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# The Toronto World

## FRENCH TAKE 40 VILLAGES

### Big Force of Germans Faces Immediate Destruction by French and Australians Between Nesle and Peronne Crossing--British Advance Further Eastward North of Bapaume --Enemy Retreat to La Fere is Threatened by Forcing of the Oise Line.

## Canadians Almost Thru Hindenburg Line

### FRENCH APPROACH NOYON GERMANS RUNNING FASTER

#### Fall of Railway Centre Only a Matter of Hours if French So Elect--Enemy Retirement Far More Speedy Since Fall of Chaulnes and a Halt on the Oise is Not Now Expected.

With the French Armies in France, Aug. 28.—The German retreat north of the Aves River has been far more speedy since the fall of Chaulnes than previously. Vigorously pursued by French troops and harassed by their own mustard gas shells, which they left behind and which are being fired from German guns by French gunners, the enemy is making haste to cross the River Somme in the region of Nesle and the Canal du Nord.

**FRENCH OFFICIAL**  
PARIS, Aug. 28.—In a swift advance today, covering more than six miles at certain points, the French troops south of the Somme recaptured forty villages, the war office announces to-night.

Roye is still inaccessible for occupation. The Germans were not able to use all the gas projectiles they brought to the present front, and large dumps of them fell into French hands. They are now being fired at the enemy from some hundreds of German guns the French first army has taken since Aug. 5.

After Chaulnes fell, Gemmeourt, to the north, and Septours were taken by the French, while later Crescy, Balatre, Champen and Roginlis, between Nesle and Roye, were captured, and more than a score of other villages occupied.

The statement says: "The enemy, under our vigorous thrust, retreated precipitately on a front of about thirty kilometres. We have gained the heights on the left bank of the Somme from Cizancourt to the region of Nesle."

Not to Halt on Oise.  
It is not considered possible that the German retreat will halt on the Oise, so close are the French pressing the enemy. French patrols reaching the region of Bethancourt this afternoon.

### MAY DECIDE BATTLE IN NEXT TWO DAYS

#### Developments Will Shortly Determine Fate of Hindenburg Line. ENEMY HAS TO FIGHT Momentous Possibilities Depend on Heavy Imminent Engagements.

Washington, Aug. 28.—Developments on the western battlefield during the next 48 hours should determine the fate of the much-awaited "Hindenburg line," in the opinion of some military officials here. With the strength of the line already materially impaired by the British wedge driven around its left flank and even more telling blows threatened by the steady advance of the French thru Nesle toward the Somme and by the British east of Arras, observers here believed that the scheme of defense popularly held in Germany to be the bulwark of the western front is in a fair way to become untenable before the main Teuton forces have been driven back to it.

### CANADIANS HOLD THE LINE ON BOTH SIDES OF SCARPE

#### Catch Germans Massing for a Counter-Attack From Jigsaw Wood and Wither Them With a Hurricane of Fire--Make a General Advance and Storm Sart Wood.

With the Canadian Army in the Field, Aug. 27, via London, Aug. 28.—The Canadian force is fighting on a wide front north and south of the Scarpe River, approximately from Gavrelle to Croisilles, but in this undertaking it is co-operating with the British division. This division has, however, attained pre-eminence in the role of the British army north of the Scarpe River. Today it captured Gavrelle, and advanced generally. This afternoon Canadian troops hold the line south of the Scarpe, immediately west of Pelves, thence south-east, passing between Jigsaw Wood and Sart Wood, then in a generally westerly direction to well east of Cerisy and Fontaine-lez-Croisilles. From here the line is continued by other Scottish troops to the western outskirts of Croisilles.

By a lucky chance we have inflicted very heavy losses upon the enemy. A bombardment by our heavy guns, assisted by bombing planes, upon the wood had been planned for 7 o'clock, the very hour selected by the enemy for a massed counter-attack. For this purpose the 35th German division had been brought up hurriedly by train and motor lorry. The hurricane of fire broke upon their massed formation just as they debouched on the wood. Prior to this the troops here engaged had accounted for every unit of the 214th enemy division, save for a single battalion. Nevertheless, later waves from both the Jigsaw and Sart woods, only to break down before our indomitable infantry, supported by our machine guns.

Long lines of prisoners were coming in all day. "What can we do?" said a high officer. "Our artillery gives us no support and we waste our time sending up SOS signals." "The battle is progressing according to program. To use the pet phrase of the German general staff four months ago, 'We have advanced several thousand yards since yesterday morning'."

## GERMAN FRONT IS SMASHED TROOPS CAUGHT IN A TRAP

### Armies Facing Allied Forces, From Arras to Soissons, Everywhere Are in Dire Peril and Are Offering Desperate Resistance in Attempt to Prevent Being Outflanked.

The Germans facing the allied forces from Arras to Soissons everywhere are in dire peril. On almost every sector of the battlefield the enemy line continues to crumble before the allied attack, notwithstanding the violence, burn of desperation, of the counter-offensive tactics.

Desperate resistance is being offered by the enemy in order that his men may have time to reach a haven of safety, across the stream, but the British are hard after their quarry, and with the French force routed the south almost up to the river to aid them by an outflanking movement, it would seem that the odds are heavily against the Germans.

The French along the Canal du Nord at various points between Nesle and the outskirts of Noyon. South and southeast of Noyon gains also were made, and Noyon and the entire region between Nesle and Soissons now are in a great pocket and with the French pinners working hard to close up on it.

### TODAY'S JOKE

Berlin, via London, Aug. 28.—The German official communication issued this evening claims the repulse of all allied attacks on various sectors of the fighting front. The communication follows: "Southeast of Arras renewed enemy attempts to break thru failed. The north of Bapaume and north of the Somme English attacks broke down with heavy losses."

## MANY ADDITIONAL TOWNS WRESTED FROM ENEMY

### Pelves Carried by Canadians--Remy and Haucourt Are Entered--Whole Front From Near Lens to Cambrai Road Involved in Advance--Croisilles Taken, Permitting Move Forward in Centre.

With the British Army in France, Aug. 28.—On both sides of the Scarpe River hard fighting continued today, the British launching fresh attacks and wresting from the desperately resisting enemy additional valuable stretches of ground, many more advantageous positions and numerous towns, including Croisilles.

**BRITISH OFFICIAL**  
LONDON, Aug. 28.—The Australians have reached the line of Fresnes-Herbourt, according to Field Marshal Haig's report from British headquarters tonight, but have met with much opposition in their efforts to reach the crossings of the Somme River at Brie and Peronne.

body of the Germans has retired from Hendecourt eastward. Extremely heavy fighting is in progress from a point south of Lens southward across the Scarpe River to the Arras-Cambrai road, but the British are making progress everywhere, beating down the German resistance with steady blows.

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# EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

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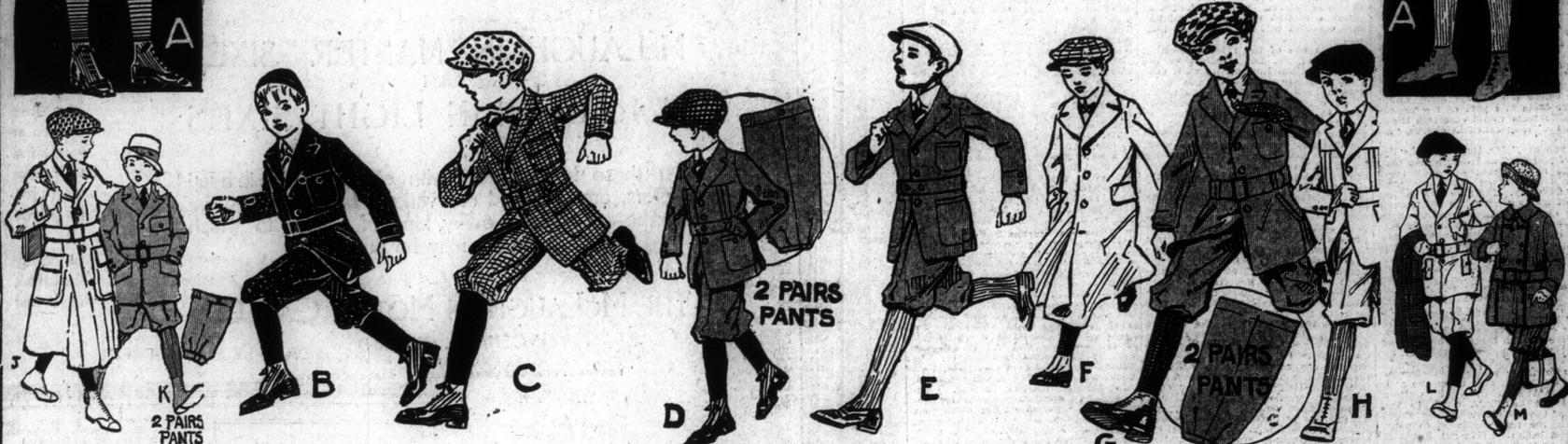
## About 1,000 School Suits for Boys 6 to 17 Years on Sale in Basement Section, Today, at \$3.95 Suit

### \$3.95 For This Item We Cannot Take Phone or Mail Orders, the Quantity Being Limited \$3.95

With the prices of materials as they are today, this offering is almost a sensational one—the reason for such exceptional values being that many of the suits in this and other special lots are made from factory ends of cloths. If you want to save on boys' school suits come early today. These suits are all in good wearing tweeds in mixed and stripe patterns in serviceable greys and browns, as well as plainer effects. They are in smart Norfolk styles, with yokes, pleats and belts providing a variety. Some pinch-back styles, too. Bloomer trousers are lined, and many have the governor adjustable fasteners at knee. Sizes 24 to 35, for boys of 6 to 17. These suits will be offered today in the Basement Section, and will be arranged on tables according to size, for quick choosing. Extra salespeople and cashiers in department. Cannot promise assortment of sizes after half an hour's selling. Today, special, per suit \$3.95



### B to H Are Seven Big Specials Also in the Boys' Clothing Department on Main Floor



- J—Tweed Rain-coats**, in dark heather mixture, single-breasted, belt at waist. Sizes 28 to 34. Price \$16.50; 35 and 36 \$18.00
- K—Fall Suits**, in dark grey broken check; have box back and loose belt at waist; flap pockets. Two pairs bloomers. Sizes 25 to 28. Price \$13.50
- L—Navy Blue Cheviot Serge Suits**, in 3-button, single-breasted Trench model; inverted pleat at each side of back only. Belt at waist fastened with buckle; slash pockets. Bloomer pants. Sizes 26 to 30. Price \$16.50; 31 to 35. \$18.00; 36 and 38. \$19.00
- M—Junior Suits**, in navy blue or wine shade fancy corduroy. Trimmed with black outcathie braid down front and sleeves. White plique detachable collar. Sizes 3 to 8 years. Price \$10.50
- B—This lot of Suits for boys 6 to 10 years**, smartly tailored, and in a fine assortment of patterns, being made from cloth ends from our own factory. Greys in overplaid checks, pin checks, pick and pick, or stripe patterns, medium dark or light shades. Sizes 24 to 28. School special. \$6.95
- C—Fancy Norfolk Suits**, some with extra bloomers, mostly greys, in various check patterns, mottled effects, and fine stripes. Coats are in plain or pleated effects. Sizes 24 to 28. School special \$8.75
- D—Smaller Boys' Tweed Suits**, with extra bloomers, mostly greys, in various check patterns, mottled effects, and fine stripes. Coats are in plain or pleated effects. Sizes 24 to 28. School special \$8.95
- E—Suits for boys from 8 to 17 years**, in mixed grey or brown patterns, in smooth or rough-finished tweeds. Coat has pleats at back only. Roomy-fitting bloomer pants. Sizes 28 to 35. School special \$6.85
- F—Manufacturer's clearance of Boys' Sample Rain-coats**, tweeds or paramattas; only a few coats of any one pattern. Fawn, grey, or brown tweed mixtures, also in fawn or olive shade paramattas. Plain slip-on or belted models, all single-breasted, with wind-strap on sleeves, and seam, taped, and cemented seams. Sizes 22 to 34. School special, Thursday. \$3.95
- G—Suits, with 2 Pairs of Bloomers**, fine, closely-woven tweeds, also in worsted finished tweeds; big selection of patterns in mixed greys or browns. Only a few suits of a pattern; with two pairs of bloomers. Sizes 29 to 34. School special. \$10.75
- H—Grey or Brown Suits**, in several smart, neat patterns; tweeds mostly in rough finish; strong body linings. Bloomer pants; sizes 28 to 35. School special \$7.95

### Men! Tweed Rain Proofs, Special, \$11.75

A Two-Purpose Coat and at an Unusually Special Price. Certainly That's a Worth-While Offer

It's a collection of belted and slip-on styles. All have convertible lapels. There is a good choice of patterns, small checks, fancy mixtures and self shades, in medium and dark greys and browns. Seams are sewn and cemented. Sizes 34 to 44. In clearance today at special, \$11.75.

—Main Floor, Queen St.

### A Few of the Things the Boy Will Need for School Wear Besides a Suit

Merino Underwear, 59c; Sweater Coats, \$3.00; Suspenders, 25c; Print Shirts, \$1.50; Shirt Waists, 85c.

Things that he will like as far as looks and fit go. Things that mother will like, too, because of their good wearing qualities and reasonable prices:

- Boys' Light-weight Cotton Merino Shirts and Drawers, have sateen facings, pearl buttons and suspender tapes on drawers. Sizes 22 to 32. Garment, 59c.
- Boys' Sweater Coats, in plain or fancy stitch, in grey, slate, brown or navy; have two pockets, shawl collar and ribbed cuffs. Sizes 26 to 34. Each, \$3.00.
- Boys' Pyjamas of flannelette (in various colored stripes), with military collars, breast pocket, and girdle at waist. Sizes 24 to 34. Each, \$2.00.
- Boys' Suspenders, with kid ends and nickel trimmings; in cross-back and police styles; in plain white and white with blue stripes, 25c.
- Boys' Print Shirts, with soft double cuffs and stiff neckbands, pearl buttons. Sizes 12½ to 14. Each, \$1.50.
- Boys' Shirt Waists of percale, with soft attached collar, breast pockets, and single button cuffs, in light grounds, with blue, black and mauve cluster and single stripes. Sizes 6 to 16 years ("EATON" make). Price, 85c.

—Main Floor, Centre.

