reaching here. (Continued on Page 5.)

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THE WIFE

BY JANE PHELPS, AUTHOR OF "MARGARET GARRETT'S HUSBAND," AND OTHER NOTABLE STORIES.

Ruth is Sent Away Again. Brian Goes Out With Mollie King.

CHAPTER XXXIII.

The day after Ruth's talk with Brian, and after she had told La Monte of her intention to move, Mr. Mandel called her into his private office.

"The Cary house is nearly finished. Nothing, now, but that the others can do," he said to her. "I want you to take the moon train for Philadelphia. There is a home in the suburbs I have been asked to look at, and then submit plans. It is impossible for me to go with you, but La Monte will give you all the necessary information."

"Shall I be there long?" Ruth asked. It had come again. She would have another disagreeable scene with Brian.

"Oh, two or three days. Stay at the Bellevue. Go home now and pack up what you want to take with you; then return here. La Monte will have your instructions ready when you come back."

Ruth nodded. She realized that the call on her was as a business woman, and so she obeyed it without qualm or hesitation. Yet she dreaded the going, because of Brian.

She called him on the telephone as soon as she reached the flat and told him what she had to do. This time there was no gasp, no asking her to repeat her message. He listened quietly, then said:

"If you will let me know when you are coming back, I will meet you."

"Indeed, I will! That will be lovely. Mr. Mandel said it might take me three or four days. I am to stay at the Bellevue-Stratford. It will take me longer because I am going to go alone and so will have it all to do myself."

Ruth had added that last sentence thinking to comfort Brian, and to dissipate any jealousy he might feel if he imagined Mr. Mandel had accompanied her. She knew that it disturbed Brian not to have her at home; also that it troubled him not to know where she was and what she was doing every minute of the time. Philadelphia was a big place, and during the day she would not even be there, but out in the suburbs attending to her work.

Ruth had lately met some friends of Brian's, one or two married couples (the women had been shocked that she worked, and had shown it very plainly), and two or three young women and their escorts. Brian, before he married, had been something of a Bohemian, and from what he said, and what she had gathered from the conversation of others—had been quite friendly with Mollie King, an artist living in the Latin Quarter of New York—Greenwich village.

Ruth, speeding to Philadelphia, her mind fixed on the work she had to do, had been quite friendly with Mollie King, an artist living in the Latin Quarter of New York—Greenwich village.

"Where's that clever wife of yours?" Mollie had asked when she received the unexpected invitation.

"She is over in Philadelphia. I shan't eat alone, Mollie, so if you don't come I shall ask someone else."

"Oh, I'll come, all right. Where shall we go?"

"Meet me at the Brevort for old time's sake."

"You can't lose little Mollie tonight, if you tried," she told him, all

the time wondering if there was any trouble between good old Brian, and his stylish, clever wife. She hoped not; she liked them both.

She found Brian waiting for her. He had engaged a table, one in the same old corner where they used to sit before Brian married Ruth. With much laughter and many reminiscences, they ordered the dishes they used to order. Strangely, the waiter who served them remembered them, and covertly watched them, wondering if they were married.

They had a delightful evening. Brian had taken Mollie home to the little studio high up against the roof of one of the old houses in the quarter, and had gone in, in the same old fashion, and smoked his cigar, while she puffed away at a cigarette to keep him company.

When the clock in the church tower, not far away, struck twelve, they both started.

"Scandalous!" Mollie laughed. "Oh, you go, the minute."

"I should say it was scandalous. Really, Mollie, I had no intention of boring you so long. I had hoped you would go with me again, some night. Now, I know you won't."

"Ask me if you dare!" she flung back, her bright face mocking him.

"Will you dine with me to-morrow night at the same time and in the same place, Miss King?" Brian asked with mock humility, his eyes dancing.

"Certainly, Mr. Hackett! I accept your invitation with much pleasure." And Mollie swept him an elaborate curtsy.

"Mollie's some nice girl, all right! It was her right better than day."

"I must tell Crawford not to get dinner home to-morrow night. No use wasting good grub." Brian soliloquized as he prepared for bed.

(To be continued to-morrow.)

METHODISTS OF DOMINION ARE TO MEET

Quadrennial Session of General Conference of Canada is Now Nearing

CHURCH CO-OPERATION Will be One of Questions to be Considered in Hamilton

By Courier Leased Wire. Toronto, Sept. 26.—Questions of great national, social and religious importance are on the program for consideration and decision when the quadrennial session of the Methodist Church in Canada and president of the conference, the session will be held in Hamilton, Ontario, Oct. 2-10.

In the opinion of Rev. Dr. S. D. Chown, superintendent of the Methodist Church in Canada and president of the conference, the session will be a "doubling up" of the church, the history of the church, owing to the war influences, and after-the-war problems to be discussed. While the question of church union, insofar as the Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregational churches in Canada are concerned, has been practically shelved till after the war by the action of the last Presbyterian General Assembly, the question of still more co-operation between the churches, particularly of these three denominations, is a live issue, and will be discussed at the conference. In western Canada and in New Ontario there has been a great "doubling up" of the churches, particularly of these three denominations, with the resultant saving of a great many men and much money.

An appeal will be made to the general conference by the superintendent in every department, from a far-reaching idea of a world's conference on faith and order. This is an outstanding attempt on the part of the United States and Canadian religious bodies to unite all bodies in Christendom in closer co-operation and religious work. Dr. Chown contends that it is quite "practical politics."

Reports of various divisions of the Methodist church work, Sunday school, missionary, social service, evangelistic, educational, superannuated, etc., to be presented to the general conference, indicate progress in every department. From a financial standpoint, the various secretaries say they reflect surprising liberality on the part of the members and adherents of the church in spite of the many extra demands of war times.

The general conference is made up of 274 delegates from all parts of Canada. Presidents of all the twelve local conferences in Canada are delegates together with one other minister elected for every twelve ministerial members of each local conference. There are an equal number of lay members elected by referendum by the laymen at local conferences.

Rev. W. Hodson, of London, England, will be a fraternal delegate from the British Wesleyan Conference. Joseph S. Berry, himself Canadian born, will represent the Methodist Episcopal Church of the United States and Rev. Dr. Parker, a distinguished religious educator, will bring greetings from the Methodist Episcopal Church south (U.S.).

The conference church in Hamilton will be the First Methodist church on King street, a new edifice, seating 1,600 people, and completed under the last pastorate of the late Rev. C. O. Johnston, who was considered by many, one of the most powerful preachers in Canadian Methodism.

It is expected that the conference this year will extend over about 17 days.



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AUCTION SALE OF FUMED OAK FURNITURE.

W. J. Bragg, auctioneer, has been asked to sell by public auction on TUESDAY NEXT, OCT. 1st at 152 George street commencing at 1.30 p.m. the following goods: 1 arm chair, 1 rocker, fumed oak, leather seated; fumed oak library table, fumed oak couch, Brussels rug 9 x 12, 2 oil paintings, fumed oak buffet, 6 fumed oak dining chairs, leather seats, fumed oak round extension table, 4 leaves; condoleum rug 9 x 12, wood heater, kitchen table, 5 chairs, ideal washing machine and wringer, tub, boiler, 5 gallon oil can, 1 frogbed, 4 springs, 4 choice mattresses, 3 oak dressers, 1 bird's eye maple dresser, 1 gent's wheel, 2 screen doors, window screens, trunk, also other articles, 1 quartered oak hall seat and large mirror, a beauty. This is a real choice sale as these goods were only purchased in July last and are as good as new. As Mr. Anderson is going back to the west again all will be set and reserved on Tuesday next, Oct. 1st, at 152 George street commencing at 1.30 p.m. Terms spot cash. All welcome.

Mr. J. M. Anderson, W. J. Bragg, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF No. 1 HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

W. J. Bragg, Auctioneer, will offer for sale by public auction on Monday next, September 30th, at 89 Dundas street, Terrace Hill, commencing at 1.30 p.m. sharp, the following goods: Solid oak rocker, upholstered, large oak table, velvet chair, Morris rocker, parlor table, tapestry rug, 9 x 9; Oriental chenille curtains, solid brass rod and chains, quartered oak buffet, 6 leather seated chairs to match, oak extension table, 5 leaves; 22 yards tapestry carpet, oak coal heater, all pictures, curtains, blinds, 5 kitchen chairs, kitchen cabinet, glassware, dishes, pots, pans, kitchen table, 12 yards linoleum, Happy Thought range, 15 jars choice fruit, a quantity of sealers, good gas range, boiler, 2 tubs, wringer and tubs, stand, enamel sink, 12 yards linoleum, lawn mower, 5 tons of Chestnut coal, a quantity of lumber, tools, garden tools, electric iron, aluminum tea kettle, lawn tent, 12 x 18; also 3 bedrooms complete, dresser, commodes, springs, wool mattresses, beds, carpets, one large quartered oak dresser, very fine bedding, pillows, etc., camp bed.