### Sheffield Made Steel Pocket Knives, Reduced Price, Each, 25c

These four lines are of Sheffield manufacture, strongly made, and with good, serviceable blades. One pattern is a 4-inch heavy make, with imitation stag handle, steel lined, and with a broad 3-inch blade, and bolstered end. Another is similar make, but smaller, and with a blade 2½ inches long. A third pattern has 2½-inch blade, and cocco-hola wood handle. The fourth pattern is a two-bladed knife, with a black cross-cut, brass-lined handle, with one pocket and one pen blade. Special reduced price, today, each, 25c.

—Main Floor, Yonge street.

## THE T. EATON CO LIMITED

### NEWS OF LABOR

#### C.P.R. OPERATORS WILL NOT STRIKE

Dispute Between Men and Company Goes to Labor Appeal Board.

The 600 operators of the C. P. R. in Toronto will not go out on strike, as was expected. An eleven hour decision has intervened, and the disputes between the company and its employees will now be referred back to the labor appeal board. Altogether this decision will affect about 7500 telegraphers throughout the Dominion. More than 4000 C. P. R. men are involved and 2500 G. N. W. men in Toronto about 1200 men will be affected. In the meantime the operators express belief that D. Campbell, the mover of the minority report, will be able to convince the labor appeal board that

#### PLUMBERS' STAND.

Want Ten Cents an Hour More for Work on Ships.

John W. Bruce, business agent of the plumbers of Toronto, stated yesterday that the only issue between the plumbers and the two ship-building yards, the Toronto and Polson's, was a matter of increasing the wages ten cents an hour over those received some months ago. All the other firms in Toronto had agreed to this raise, including the Dominion

#### TWO WRITS ISSUED.

Two writs have been issued at Osgoode Hall against the Toronto Railway Company. One, in which Mary Ann Simpson claims \$15,000 damages for the death of her husband, James T. Simpson, who was killed when the motor car he was riding in was struck and crushed between two heavy street cars on East Gerrard street, and the other is where Allan I. Simpson, son and driver of the car, is claiming \$3500 damages for injuries received in the same accident.

#### CLAIMS ALIMONY.

A writ has been issued against Alfred Joseph Neville by his wife, Annie Neville, of Toronto, who is claiming alimony.

### NEW TABARD ROOM OPENS SATURDAY

Basement of King Edward Hotel Remodeled at Cost of \$75,000.

The public of Toronto will be given a surprise on Saturday when the new tabard room at the King Edward Hotel is opened. The entrance to this room will be from Victoria street, next to the present entrance, and will lead directly to the basement, where \$75,000 has been spent in improvements. The old grill and billiard rooms have been transformed into one of the most handsome eating places in Canada, where service on a club plan will be made attractive to ladies and gentlemen. The club breakfast will be served for 60 cents, luncheon for 75 cents and dinner de luxe for \$1.50. Dancing also will take place there, and Luigi Romanelli's orchestra will provide the music.

Col. W. S. Dinnick, who is interested in the United Hotels Company, informed a reporter for The World last night that the King Edward is filled

#### MISSING BOY FOUND.

Eddie Pace was Working on a Farm at Schomberg.

Eddie Pace, of 12 Wood street, who ran away from home, has returned after having been away more than five days. He was brought back from a farm in Schomberg by his father. The lad had visited this farmer some months ago as a friend of the family. Mrs. Pace said yesterday that it was difficult to understand how Eddie had been able to make his way into Schomberg because when he left home he had little or no money upon him. Eddie said that he took a street car to the limits of North-Toronto. From there he had a lorry ride a little way into the country. He walked to Schomberg by relays after this.

"Wasn't it strange?" said Mrs. Pace. "A lady at Oak Ridges had noticed your story of Eddie's disappearance and telephoned in to me to say that a lad of his description had stopped a little while at her farm. Sure enough, Eddie had stopped there."

Eddie's mother had already tried to get him on to a farm thru the medium of the resources committee, but the woman in charge had pointed out that he was too young.

Mrs. Wilson, of 96 Wood street, has heard no more of her son officially. Yesterday she stated she was working upon a clue which she hoped might lead to information as to his whereabouts.

#### FROM WIFE'S HOME.

The funeral of the late Driver Joseph Vanderhout, who died from consumption after having been gassed in France, was held from the home of his wife, not his mother, as was inadvertently stated.

#### RETREAT PRECIPITATE.

Paris, Aug. 28.—The German retreat on the Somme battlefield has become precipitate. The French first and third armies are at no point losing contact with the enemy. The French are inflicting heavy losses on the retreating Germans.

#### FIGHT OVER TRANSFER ENDS IN ARREST

As the result of an argument over the time punched on a street car by Ernest George Rota, 3 Ernest avenue, a conductor on a Harbour street car was arrested last night by Policeman Savage (473), of Ossington avenue station, on a charge of aggravated assault. The complainant is Charles Healy, 245 Symington avenue, a passenger on the car.

According to the police of the division, a woman who was with her husband, a returned soldier, with one leg, offered the conductor a transfer which he refused. An argument ensued, and it is alleged by the police that the woman left the car, and the conductor followed and struck her. The woman's husband, the returned soldier, then got up and went out to protect his wife. Rota then turned on him and, it is said, knocked him down. Healy, witnessing the affair then got out of the car to take the soldier's part, and the conductor turned on him and knocked him down and bit him in the arm so severely that medical attention was needed.

Just as the fight was at its critical stage the policeman arrived on the scene, and placed the conductor under arrest. Healy was severely cut in the arm where Rota's teeth penetrated his coat.

### WOMEN SEET THRU IN SPITE OF RAIN AT THE EXHIBITION

#### Undaunted by Heavy Rain, They Play the Game With Great Determination.

#### CROWDED THE BUILDINGS

Various Displays Held Attention of Visitors When Weather Was Bad.

Wednesday's attendance... 48,000. Same day last year... 44,000. To those for whom women's day makes a special appeal the weather at the exhibition yesterday was to say the least disappointing. But the women, who there were many thousands, braved the rain, and by their determination and grit made the day more of a success than it otherwise would have been. The greatest compliment that could be paid to the women who took part in yesterday's proceedings is that they were undaunted and elsewhere would be to say that they emulated the spirit of the men at the front by "seeing it thru." This they did in spite of the heavy downpour. To see 7000 women and girls carry out their program under most serious difficulties with such a true spirit of "playing the game" was really worth while. They assembled behind the scenes in front of the grand stand while it was yet raining, and when there seemed no prospect of clear weather, "Cully" Ross asked them if they wished to go ahead with their demonstration or retire to the grand stand, where the French band would play for them and part of the vaudeville performers would entertain them. "No, no," they called in chorus, "we will go on."

"As you say," Mr. Ross replied, "I'm game if you are," and determined that a "little rain" should not spoil their efforts, they carried out their program admirably. The rain was pelting down at its heaviest when 400 women in Red Cross costumes marched on to the stage, and the yin turn were followed by the munition workers and others, creating the greatest enthusiasm for their undaunted spirit. Same Spirit Everywhere. Everywhere this same spirit was manifested. The girls selling programs for the benefit of the Red Cross Society were just as plucky as their sisters in the parade, to say nothing of the interested people, who seeing the women carrying on, formed an appreciative audience, rain or no rain.

### RAIN INTERFERED IN TRAP SHOOTING

Conditions for the second day's trap shooting at the exhibition were not favorable to good shooting. A heavy fog hung over the lake and the rain bothered many of the shooters, who wore glasses. However, despite the unfavorable weather some good scores were hung up. James Vance, from Tillsonburg, while shooting in the doubles, had a narrow escape from having his hand badly cut by the exploding of his gun barrel, but he was able to resume shooting later.

The first three high men in the doubles were from 401 E. Front St. Sallibus, 48; Norman Gooderham and R. Dill were tied for third place with 40. In the shoot off Gooderham beat Dill 17-13.

### FIRE CHIEFS DISCUSS INTERESTING SUBJECTS

All arrangements made by the chiefs for yesterday afternoon were rudely upset by the downpour of rain. A number of tests scheduled for the afternoon were postponed till the weather is finer. During the rain the chiefs held a round table discussion on pulmotors and other matters. Demonstrators were present to show the value of these machines in case of emergency. Smoke helmets were also exhibited, but an actual fire demonstration will be held today to show the helmets working under fire conditions.

Following the failure of the tests, the chiefs journeyed to the plant of the Gutta Percha Company, where they inspected the plant, particularly the hose department, to watch the manufacture of hose. After the trip of inspection the visitors went to the island, where they were the dinner guests of the American La France Fire Engine Company.

### CREATOR'S BAND

- Thursday Afternoon.
- 1. March—"Parade de la Garde".....Kessels
  - 2. Overture—"Tutti in Maschera".....Pacini
  - 3. Menuet—"Adagio".....Paderewski
  - 4. Selection—"Mikado".....Sullivan
  - 5. Waltz from "Faust".....Gounod
  - 6. Intermezzo—"The Mill".....Gillett
  - 7. Polka—"La Sirena".....De Angelis
  - 8. Grand Selection from "Ballet Music".....Marengo
- Thursday Night.
- 1. March—"Amore e Patria".....Gemina
  - 2. Overture—"Mignon".....Thomas
  - 3. Waltz from "Arlene".....Ferdinand
  - 4. Grand Selection—"Madame Butterfly".....Puccini
- Friday.
- 1. Waltz—"Dolores".....Waldteufel
  - 2. Intermezzo—"The Mill".....Gillett
  - 3. Polka—"La Sirena".....De Angelis
  - 4. Grand Selection—"Madame Butterfly".....Puccini
- Friday Night.
- 1. Irish Caprice.....Crestore
  - 2. St. Patrick's Day.....Crestore
  - 3. Last Rose of Summer.....Crestore
  - 4. Garry Owen.....Crestore
  - 5. Killarney.....Crestore
  - 6. The Harp That Once Thru Tara's Halls.....Crestore

### Features for Allies' Day

Today is Allies Day at the Exhibition, and as such will be specially recognized. Good weather alone could not make this day a success. Among the features will be the visit of Hon. Dr. Beland, who will give a public address at 5.30. During the evening performance there will be an innovation. Creator's band will represent Italy, the French band will represent France, a band from Buffalo will represent the United States, the Polish band is coming from the Polish camp at Niagara, and Toronto bands will represent Great Britain. In all, there will be nine in an immense military tattoo. A three-day series of whippet races will open in front of the grand stand at 6 o'clock. Sir William Hearst will review about 1,700 Boy Scouts in front of the grand stand at 8 o'clock. The boys are coming from Toronto, Brockville, Brantford, Hamilton and intermediate points.

### EXHIBITION NOTICES

#### GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS MAKE FINE DISPLAY

#### FLAX EXHIBIT ATTRACTS INTERESTED VISITORS

#### A New Display That is Most Creditable

The "All-Canadian Route" From the Atlantic Westward, is Shown on Map. Proudly pointing to a huge map of Canada on which the lines of the Canadian Government Railways are depicted by rows of red lamps reaching from Halifax and Sydney on the Atlantic coast, to Winnipeg, the gateway of the golden west, a large and lifelike statue of Jack Canuck directs attention to the fact that nearly a million and six hundred soldiers have traveled this route without mishap. This is one of the most interesting features of the fine exhibits in the government building, giving as it does a comprehensive idea of the great growth in a few years of the system of government-owned and operated lines in Canada. Over the lines of red ink the moving shadows that represent the moving trains that bridge the distance between east and west, the direct passenger trains, the troop trains and the munition trains that convey the products of Canada to the seaboard for shipment overseas, it is a fascinating study in Canadian railway geography and history as well. The map shows that within a short time five small railways in New Brunswick have been absorbed into the government system. The completion of the great Quebec bridge has linked the line north of the St. Lawrence with the government lines south of the river, shortening the distance between Halifax and Winnipeg by some 200 miles.

A splendid painting of the Quebec bridge is shown, which gives a better understanding of the immensity of this great national work, which in the annals of the engineering triumphs of the world has never been equaled or rarely equaled, for boldness or construction, excellence of detail and uniqueness of design. It is by far the greatest of public works ever undertaken by Canada. The difficulties of its construction are now a matter of history. It stands completed, having recently withstood a tremendous test which proved its reliability beyond all doubts, and is now the great connecting link between two vast continental systems and the railways that reach the Atlantic seaboard. It is destined to play a great part in the development of Canadian traffic. There is a fine painting also of the St. John River Valley in New Brunswick, the chief sections of which are now served by the Canadian Government line. Soon the final link of the valley railway reaching to St. John will be completed and fertile parts of the valley will be afforded the best of railway facilities. The Government Railway display is very attractive, its brilliant lighting and attractive arrangement attracting the attention of the many visitors. The representatives of the railway—Mr. Lindsay of the traffic department, Mr. McLean of the New York, traveling passenger agent, Toronto—have some very finely illustrated literature to distribute and are willing at all times to talk travel and give out information.

#### ONLY PURE MATERIALS USED.

The display of biscuits given by the Christie, Brown Co., Ltd., at the Exhibition is somewhat different from the average. On a corner in the manufacturers' building is the booth, which has all the appearances of a real store. Entering the screened door, however, instead of the usual counter, the visitor finds a comfortable chair to rest and view the exhibit. The Christie, Brown Company are well known, and having a reputation to live up to, they have never failed. The government ordered substitute used, and the company had never done such a thing before, they are now making all biscuits according to government regulations, using only the purest materials that can be obtained.

#### FINE TRACTOR EXHIBIT.

R. W. Warnock, who is in charge of the demonstration of tractors for the Massey-Harris Company at the Exhibition this year, is attracting crowds to his exhibit. "Production is the cry of the day, and what better way can a farmer aid production than by the use of a tractor to speed up the work? The Massey-Harris tractor can be operated in a very small space and is flexible and steered. It will develop 25 horse power on the belt and can handle a three-bottom plow under normal conditions.

#### DELICIOUS MAPLE PRODUCTS.

"That is delicious!" said a lady, tasting the sample given out at the booth of Maple, Limited, at the Exhibition. "What is it made of?" The maple butter in tins and jars and the maple syrup in bottles are attractively displayed in rows on the long shelves that are in the booth. The maple butter contains pure cream, and is thicker than butter, in fact is more like a heavy maple cream candy. And it is so good that visitors usually go around and come back for a second sample.

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Propeller can find a satisfying channel. Among the special features that make the boat unique is the fact that the lifting of the lever automatically controls the speed of engine and boat, vibration is eliminated, steering well and a beautiful Hudson seal cut, and there is automatic propeller protection. Material and work are absolutely guaranteed, and money refunded if the boat is not satisfactory.