Sale on Monday next, September 30th, at 89 Dundas street, Terrace Hill, commencing at 1.30 p.m. sharp. These goods are a choice lot, as good as money could buy. No reserve. They will be sold terms spot cash. Mrs. E. A. Hollester, W. J. Bragg, Proprietors, Auctioneer.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM TIME TABLE CHANGES

A Change of Time Will be Made on SEPTEMBER 29th, 1918 Information Now in Agents' Hands

NEW FRENCH LOAN

By Courier Leased Wire. Paris, Sept. 26.—Subscriptions to the new French loan will open on October 20 and close on November 24.

LAI D AT REST

MRS. CRAWFORD
The funeral of the late Mrs. Crawford took place yesterday afternoon from her residence, 100 Clarence St., to Greenwood cemetery, the services at the house and grave being conducted by the Rev. W. J. Thompson, pastor of the Congregational church. The pall bearers were: G. G. Gordon, Chas. Whitney, T. Noble, A. Hollinsrake, H. Oldham and John Fair. The funeral was largely attended. Those present included Mrs. Harris, Miss Diana Harris and Mrs. Bovee of Buffalo, and Mrs. Forsythe, of Toronto.

EX-WARDEN SANDERSON

The funeral of the late ex-Warden Richard Sanderson, which took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, 107 St. Patrick's, to the Fernside Cemetery, was attended by a very large number of representative citizens from the city and county. Warden Pitts, ex-Warden Rose and members of the County and Township Councils, were among those who assembled to pay their last respects, and also President Waterous of the Hospital Board and other Governors of that body.

The pall bearers were Sheriff Westbrook, John Douglas, John Coleman, Jos. Houlding, Jos. Moyle and R. Greenwood.

Mr. Geo. Kinnax, an elder of Farmington Church, conducted the services. During the course of a heartfelt address he spoke of the long and honorable residence in the county of Mr. Sanderson and of his integrity and sterling worth. All those who knew him would subscribe to the statement that he was a genuine man in the highest sense of that term. In earlier years he was an active man in the public affairs of the county and his whole record showed that he had always cast his influence on the side of what he believed to be right. In later years he had been a member of the Hospital Board and was most attentive to his duties as a Governor, very seldom missing any meetings. His colleagues at that board had learned to respect and value him as did all those with whom he came in contact. The greatest asset of any community was its Christian men, and among such Richard Sanderson could certainly be numbered. He had left to his boys a memory and an example of which they could indeed be proud and the hearts of all would go out to the widow and children in their affliction, tempered by the fact of a certain and glorious resurrection.

The floral tributes were very numerous and included: pillow, family wreath, Township Council and Court House officials; wreath, Governors of General Hospital; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kerr; sprays, Moyle and Trammell; Mrs. Westlake, Mr. and Mrs. C. Armstrong; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moyle; Mr. and Mrs. J. Coleman; Miss M. Cleator; Mr. and Mrs. George Charlton; Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Wood; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Carlin; Mr. and Mrs. S. Sanderson; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McMillan; Mrs. C. Sanderson; Mabel and Irene, Mr. H. W. Fitton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Houlding.

EAST BUFFALO

East Buffalo, Sept. 26.—Cattle, receipts, 500; steady; 175; steady; 87 to \$19.50. Hogs—Receipts, 400; 1 strong; heavy, mixed and Yorkers, \$20.46 to \$21.00; light Yorkers, in clips \$19.75 to \$20; roughs, \$17.25 to \$17.50; stags, \$12 to \$15. Sheep and lambs—Receipts 600; steady and unchanged.



THE LATE ARCHBISHOP IRELAND. Archbishop John Ireland, of St. Paul, who died after a long illness.

BRANTFORD MARKET

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| Butter | | \$0.00 | to | 0.50 |
| Eggs | | 0.50 | | 0.50 |
| Grain. | | | | |
| Hay, per ton | | 16.00 | | 17.00 |
| Oats, bushel | | 0.00 | | 0.76 |
| Rye, bushel | ..... | 1.50 | | 1.60 |
| Straw, baled, ton | ..... | 7.00 | | 8.00 |
| Wheat | ..... | 0.00 | | 2.10 |
| Barley, bushel | ..... | 1.00 | | 1.05 |
| Vegetables. | | | | |
| Beans, quart | ..... | 0.25 | | 0.30 |
| Cabbage, dozen | ..... | 0.50 | | 0.60 |
| Watermelons | ..... | 0.10 | | 0.30 |
| Carrots, basket | ..... | 0.30 | | 0.50 |
| Green peppers, bush | ..... | 0.50 | | 0.60 |
| Potatoes, basket | ..... | 0.40 | | 0.50 |
| Tomatoes, basket | ..... | 0.30 | | 0.40 |
| Beets, bunch | ..... | 0.05 | | 0.10 |
| Pumpkins | ..... | 0.10 | | 0.20 |
| Corn, dozen | ..... | 0.20 | | 0.25 |
| Chickens, dressed | ..... | 0.60 | | 0.60 |
| Cauliflower, each | ..... | 0.10 | | 0.25 |
| Squash | ..... | 0.20 | | 0.35 |
| Fruit. | | | | |
| Apples, basket | ..... | 0.25 | | 0.35 |
| Plums, basket | ..... | 0.50 | | 1.00 |
| Pears | ..... | 0.75 | | 1.15 |
| Grapes, basket | ..... | 0.00 | | 0.50 |
| Grapes, box | ..... | 0.00 | | 0.15 |
| Meats. | | | | |
| Dry salt, pork, lb. | ..... | 0.30 | | 0.35 |
| Fresh pork, carcass | ..... | 0.21 | | 0.24 |
| Bacon, back trim | ..... | 0.35 | | 0.50 |
| Bacon, back | ..... | 0.45 | | 0.45 |
| Beef, boiling, lb. | ..... | 0.20 | | 0.25 |
| Beef, roast, lb. | ..... | 0.25 | | 0.30 |
| Beef, steak | ..... | 0.30 | | 0.40 |
| Chickens, dressed | ..... | 0.60 | | 0.60 |
| Chickens, per lb. | ..... | 0.00 | | 0.35 |

TORONTO MARKET

By Courier Leased Wire. Toronto, Sept. 26.—Receipts at the Union Stock Yards here this morning amounted to 53 cars containing 715 cattle, 104 calves, 370 hogs and 1,196 sheep and lambs. Trade was quite active this morning. Prices were generally steady. Hogs were unchanged, best bringing \$19.75. Lambs were weaker.

TORONTO CATTLE MARKET

By Courier Leased Wire. Toronto, Sept. 26.—Export cattle, choice, \$14.50 to \$16.50; Export cattle, medium, \$13.25 to \$14.50; Export bulls, \$9.75 to \$10.50; Butcher cattle, choice, \$11 to \$12, medium \$9.50 to \$10.50, common \$7 to \$7.75; Butcher cows, choice, \$9.50 to \$10.50, medium \$7.25 to \$8.50, canners, \$6.25 to \$8; bulls, \$7.75 to \$8.50; Feeding steers \$8.75 to \$10.50; Stockers, choice, \$8.25 to \$8.75; Stockers, light, \$6.50 to \$7; Milkers, choice, \$7.50 to \$120; Springers, choice, \$85 to \$130; Sheep, ewes, \$14.50 to \$15; Bucks and culs, \$8 to \$11; Lambs, \$16.75 to \$17.25; Hogs, fed and weighed \$19 to \$18.75; Hogs, f.o.b., \$18.75; Calves, \$18 to \$18.25.