#### MUMBY'S DINING HALL.

Dine at Mumby's if you are at all particular about the food you eat, and most of us are. There is no place on the grounds where you can get a wider variety of better cooked foods than at the J. A. Mumby restaurant. If you hanker for a fish dinner, you'll get it of greatest excellence at the government dining hall at the east end of the grand stand. These fish dinners are a feature of the Exhibition. Then there is the Mumby dining-hall, big, cheerful and cleanly, opposite the west end of the grand stand, where you get one of the best all-round full course dinners on the grounds at a reasonable price. Also there is the cafeteria and lunch counter to be remembered. Here an excellent menu is provided for the benefit of Exhibition visitors.

#### NINE MORE KITTENS ADDED TO CAT SHOW

A Strange Cat and Seven Kittens Are Found and Brought In.

The ribbons and awards were handed out yesterday to the cats at the Exhibition, and the cages were all gorgeously decorated with the gay ribbons, some cages having ribbons of three colors. Mrs. Fitzpatrick's gray Persian, "Sebastian," was awarded the prize as the best long-haired cat in the show, besides winning three specials. Mrs. Jones' orange tabby won the prize for best short-haired cat in the show, and also carried off seven specials. "Khaki Boy" had the most special prizes of any cat or kitten in the cat show.

### The Bilious Habit

Some people have bilious spells about every so often until they get to be a habit. The liver is at fault. Get the liver right by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and the bile will not collect in the blood until it poisons you. There is no one organ in the human body which has so great a control of health as the liver. Hence the far-reaching effect of this treatment.

### WOMEN PR

#### WONDER

#### Demonstration

Greatest of Canada's

#### LAUGHED AT

Not One Member of Assembly

The greatest wonder presented in yesterday afternoon at the National Exhibition was the rain. It was enhanced by the fact that it did not rain at all during the day, and when not one man in a million of the public grew of opinion was that the women were capable of standing in the rain for hours. The women were as splendid as the men.

The rain which fell throughout the morning was about 11 o'clock. The women who had prepared for the day were wet and bedraggled. Their position behind the counter was not improved. Many of the women had formed in order from the back of the line, and when they reached the front, they were met by a great shout of approval. The women were now in a position to be congratulated for their courage and endurance. The women were now in a position to be congratulated for their courage and endurance.

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### A KENT WRIST WATCH

For either Lady or Gentleman would make an appropriate and useful Exhibition souvenir. Kent quality and service is behind every purchase you make here.

#### LADIES'

Gold Filled Wrist Watches, 15 Jewel Movement, from \$12.00 to \$25.00.  
10K Gold Wrist Watches, 15 Jewel Movement, from \$22.00 up.  
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#### GENTLEMEN'S

Wrist Watches, 15 Jewel, from \$7.50 to \$50.00.  
Special Nurse's Watch, Sterling Silver Case, Leather Strap, 15 Jewel Movement, with centre second hand, \$13.50.  
Be sure and see our selection before you buy.

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### WOMEN PRESENTED WONDERFUL SIGHT

Demonstration at Exhibition Greatest of Kind in Canada's History.

### LAUGHED AT THE RAIN

Not One Member of the Assembly Who Wanted to Quit.

The greatest women's demonstration ever presented in Canada was held yesterday afternoon at the Canadian National Exhibition. In the minds of many, the greatness of the undertaking was enhanced much more wonderfully than it otherwise would have been because of the weather. When the rain that had threatened for hours did not daunt the thousands who gathered to take part in the assembly...

The rain which had threatened throughout the morning began to pour down about 11 o'clock but still the women who had assembled on the grounds kept on smiling and making preparations. For a time the rain eased up a little, but again about 2 o'clock it came down in continuous streams, and the organizations that came to the exhibition in contingents were wet and bedraggled, but not disheartened, before they even reached their position behind the scenery at the back of the platform.

Many of the companies had arrived and formed in order when the soldiers from the camp marched in to assist in arranging the different bodies of women, and when the men in khaki appeared a great shout went up from the lines. It was not because of the rain for this was Women's Day, women had no thought of taking from the gallant men who fight the honor of being first now, and here they were while there is fighting to be done for the empire and democracy.

A second great shout arose and echoed far over the grounds where the women were lined up with the air force entered, 100 strong, and the munition workers with their motors illustrating their activities. Under a forest of umbrellas the grand stand crowds found their seats, while those who were in the majority of cases had no protection other than their light uniforms, and they had to make their way thru mud so sticky and so deep in places that it is doubtful if the trenches themselves could have shown spots more difficult to navigate.

The performance proper opened under a heavy and continuous downpour of rain. Trumpets announced the coming of Miss Canada—personated by Miss Gladys Cooper—who, raised on a small platform, appeared swathed in the flag and crowned with wreath of maple leaves. Then came one of the most inspiring episodes of the afternoon. Out under the rain, and despite its torments, came four hundred white uniformed nurses. They marched as steadily as if under the sun of a fair June day. Shoulders to shoulders and splendidly in step, they manoeuvred and turned until they formed a great, glorious, white living cross, symbolic of the work of the nurses in France, Flanders, Britain and the war zone, wherever their service is needed.

A second contingent of nurses followed, running and ready to serve where their help might be needed at home. These two effective episodes were in the direction of Mrs. George Nasmith.

Following came the wives, mothers, daughters and sisters of the men in the army and navy, with the Earls-court division in the form of an anchor, and the women who had given the largest number of sons to the cause in a car. The boat float of the Navy League, with the picture of the figure of the admiral standing erect, the car of the National Ladies' Sailors' Guild, and the float of the Great War Veterans came next in line. The Red Cross workers followed. This was a particularly interesting section, representing as it did workers of every kind of patriotic endeavor for the sick and wounded. The contingent in their white uniform with the red cross on well and sleeve was most attractive, despite the effects of the weather. They were in charge of Mrs. Stearns Hicks. The cars of the allied relief, represented by Belgium and Italy, and the gay spot made by the living Italian flag came next.

Cheer Munion Girls. Cheers went up and a number of handkerchiefs followed the munition workers as they appeared in their blue or khaki uniforms with kerchief or cap headgear. The workers appeared on the great floats that were bordered on each side by a colossal shell. The girls represented only eight per cent of Toronto's workers, this being arranged in order that production would not be materially hampered.

Mrs. F. Fenton had charge of the School Girls' Nerves.

### School Girls' Nerves

When an undue amount of nervous energy is consumed in the brain there is bound to be failure of the other functions of the body. Digestion is impaired, the head aches—you cannot sleep, you are easily excited and irritated—feel tired and lack energy.

Dr. Chase's Nervine Food is a creator of rich, red blood and a builder up of the exhausted, nervous system.

### PROGRAM FOR THURSDAY

- 8.00 a.m.—Gates open.
- 8.30 a.m.—Patriotic Food Show and vocational training demonstration.
- 9.00 a.m.—Midway Shows under way.
- 9.00 a.m.—Cattle and sheep judging starts (dairy classes).
- 9.00 a.m.—Trap shooting tournament.
- 11.00 a.m.—Talk on merchandising, patriotic food show building.
- 1.00 p.m.—Model camp opens to public.
- 1.30 p.m.—Horse judging—"Big ring."
- 2.00 p.m.—Lecture on pictures, art gallery.
- 2.00 p.m.—Grand stand vaudeville.
- 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.—Butter-making—Dairy amphitheatre.
- 3.00 to 4.00 p.m.—French army band (grand stand).
- 4.00 p.m.—Lecture on pictures—Art gallery.
- 4.30 to 5.30 p.m.—Creator's Band (main band stand).
- 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.—Talk on making of a picture—Outdoor art studio.
- 6.15 p.m.—Gymnastic drill, model camp and guard mounting.
- 6.30 p.m.—Dr. Beiland, head stand, near manufacturers' building.
- 6.00 to 7.30 p.m.—French army band (grand stand).
- 7.00 p.m.—Grand stand performance.
- 8.00 to 10.00 p.m.—Creator's Band (main band stand).
- 8.45 p.m.—Fireworks.
- 9.00 p.m.—Spectacle, Britannia Militant.

munition workers and the girls of the Air Force. The work being done by Canadian girls on the farms was represented by a splendid showing of farmettes illustrating their activities at horse pulling, berry picking, truck gardening, and driving binders, tractors and trucks. The Women's Military Service Committee of the Y.M.C.A. had three splendid floats exhibiting their work in the camps, one float showing soldiers playing cards and singing, and another having a miniature library.

Women's Institutes were out strong with four floats, and in their colors—blue yellow and white—they illustrated their work along the lines of conservation, the blue-uniformed nurses typifying their medical work in the rural sections. Members of the Women's Volunteer Corps and a splendid representation of the W.C.T.U., with their floats, were an interesting feature.

The Girl Guides. True to type the Girl Guides in their natty blue uniform made a pretty showing, their smart walk speaking of the training they had received. A large body of the Salvation Army were also in line with float illustrating first aid, hospital work, social service, the Home League and Girl Guides. Representatives of the chapters of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, every chapter with its standard, and the welfare work for children represented by the car carrying little ones from the Preventorium, which is supported by the order, made a large section of the assembly. The Vimy Ridge Recreation Tent float was especially gay with flags and bunting, as was also the recreation tent float of the Canadian Girl Guides.

Before the parade of the floats the women came out in companies and massed upon the platform, among the foremost being the women of the various auxiliaries of battalions, all carrying shields with the number of the battalion in black letters on a white ground. As the women massed they made a brilliant picture, the blue of the nurses being a splendid foil for the white of the Red Cross section and the khaki of the farmettes and munition workers. As the sections mobilized the men of the French trench band in their gray-blue uniforms threw splendid spirit into the "British Grenadiers" and other patriotic airs, and were answered at intervals by "Keep the Home Fires Burning" by the instrumentalists of the camp band.

During the demobilizing and as the floats came off the field applause from the grand stand was continuous, and the playing of the National Anthem was conceded to be the finale of the finest spectacle of spirit and patriotism that could be afforded by any country the world over.

Among the cars and floats were: the Welfare for the Blind, decorated car; Toronto Women's Patriotic League car; Beaches Red Cross, four decorated cars; Daughters of Scotland; Toronto Y.W.C.A., three floats; Dominion Council Y.W.C.A., two floats; Liberal Women's Association float; Daughters of England; Home and School Council, two floats; Loreto Abbey and St. Joseph's Academy, decorated cars; Ontario Department of Health float; Home and School Council float; Settlement float; Local Council of Women, housing float; Queen Mary Hospital float; Catholic Ladies' Literary Society, decorated car; Brantford, Guelph, Gananoque and Whitby women were in the demonstration.

Munition and R. A. F. Floats. Canadian Pairbanks Morse, motor; W. H. Banfield & Son, motor; Toronto Plate Glass, motor; Wills Overland Company, motor; Canadian Airplane, Limited, 100 women, motor; Russell Motor Car Company, 50 women, motor; Royal Air Force, 100 women, motor; Hamilton Gear and Machine Company, motor.

St. John's Ambulance Corps was on duty during the demonstration. which was added to by cheers, and the singing of "The Jolly Good Fellow," the fellows in this case being the women present. Lady Hearst reviewed, reviewing the part that women had played since the war, and touching on the brave part played by the men overseas for the empire. "Our sons have proved among the bravest," she said. "We have reason to be proud of them, they have shown splendidly to the world the training received from their motherhood." Giving sons to the empire was the divine act of motherhood, and when a further call had come, the response was magnificent. Lady Hearst referred to the thousands of women in munitions and in the Royal Air Force, and to the things done by the Red Cross, patriotic soldiers' comforts, and other organizations, concluding with the thought that women were not going to stop, but were prepared to carry on. Lady Hearst then especially thanked Mrs. L. A. Gurnett for the splendid work she had done as chairman of the women's committee, and announced that Mrs. Gurnett would say something about the mothers of sons who were to be presented with service flags.

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### EVENING PERFORMANCE STOPPED BY THE RAIN

For the first time in seven or eight years there was no performance in front of the grand stand at the Exhibition last night. Not in those years has a rainstorm come that could not be warded off with, but yesterday far too much rain fell to make the great spectacle possible. Cully Ross, who is in charge of the performance, held out hopes until the very last minute and even had several loads of baled chips carted to the stage ready to make an attempt at showing if the rain stopped. It didn't.

He stands between you and slavery. Will you stand between his family and want? Sailors' week, Sept. 1 to 7.

**GRAY-DORT**

One motor car has won outstanding acclaim at Toronto Exhibition. Around one Exhibit there is always a knot of interested spectators. The Gray-Dort.

It has been thus in other years. This year the display is even more complete and interesting. New beauty of design and new standards of engineering skill are evident in each model.

This year two closed models are attracting unusual attention—the sedan and the coupe. You must see to appreciate the handsome finish and complete comfort of these luxurious light cars.

The Gray-Dort Special touring model marks a radical departure in light cars and has been an instantaneous success.

The regular touring car and the snappy 3-passenger roadster are there, of course.

A cut-open chassis completes the display. It enables you to see for yourself all those features of design that have made the Gray-Dort the quickest success in Canada.

Talk to the men at the exhibit. They know every inch of the Gray-Dort. Arrange for a demonstration.

The five-passenger touring car is \$1,195; the five-passenger Gray-Dort Special, beautifully finished, and with extra details of equipment, is \$125 more; the three-passenger fleur-de-lys roadster. All prices are f.o.b. Chatham.

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### Special Recognition.

Mrs. Gurnett explained that the women in question either had six or seven sons, and that at first the number of women known had been limited. Recently other names had been added, but it was impossible to present flags to all on this occasion. The women who received the badges were Mrs. Ruby Hall with eight sons, Mrs. Jowsey of the Province of Quebec, eight sons, and one daughter in the service of the government; Mrs. Rogers, Earls-court, had seven sons in khaki, and had received letters of appreciation from the King; Mrs. Aswood had seven sons, three of whom had made the supreme sacrifice; Mrs. Cooney, six sons; Mrs. Stitt, six sons; Mrs. Norman, six sons.

Sir Geo. Foster expressed himself as fortunate in being present on Women's Day. He knew something of the work of the women of the allied countries in Great Britain and in France. He had seen them behind the base line and in the hospitals and had everywhere been struck with their efficiency and self-sacrifice. He had seen the sympathetic connection between the nurse who was sometimes more than a mother and come away with the impression that the warrior in the trench may be more glorious, yet by the side of him were the women who are working in every direction.

Sir George referred to the 2,500,000 women who, in Great Britain, are doing the work which three years ago was done by men, and said: "Let no one say that women are not winning the war as well as men. Addressing the women the speaker warned them not for a moment to think that their work is done. This will only be when the war is done. Speaking of the mothers who had given their sons and lost them in the cause, Sir George declared that words were simply trash in trying to express the feelings of those who had witnessed the mothers as they were present today to receive their service flags. He warned the women present to see their faces like steel against any peace except that which should destroy the things for which Germany was contending and against which the allies were fighting.