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Capt. Smith and Also Capt. Graves Receive Appointments

FLIGHT LT. SAUNDERS Sends Home a Breezy Letter Regarding Flight Over Lines

Mrs. Fred Saunders, 11 Centre St., has received an interesting letter from her son Flight Lieut. Lorne Saunders who was wounded but is now out of hospital. He says in part:

"I went over the line to-day on my first show with the squadron. I was quite pleased with myself particularly as my engine behaved beautifully. I had my first baptism of fire as it were. Some hapless fellow saw this morning we went over fairly high, about 16,000 feet, I almost froze my face. To-night though I and another chap went over on a long reconnaissance. I got enough of low work to suit me for a while. The Hun never fired a shot at us until we dropped our bombs and fired on them from about a thousand feet. They heaved everything they could think of at us. I could see was clouds of tracer bullets flaming on, and arched shells. I'll tell you what; I didn't fly in one direction very long. We threw our old buses all over the place but the old Hun snappers seemed able to follow us. However though most of his shells burst very close and the tracers seemed to riddle the machine, when I got back to the drome there wasn't a hole in it that I could find. I hope this is always the case. It was all quite a novelty to me but it will very soon wear off and become a matter of fact every day occurrence."

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THE SITUATION

The Macedonian operations continue to occupy a prominent position on the present war canvas. The Vardar river running into the Saloniki Gulf, is now in the hands of the Allies, and the Serbs, pushing along the valley, have advanced eastwards heading for Ishtib, an important road centre. The Bulgar-Teuton forces have been broken into separate groups, and are retreating on a front of one hundred and thirty miles. It is now stated that a British invasion of Bulgaria is likely.

The first modest success sent by Gen. Allenby with regard to the marvellously successful operations of his forces in Palestine, has been amplified by later despatches, so that the complete and thorough nature of the victory has now become known. A total of over forty thousand prisoners and nearly three hundred guns has been the initial bag, and an attack is now proceeding east of the Jordan. It does not seem likely that the badly battered Moslem forces can hold out for long at any one point.

French and British forces continue to get closer to St. Quentin, and Field Marshal Haig reports the capture of the village of Selembay, immediately west of the place.

Canadian troops are announced to have scored a useful success by pushing forward south east of Inchy, to a depth of one hundred and fifty yards on a front of two-thirds of a mile.

The Reichstag is in a very different humor now that defeats are piling up, than that which obtained when Teuton advances were the order of the day. The Chancellor during the course of his speech in that chamber yesterday, was greeted with some hisses, and at the best only received scant applause. Present indications are that German forces are preparing for a still further falling back.

Over the Courier's leased wire comes the statement that early this morning, French and American troops commenced a joint attack on the Champagne front.

WAR AND GASOLINE

This is a war of high explosives and gasoline. Germany has access to the famous oil wells of Galicia, and it may be taken for granted that gasoline in Germany is used for no purpose other than such as will help along with war work. It is a safe bet that joy-rides and parades are unknown among the motor car owners in Germany, even if such a thing as a motor car which is uncontrolled by the government exists.

The work of the tanks in the recent Allied advance has made the success possible with the lowest number of casualties in proportion to the gains, on record in the war.

The work of the tanks depends upon gasoline.

If, by cutting out every unnecessary motor trip on Sunday, gasoline sufficient to operate a dozen tanks for a day can be saved for war purposes, the sacrifice of a few hours' pleasure on this side of the water may have served to save a hundred or more lives over there.

This aerial service depends for its efficiency on gasoline.

We hold to-day the undoubted mastery of the air.

To lose that mastery for the sake of pleasure rides in automobiles is nothing but a national crime.

Thus the appeal has been made to owners of cars to find some other way of enjoying Sunday than by running their cars; to walk to church, instead of motoring. It is asked as a voluntary contribution to the cause from people who have given freely of their money, and are now only asked to sacrifice a little of their luxury.

There should be no need for compulsion, once the facts are realized.

FRENCH THRIFT

Reference has often been made to the thrift of the French people. Every member of the household is taught the value of this quality from childhood up and the rule is one which obtains among all classes. It will be recalled that upon defeat of the French by the Germans in 1871 one of the conditions, in addition to the ceding of Alsace and Lorraine, was a levy of five milliards (a milliard is a thousand millions) upon the defeated country. This vast amount had to be paid within three years, and falling that German troops were to remain until such

time as the sum could be liquidated. Owing to the saving qualities of the inhabitants the entire debt was discharged in two years.

During the progress of present hostilities the "League of Patriots" with headquarters at Paris, has enunciated the following ten commandments:

- (1) Do not forget that we are at war. In your smallest expenditures never lose sight of the interests of the native land.
 - (2) Economize on the products necessary for the life of the country: Coal, bread, meat, sugar, milk, wine, butter, beans, cloths, leather, oil. Accept rations. Ration yourself as to food, clothing and amusements.
 - (3) Save the products of French soil, lest some day you deprive your father, your son, your husband, who are shedding their blood to defend you.
 - (4) Save the products that France must buy from foreign countries. Do not drain reserves of gold which are indispensable to victory.
 - (5) Waste nothing. All waste is a crime which imperils the national defence—prolongs the war.
 - (6) Buy only according to your needs. Do not hoard provisions; your selfishness raises prices and deprives those of smaller means of things indispensable to existence.
 - (7) Do not travel unnecessarily. Reflect that our trains are, before all, destined for the transportation of the troops, the needs of our national production.
 - (8) Do not remain idle. According to your age and your ability work for your country. Do not consume without producing. Idleness is desertion.
 - (9) Accept without murmuring the privations which are imposed upon you. Reflect upon the sufferings of those who are fighting for you, upon the martyrdom of the population whose hearths have been devastated by the enemy.
 - (10) Remember that victory belongs to those who can hold out a quarter of an hour the longest.
- Canadians might well take the above precepts to heart and act upon them.

ANOTHER INCREASE IN COSTS.

From the commencement of the war no business has been harder hit in the matter of increasing costs than the publishing business, and this, outside of the increase in wages, which every employer could foresee and make preparation for. These increased costs cover a long list of necessities in the publishing business. They include the collection of news, the leased wire service cost, which, with increased tolls on account of the war, amounts to hundreds of dollars annually. There come the increased cost of type metals and inks, oils, etc., all making for a total cost never before dreamed of in newspaper making. A part of this extra cost has been passed along, but to-day comes an announcement from Ottawa, sent by Canada's paper controller, which means annihilation for many papers, and an unheard of struggle for many others. The price of newsprint has again been boosted to \$3.45 per hundred, plus freight. But worse than the present boost is the order of the controller making the price set to-day retroactive from July 1, 1917.

In plain language, this means that, although newspapers have been paying \$1.04 per hundred pounds more for newsprint than before the war, they are now asked to pay a further increase of 60c per hundred, not alone on to-day's purchase, but on purchases made since July 1st last.

Mr. R. A. Pringle, the paper controller for Canada, has had a hard problem to solve. A bigger man would have found it hard. But it is doubtful if a man of heavier calibre would have been awed by the threat of the manufacturers to refuse to supply paper to publishers at the prices already set by the controller, especially if, backed by the authority of the Government, he was empowered to take over and operate the mills. The fact remains that to-day the publisher is faced with the problem of creating additional revenue if he is to continue in business. Increased subscription and advertising rates would seem forced upon the publisher for his own self-preservation.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

Footprints on the sands of time are not in it alongside of the deep impression made by the increased cost of news print.

It was quite in order for the Canadians to only make a small advance in the "Inchy" sector.

During August, there was another decrease in British tonnage sunk by "U"-boats, but no shrinkage at all in the crop of I. O. U.'s which Germany will ultimately have to give for such damage.

Oshawa in one day raised \$28,000 for the British Red Cross, or \$8-



000 more than asked. This is a pretty good sign of a red blooded populace.

Right now would be a good time for city churches to arrange amalgamated services during the winter months, for it is highly essential that every possible effort should be forthcoming in the matter of coal-saving.

The German chancellor made the assertion in the Reichstag: "We have never concealed the fact that all thoughts of conquest were far from our minds." He probably meant by the Allies, but "The Day" in that regard is rapidly approaching.

Your Problems ?? Solved ??

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D.
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 Dr. Linscott in this column will help you solve your heart problems, religious, social, financial and every other anxious care that perplexes you. If a personal answer is required, enclose a five cent stamp. No names will be published; if you prefer, sign your initials only, or use a pseudonym.

"THINKERS AND DOERS"—"Social Service" asks, "On which does the moral and spiritual progress of the world most depend, men of thought, or men of action?" This is something like asking which is of more service to a man his eyes or his ears? We cannot get along without men of thought and certainly nothing can be done without men of action. Men of thought see the needs of the world and plan a way by which they may be supplied; men of action then come along and do the work which has been planned. Personally we must both think, and do, or we shall amount to little and the world will be left in its misery.