Those invited to the luncheon included Lady Hearst, Mrs. Kent, honorary chairman, and Mrs. L. A. Gurnett, the tireless chairman of the parade; Mrs. Church, Mrs. Moran, Mrs. William Wallace, Miss Martin, Mrs. Selick, Mrs. Fenton, Mrs. Ruby Hall, Mrs. Muldrew, Mrs. A. E. Gooderham, Mrs. W. E. Sanford, Lady Pellatt, Dr. Helen MacMurchy, Mrs. Mc-

### ENTRIES COMING IN FOR THE BABY SHOW

Entries to the baby show, amounting to over 200, have been received for the competition which will be held in the dairy building on Labor Day. Dr. Edmund King will be in charge and he will be assisted by Mrs. Howard Spolin, J. H. Hill, L. J. J. Kiloran, R. M. O'Brien, A. H. Perreux, A. O. Canfield, P. C. Harrison, E. C. Dixon and A. Adams. All mothers entering their babies will receive a ticket of admission for both themselves and the baby. The actual weighing and measuring will commence at 12 sharp. The following points will be considered in making awards: Healthy appearance, good looks, method of feeding, the breast-fed baby taking first place against the bottle-fed baby; absence of physical defects, especially as the rickets; cleanliness, neatness of attire, expensive materials for clothing not being called for; proportions as to height, weight and circumference of neck and head being taken into account.

### TO ERECT A MONUMENT.

A monument may be erected by the members of Riverdale G.W.V.A. over the grave of Fred Moss, the late secretary of the branch, who died recently, partly as a result of overwork. Subscriptions may be taken for this purpose shortly. William Taylor, a splendid man who is not a member of the G.W.V.A., but who knew of the splendid work of the late secretary, has already subscribed five dollars for this purpose. He protects you with his life. Will you protect his dependents with your dollars? Sailors' week, Sept. 1 to 7.

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These were the wives and mothers, the sisters and the cousins and the aunts of the thousands who are fighting to save them from the Hun system on the fields of France.

Mr. George Foster reminded those present at the luncheon that 2,700,000 women in Britain were doing men's work that the war might be won.

Conan Doyle's Way of Peace. Sir Arthur Conan Doyle has written The London Evening Standard some pithy sentences giving his views of the war situation as it stands.

The Dying Empress. It is reported that the kaiser's wife is dying. It is not cynicism that makes one wonder if the story be not intended merely to arouse sympathy among the German people for a family which is not at present in very good odor.

Other People's Opinions. That Burning Question—Fuel. Editor World: Every day this matter is mentioned in your paper, until one would think the certain shortage must be universally known.

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A Line of Cheer Each Day of the Year

By John Kendrick Bangs. AS TO CERTAIN DOSES. I am not fond of bitter pills. I have no love at all for quills.

From the Papers of the United States. Hun "Love of Peace." New York World: The American people had nearly three years' experience with the "love of peace."

From Canadian Papers. Why Raspberries Are "Up." Edmonton Bulletin: The raspberry crop being the largest in years, priced raspberries are going up in price to prohibitive levels.

Rivalry in Aircraft. Ottawa Journal: Unless this war brings security to the future, the great nations, in addition to keeping up large armies and navies, would also have to maintain great air forces and to enter into a rivalry in the scientific development of this weapon of warfare.

Foulest Crime. Montreal Gazette: The war of the nations has witnessed no crime more foul or senseless than this (the killing of the czar and his young son). It adds to the detestation in which the Bolsheviks are held by decent people everywhere.

Our Orators Lack "Punch." London Advertiser: In these times of public notice a public man must possess the magnetic quality of an orator or the thing called "punch." Canada has never developed speakers who could give a good account of themselves in a public assembly.

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THE WIFE

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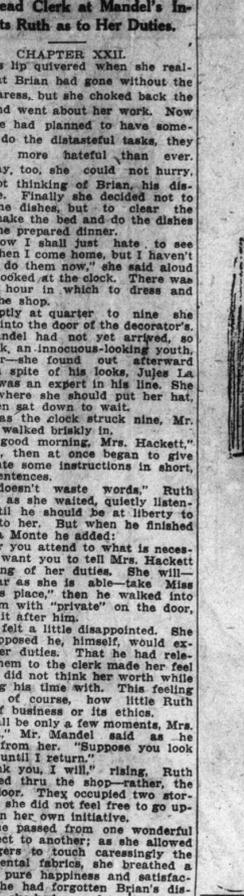
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MT. RENAUD RETAKEN IN FRENCH ADVANCE

Paris, Aug. 28.—French troops have re-occupied Mt. Renaud, two miles south-west of Noyon, according to The Times, which says that the French are approaching the Aisne River today, it was announced here this afternoon.

STIMULANTS FOR ENEMY.

London, Aug. 28.—Since the entente allies have wrested the initiative from General Ludendorff on the western front the effect on the German people is such that it has been necessary to apply continuous verbal stimulants, and they are officially exhorted to "be men" and to "be stout-hearted."

NEW TRIAL DEMANDED FOR I.W.W. LEADERS

Chicago, Aug. 28.—Briefs were filed with Federal Judge Landis today in the motion for a new trial for the 100 I.W.W. leaders recently convicted of conspiracy to interfere with the government in the conduct of the war.

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### WAR VETERANS HOUSING PROBLEM.

War Veterans Say City Should Build on Its Own Land.

Many instances can be shown in which as many as three and four families are living in small cottages. This was pointed out last night by G. H. Guntar, secretary of West Toronto G. W. V. A., who stated that the housing problem in Toronto was becoming more serious each month. Returned soldiers were being packed in hundreds, said the secretary, and the future was black.

"We are having an unusual number of inquiries for rentals," he said. "It is quite impossible to get any sort of a house in this vicinity for less than from \$85 to \$45 a month. The mayor and the city council should take this matter up with sleeves rolled up. Have you seen the advertisements asking 'the people' to go to the city hall for applications? These advertisements are the funniest things imaginable. The city hall knows perfectly well that it can't supply any houses to any applicants. Perhaps its idea is to find out if there are any people in Toronto really looking for houses either to buy or rent. If that is the idea, I don't think much of it. This sort of system only serves to waste the time of the working man. If I were to go up to the city hall, I would say six applications from members who couldn't get down, the officials would refuse to deal with them, unless the six people came up individually. And even when the applications were signed, nothing could be done because there are no houses to rent or buy.

"The city should take up all the vacant land possible, and build on it. Once built, the houses could be sold or rented to the members of the Toronto police force on the Saturday night of the recent riots, the G. W. V. A. of the Dominion, has thru its counsel, Hardley Dewar, K. C., instructed the city council to have this action on the part of the police investigated by a body other than the police commissioners. In his letter to Mayor Church upon this matter, Mr. Dewar has pointed out that the city council has the power to appoint a county judge to carry out an investigation. He further points out that at the time the riots took place the G. W. V. A. was holding a Dominion convention, was the cynosure of the entire Dominion, and that while it represented the returned soldier, it decidedly represented that man, one-legged or one-armed who was ruthlessly cut down by the police. Many such cases had been brought to the attention of the association. At the same time the G. W. V. A. at this convention placed itself on record as being utterly opposed to all forms of mob law.

POST DISCHARGE PAY. Complaint of Non-Payment Will be Taken Up For Returned Man. John Gilpin, of 24 Foucher avenue, returned soldier who was discharged from the C.E.F. months ago, but who returned to Canada ten days ago, stated yesterday afternoon that although

WRITES CITY COUNCIL. Veterans' Counsel Asks for Investigation by Others Than Police Commissioners. Denied the hoped for appointment of a crown commissioner to investigate the action of certain members of the Toronto police force on the Saturday night of the recent riots, the G. W. V. A. of the Dominion, has thru its counsel, Hardley Dewar, K. C., instructed the city council to have this action on the part of the police investigated by a body other than the police commissioners. In his letter to Mayor Church upon this matter, Mr. Dewar has pointed out that the city council has the power to appoint a county judge to carry out an investigation. He further points out that at the time the riots took place the G. W. V. A. was holding a Dominion convention, was the cynosure of the entire Dominion, and that while it represented the returned soldier, it decidedly represented that man, one-legged or one-armed who was ruthlessly cut down by the police. Many such cases had been brought to the attention of the association. At the same time the G. W. V. A. at this convention placed itself on record as being utterly opposed to all forms of mob law.

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### THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Aug. 28.—(8:00 p.m.)—A shallow trough of low pressure, which is moving eastward across the great lakes, is causing showers over the greater portion of Ontario. In Quebec and the maritime provinces also in the west, the weather has been fair and cool.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 53-70; Vancouver, 50-56; Kamloops, 44-75; Calgary, 44-61; Edmonton, 35-60; Battleford, 40-48; Medicine Hat, 42-72; Saskatoon, 35-67; Moose Jaw, 41-74; Regina, 35-74; Winnipeg, 45-65; Port Arthur, 53-74; Parry Sound, 54-52; London, 61-73; Toronto, 55-72; Kingston, 56-75; Ottawa, 55-73; Montreal, 53-59; Quebec, 50-74; St. John, 46-80; Halifax, 44-66.

Probabilities—Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate to fresh southwest to northwest winds; a few local showers, but for the most part fair; not much change in temperature. Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence—Moderate to fresh southwest to northwest winds; showers. Lower St. Lawrence—Moderate to fresh southwest and west winds; showers. Maritimes and North Shore—Fresh south and southwest winds; fair at first, followed by showers. Maritime—Moderate southwest winds; fair with stationary or higher temperature; local showers at night. Quebec—Fresh to northwest winds; fair; stationary or lower temperature; local showers at night. Manitoba—Fair; not much change in temperature.

THE BAROMETER. Time. Ther. Bar. Wind. 8 a.m. 66 29.74 13 N.E. Noon 70 29.72 11 " 2 p.m. 72 29.72 11 " 4 p.m. 67 29.72 11 " 8 p.m. 61 29.67 13 S.E. Mean of day, 69; difference from average, 1 above; highest, 72; lowest, 59; rain, .55.

STREET CAR DELAYS. Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1918. King cars delayed 7 minutes at 4:30 p.m. at G.T.R. crossing, by train. King cars delayed 5 minutes at 4:15 p.m. at G.T.R. crossing, by train.

RATES FOR NOTICES. Notice of Birth, Marriage and Deaths, not over 50 words, \$1.00. Additional words each line, 10c. Notices to be included in Funeral Announcements. In Memoriam Notices, 50c. Poetry and quotations up to 4 lines, 50c. For each additional line or line and fraction, 10c. Cards of Thanks, 50c. Cards of Thanks, 50c.

DEATHS. BURROUGHS—Suddenly, on Wednesday, Aug. 28th, at the Toronto General Hospital, Mary Ferguson, beloved wife of Bert C. Burroughs, 194 Westminster avenue. Funeral Saturday, 2 p.m., Interment Forest Lawn Mausoleum, (Motors). McDONALD—On Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1918, at her late residence, 149 Lindsay avenue, Mary, widow of the late Donald McDonald, aged 87 years. Funeral Saturday, at 8:30 a.m. to St. Helen's Church, Interment Mount Hope Cemetery. (Motors). MACEBETH—On Tuesday evening, Aug. 27, at Toronto General Hospital, George Macebeth, aged 67 years, beloved husband of Emma Worthington Macebeth. Service Wednesday night, at 8 o'clock at A. W. Miles funeral chapel, 396 Colborne street. Funeral leaving Thursday, G.T.R., 8:30 a.m., train for interment in Woodlawn Cemetery, London, Ont. RODGERS—Suddenly, on Tuesday, Aug. 27th, 1918, at his late residence, 289 Brunswick avenue, James, beloved husband of Henrietta Rodgers. Funeral service from above address Friday, Aug. 30th, at 2:30 p.m.

had been discharged from the army a long while he had so far received no post or discharge pay. He understood that as soon as he returned to Canada he would be eligible for this money, which in his case would amount to about \$150. The G.W.V.A. is taking up the matter for him. This is a question about which there is much uncertainty. It has always been understood that a member of the C.E.F. who received his discharge in Britain would not be eligible for his post discharge pay so long as he remained in that country. But the position of such men when they return has not so far been definitely determined.

STATIONMEN MEET. C. P. R. Employees Expected Soon to Join Union. Local 152 of the International Brotherhood of Railway Stationmen was addressed at its meeting at Victoria Hall, Queen street, last night, by R. E. Lane, vice-president of the brotherhood. The C.P.R. employees at the Union Station who are not organized were the guests of the evening, and Mr. Lane explained the object of organization. At present the union in Canada has no C.P.R. men in its ranks. It has in Canada a total membership of 5000, comprising employees of both the G.T.R. and the C.N.R. R. P. Neal, international grand president of the brotherhood, will address the local at the same hall on Saturday night. By that time a number of C.P.R. employees will have joined up. Mr. Neal is said to have been partly responsible for the adoption of the McAdoo schedule by the G.T.R. and other railroads in Canada. Freight handlers and other station employees received to day an increase in wages of thirty per cent. above the rates in force five months ago.

DROWNING ACCIDENTAL. Verdict at Inquest on Death of Mrs. Elizabeth Neal. Without leaving their seats, the jury last night at the morgue, before Coroner Dr. C. J. Currie, returned a verdict of accidental drowning in the case of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Neal, who was drowned at Scarborough Beach, together with her little son, and whose body was recovered on Aug. 15 by some boys of the Hunt Club. Hillard Lang, of the live saving station, told of the finding of the body, and Mrs. A. Hynes, who lived with Mrs. Neal, said that on the morning of Aug. 13 Mrs. Neal and her little boy left home, saying they were going for a car ride. R. E. Russell, a bank clerk, told of finding the body about a quarter of a mile from the club house, and Paul Blake stated he had seen the body of the boy floating off Neville Park boulevard, but had been unable to reach it.