GIVING AND GETTING.—W.M. B. asks "Which is the better, giving or getting?" The man who spake as never man spake said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." This is contrary to the practice of the average man, but in harmony with that of the followers of him who made this striking remark. There is no use denying that all normal men get pleasure out of getting; there is a fascination which comes from success, but there is a different and a lasting pleasure which comes from giving.

HERTLING HISSED IN THE REICHSTAG

Hardly Any Applause Greeted Speech of the Chancellor

Copenhagen, Sept. 25.—Disappointment over Chancellor von Hertling's speech is indicated by speeches from Berlin. The Vossische Zeitung says that the speech received hardly any applause from the majority of those who listened to it and with hisses from the minority, and that its reception leaves no doubt that at least a considerable part of the majority in the Reichstag regard his continuance in office as a hindrance to the new order of things.

Both the Vossische Zeitung and the Vorwaerts emphasize the need of the Government coming to an agreement with the Socialist program. Vorwaerts declares that the Chancellor's speech has widened the rift between the Socialists and the Government.

Theodor Wolf, in the Tageblatt, says that a new era is coming and that von Hertling belongs to a generation whose knell is being rung amid the cannon's thunder.

SPECIAL PRICE SET.

By Courier Leased Wire. Ottawa, Sept. 25.—The new price fixed by Paper Controller Pringle for newspaper manufactured by the Fort Frances is \$73 per ton, not \$74 as previously announced. This price is \$4 more than allowed the eastern mills, conditions in Fort Frances necessitating a higher price. The new order is effective to the first of next December and retroactive to July 1.



On the two-column map, the shaded areas represent the latest Allied gains. The Serbians and French are driving down the east bank of the Cerna river, towards Kavadar and Krovolak.

BRANTFORD SURE TO BE SUSTAINED

Protest Over the Saturday Game Will be Heard by O. B. A. A. Tonight

MORE ABUSE UTTERED

It doesn't go over, brother Waite, not worth a darn. By "it" we mean your propaganda, to place Hamilton in the place of the injured party as a result of Pratt and Letchworth's protest on last Saturday's game. By these presents, let all fans know that this Waite person, who hates himself and the Hamilton Beavers just like a peacock, has been raising the cry of "poor, persecuted Hamilton." "Anything to get Hamilton" would appear to be the slogan, The Hamilton Spec remarks last night. On the contrary, the Ambitious City has itself along to blame. It doesn't go over, brother Waite, not worth a darn. Kaiser Bill, Kaiser Karl and Co. aren't the only individuals who are hollering "kamerad" to-day.

Even ostrich-blind Hamilton would appear to realize at last that it hasn't a leg to stand on when the Mallesholms protest comes before the O. B. A. A. tonight. Accordingly, its league officials and sporting writers are resorting to more of the Billingsgate tactics of abuse which were plentifully in evidence on Saturday. The Spectator last night delivered itself of the following baldpate: "Because Hamilton has ever insisted upon sticking up for its rights, demanded a square deal and refused to let Toronto, Brantford or any other city walk on it in a sporting 'championship' it seems, it seems."

"Because there was a bigger crowd at Victoria Park last week than the Brantford team ever played before, the Beavers' victory has been proclaimed. And, with past experience to go by, it is being taken for granted here that the O. B. A. A. executive will, on this flimsy complaint, throw out last Saturday's game."

"Go to it, Beavers, and show 'em how to win ball games on the diamond, where ball games should be played."

"Just why the O. B. A. A. executive doesn't turn the spotlight up itself, and have a good look at the status of its own secretary, George E. Walker, is something that no sincere pure would like to know. Secretary Walker draws real money every week as sales manager of the Spalding Sporting Goods Company, of Toronto. It has been held that sporting goods dealers cannot hold office in the local amateur association."

"Why the distinction, President Smith?"

BOTH A HILL

By Courier Leased Wire. Cap Town, Sept. 26.—(Canadian Press despatch from Reuters).—General Botha, who recently has been very ill, has been ordered to take special treatment and a lengthy holiday. His doctors hope that by doing this he may make a complete recovery.

Brantford is sending a strong delegation to Toronto to attend the executive meeting to-night, backed up by documentary evidence in the form of affidavits by league officials. Secretary Bill Scruton is going to wear the collar which got in the way of a ripe tomato's trajectory after the game at Hamilton, as further proof of Hamilton kultur. From Hamilton comes the rumor that that city will not be represented at the executive meeting, but this is seen as more propaganda, artfully and vainly designed to lull Brantford into a sense of false security. Take it from those who know, Hamilton will be represented just as strongly as the law allows, and will fight tooth and nail. But the local delegates are confident of their case, and feel that Toronto and Kitchener will see eye to eye with them. If the game between the Beavers and Mallesholms is ordered replayed—as it is practically certain to be—an effort will be made to have it staged in Toronto, where a "proper diamond," proper police protection and fan-mad spectators will be obtainable.

Says the Herald: "Hamilton's amateur baseball association will not be represented at the meeting of the Ontario Baseball Amateur association executive in Toronto to-morrow night. The meeting was originally called for Friday but has been brought forward to Thursday."

The H. B. A. A. met last night to discuss the Brantford protest that arose from the Beavers' victory last Saturday at Victoria Park, and it was decided that none of the association officers would make the trip to the Queen City. Seven statements, however, from the H. B. A. A. members, President Waite and Umpire Frank Jackson are being prepared and will be sent along to be read at the meeting.

There seems to be considerable abuse being heaped on the head of President Waite, of the H. B. A. A.



Perhaps the child has wasted away with Consumption, or has been twisted into a mockery of happy childhood by Rickets, but starvation is at the root of the tragedy.

What else can be expected for a growing child whose daily ration is the bowl of soup and two pieces of bread provided by the United States loans to the Belgian Government?

The only hope for the destitute children of Belgium is that we who can afford three meals a day will be moved to pity and send help immediately. Even a small contribution will help to take some child, sinking under its load of trouble, over to Holland, where with good milk, nutritious food, medical care and loving treatment, he or she may regain health, strength and the wish to live.

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FRENCH LOAN.
 By Courier Leased Wire. Paris, Sept. 26.—The issue price of the new French 4 per cent loan is fixed by a decree to-day at 70 francs, 8 centimes, the 100 francs.

LONDON CLEARINGS.
 By Courier Leased Wire. London, Ont., Sept. 26.—The bank clearings for the week total \$2,386,661.

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A.O.F. HOSPITAL
 Another event of fact took place in Dalhousie street, September 21st, were dressed members from A.O.F. courts to into a mutual self the name of the Board. Officers followed: President Endeavor; vice-president Court Enterprises; Smith, Court Ind H. Edwards, Court Wm. Harris and J. J. Thompson, board expects to fill in the A.O.F.

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Local News

AMBULANCE OUT

The motor ambulance made a trip late last night to Campbell street to remove a person suddenly taken ill to the hospital.

THE MARKET

The market this morning was of a fair size, considering the weather. Potatoes, pumpkins, apples and cabbage were the chief items of produce offered for sale.

COMMITTEE TO MEET

The boundaries committee of the Board of Trade will meet to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Board of Trade rooms to finally decide on the boundaries to be recommended in regard to the various extensions.

CLOCK INVISIBLE

The clock on the city hall that has served more or less faithfully since its repair some time ago, was last night invisible to the public owing to the lights being left out. A burned out switch is held responsible.

ENGLISH MAIL

A heavy English mail was received by the post office authorities last evening, and to-day it is being distributed. This is the first one received this week which is the reason for its size.

HYDRO BILL

The cost of hydro for the month ending on September 23rd, for all the city buildings was \$20.16. This includes payment for the power used by the fire halls, city hall and all other public buildings.

NO CALL YET

The Government, it is announced, has reached no decision as yet in regard to the calling out of men for military service who have reached 20 years of age since the first class was summoned. These men, although 20 years of age, are now included in the 13-year-old class. Statistics have been compiled of the number of such men available.