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### WILLS PROBATED

Charles Pickett, a bricklayer, who died in Toronto in June last, left an estate valued at \$2570. It consists of household goods \$20, insurance \$250 and an equity of \$1900 in 203 Gladhill avenue. Mrs. Cassidy Pickett, widow, sole beneficiary and executrix has applied for probate of the will. Aaron N. Young, who died in Evanston, Ill., January last, left an estate valued at \$617,038.25, and the Royal Trust Company has applied for ancillary administration of same. The Ontario estate consists of 25 shares Dominion Bank, valued at \$5050.25; 25 shares Bank of Toronto, valued at \$4607, and 200 shares Toronto Railway Company, valued at \$11,800. The rest of the estate consists of property at 292-294 South State street, Chicago, valued at \$23,000; mortgages, \$30,204; cash, \$7319; Liberty loan bonds, \$4912; stocks, \$27,146, and a seat on the Chicago Board of Trade, \$800. Of the estate, \$50,000 is given to the trustees of the Northwestern University at Evanston to endow the "Bert and Paul Young fund," in memory of his eldest son, Albert, and his third son, Paul. The income from the fund is to be used to render assistance to worthy young men. The income from the residue of the estate is to be paid to the widow, and at her death two sons and two daughters will inherit.

### NO COLORED MEN TAKEN BY ROYAL AIR FORCE

Colored men are barred from enlistment in the Royal Air Force, although they were accepted as volunteers in the Canadian expeditionary force and are subject to being drafted into the latter under the Military Service Act. The non-acceptance of colored men in the R. A. F. at Toronto of Harold Leopold Bell, a Jamaican, 24, with wife and two children, has raised the question. He voluntarily enlisted in Boston, Mass., last July and was sent to Camp Sussex, N.B. On Aug. 21 he was given his discharge in order to come to Toronto to become an air mechanic in the R. A. F. His enlistment was refused. He considers he is the subject of an injustice. At the R. A. F. headquarters in Toronto it was stated yesterday that it is not that the R. A. F. don't want colored people, but that there are not sufficient applicants to make it advisable to enlist colored men. Bell, who is a machinist, has entered employment at a munition plant.

### FARMERS WILL BURN WOOD.

Woodstock Aug. 28.—The farmers of this district will use very little coal this winter. Last winter considerable quantities of good wood was cut and is now dry. The coal dealers say very few applications have been made for coal from the farmers; but instead of the farmers, sides securing their own fuel, are also preparing to relieve the fuel situation in Woodstock this winter by delivering wood here.

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### CANADIANS IN THE U. S. HAVE RIGHT TO APPEAL

Married Canadian men living in the United States are not being unjustly treated in regard to their liability to military service because of the recent treaty, states Chester Martin, United States consul for Toronto. There was a rumor in military circles that married Canadians in the United States were to be called to the colors, whereas if they were in Canada they would still be free from a call to the colors, and that the situation was an injustice.

In explaining the true situation, the United States consul pointed out also that even if married, were subject to being called to the colors, they had the option within the 60 days starting July 30 last to leave the United States and come to Canada. If they wanted to remain in the United States they had the same rights as the Americans there to claim exemption on the grounds of having others dependent upon them. The consul said that if the proposal to make the age limits of these subject to the draft laws in the United States 18 to 45 were adopted, it would affect the Canadians between those ages now across the border. They would, however, have the same right of leaving the country within 60 days or of claiming exemption before United States tribunals.

### IS C.P.R. TRAFFIC MANAGER.

Winnipeg, Aug. 28.—W. B. Lanigan, one of the best-known railway business men in western Canada, has gone to Montreal as C.P.R. traffic manager for Canada.

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How much do you appreciate the sacrifice? Sailors' week, Sept. 1 to 7.

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Reserved seats for all performances now on sale at Moody's, 33 King street west, 50 cents and \$1. Let's Go GENERAL ADMISSION 25c Beat the Million

### NO INCOME TAX ON SAILORS' CONTRIBUTIONS

A. M. Hoberlin, chairman of the executive committee of the "Sailors' Week" campaign, is in receipt of a communication from the department of finance, stating that contributions made to the sailors' week \$1,000,000 fund for the benefit of British sailors' dependents have been approved as proper deductions from income in determining the amount taxable under the provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1917.

Many enquiries have been made regarding the disposition of the fund being raised by the league, and for the benefit of the public the league yesterday issued the following statement: "The allocation of the money, subscribed will be made by the Dominion Council of the Navy League of Canada, which is composed of the presidents of the navy league in each province. When this allocation is made such amount as are not specifically reserved for use in England, and in both cases this allocation is made in accordance with the objects of this appeal, which are: "The King George fund for sailors, established by His Majesty the King to assure more efficient aid for the marine benevolent institutions, which have done so much for the marine during this struggle, and whose resources have been greatly strained by the stress of war. "For sailors of the navy and merchant marine who are prisoners of war, whereby some of them may be protected, and for the relief of British and Canadian sailors and their dependents, sailors' homes, institutes and hospitals in Canada and throughout the empire."

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### Amusements.

STRAND TO-DAY FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN and BEVERLY BAYNE in "Social Quicksands."

ALLEN TO-DAY DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS in "BOUND IN MOROCCO" His Latest Artcraft Production. WEEK COMMENCING SATURDAY, CHARLES RAY, "THE CLAWS OF THE HUN."

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REGENT DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS IN THE HALF-BREED COMING TO HELL WITH THE KAISER

DON'T MISS THE GARRICK PLAYERS in "Mice and Men" AUGUST 29-31 "David Garrick" SEPTEMBER 2-3-4 In the NEW MASONIC TEMPLE, Yonge and Davenport. Prices, 25c and 50c. Reserved seats, 75c and \$1. Curtain 8:15. Proceeds in Aid of ARMY AND NAVY VETERANS' Plan at Red Cross Office, 92 King W.

MADISON BLOOR AT BATHURST. CONSTANCE TALMADGE IN "Up the Road With Sallie"

SAILORS' WEEK NAVY LEAGUE NOTICE Captains and Workers, including all ladies on committees, please attend LUNCHEON King Edward Hotel, Thursday, August 29th, 4 p.m. sharp.

JEERED DROWNING TARS. Allowed British Seamen Ten Minutes to Launch Boats. "There is some doubt," says The Times, "about the exact number of minutes granted according to the German commander, but it is agreed that within ten minutes the Falaba was torpedoed at 100 yards range, when the enemy could not fall to see that the deck was crowded, and the first boat was actually half way down the davits. The torpedo struck near the engine room and the Falaba sank rapidly. The callousness of the attack was aggravated by the conduct of the Germans when their victims were struggling in the water. As they raised arms, reaching out for lifebuoys and bits of wreckage, the Germans looked on and laughed and answered their cries for help with jeers. The captain was shot drowned, but died of exposure. The death toll of the Falaba was 111, many of them members of the merchant marine. For the dependents of these men the Navy League of Canada during 'Sailors' Week,' Sept. 1 to 7, is endeavoring to raise \$1,000,000 in Ontario.

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**SOCIETY**

Conducted by Mrs. Edmund Phillips

The Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Hendrie, who have been on their houseboat on the French River, will return to Government House the end of the week.

A luncheon was given by the directors of the C.N.E. yesterday in the administration building for the heads of the women's organizations, the guests of honor being Lady Hendrie and the six women who have given so many sons to the service of the empire, namely: Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Norman, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Hall (Simcoe), Mrs. P. Stitt and Mrs. Ashdown, who has given seven sons.

Lady Hendrie returned to town on Tuesday night after a short visit to Hon. J. E. and Mrs. Lomas at Markdale. Yesterday Lady Hendrie took the salute of the women's parade at the Exhibition.

Sir Thomas White and Mrs. White spent the week-end at their house in Queen's Park.

General Sterling Ryerson and Mrs. Ryerson returned to town from Alaska on Tuesday and are staying at the Hotel Murray. The former leaves for New York on Sunday night. Mrs. Ryerson and her son joining him later on to spend the winter there.

Colonel Goodenham spent the week-end in Windsor, Ont., Miss Botford returned with him a visit to Dearcroft.

Hon. S. C. Mowburn was in Hamilton for a few days this week.

Mr. A. J. Haldane and Mrs. Haldane arrived in town yesterday and are staying at the Tuxedo. Mr. Haldane has been appointed on the invalided soldiers' commission.

Mr. Alex. Buntin awarded the prizes at the employe ball, held in the Manor on Tuesday last, at the Hotel Murray. Bay recently. Many prizes were given for original and unique costumes, most graceful dancing in the waltz, fox-trot and one-step.

Miss Betty Greene is visiting Mrs. Charles Beatty at her country house on the Georgian Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Dugan are at the Manor on the Georgian Bay.

Mr. H. Reynolds, who was in Ottawa in connection with the federal week campaign, has returned home.

Mrs. J. E. Palmer is spending a few days in Ottawa at the Chateau Laurier.

Miss Elizabeth Scovell, Georgetown, New Brunswick, is staying with her cousin, Mrs. Macdonald, The Clifford, and taking a course at Hart House.

Mrs. Pratt and Miss Dorothy Pratt and their mother, Mrs. Harris, who have been spending the summer at Fairy Fort, have returned to town.

Mrs. E. and Mrs. J. W. Dryden are at Murray Bay.

Miss Beatrice Wilson is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. C. Steele at "Go Home," on the Georgian Bay.

Mrs. Harold Rosenthal is visiting Mr. Rosenthal's large home at Murray Bay. Mrs. Rosenthal is 804 West Dorchester street.

Mrs. Alex. T. Bailey, Ottawa, is spending a week in Toronto, the guest of her brother, Mr. C. Young, and Mrs. Young.

Miss Dorothy Gleason, Ottawa, is visiting friends in Niagara Falls. She is leaving on Saturday, Aug. 3, at the paragon, by special train for Toronto. She will arrive at the place of her marriage, the marriage of her son, George, to Miss Castle, son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Castle, 183 Palmer street, to Miss M. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Minaker, 45 Gore Vale avenue.

**PROGRAMS SOLD FOR RED CROSS**

Women From Beaches Sell Official Notice for Women's Day.

**RESULTS DISAPPOINTING**

Inclement Weather Combined With Other Troubles Made Sales Light.

Members of the York Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire and their daughters from the beaches, to the number of over one hundred, sold programs of the Women's Day demonstration at the Exhibition grounds yesterday in aid of the Red Cross. Gowned in white, with red crosses on their arms and on the front of the long floating veil, and with the blue boxes hanging from little white cords around their necks, they made a pretty picture in the grounds.

In spite of the rain the girls kept well at the work, and during the worst parts of the storm took refuge in the buildings, where they kept their sale, for many others had also taken shelter and the crowd was large in every building. Between the girls could be heard cooingly saying, "Get your programs for today from me?" Nickels, dimes and quarters were dropped thru the slots in the little blue boxes. "If we had umbrellas to rent or white shoe polish to sell, we might do better," said one girl.

Special credit is due Mrs. E. McMan, who was convener of the work. Her efforts were unflagging, and her disappointment was great that the weather had turned out so badly.

**PLAYS PICTURES AND MUSIC**

"The Garden of Allah." The seat sale is now open for the coming presentation of that massive and gorgeous drama, "The Garden of Allah," which, on its sixth annual tour, will open at the Princess Theatre on Monday, Sept. 2. The play will be presented by the Grand Opera House, under the management of Miss Edna Archer Crawford, Paul Gilmore, Walter Edwin, Miss Pearl Gray, Edward Everett, Leo de Valer and John Ridgeway.

"The Man Who Came Back." Reserve seats will be placed on sale today for "The Man Who Came Back," which opens at the Royal Alexandra Theatre next week, commencing with a special matinee on Monday, "Labor Day."

"The Girl Who Came Back." Reserve seats will be placed on sale today for "The Girl Who Came Back," which opens at the Grand Opera House on Monday, "Labor Day." The play deals with the successful rule of the islands known as the "Paradise of the Pacific," and the restoration of the olden time through the marriage of a noble maiden and a youth of royal blood, a graduate of Harvard.

Next Week at Shea's. Jack London's most widely-read novel "Bessie Wolf" will give a dramatic rendition of it when he will headline the bill at Shea's Theatre next week. The play is shrouded in mystery. The International Musical Celebrities, headed by the Four Novak Sisters, who will present the musical tid-bit of the season. The Four Novak Sisters present a sensational serial novelty, while Buzzell and Parker in "Have Your Pictures Taken," have a laugh-provoking program will embrace Florence Henry and Co., Johnny Small and Small Sisters, Paris, Lorado's Model and Winnifred and Wright and Wilson.

"Confession at Hippodrome." Beautiful French actress, talented William Fox star, will be the headline attraction at Shea's Hippodrome next week, when she will be seen in the absorbing five-reel drama, "Confession." The story deals with the tragic adventures which befell a bride on her honeymoon. A woman is murdered at the hotel at which the bride couple are staying, and the husband is accused of the murder and he is tried and convicted by the management of Shea's Hippodrome has surrounded the feature with an all-star vaudeville bill for the closing week of Exhibition.

Great Film at Strand. Francis X. Bushman, and Beverly Bayne will be the attraction at the Strand Theatre for the latter half of this week, ending today in a superb Metro production, entitled "Social Quackness," Gayety.

"The Bostonian Burlesques." In the diversion which they will present all

**MANY ENQUIRIES ON HOUSING LOAN**

Letters Are Chiefly From Municipalities Affected by War-Time Activities.

**HEARST TO EXPLAIN**

Expected That He Will Today Clear Up Several Moot Points.

Many letters of enquiry have been received at the parliament buildings from municipalities along the border line respecting the bonus to assist in the erection of houses for working men in cities and towns suffering from a house famine. It was stated yesterday afternoon that the places chiefly interested appeared to be cities and towns where the populations had been increased by the wartime phenomenal demand for mechanics, and in the munition plants. Among the places taking an active interest in the plans of the Ontario Government to solve the housing problem were St. Catharines, Welland, Windsor and similar municipalities. It is expected that in his statement at the city hall today Sir William Hearst, premier of Ontario, will clear up any moot points with respect to the government's policy which have been indicated by the correspondence as existing in the minds of civic authorities.

**LOOK ASKANCE AT HOUSING SCHEME**

Municipal Experts to Consider Provincial Offer to Aid Municipalities.

The Ontario Municipal Association, an organization boasting of some 70 members who have banded themselves together so as to make more effective their views on municipal affairs, opened their annual convention in the city council chamber yesterday under the presidency of S. H. Kent, city clerk of Hamilton. The proceedings were largely of a preliminary nature and the various resolutions offered will be discussed at future sittings. One resolution offered yesterday, which promises to be a live topic of debate, was in opposition to the Ontario Government's proposal to lend financial aid to municipalities to enable them to cope with the housing problem. The ground was taken that the scheme was inadvisable because, among other things, workmen were making good money and so were the employers of labor, and therefore should not require assistance to secure homes for themselves. It would be wrong to mortgage the future particularly when every dollar will be needed after the war.

Commission Government. Mayor Horton of St. Thomas said his city wanted to enjoy the privileges now only held by the larger cities in the matter of civic government. He also wanted to make adoption with municipalities to adopt the commission form of government. He was supported by the mayor of Windsor who declared the present form of government was inefficient and unbusinesslike.

Guelph's mayor, after the experience his city had with the commission form of government, said it was an unsafe system for legislative purposes.

There was a general feeling that police commissioners should be brought more under the control of municipal councils, particularly in the matter of expenditure of things were the commissioners could demand money and expend it as they saw fit.

Among the delegates to the convention is Miss Martha Dickinson, assistant city clerk of Windsor, and Miss Mary Grant, clerk and treasurer of the Township of London.

Addresses were delivered by Mayor Church and Samuel Price, chairman of the workmen's compensation committee. The former urged all municipalities to unite in regard to the Consolidated Railway Act now before parliament at Ottawa.

**TOO MANY CHILDREN PLAY ON THE STREETS**

The streets are crowded with little children, and it is a wonder that accidents are not killed. They play in the streets while the motor cars are rushing about, and yet people sit back and say nothing can be done.

This statement was made by Coroner Dr. F. Winnett at the inquest into the death of three-year-old Mary Breen, who died in Wellesley Hospital on Monday, Aug. 26, as the result of injuries received when she was knocked down on Ontario street by a motor car owned by J. & W. McFarren, grocer, corner of Queen and Sherbourne streets.

A verdict of accidental death was returned by the jury after a deliberation of about half an hour, and the driver was exonerated from all blame.

"In view of the great loss of life," the jury's recommendation reads, "we urge that a bylaw be passed prohibiting children from playing on the streets, or that they be not allowed on the streets unless accompanied by an adult."

We further advise that additional playgrounds be opened up by the city authorities, and that school and church yards be opened up and made over to accommodate the children.

In view of the increasing number of fatalities the jury thought that no action was too drastic to ensure the safety of the children.

**TRADES FEDERATION.**

Union Machinists Decide to Consider Forming One.

The Toronto local of the International Union of Machinists has decided to hold a conference to consider the advisability of forming a metal trades federation. Representatives elected to attend this conference were James Brent, G. Crossman and Jack Young. The locals have voted a large sum of money for the fund in aid of the plumbers and steamfitters who are striking at the Toronto and Poisson's ship yards. A pleasant feature of last night's show, held at the Labor Temple, was the decision to buy W. C. Hagan, the popular business agent, a motor car.

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holding a big meeting on Wednesday next week," said Mr. Crawford, "and at that meeting we expect to call for the appointment of a board of arbitrators. Mr. MacFarlane will have ample means of testing the truth of his statements after that meeting."

**C.O.T.C. REINFORCES TANKS.**

It is arranged that the overseas training company, Canadian Officers' Training Corps, is to furnish the reinforcing drafts for the 1st Canadian Tank Battalion, which is now overseas. The recruiting for the tank corps is being directed by the C.O.T.C., and all applicants for service with the tanks should apply to that unit.

**President of Bell Telephone Company, Won't Deal With Girls' Union.**

L. B. MacFarlane, president of the Bell Telephone Company, has written from Montreal to the secretary of the new local of telephone employees that the union is so infinitesimal in numbers as to be of no account, and therefore too small to be considered by the company. In these circumstances the company has nothing to discuss with the union. Thomas Crawford, business agent of the Electrical Workers' Union, stated last night at the Labor Temple that the girls had organized with 500 members. If this was infinitesimal he did not appreciate the meaning of this term. "We are

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Real Estate. NOTICE TO CREDITORS - In the Matter of the Estate of William Webb, Late of the City of Toronto, Deceased.

Real Estate. NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the statutes in that behalf that all persons having claims against the said deceased who died on or after the eleventh day of June, 1918, at 249 Beatrice street, Toronto, must send or deliver their claims along with particulars, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before noon of Saturday, Sept. 7, 1918, and that the administrators will immediately thereafter distribute the assets according to law, and that she will not be liable for any claim of which she shall not then have notice.

Real Estate. CHARGED WITH BRIBERY. Montreal, Aug. 25 - Former Mayor Firmin Bissonnette, who helped raise a French-Canadian battalion, appeared in the prisoners' dock before Judge Cusson, this morning, charged with bribing certain employees engaged in the administration of the M.S.A. for the purpose of obtaining exemption from military service for draftees.

Real Estate. KILLED WHILE FLYING. Deseronto, Aug. 25 - Cadet A. D. Spooner was instantly killed at Maryville, near here, at ten o'clock this morning, as the result of a flying accident. His father is W. Spooner, of Moosomin, Sask.

Properties for Sale.

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Real Estate. CHARGED WITH BRIBERY. Montreal, Aug. 25 - Former Mayor Firmin Bissonnette, who helped raise a French-Canadian battalion, appeared in the prisoners' dock before Judge Cusson, this morning, charged with bribing certain employees engaged in the administration of the M.S.A. for the purpose of obtaining exemption from military service for draftees.

Real Estate. KILLED WHILE FLYING. Deseronto, Aug. 25 - Cadet A. D. Spooner was instantly killed at Maryville, near here, at ten o'clock this morning, as the result of a flying accident. His father is W. Spooner, of Moosomin, Sask.

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STEADY PROGRESS AT BOSTON CREEK

Favorable Developments at Miller-Independence Draw Attention to District.

PROPERTIES ACQUIRED

Toronto Men Figure in Deal, and Exploration Will Be Expedited.

Boston Creek, Aug. 27.—The progress of this camp has been very satisfactory of late. The Miller-Independence has opened up a vein carrying calaverite, a rich telluride of gold. The mineral is of a fine gold color and has the appearance of gold plating on the quartz. The vein is about eleven feet wide. It is said to average over \$300 for the whole of this width. Two feet or so of the ore is reported as exceptionally high-grade, running in places up to \$2000 per ton. The shaft is down about 100 feet. There is a station has been cut from which drifts have been run both ways for a distance of twenty-five feet. This gives a total length of 65 feet of ore so far exposed.

These workings are within 125 feet of the northern boundary of the property. The adjoining claims on the north are owned by S. J. Renaud, A. B. Cullen and Peter McGinley of Halleybury. The gentlemen have just granted an option thereon to R. W. Norrington, acting for capitalists in Detroit. The price is in the neighborhood of \$25,000.

Miller-Independence. The vein on the Miller-Independence has a northeast strike, and this gives it a length of about 15 chains on Mr. Norrington's property. Short shoots of ore, seen, however, to be somewhat common in the telluride belt. The payable sections on the Elliott-Kirkland is only 50 feet in length and drifting for 300 feet further on the vein has not disclosed additional values.

There are, however, indications of values on the Norrington property, and showings of free gold on a distance of more than 1000 feet from the shaft on the Miller-Independence. Should the rich vein disclose on the latter property, continuation and development of the vein for a mile on its present course the property immediately east of Norrington's should prove very valuable. This property has just been purchased by Charles Miller and C. A. Gentles of Toronto for the sum of \$25,000, with each 10 per cent cash has been paid down.

To Explore Properties. The two sales just mentioned are no doubt due to the favorable developments on the Miller-Independence. It is understood that both buyers will proceed with the exploration of their respective properties as soon as possible, and are likely to witness a constantly growing activity in this side of what may be called the telluride belt, which extends altogether for twenty-five miles from here to N.O. Bourke's Sliding on the T. and N.O. Railway. At this point the Bourkes mines are now sinking with every chance of success. A shipment of high-grade ore has already been made.

M'INTYRE LEADER IN FIRM MARKET

Dome Extension, McKinley-Darragh and Beaver Also Show Marked Strength.

Transactions which reached nearly 71,000 shares, much above the recent average, and sharp gains by several stocks, made yesterday's session of the Standard Exchange the most animated in some time. There is real evidence that the public is coming into the market, and that more attention is being paid to the possibilities of mining stocks under peace conditions.

McIntyre, which has been selected by market followers as most likely to be the leader in any sustained upturn, gave an impressive display of buoyancy yesterday, selling up a full 4 points to 3.45, and closing at 3.50. The annual report should be forthcoming within the next few weeks, and unless expectations are disappointed it will prove a decidedly bullish document. Dome, for which the bid had been \$7.70 for some time, sold up to \$8.00 yesterday, and marked strength was exhibited by Dome Extension, which advanced another point to 14, the highest level in months. The annual report of an insistent demand for the stock, pointing to materially higher prices, dominated the market for a time at 4.75, but relapsed to 4.70, closing unchanged, and Davidson, after falling to 2.50, regained to 2.75. Lake Shore was firm at 65 bid. Tack-Hughes up a point at 17 and Porcupine Crown up 1/2 at 31 1/2.

In the Cobalt strong features were McKinley-Darragh and Beaver. McKinley sold as high as 45, closing at 44 1/2 for a net gain of 1/2. The declaration of the regular dividend has had a stimulating effect on the stock, although such action had been fully expected. Beaver moved up a full point to 28. Adanac fell back to 7 1/2 after selling a point higher. Peterson Lake was easier at 9 and Mining Corporation at 2.50. Timiskaming held at 2 1/2 and Ophir was a shade higher at 7. Rockwood Oil was easier at 28 1/2.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

Liverpool, Aug. 28.—Beef, extra India mess, \$7/6. Pork, prime short western, \$3/6. Hams, short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., \$17s. Bacon, Cumberland cut, 25 to 30 lbs., \$12s. Short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., \$7s. Shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., \$12s. Lard, prime western, in tierces, \$10s. American refined, pale, \$12s; do, boxes, \$10s. Turpentine spirits, \$12s. Rosin, common, 6 1/2 c. American refined, pale, \$12s; do, Linseed oil, 6 1/2 c. Cottonseed oil, 6 1/2 c. War kerosene, No. 2, is 2 1/2 d.

NEW YORK COTTON.

J. P. Bickell & Co. report New York Cotton Exchange fluctuations as follows: Open. High. Low. Close. Close. Jan. 23.75 24.35 23.25 24.60 23.80 Mar. 23.45 24.35 23.25 24.60 23.80 May 23.45 24.76 23.30 24.47 23.80 Oct. 23.40 25.50 23.39 25.25 24.45 Dec. 23.75 25.01 23.45 24.50 23.95

CLOSE FOUR BANK BRANCHES.

Houston's bank directory shows that the chartered banks in Canada opened only one branch in the month of July and closed four. The branch opened was a sub-branch of the Home Bank of Canada at Camp Borden, Ont.

HOW ROCKWOOD OIL COMPANY'S OUTPUT BRINGS REVENUE

VOUCHER NO. 41-1 SARNIA, ONT. AUG 15 1918 No. 3049 THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA IMPERIAL OIL, LIMITED PAY \$4262 AND 16 CTS. IMPERIAL OIL, LIMITED by J. G. McEldon ATTORNEY

1-5 DEPARTMENT OF TRADE & COMMERCE 1918-19 Ottawa, CANADA AUG 21 1918 Pay to the order of the Rockwood Oil & Gas Co. Ltd. the sum of TWENTY FOUR HUNDRED FORTY THREE DOLLARS EIGHT CENTS BOUNTY ON CRUDE PETROLEUM

Above is a reproduction of a cheque given by the Rockwood Oil and Gas Company by the Federal Government as bounty on oil shipped from the company's field near Glencoe during the month of July. The bounty is 52 1/2c per barrel, and it will be seen that well on 5,000 barrels were shipped.

MINING NOTES

Plans have been completed for the exploration of the property of the Meika Syndicate in Boston Creek, near the Miller-Independence. The property is owned by R. E. Stewart, J. W. McKay and A. Elliott of Cobalt and A. G. Kirkpatrick and B. G. Kiloran of Halleybury. The name of the syndicate was coined from the first letter of each of the owners' names.

Steady progress is being made at the Walsh property in Gowganda. A station having been cut at the 200-foot level, drifting operations are now underway. Several weeks ago it was announced that high-grade silver ore had been encountered at the 100-foot level. The plan of operation now being carried on is to drift beneath and endeavor to pick up the downward continuation of the ore sheet found at the 100-foot level.

The directors of the Schumacher Mining Company expect to hold the annual meeting of the shareholders about the middle of September. It is understood that the annual report will show a deficit for the year's operations. The mine, it will be remembered, has been closed down for the past six weeks, owing to the high cost of operating.

The Lake Shore plans to increase tonnage treated in its mill from about 50 to about 80 tons a day. The heads will be lowered and the end-plate production of gold obtained. The July production was somewhat below \$40,000.

The work of building the transmission line from South Porcupine to the Davidson mine in northeastern Timiskaming is progressing rapidly. The line will be completed shortly and will mean a considerable saving to the Davidson, estimated at \$1000 a month, as compared with wood fuel.

Plans are being completed for a transformer house at Boston Creek to transfer the power from the transmission line from Cobalt to Kirkland Lake. This line passes about a mile west of the Patricia property and about two miles from the Miller-Independence. Electric power will be supplied at least to these two properties.

EXTREMELY RICH ORE IN MATACHEWAN AREA

Wonderful Discoveries Have Greatly Stimulated Interest in New Gold Field—Mining Men and Capitalists Arriving in Ever Increasing Numbers.

Matachewan, Moynour's Camp, Aug. 27.—We are here in the Township of Calro, in the very centre of the Matachewan gold area. The Montreal River cuts the auriferous belt into two sections. West of the river is the Township of Powell, and a narrow strip of the west side of Calro. The Davidson, the Nipissing and the Otisse or Colorado Ontario Development Company are the banner properties. west of the river, the rich ore has been found on the Sutherland group, and also on the Hollinger during the progress of assessment work. The latter properties lie east of the former, and as yet they are only partially explored.

There are many disclosures of visible gold on the Davidson, but exploration is at a standstill owing to the ridiculous terms which the owners seek to impose on buyers. A property such as this cannot be adequately tested in less than one year, even for an initial payment of \$25,000. But the Davidson people are asking this sum in thirty days. Owners should always open wide the door of opportunity to capitalists in their own interests, if not to secure the development of this great country.

Wonderful Discoveries. We have already wired you as to the wonderful discoveries on the four claims south of the Otisse, now being worked by the Nipissing Mines Ltd. The ore was uncovered while trenching and test pitting. It is fully as rich as that of the Grosvenor in the Township of Munro, and Mr. Donaldson, the local manager for the Nipissing, was almost beside himself when the bunches of nearly pure metal were uncovered. A wave of excitement soon spread over the whole camp. Good news like bad news travels fast. T. J. Flynn, manager of the Otisse, was entrusted with the delivery of the precious metal, at the head office of the Nipissing in Cobalt. In the office of the Otisse, in this camp, there is a quantity of high grade under lock and key. It is worth hundreds of thousands per ton. Surface concentration has brought it up to these unusual values. Below the ground water, the ore is an auriferous pyrite. The sulphur has entirely and the iron largely disappeared. The

result is a mass of gold that would delight the soul of the high grader. The Otisse is improving every day. It is indeed a wonderful property. It is an undoubted future as a great source of gold. At present it is impossible to say how large it will be, but it must certainly take a prominent place among the great gold mines of the world.