A.O.F. HOSPITAL BOARD

Another event of far reaching effect took place in the A.O.F. rooms, Dalhousie street, on Tuesday night, September 21st, when some one hundred members from the different A.O.F. courts formed themselves into a mutual self help society under the name of the Brantford Hospital Board. Officers were elected as follows: President, J. Bond, Court Endeavor; vice-president, T. Cooper, Court Enterprise; treasurer, C. Smith, Court Industry; secretary, H. Edwards, Court Success; trustee, Wm. Harris and John Horning; auditors, J. Thompson, M. Carter. The board expects to fill a long-felt want in the A.O.F.

SWITCH COMPLETED

The switch into the civic coal yard in West Brantford has been completed, and the work of unloading will now be carried on in the civic yards.

BRANTFORD ROADS

Brantford roads are not in very good condition at the present time. Cr-crissings throughout the city badly need repairing, and the work was commenced this morning by the board of works department.

POLICE COURT

In the police court this morning, Mustafa Mamma, a Turk, who had thrown a large piece of coal at the head of Peter Lohi, a Russian, was allowed to go after paying the costs of the court, amounting to \$18.85.

AGAIN ADJOURNED

The long outstanding case against Etta Camp of keeping a house morally unfit for children was again adjourned at the police court this morning. The cause of the adjournment was to allow Mrs. Camp to procure her marriage certificate from Detroit.

MERCHANTS MEET

At 3 o'clock to-morrow a meeting of the Merchants' Club will be held in conjunction with the Board of Trade in the Board of Trade rooms. The subject to be discussed will be the proposed changes in the lighting system of the business streets of the city.

GIVEN TRY OUT

The giant pumper of the central fire hall was given a try out yesterday afternoon after the substitution of heavier drive chains had been made. The truck was found to be in excellent condition, and attained a speed of between 50 and 60 miles per hour on Brant Avenue.

CLASS ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Andrews entertained the members of their Bible Class at Grace Church Sunday School to a dainty supper in the Conservatory of Music building last night. Eighteen students were present to enjoy the good things served and the musical program.

AID FOR CHILDREN

At the regular meeting of the Children's Aid Society, held recently, a resolution was passed and forwarded to Mr. J. J. Kelso, at Toronto, in which the attention of the Government was called to the fact that many mothers, left with children dependent by the death of the head of the family, should receive from the Government aid of some substantial nature until the children are at least able to assist in their own support.

SODALITY AT HOME

Although the Knights of Columbus campaign for the Catholic Army Fund in Brantford does not formally open until the week after next, the fund was given a starter last night in the form of an at-home and euchre social by the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Mary's Church, held in the Knights of Columbus hall on Colborne street. The rooms were attractively decorated for the occasion, and the attendance was pleasingly large. The early hours of the evening were passed in card playing, after which refreshments were served and a musical program supplied by Beatty's Orchestra. Mr. Austin Ion, warden of St. Basil's Council, K. of C., was in charge of the ceremonies of the evening. Miss Conboy won the ladies' prize in the euchre tournament, and Mr. Corrigan the gentlemen's.

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AS THINGS ARE IN ENGLAND. Jones, aged 52—"How do you like army life?" Brown, aged 49—"My office boy is my sergeant, and my son is my commanding officer—and I have to ask the young beggar's permission to come home and see his mother."—London Bystander.

SITUATION TO-DAY

By Courier Leased Wire.

New York, Sept. 25.—The Associated Press this afternoon issues the following:

French and American troops today are storming the German positions in Champagne and further east in what apparently is another major stroke by Marshal Foch. The new offensive is progressing favorably according to early reports.

On the Macedonian front British troops have invaded Bulgaria as the Serbian and other allied armies pursue the hard pressed Germans and Bulgarians east and west of the Vardar.

The new Allied thrust in the west comes on a front which has not been very active since the Germans failed to advance in Champagne, and with General Potain's men. Great possibilities might result from a successful allied advance on the front east of Rheims as the German communications would be severed and the formidable enemy military base at Arras, to Laon endangered with the important southern end outflanked.

The length of the attacking front is not disclosed but it may possibly be from Rheims eastward past Verdun to southwest of Metz.

BULGARIAN TERRITORY

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but it is not believed that the army is faced with immediate disaster. The Italians who are advancing against the first army from the south must pass over much extremely rough country before they can get in contact with it.

It is believed that the first army, which is commanded by General Geshof, will be forced to attempt a retreat westward into the mountains on the Serbo-Albanian frontier. The country is very rough and it would be impossible to handle artillery. The matter of food supplies also would be difficult. The reports indicate that the Serbians who have cut the Ferman-Bulgarian communication are joining in the Allied race for Uskub.

Wounded—R. Ferrari, Windsor; R. Somerville, Hamilton.

Casualties Strike Three

Mounted Engineers: Wounded: F. Roswell, Niagara Falls.

Machine Gun Company: Killed in action: J. B. Skeoch, Fergus.

Ill: W. L. Steinmann, Amherst.

Railway Troops: Ill: E. B. MacDonald, Ridgeway.

Engineers: Wounded: C. E. Lordan, St. Thomas.

Forestry Corps: Ill: 3,105,586 Kivarkhan, Guelph.

Medical Services: Gassed: G. F. Mead, Thamesville.

PERSONAL

Miss S. Lies, of Toronto, is spending a week with Miss Lyle Johnston.

Miss Elliott leaves shortly for Montreal to take up a position there as nurse in the Victoria Hospital.

Mr. R. G. Blackie, of London, Eng., is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. Geddes, 5 Peel St., for a few days.

LAY SUFFRAGE ISSUE OVER. Washington, Sept. 25.—Plans for a vote by the Senate to-day on the Federal Woman Suffrage amendment virtually were abandoned in the midst of the debate. Chairman Jones of the Woman Suffrage Committee, Majority Leader Martin, and other leaders of both factions joined in private statements that the resolution would go over until Saturday.



INSPECTOR MULHALL

Of Toronto Police Force, whose inactivity has been severely criticized in official reports on Soldier's Riots.

HUNS CLAIM CAPTURES

By Courier Leased Wire. Berlin, Sept. 25.—(via London)—The capture of 50 French and Americans in Lorraine to the east of Moselle, is reported in to-day's army headquarters statement.

ANOTHER TURK ARMY SURROUNDED

By Courier Leased Wire

London, Sept. 25.—The 4th Turkish army on the Palestine front is virtually surrounded in the region east of the Jordan, and faces annihilation by Gen. Allenby's forces, today's advices show.

The total of prisoners already taken was increased to-day to 45,000.

The annihilation of the 4th army, now hoped for, would complete the cleaning up of the Turkish forces in Palestine, according to reports from the front. The precarious position of the Fourth Army may be seen from the fact that Arab cavalry and infantry are north of it, Arab and British forces east of it, and British to the south. All these are pressing inward on the enemy, while the Jordan, with the crossings, is in the hands of the Allies.

BABY'S BODY DISCOVERED IN CANAL

At about eight o'clock this morning Pat Shannon, an employe of the Western Counties Electric Co., while walking along the bank of the canal near the Starb Works, noticed the body of a small child floating down stream. He immediately notified the police, who in turn notified the firemen, who made a quick run with the lifeboat.

When the firemen arrived the body had floated about a quarter of a mile down stream with the current. The body was found close to the shore, about half a mile below the platform of the Brantford Starb Co. No coroner was in the city and this delayed the removal of the body for some time. The body was finally taken to the undertaking establishment of Reid and Brown.

No clue has been discovered as yet as to the parents of the child, a fully developed boy, naked, who to all appearances had been in the water at least 24 hours. The place where the body was found was on the south side of Mohawk Lake, where the water was only about two feet deep.

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MERGER APPROVED

By Courier Leased Wire. Trenton, N.J., Sept. 25.—The State Board of Public Utility Commissioners to-day approved a merger agreement between the International Harvester Company of New Jersey and the International Harvester Corporation. The commission said the merger will accomplish reforms in economy and efficiency for the two companies, which have a capital of \$70,000,000 and are engaged throughout in the manufacture, sale and repair of agricultural implements. The combined concern will be known as the International Harvester Company.

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COMING EVENTS

PARENTS AND FRIENDS OF B.C.I. are welcome at Annual Field Day to be held at Agricultural Park Friday afternoon. Admission 15c.

fred Street Rink, Brantford, Thursday night, Sept. 26. Fancy Dress and Racing. Prizes will be given. Admission, ladies 20c, gentlemen 25c.

KING GEORGE SCHOOL FAIR, Friday afternoon and evening 3 to 5, and 7 to 9. The long prize list, the many entries and strong interest promises a keen contest and a fine exhibition. Everybody come. Admission 5 cents.