High Assays. Some very high assays have been obtained from the "Silver King," which, notwithstanding the name, is a gold property. It is understood that a prominent mining company of Cobalt is now carrying on negotiations for its purchase. The three claims of the Moynour Lake Syndicate are showing up very well. Here there is a contact between porphyry and schist, and some sulphide ore identical with that on the Otisse has been discovered. Work has not proceeded sufficiently to prove quantity, but the ore body seems to be exceptionally large.

The south claim of this group is cut by a dyke of porphyritic diabase, in which the porphyries are uniform in size and very nicely distributed. It is a very nice piece of architecture, but more important from the standpoint of gold production is the intense mineralization implied in these three different formations.

Dividend Record of McKinley-Darragh

The McKinley-Darragh-Savage Mines has declared its regular quarterly dividend of three per cent, payable Oct. 1, to shareholders of record Sept. 7. The disbursement amounts to \$67,431, and makes twelve per cent, or \$269,724, paid during the current year.

The McKinley-Darragh went on a dividend paying basis in 1907, during which year two per cent was paid. In 1911 the company attained the zenith of prosperity, paying its shareholders no less than fifty per cent, on its issued capital. In 1914 disbursements amounted to 21 per cent, while in 1915 just 12 per cent, was paid. During the past four years, that is, 1916-18-17 and 1918, disbursements have been regularly made at the rate of 3 per cent, quarterly, or 12 per cent, per annum. The total paid to date has now reached the aggregate percentage of 241, equal to \$5,449,607.

GOLD MINES' LABOR PROBLEM IS HARDER

Bonus to Cobalt Miners Makes Competition More Severe. The Northern Miner says: As the price of silver promises to average above a dollar an ounce for a considerable time, and as that means another twenty-five cent bonus to Cobalt miners according to agreements between most of the mines and their employees, the wages in the silver camps are again above those paid in the gold camps. Machine runners in Cobalt will, with the bonuses, receive \$4.75 a day, as compared with \$3.50 two years ago or so. As a result the gold-mines will have to continue to compete with the silver mines in the labor market, not a very pleasant prospect. Fortunately the Cobalt mines seem to have sufficient men.

Up to a short time ago machinery in which ore is crushed in cyanide solution came into Canada duty free except a war tax. It has been recently ruled that this machinery is dutiable under another section, and about thirty-five per cent, is being collected.

INDIA'S SILVER HOLDINGS.

Mocatta & Goldsmid, bullion brokers of London, say: The last Indian currency returns showed a further increase in the silver holdings, which now amount to over 18 crores in coin and bullion. This is considerably less than the amount held at the same period last year, but is a distinct improvement on the figures given six weeks ago.

PRICE OF SILVER.

London, Aug. 28.—Bar silver, 49 1/4. New York, Aug. 28.—Bar silver, 59 1/2.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

J. P. Bickell & Co. report the following prices on the Chicago Board of Trade: Corn—Open. High. Low. Close. Trade. Aug. 156 156 153 154 154 1/2 July 156 156 153 154 154 1/2 Oct. 157 157 154 155 155 1/2 Oats Aug. 70 70 69 69 69 1/2 July 70 70 69 69 69 1/2 Oct. 72 72 71 71 71 1/2 Pork—Aug. 43 45 43 43 43 1/2 Sept. 43 45 43 43 43 1/2 Oct. 43 45 43 43 43 1/2 Lard—Aug. 26 27 26 26 26 1/2 July 26 27 26 26 26 1/2 Oct. 26 27 26 26 26 1/2

U. S. GOLD MOVEMENTS

Washington, Aug. 28.—Movement of gold thus far this year has been of much less importance than in 1917, the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce today announced. Gold imports for the first seven months were \$52,000,000 as compared with \$505,000,000 for the corresponding period of 1917. Exports for the same period amounted to \$29,000,000 as against \$272,000,000 for the same months of 1917. Unlike the gold movement, that of silver has increased in importance, the total imports being \$40,000,000 between Jan. 1 and Aug. 1, as against \$23,000,000 last year. Exports total \$135,000,000 in comparison with \$44,000,000 in 1917.

Industrial Progress and Oil

Who will ever forget the contumely and ridicule with which the appearance of the first "horseless carriages" was greeted by an incredulous public only a few years ago? Judged by our present modern standards of motor vehicle design, the pioneer "benzine buggies" were ridiculous enough to provoke mirth, but at that time it was not so much the appearance of the equipage that brought forth universal scorn as it was the idea—the audacious departure from the preconceived notions of what constituted proper conveyance.

Yet the first chug-chugging, undependable motor car monstrosity marked the beginning of the gradual dethronement of the horse from his equine kingship in the matter of vehicular transportation.

The evolution of the motor car to its present high degree of perfection has proven a mighty stimulus to the oil business.

The palpitating roar in toto of the growing multitude of motor cars and trucks throughout the world bespeaks the need for greater and ever greater production of crude oil.

In the early days of the oil industry the first run from the oil refinery, now known commercially as gasoline, was considered valueless, and great quantities found exit from the refinery through the wastepipe, to disappear forever through evaporation.

Petroleum was hailed as a wonderful and most useful product, but certain constituents were regarded as too dangerous to be useful, and were consequently discarded in the easiest possible manner. Petroleum was needed to replace the tallow candle, and oil extracted from the sperm whale, used largely in lamps for illuminating purposes.

The coal oil age was the first epoch in the petroleum industry. But gasoline, the despised portion of petroleum, has revolutionized the industrial conditions of the world. It has made the extraction of petroleum from the earth, and its manufacture into refined products, the third largest industry in the United States, being outranked only by agriculture and transportation.

While the war has undoubtedly greatly increased the demand for petroleum and its most important by-product, gasoline, yet it will probably be seen that the peace requirements will be just as heavy. The motor car, motor truck and airplane have come to stay. So, also, have the oil-burning steamers, which are being turned out as fast as the highly-organized shipbuilding industries in the allied countries are able.

Hence it is that the old oil fields are being honeycombed with wells, and new fields are ever being sought, with a view to increasing production.

To Ontario belongs the honor of having opened what appears to be one of the most promising of the new oil districts in the Dominion.

The Glencoe field of Southwestern Ontario, situated only a few miles from the justly famous Petrolia district, is looming on the horizon as a coming big producer of the much-prized oil. Large tracts of likely land are under option and new syndicates are being formed with a regularity that spells aggressive development of the resources of this field. In the short time since active operations on a large scale were instituted here, the results have been extremely gratifying. From the wells drilled it is reliably reported that between 20,000 and 25,000 barrels of crude oil are being produced every month.

The oil produced is of a very high grade and, consequently, commands the highest prices, added to which is the government bounty of 52c per barrel, which brings the net price received by producing companies from the Imperial Oil Company and the government up to \$3.10 per barrel.

Costs of operation are unusually low, inasmuch as producing companies utilize their own product for motive power for pumping, and the cost of drilling is moderate because of the shallowness of the deposits.

THE UNDENIABLE INVESTMENT POSSIBILITIES OF THE OIL BUSINESS IN THIS GROWING FIELD ARE SO ATTRACTIVE AS TO OVERCOME ANY NATURAL HESITATION ON THE PART OF CAREFUL INVESTORS. WE BELIEVE THAT THE PROFIT-MAKING OPPORTUNITIES IN THIS NEW OIL DISTRICT ARE UNEXCELLED, AND DEMAND IMMEDIATE AND UNPREJUDICED INVESTIGATION.

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THURSDAY MORNING AUGUST 29 1918. GAINS. LOCAL. Partnership and Co. Finance Sharply on Demand—War Loan. Montreal, Aug. 28. Pacific earnings for July, 1918. Earnings \$1,000,000. Expenses, \$1,000,000. Net profit, \$100,000. C.P.R. IN JULY. Montreal, Aug. 28. Earnings for July, 1918. Earnings \$1,000,000. Expenses, \$1,000,000. Net profit, \$100,000. C.P.R. IS NOT TRYING TO GET THE... ON NEW YORK... Hamilton B. Willis... The Canada Permanent... Our Savings... 4%... on their savings by registered order. W. Union... Corner B...

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FRESH GAINS MADE IN LOCAL MARKET

Steamship and Cement Advance Sharply on Brisk Demand—War Loans Dull. Steamships and Cement provided the features of yesterday's trading on the Toronto market, each showing decided strength in reflection of the pronounced common in Montreal. Steamships common was easily the most active stock on the list, and at 45 yesterday's high point, it showed a gain of a full two points over Tuesday's firm closing price, but it subsequently weakened to 41-1/2, reducing the net advance to 1-1/2 points. The demonstration was not regarded as having any particular significance as no dividend declaration on the common stock is looked for before the end of the year at the earliest. Cement has been quietly moving upward, and yesterday the stock was given a strong fillip, selling at 11-1/2 points above the previous high level of the year. The movement showed no abatement at the close, 67 being bid for more stock and 67-1/2 asked. The current earnings are reported to be very large, and talk of an increased dividend is again being heard. Brazilian which lost 1-1/4 at 39-5/8 was one of the few issues to show a recession. Maple Leaf advanced 3-8 to 115-1/2, Canadian Locomotive 1-1/4 to 45-1/4, and Canada Bread 1-1/2 to 20-1/4, while Canadian General Electric, Smelters and Steel of Canada, Penman's, and two shares of C. P. R. sold at 170, two points above the previous local quotation, and the first sale of Standard Chemicals, 11-1/2, this year reflected the recent dividend announcement, the quotation, 62-1/2, comprising with 56 last year, 62-1/2, while Wheat, not dealt in for some months, came out at a par, a drop of about ten points. Restrictions upon cereals are understood to have affected the company's earnings materially. The war loans were extremely dull and slightly easier. The 1918 issue came out 1-1/2 lower at 95, the 1917 issue was stationary at 91-1/4, and the 1917 issue was stationary at 91-1/4.

U. S. STEEL REACHES YEAR'S TOP MARK

New York Market Manifests Quiet Strength, Tho General Motors Tumbles. New York, Aug. 28.—On a moderate curtailment of operations, today's stock market continued to manifest much of its recent quiet strength, favorable foreign news again serving to neutralize adverse monetary conditions. War bullstina found their most direct expression in another advance of Paris exchange to the highest level of the current movement. French war notations retaining the greater part of their gains. Trading concentrated to an overwhelming degree in United States Steel, that stock eclipsing all other issues in its further progress to the year's new maximum of 115 1/2. This extreme gain of 1 1/2 points was reduced to a fraction at the close. Shipments reflected no disappointment at the delay in consummating the Mercantile Marine deal. Marine preferred showing substantial strength with Atlantic Gulf. Copiers were roused out of their protracted lethargy, Utah, American Smelting and Anaconda, featuring that division at extreme gain of three fractions to 1 1/2 points. Independent steels and kindred industrial and equipment were 1 to 1 1/4 points higher at their best and less distinctive war shares were featured by petroleum, Mexican Petroleum, however, evincing some irregularity. General Motors was the spectacular feature, its precipitate decline of 12 points, or almost 20 points in two days, being ascribed to the proposed stock increase. Other heavy issues embraced leading rails, tobacco and sugar, the general list yielding later. Sales amounted to 380,000 shares. Liberty issues and the domestic bond list were irregular. Total sales (par value at estimate) \$4,876,000. United States coupon, 4's, were 1/2 per cent lower on sales.

Record of Yesterday's Markets

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

SELING OF CORN GOES ON STEADILY

Shorts Cover on Bullish Government Report—Oats Also Sell Lower. Chicago, Aug. 28.—Liquidation of corn continued today, but it was scattered and the net result was a decline of 26 in September and 15c in October options. The range of prices covered an extreme 3c and the close, while at a recession was 1c to 1 1/2c better than the bottom. Shorts covered on the government weather report and private information that there had been no improvement in the corn sections most afflicted by the recent drought. October closed at \$1.58 1/2. Bears noted that No. 3 white corn sold at Indianapolis yesterday at \$1.60, also the large receipts, the easiness of the sample market, and the fact that cattle and hogs were reported less than a year ago. By corn, but its resistance in that direction was again apparent. In the sample market, 2c white continued to sell at 10c under September. Cash interests were sellers of October and buyers of September. Large contracts were also outright selling of September probably heading for the close was 2c to 3c lower. Provisions were dull, but advanced 12c to 1 1/2c in sympathy with higher hog. The government was reported to have asked for terms on land and meats, which also helped the price. September advanced to a parity with October.

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STRENGTH DISPLAYED BY MONTREAL MARKET

Day's Business is Third Largest of Year to Date, and Advances are Numerous. Montreal, Aug. 28.—Equal in volume in trading to the average week during the first quarter of the year, and exceeded only by two days in May, the 28th and the 10th, today's active market continued its upward swing begun some days ago. Some 41 stocks traded in making the day one of the broadest markets of the year, only four stocks showed a decline, four sold up to 5 1/2, the high and eleven sold at the highest price of the year, those in the last-named category generally proving the most active stocks for the day. The steel was relegated to the background with the paper stocks, while the power group, textiles and shippings came to the fore. The Canadian wheat was the active leader at a net gain of 1/2 points. Montreal Power, on sales of 698 shares, sold up to 5 1/2, the best price of the year. Laurentide Power made the best price for the year. Strength in the textile group was featured mainly by Penman's at a net advance of 1 1/2 points to 81 1/2. Stronger and more active stocks in the miscellaneous list included Canada Steamships, Canadian Cement, Canadian Locomotive, Macdonald and Aberdeen at new high prices, with the exception of Steamships which was by a narrow margin the most active, selling to the number of 1225 shares at a net gain of 3 points to 45, and with the close down a small fraction only. The milling stocks provided the spectacular move of the day with the sale of 55 shares of Ogilvie at 150. In the bond department, the 1918 war loan sold at 98 1/2, the first board of sale this month and a new high price for the issue. Total business for the day as compared with a year ago: Toronto Ex., 10,382; 1917, 3588. Unlisted sales—1918, 230; 1917, 136. Bonds—1918, \$12,600; 1917, \$42,700.