JOINT MEETING OF THE MERCHANTS' Club and Brantford Board of Trade will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Board of Trade rooms in connection with the lighting question. All members are requested to attend.

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CARD OF THANKS. Mrs. R. Sanderson and sons desire to thank their many friends for kindness and sympathy shown them in this our time of sad bereavement.

TO THE CITIZENS OF BRANTFORD. As chairman of the House to House Canvass Committee I want to express my sincere thanks to all those who helped to attain the splendid amount reached. The postmen certainly handled their end of the work in good order and deserve great credit.

The handsome amount raised in Brantford in three hours speaks well of the citizens of this fair city. Yours faithfully, D. T. WILLIAMSON, Chairman, House to House Com.

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"CAPITALISTIC CAMOUFLAGE" IS CRITICIZED

Trades and Labor Council Frowned on "Stay at Home" Propaganda HOUSING PROBLEM

The housing problem was given a lengthy discussion at a short session of the Trades and Labor Council last night. The attendance was small but enough were present to constitute a quorum.

Several letters from N. P. Thompson. They were somewhat lengthy and it was decided not to read them.

The delegates viewed the advertisement in The Expositor "Home vs. Suitcase" with no great favor. Everything in the ad was contradicted. Camouflage declared several.

Regarding the plentiful (?) supply of houses one delegate stated that he knew that 66 people had applied for one house and house owners were asking exorbitant rents.

Del. Kite stated that all capitalistic papers were full of similar propaganda.

It was an insult to the working man he thought, to publish such "camouflage." Considerable favor met the plan of taxing empty houses.

In Scotland, delegate McGrath stated such a system was in force. Co-operative building societies were proposed; such were having good success all over Great Britain.

Meeting was then adjourned by Vice-President James, who accepted the chair in the absence of President Stinchcomb.

OBJECTOR FOR TRIAL

Niagara Camp, Sept. 26.—John Allan Carter, who had refused to put on a uniform on being tried to-day by a general court martial declared that the reason why he would not participate even in non-combatant military service was because his brethren of the Church of Jesus Christ had been imprisoned by the military authorities. He said that one of them had died at Selkirk as a result of the treatment he had received at the hands of the military.

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MACKENSEN ASKED TO TAKE COMMAND OF BULGARIAN FORCES

Czar Ferdinand Appeals to German General to Save the Country From Invasion—Complete Change in the Foreign Policy Impending

By Courier Leased Wire Paris, Sept. 26.—Fresh dispositions made by General Franchet d'Esperey, who has passed through Prilep, justified the belief that there will be an energetic exploitation of the great inter-Allied victory in Macedonia, says Marcel Huin, editor of The Echo de Paris.

MINISTERIAL CRISIS. Paris, Sept. 26.—In well informed circles there are reports that a new ministerial crisis and a complete change in Bulgaria's foreign policy is impending.

Martial law has been proclaimed in Sofia, according to reliable news printed in the German press, says The Journal of Zurich. It is said that the Bulgarian cabinet is in continuous session and King Ferdinand had a long consultation with Premier Malinoff.

Paris, Wednesday, Sept. 25.—(Havas Agency).—Monastir or Prilep will become the seat of the Serbian Government as soon as the Allied lines north of those cities have been definitely established, according to Dr. M. R. Vesitch, Serbian minister to France.

In discussing the Allied victory in Macedonia to-day, Dr. Vesitch declared that it was almost unbelievable that a success of such magnitude could be won at such a slight loss to the Allies. He said that one of the strongest corps in the fighting incident to the crossing of the Vardar, was made of Jugo-Slavs, which, he pointed out, was significant at the present time. Among the prisoners

taken by the Allies during the offensive were many Macedonians enrolled by force in the Bulgarian army. Rome, Sept. 26.—In conformity with a decision at a cabinet meeting Sept. 9, the Government advised the Entente Allied Governments that it considered the Jugo-Slav movement for a declaration of independence and the establishment of a free state to be in harmony with the principles for which the Entente Allies are fighting and with the settlement of a just and lasting peace.

The Governments in acknowledging the notification expressed satisfaction with the Italian Government's declaration.

WHEAT GOOD IN MANITOBA

September Frost May Have Hurt Next Spring's Seed Oats CROP CONDITIONS

By Courier Leased Wire. Winnipeg, Sept. 26.—The Manitoba Free Press publishes to-day a report of crop conditions in Manitoba at this time of the harvest. Only a few fields of late flax and green crop on re-seeded land remain uncut in the province. Threshing is more than half done in southern Manitoba and is beginning in the north.

Speaking generally, says the Free Press, the sample of wheat will be good. In many places late oats, barley and flax have been damaged by September frost and this may affect the quality of seed oats for next spring. The average of estimates as to yield is as follows: Wheat 18 bushels to the acre; oats, 38 bushels barley, 30 bushels; flax, 19 1-2 bushels; rye, 17 bushels.

There is a general shortage of men and threshing gangs everywhere are light. Fall plowing has been begun in a few places. The weather is ideal for farm work in most parts of the province, with very little frost at night.

SOCIALISTS FAILS.

By Courier Leased Wire. Paris, Sept. 25.—Pier J. Troelstra, the Dutch Socialist leader, who has been in Switzerland, has fallen in his effort to create an international Socialist league, with headquarters at Bern, it is reported here.

During his stay in Switzerland Troelstra had conferred with Swiss Socialists and it is said that Socialists from several Entente countries notably Italy, went here to confer with him. It is understood that the bureau if created, would have had a defunctist tendency and that efforts were to have been made to spread the movement through all countries at war with Germany.

Pre-Germans in the United States were to have been approached by agents of the bureau, it is said.

OTTAWA CLEARINGS. By Courier Leased Wire. Ottawa, Sept. 26.—Bank clearings \$5,742,028.

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Advertisement for Canadian soldiers with portraits of Mark H. Irish, Lloyd Harris, Sir Frank Baillie, Howard Murray, G.E. Morrow, and Col. A.E. Goddardham. Text: Canadians Whose Positions in Connection With War Duties Carry No Salary.

SEAPLANES

The Latter Warability D

London, Sept. 25. In which it is Marine fought by a seaplane capable destruction by an American Ensign J. F. Carson led by the Admiral. With sharp forward gun of the ing around his son manoeuvred to pour machine-gun felling two of the others inside. As he was getting close to the seaplane Ensign Carson re spot fifteen or twenty the U-boat was in the spot, and this were no traces of

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SEAPLANE VS. SUBMARINE

The Latter Was in all Probability Destroyed

London, Sept. 25.—The first case in which it is known that a submarine fought back when attacked by a seaplane resulted in the probable destruction of the submarine by an American aviator, Reserve Ensign J. F. Carson, it was announced by the Admiralty to-day.

With shrapnel from the elevated forward gun of the submarine bursting around his seaplane Ensign Carson manoeuvred until he was able to pour machine-gun fire into the crew, felling two of them and driving the others inside. The submarine submerged, and as she was diving two bombs were dropped on her.

Within a few minutes the bow of the U-boat appeared on the surface, and remained visible about four minutes. In this interval, bombs were dropped on the U-boat, and it is believed the undersea craft was either badly damaged or destroyed.

Ensign Carson's machine, with two others, was on patrol when the submarine was sighted on the surface, and the Ensign made for her. As he was getting into position to use his machine gun or to bomb the undersea boat the German fired five shrapnel shells, three of which burst close to the seaplane, doing it some damage. The other seaplanes did not take part in the attack.

Ensign Carson remained over the spot fifteen or twenty minutes, but the U-boat was no longer in evidence. After going to the base to get another machine he returned to the spot, and this time again there were no traces of the submarine.

FIFTY THREE HUN PLANES

Are Accounted for by British Aviators

London, Sept. 25.—Fifty-three hostile airplanes were accounted for by British aviators on Tuesday, according to the official announcement last night. Thirty-one of these were destroyed, and twenty-two driven down. Ten British machines failed to return.

More than 2,000 photographs were taken, and 12 1/2 tons of bombs were dropped in 24 hours.

Rifles for U. S. Army 5000 Daily

Eddystone, Pa.—More than 5,000 rifles each day is the present output of the country's target rifle manufacturing plant.

The Eddystone plant of the Middle Steel and Ordnance Co., is producing more than half the entire output of rifles in the United States. The goal set for 1918 is 1,200,000 rifles and the plant officials believe this figure will be exceeded by at least 200,000.

Eddystone is manufacturing the modified Enfield rifle—the Springfield rifle-Enfield, as it is called. This factory was built originally for the British Government. When war declared war the plant was commandeered by our Government.

In order that our Springfield ammunition might be used interchangeably with all rifles, the plant was ordered to build a modified Enfield re-chambered.

Like all war plants turning out supplies in quantity, the Eddystone factory impresses the visitor with its immensity. Here is the equivalent of a small town producing nothing but rifles. Under the orders of General Manager C. H. Schiacks are approximately 11,000 employees, 11,000 men and 2,000 women. There are 1,500,000 square feet of floor space under cover in the 26 acre reservation that contains the factory.

Rifles are made of highest grade nickel, steel and walnut. About 150 tons of steel and 10,000 "blanks" for gun stocks move into the factory every day. The steel comes in bars and rods from eight steel plants. I saw a stock on the shelves of \$5,000 worth of steel—the largest assortment ever collected. At another part of the plant are the dry-iron kiln, where the wood is seasoned before going to the mills that cut and work it into the beautifully finished piece that receives the gun barrel receiver chamber and magazine.

At the rate Eddystone is producing rifles, approximately 15,000 separate operations take place in this plant every day. Including the inspection operations. Not counting screws and assembled parts, there are 84 major parts in the modified Enfield. Each rifle requires two and one half months for completion. That means that there are at all times in process of manufacture at least 300,000 rifles.

No defective rifle ever gets into the hands of an American soldier. Before the barrel is assembled it is sent to a test room for a strength test. The pressure generated in the breach by the ordinary cartridge when it is fired is 15,000 pounds per square inch. Ammunition of the same size but loaded so as to generate a pressure of 70,000 pounds per square inch, is exploded in every rifle barrel, the inspector standing behind a steel screen as he fires the charge.



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See Prize List for Purses

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Leaves Market Street Station at 1:10 p.m.—Colborne St. station at 1:15 p.m.—Returning leaves Burford at 6:30 p.m.

The Dufferin Rifles Band will furnish the music.

Everybody Come!

The Pinch Hitter



It was tightening of the American belt that made this hit possible. The game is won if we keep it up!

FARMING IN FORMER DAYS

Old Man Tells of the Work Fifty Years Ago

Interesting Reminiscences of Aged Agriculturist

Plowing in his 73rd year on the farm he cleared half a century ago with a team descended from the first horse he bought, Wm. Hunter was visiting several weeks ago on the farm of his son, W. H. Hunter, of Egrement Township, Grey County. Mr. Hunter, sr., lives in a second house on the old farm, with his wife, who is still vigorous and hearty, and takes a great interest in the operations of the new milking machine.

Mr. Hunter's memory goes back vividly to the pioneer days in Grey County. The "old survey" along the Garafraxa Road, was already being plowed and everybody came in to take a part in clearing up the "new survey" on either side of it. The first houses were 10 x 20 foot shacks, and the forest was all to clear.

"But still we lived tolerably well," recalls Mr. Hunter. "There was always flour and potatoes and pork. There was a flour mill at Durham then and everybody came there from miles around. I can recall the first winter, how the mill used to be so busy that two bags of wheat was all they would bring in those hard days."

"The most stock you would find on a bush farm at first was a yoke of oxen and a cow. But lots hadn't either and got along all right at first. Most everybody kept pigs."

"Was there much hardship?" he was asked. "Hardship! There wasn't any hardships," he exclaimed. "The people were good to each other, and very neighborly, and exchanged work all the time. I can always plenty to eat and drink especially drink."

"A Winter on Turnips."

"There was one case, though, of a man who was too proud to go into debt, who lived all one winter on turnips. He didn't need to do it, but he was an Englishman who was very set in his ways and was afraid of debt. As soon as he could afford it he lived as well as any other folks."

It was in 1864 that Mr. Hunter, sr., got possession of "Hillview Farm" at a tax sale. It wasn't "Hillview" then, perhaps, but to-day one can stand beside the house and gaze over a great semi-circle fifteen miles in radius of rolling country, fertile fields and wood and swamp lands—the farm is well named, and the site a beautiful one.

In addition to clearing his own farm, Mr. Hunter cleared two or three hundred acres besides. He and another man would chop thirty or forty acres a winter on contract. Money was scarce, and the chopping would be done one winter and paid for the next.

Much of the clearing of the chop-land was done in logging bees. "Six, eight or ten yokes of oxen with five men to each team would cover a bit of ground," he says.

"Were there competitions?"

"Yes, there was always a little racing, but they'd have done a heap better work if they had had less whiskey. They would get lots of whiskey if they got nothing else. The frozen wheat would be taken to the still at Varney (for we had the wheat frozen sometimes) even in those days and traded for whiskey."

"Did everybody drink then?"

"There were always a few wouldn't touch it, but most men did—and some of the women, but you needn't put that in; they're all dead in their graves these many years."

Stones Worse Than Timber.

After the logs and timber were piled up and burned, the first year's crop was put in among the stumps, being merely scattered broadcast and then dragged over with a "drag" to cover the seed. The soil was so worked up with the logging operations that plowing was not necessary.

"We hardly ever plowed a new fallow," said Mr. Hunter, "but the seed was dragged it sometimes was scarcely covered, but it always gave a great crop."

The next year we'd root through it with a plow, but it wasn't what you'd want to call plowing on account of the roots and stones. There was ten times as much work in getting the stones off as the timber.

"The new land always gave a first class crop of spring wheat, yielding from twenty to thirty bushels per acre. It was pretty near all spring wheat, and we began to get horses and break up the grass fields, ten or fifteen years later. I remember how an uncle of mine in Normandy took up a small part and sowed about four acres of fall wheat. His got forty bushels to the acre. The grass land gave a good yield, but it wasn't a dead sure crop."

"Spring wheat was a sure crop until it played out when they kept cropping in one place."

"The merits of proper crop rotation were not so fully appreciated in those days of virgin soil as they are to-day. And indeed, the farming methods of that locality in those early days was probably very hit and miss affair, based on the school of experience."

"There were only one or two men on the neighboring farms who had farmed in the old country," said Mr. Hunter. "The rest were mechanics, masons, blacksmiths, weavers, colliers, and all sorts of things. We all worked together and chattered work."

"What about changing advice?"

"Oh, a little, but a lot of them wouldn't take advice. The rule in changing work was two days' work in exchange for a man and yoke of oxen for a day's logging."

"There was very little money going, and when a man was selling anything he would sell it for two or three days' work." Then, when they'd be playing games of chance some of the worst would bet a day's work over the game."

Wife Helped at the Home.

While he took over the farm in 1864 it was some years later before he was married. In June of 1874 he had the shell of a frame house up and was married. "I was tired hammering alone at it, and she helped me," said Mr. Hunter. "We were married in June and the house was not finished until the snow flew. A man has no business on a farm without a wife."

"In looking back if you had to do it again would you come up into the bush and pioneer it?" we asked him.

Quite emphatically and without hesitation came the reply, "Do it over again. Yes, and enjoy it. Then it was all ax work, but now we have

GOMPERS HAS FRESH HONOR

Is Greeted by French Ministry as Representing the U. S. Democracy

Paris, Sept. 25.—In greeting Samuel Gompers and the other American labor leaders at a luncheon at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to-day, Stephen Pichon, the Foreign Minister, said he saluted Mr. Gompers as the agent of the great working democracy of the United States, which knew so well how to join its high conception of patriotic duties with the action it judged necessary for the defense of its social claims. The Foreign Minister also saluted Mr. Gompers as the inflexible interpreter of the thought which determined the United States to intervene in the conflict for the liberation of the world, and to push to the maximum the combined utilization of all resources and strength to destroy the Prussian military case and establish an international reign of peace, justice and right.

Premier Clemenceau arrived at the Ministry at the conclusion of the luncheon and talked with the American labor delegates for half an hour.

Andre Tardieu, Commissioner for French-American war matters and Minister of Labor Collard joined in welcoming the Americans.

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THE SILENT GENERAL

Napoleon, of the great renown, was fond of sounding phrases. He cried, "The pyramids look down," in Egypt, hot as blazes. He liked to hit a haughty pose, and try to look as stately as some huge Alp, whose loads of snow has advertised it greatly. As great a general as he now deals the iron rations, in charge of France's destiny, and that of allied nations. General Foch, who bears the biggest load that ever mortal carried, who chased the Teutons down the road, all rattled, beaten, harried! He is so busy with the Teu, the flood of vandals dawning, he has no time to elocute or do some epigramming. He hasn't time for gems of thought, like that old sport, Riens! he's out to see some Prussians shot, to keep Huns in a frenzy. Of high remarks he's not the fount, like orator and writer. "Realities are all that count," observes that grand old fighter. The fight is hard, the way is rough, the foes are stubborn stayer; "we came, we saw, we conquered" stuff will do for grand stand players. Reverses of the foe man mouny, our own are growing fewer; "Realities are all that count," Foch tells the interviewer. He is so busy earning kingly and squelching tyrant nations, he has no time to think up things for schoolboy declamations.

ERHAM Carry No

INVASION OF BULGARIA MAY BE EARLY TASK OF BRITISH

Foe Army, Out in Two, Retreats on Front of 130 Miles—Harried by Allied Armies—Resistance at One Point Only—Thirty More Guns Taken

London, Sept. 25.—The whole of the Monastir-Prilep-Gradsko road connecting up the two Bulgarian armies is now in the hands of the allies, according to news received here late to-night. The allied cavalry is within ten miles of the second line extending between Veles, Ishth and Prilep.

The enemy is fighting hard to obtain possession of this road and also the sector west of Prilep, and it seems to be a race for Uskub, as the allied forces are as near to the city as the Bulgarians.

The allies are now in possession of the whole course of the Vardar River from Givral to Gradsko. To night's reports say that the Serbians have taken thirty guns in addition to those already reported.

The Bulgarians are now retreating on a total front estimated at about 130 miles, the Second Bulgarian army, under General Feodoroff, being in a retreat before the British and Greeks on a front extending

chant, on the road from Monastir to Prilep.

Resistance is stiffening.

A despatch from Paris says that stubborn resistance is being encountered by the allied army under General Franchet d'Esperey on the Bulgarian frontier beyond Demirkapu Pass and Strumitsa station, where furious fighting is proceeding on the left bank of the River Vardar. The Bulgarians are holding strong positions on the heights protecting their own frontiers. This is the only place where they are offering much resistance.

With the expected fall of Veles, to which place the Bulgarians are falling back, it is believed that the next objective of the allied army will be Uskub, in order to re-establish the Salonik-Uskub railway communication. From Uskub it will be easier to move into Bulgaria than by attempting to enter through the Strumitsa district, where the natural defences are exceptionally strong.

Across Bulgarian Frontier.

Allied patrols have reached the Bulgarian frontier and at several places have penetrated into Bulgarian territory, but no infantry is yet on Bulgarian soil. The artillery steadily is bombarding the mountain passes through which the Bulgarians are removing their heavy material under the protection of strong rearguards.

May Lose Important Pass.

The Bulgarians in their retreat northward, says The Echo de Paris, are not likely to be able to defend the famous Babuna Pass, southeast

OVER FORTY THOUSAND

The Present Total of Prisoners Taken in Palestine

German Colonies Welcomed British Troops

London, Sept. 25.—More than 40,000 men and 260 guns have been taken by the British in their successful offensive in Palestine, it is officially announced this afternoon.

The British forces operating east of the Jordan apparently are in a favorable position to cut off the Turks retreating north along the Hedjaz railway. The British are now approaching Amman, on that railway.

Arab forces are pressing the retreating enemy northward from Ma'an. (Ma'an is on the Hedjaz railway south-east of the Dead Sea. Amman is 120 miles to the north.)

Welcomed by Germans.

Reuters' correspondent at British Army Headquarters in Palestine cables:

A few hundred Turks left behind at Haifa resisted our advance, taking advantage of the configuration of the ground with a marsh on one side and Mount Carmel on the other, but were finally driven out. The population gave out their most enthusiastic reception, even German colonists participating in the welcome. These Germans are mostly quiet emigrants from Wurtemberg, who came to Palestine on conscientious grounds. They complain bitterly of the Turkish exactions and lack of security. Their settlement was one of the most successful in Palestine.

Among the prisoners is a German major who wanted to leave Haifa with other German troops on the day previous to our entry into the town, but was compelled by the Turks to take part in the fighting. He spoke of the German mechanics working at Nazareth who might have escaped, but preferred to be taken prisoner rather than continue fighting with the Turks.

Everything is orderly in Haifa. The administration was taken over without the slightest hitch. The disposal of the thousands of prisoners is a real problem. The number is constantly swelling, and fugitives are coming from everywhere to surrender. The booty is inestimable, and includes a lorry filled with cases of Turkish treasury notes, which is a serious loss to the enemy, though useless to us.

Among the prisoners were 95 Italians who were captured in the recent drive and had been enrolled for forced labor. The difficulties of the Turks retreating north of Ma'an have been increased by the destruction of the railway near Derak. Our troops are also concentrating their attention on their line of retreat. Even if the Fourth army escapes, isolated garrisons to the south of Ma'an are in a precarious position.

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MORE UNIFORM DISTRIBUTION

Regulations Adopted With Reference to Coal

Which is Used for Individual Purposes

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—Regulations providing for the more uniform distribution of coal needed for industrial uses in Canada have just been approved by the Governor in Council at the instance of the Fuel Controller.

While the Fuel Controller endeavours as far as possible to avoid the imposition of rationing restrictions on the coal trade action was, in this case, forced upon him through arrangements recently completed for the shipment of United States coal to Canada on a system of regular monthly allotments. Complaints had also been received to the effect that many importers were discriminating in their coal deliveries in favor of their most valued customers. The regulations now passed are intended to promote fair and equitable distribution of industrial coal.

It is provided that all mine operators in Canada and importers of industrial coal into this country shall rotate deliveries of such coal amongst their customers in proportion to their requirements, so that no one industrial consumer shall at any time have advance supplies on hand while others are under-supplied.

A preference list of coal consumers is outlined in the regulations. These are referred to as "priority" consumers and include railways, military and Government buildings, public utilities, retail dealers and manufacturing plants chiefly engaged in the production of essential goods. Preference in the distribution of coal shall be given to these consumers in the order named.

Very drastic provision is also made against the unnecessary hoarding of coal on the part of industrial users, and heavy penalties are provided. Those whose operations require large advance stocks at the end of the present coal year must obtain special

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An extraordinary such thinking along in the "Kreuz Zeitung" paper, written and reputedly by that is, which may be his views, because it believes in been thinking aloud rather ponderous about German proposals these are its thoughts. It finds first of all the paganda has failed of proper control. It finds this "proper" control delay because the paganda will increase the abilities of decisive men diminish. That is, but it is not so, the methods which Zeitung would have which very carefully, most say conscientious plans.

The press is to be upon first "the German that of course; then press"—that also one to expect; but not the certain circumstances every press.

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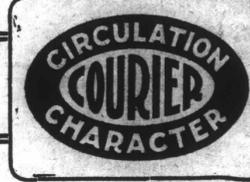
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GOOD PROGRESS

London Sept. 27.—Dr. Haig's force, which has been attacking on a wide front in the Sense River this morning, is reported to have advanced to a point where it is indicated that satisfactory progress is being made.

The Sense River stream flowing to the north, which flows past the British lines, is reported to be in a state of flood, one of the German bases on the Artois front. It is probable that the attack is being made for the purpose of driving a wedge between Cambrai and the south.

The British lines were slightly shifted over a mile to the north of the Sense River, the Field Marshal's report indicates that a progress is being made.

During the night operations were carried out in the Sense River, reports indicate that a progress is being made.

FRENCH STILL GAIN
Bulletin. Paris, Sept. 27.—Successful development of the offensive began yesterday. Champagne is reported to be the War Office. Over a field of attacks by the French between the River Sappe and the German front, the formidable positions of a depth of three miles were brilliant.

Paris, Sept. 26.—"I see German officers report on the most brilliant of all," says Gompers, the American leader, at a luncheon at the Club this afternoon. "What did we get into it they expect to have a tea us as the invited guests?" Those who have lived sword must be destroyed sword. I do not, retreat has come, for never other the democratic nations has so thoroughly united."

WEATHER BULLETIN

Toronto, Sept. 27.—A strong westerly wind, scattered clouds, and a little rain, mostly fair. Status westerly winds and a little rain.