MONY AND EXCHANGE

London, Aug. 28.—Money, 3 per cent. Discount rates; short and three-month bill, 3 1/2 per cent. Gold premiums at London, 130.00. Paris, Aug. 28.—Trading was active on the bourse today. Three per cent. rentes, 68 francs 50 centimes for cash; Exchange on London, 26 francs 97 centimes. Glasgow and Cronyn, exchange brokers, report closing exchange rates as follows: Buyers, Sellers, Counter. N.Y. funds, 1 1/8-1/4 pm, 2 pm. Mont. funds, par. Ster. dem., 484.90 485 1/2 487 1/2. Rates in New York: Sterling demand, 47 1/2.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

Montreal, Aug. 28.—The tone of the local market for cash oats was stronger and prices were marked up 10c per bushel. There was a better demand from outside buyers for supplies today and a fair business was done, with sales of car lots of No. 2 Canadian western at 96c to 96c, extra No. 1 feed at 98c to 98c, No. 1 feed at 95c to 95c, No. 2 feed at 91c to 91c, Ontario No. 3 white at 89c per bushel, ex-store. A fairly good trade was done in potatoes—Canadian western, No. 2, \$1.01 to \$1.02; extra No. 1 feed, 96c to 96c. Flour—New, standard grade, \$10.95 to \$11.00. Rotted oats—Bays, 50 lbs., \$5.20. Bran, \$85; shorts, \$40; moullie, \$67 to \$68. Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$15.50 to \$16. Cheese—Finest creamery, 25c. Butter—Choice, creamery, 45c to 46c. Eggs—Selected, \$10 to \$12; No. 1 stock, 47c to 48c; No. 2 stock, 45c to 46c. Potatoes—Par bag, car lots, \$1.75 to \$1.85. Dressed hogs—Abattoir killed, \$39 to \$39.50. Lard—Pure wood pails, 20 lbs., net, 32c to 33c.

BOARD OF TRADE

Manitoba Wheat (in Store Fort William, Not including Tax). No. 1 northern, \$2.24 1/2. No. 2 northern, \$2.17 1/2. No. 3 northern, \$2.14 1/2. No. 4 wheat, \$2.11 1/2. Manitoba Oats (Store Fort William). No. 2 C.W., \$7.40. No. 1 feed, 77c. American Corn (Track, Toronto). No. 2 yellow, 44c-45c, nominal. No. 4 yellow, 44c-45c, nominal. Ontario Oats (Outside). No. 2 white, new crop, 75c to 78c. No. 3 white, new crop, 75c to 76c. Ontario Wheat (Basis in Store Montreal). No. 2 winter, per car lot, \$2.21. No. 3 winter, per car lot, \$2.17. No. 4 winter, \$2.14. No. 5 winter, \$2.12. Peas (According to Freight Outside). No. 2, nominal. Beans (According to Freight Outside). Maiting (new crop), \$1.03 to \$1.05. Buckwheat (According to Freight Outside). Buckwheat, nominal. Rye (According to Freight Outside). Rye, No. 2, nominal. Manitoba Flour (Toronto). War quality, \$1.50. Ontario Flour (Basis, Prompt Shipments). War quality, \$1.50. Montreal, \$1.50. Milled Flour (Car Lots, Delivered Montreal, including tax included). Bran, per ton, \$35. Shorts, per ton, \$40. No. 1, per ton, \$18 to \$19; mixed, per ton, \$16 to \$17. Car lots, per ton, \$8 to \$9.50. Fall wheat—No. 2, \$2.17 1/2 bushel. Spring wheat—No. 2, \$2.14 per bushel. Good wheat—No. 2, \$2.14 per bushel. Mixed and cover, \$18 to \$19 per ton. Barley—Malt, nominal. Oats—Old, 75c to 80c per bushel. Buckwheat—10c to 12c per bushel. Rye—According to sample, nominal. Corn—No. 2, \$1.50 per bushel. Mixed and cover, \$18 to \$19 per ton.

CROP SITUATION

Altho little Ontario spring wheat, outside of the Corn Belt and Kent, is on the move as yet, a sale of York County spring wheat was made to a mill in East Toronto yesterday, the vendor receiving \$2.18 per bushel. Ottawa, Aug. 28.—Dr. Magill, secretary of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange, who is in Ottawa to make the annual estimates of the exchange for this year's crop, will not be out before the middle of September. When asked if he had any idea what the crops would be, he shook his head and said there were so many divergent estimates that it would be better to wait until the official figures were out. "From what I have gathered, the wheat output of the three prairie provinces may be anywhere from 150,000,000 to 175,000,000 bushels, but I was talking with a prominent grain man in Toronto on my way back here who said he thought there would be 200,000,000 bushels, and he may be just wrong. It is simply a matter of making a good guess, as yet. It is certain, however, that there will not be as large a wheat crop this year as last. Frost in the three provinces is mainly responsible for this. Winnipeg, Aug. 28.—Wheat cutting in the grain as well as from Township 15, north, the crop is good, and from there south to the central part of the province it is even better. There has been sufficient labor so far, but more men will be needed from now on. Regina, Sask., Aug. 28.—The crop situation in Saskatchewan during the past two weeks, due to ideal weather conditions, has greatly improved, and the forecast by Hon. W. R. Motherwell, minister of agriculture, the improved conditions are responsible for a serious shortage of labor, and the local government employment offices are now swamped with thousands of applications from farmers for men to assist them in harvesting their grain for wages of \$4.50 per day. Winnipeg, Aug. 28.—A serious flour shortage is noticeable in Winnipeg and other western cities. Some large mill managers assert that they have not a bag of flour left in stock, and that no more flour can be ground until the new wheat begins to arrive. This will take about a month, it is estimated. Comparatively little flour is available for trade supplies.

OPERATORS' STRIKE HAS BEEN DEFERRED

Montreal, Aug. 28.—The six hundred C. P. R. telegraphers throughout Canada who had decided to go on strike for increased pay, have agreed to defer the strike for the time being, and to lay the question before the government at Ottawa. The decision was reached at a conference held at 2:15 p.m. between the general committee of Telegraphers' Union and John McMillan, superintendent of the telegraph for the C. P. R. The general committee and Mr. McMillan will go at once to Ottawa. It is understood that an earlier suggestion from the department of labor to the effect that the matter should be taken to the railway labor board for decision, was refused by the operators on the ground that as they had no direct representative on the board, it was not fully competent to judge the merits of the case. The decision was reached at a conference held at 2:15 p.m. between the general committee of Telegraphers' Union and John McMillan, superintendent of the telegraph for the C. P. R. The general committee and Mr. McMillan will go at once to Ottawa. It is understood that an earlier suggestion from the department of labor to the effect that the matter should be taken to the railway labor board for decision, was refused by the operators on the ground that as they had no direct representative on the board, it was not fully competent to judge the merits of the case. The decision was reached at a conference held at 2:15 p.m. between the general committee of Telegraphers' Union and John McMillan, superintendent of the telegraph for the C. P. R. The general committee and Mr. McMillan will go at once to Ottawa. It is understood that an earlier suggestion from the department of labor to the effect that the matter should be taken to the railway labor board for decision, was refused by the operators on the ground that as they had no direct representative on the board, it was not fully competent to judge the merits of the case.

PONT-LEVEQUE TAKEN

Niagara Camp, Aug. 28.—An entire set of four saxophones was presented to the brass band of the 1st Battalion, 1st Central Ontario Regiment, by Mrs. Rosa Gooderham last night at a tea-dance held in the officers' mess of the 1st Battalion, 1st C.O.R. Major N. M. Young, commanding officer of the 1st Battalion, 1st C.O.R., received the gift on behalf of the band, and handed Mrs. Gooderham a beautiful bouquet of roses. London, Aug. 28.—French troops have taken Pont-leveque, on the north side of the Oise, and about a mile from Noyon, and have captured Chavigny, three miles north of Soissons, according to reports reaching here this afternoon. The French are said to be on the outskirts of Juvisy, a mile and a half northeast of Chavigny.

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GRAIN AT WINNIPEG. Winnipeg, Aug. 28.—There was no change in the cash markets today. The demand for all grains continued very light. Oats closed 1/4c for October; 1/4c lower for December, and 3/4c lower for December. Winnipeg Markets. Oats: October-Open, 83 1/2c; close, 82 1/2c. December-Open, 79 1/2c; close, 78 1/2c. Flax: October-Open, \$4.17; close, \$4.16. November-Open, \$4.04; close, \$4.02. December-Open, \$3.93 1/2; close, \$3.96. Cash Prices. Oats—No. 2 C.W., 77c; No. 1 feed, 77 1/2c; No. 3 feed, 74c; Barley—No. 2 C.W., \$1.96; No. 4 C.W., \$1.81; No. 1 N.W.C., 81c. TWIN CITY EARNINGS. Twin City Rapid Transit Company reports July gross \$816,958, decrease \$41,219; net after charges, \$256,982, decrease \$33,588; surplus after charges, \$81,904, decrease \$45,908; seven months' gross, \$5,664,531, decrease \$369,590; net after taxes, \$1,589,064, decrease \$469,397; surplus after charges, \$485,994, decrease \$245,579.

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New Tapestry Papers, 40c—New shades of tan, green, grey, rose and blue, for dining-rooms and halls. Single roll, 40c.

5-Piece Set of Wear-Ever Aluminum Ware Today for Just \$6.95

Set consists of lipped Saucepan, 3-qt. size, value 75c; shallow Stevpan, 1-qt. size, value 35c; Preserving Kettle, 6-qt. size, value \$1.30; covered Saucepan, 5-qt. size, value \$1.25; and double Boiler, 2-qt. size, value \$2.75.



This Dresser \$23.95

DRESSER, illustrated, solid quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish. Colonial design. Shaped standards; back fitted with large bevelled plate mirror. Good drawer accommodation. Regular value, \$32.00. August Sale price, \$23.95.



This Chiffonier \$20.45

CHIFFONIER, illustrated, solid quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish. Plate mirror. Regular value, \$27.75. August Sale price, \$20.45.



This Buffet for \$28.65

BUFFET, illustrated, Colonial design, fumed or golden finish. Plate mirror. Regular value, \$40.00. August Sale price, \$28.65.



This Buffet for \$24.15

BUFFET, illustrated, Solid quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish. Plate mirror. Regular value, \$32.75. August Sale price, \$24.15.



6 Dining Chairs \$25.95

DINING-ROOM CHAIRS, illustrated, Solid quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish. Movable seats, upholstered in genuine leather. 5 small and 1 arm chair. Regular value, \$31.50. August Sale price, \$25.95.



Special \$12.35

EXTENSION TABLE, illustrated, Solid oak, fumed finish. Pedestal base. Extends to 6 feet. Reg. value, \$17.75. August Sale price, \$12.35.

8-Piece Dining Suite \$59.85 Regularly \$79.25

BUFFET, solid oak, fumed or golden finish; plate mirror. EXTENSION TABLE, solid oak, colonial feet. DINING CHAIRS, solid quarter-cut oak, movable seats, upholstered in genuine leather. 5 small and 1 arm chair—3 pieces complete. Regular value, \$79.25. August Sale price, \$59.85.

8-Piece Dining Suite \$72.25 Regularly \$97.00

BUFFET, solid quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish; mirror. EXTENSION TABLE, solid quarter-cut oak, colonial feet. DINING CHAIRS, solid quarter-cut oak, movable seats, upholstered in genuine leather. 5 small and 1 arm chair, 3 pieces, complete. Regular value, \$97.00. August Sale, \$72.25.

8-Piece Dining Suite \$75.85 Regularly \$107.75

BUFFET, massive design, 50-inch case; plate mirror. EXTENSION TABLE, solid quarter-cut oak, octagon pedestal, colonial feet. DINING CHAIRS, quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish; movable seats, upholstered in genuine leather—3 pieces complete. Reg. value, \$107.75. August Sale price, \$75.85.

WASHSTAND, base of solid mahogany, also quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish. Regular value, \$12.75. August Sale price, \$6.95.

ARM CHAIRS AND ROCKERS, solid quarter-cut oak, fumed finish. Seats upholstered in tapestries. Regular value, \$10.00. August Sale price, \$6.00.

DINING CHAIRS, solid quarter-cut oak, golden finish. Slip seats upholstered in genuine leather. 5 small and 1 arm chair. Regular value, \$27.75. August Sale price, \$21.45.

Odd Rugs Reduced Today

1 only, Heavy Seamless Axminster Rug, tan oriental colorings. Size 9.0 x 12.0. Regularly \$47.50. Sale price, \$36.95. 1 only, English Axminster Rug, in light blue, fawn and green. Size 9.0 x 12.0. Regularly \$54.00. Sale price, \$39.75. 1 only, Seamless Axminster Rug, plain tan centre, with colored border. Size 9.0 x 12.0. Regularly \$60.00. Sale price, \$45.95. 1 only, Super Saxony Wilton Rug, light cream and tan shades, slightly soiled. Size 9.0 x 10.6. Regularly \$95.00. Sale price, \$69.75. 1 only, Heavy Wilton Rug, tan oriental shades. Size 9.0 x 10.6. Regularly \$54.00. Sale price, \$38.95. 1 only, English Wilton Rug, small grey, black and fawn design. Size 9.0 x 10.6. Regularly \$55.00. Sale price, \$39.75. 1 only, Seamless English Axminster Rug, rose, fawn and green shades. Size 9.0 x 10.6. Regularly \$52.50. Sale price, \$47.95. Genuine Oriental Rugs, in wonderful colors and quaint designs. Shirvans, Ghundigs and other makes. Assorted sizes, averaging about 5.0 x 9.0. Special at one price, \$29.75.

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Popular and novelty styles in white, grey and other new finishes. Special August Sale prices, \$17.50 to \$50.00.

Light, Roomy Go-Carts, reclining backs, deep footwell. Natural finish, sale price \$7.95; grey finish, \$9.45; white enamel, \$10.65.

97-Piece Dinner Set \$19.95

Of thin white English ware—dainty full rounded border decoration. Gold line decoration. Regularly, \$28.00. Today, \$19.95.

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A Most Cordial Invitation is Extended to Exhibition Visitors to Visit the Simpson Store

The preliminary displays of new Fall Apparel—the well-appointed stocks of staple, always-with-us merchandise—the timely offerings at appreciable savings and the courteous, efficient store service, combine to make Simpson's worth a special visit.

The Store Conveniences

PALM ROOM RESTAURANT. Sixth Floor. INFORMATION BUREAU. Main Floor—Centre. TELEGRAPH STATION AND FREE PARCEL CHECK ROOM. Basement—Centre. POST OFFICE. Street Floor. WOMEN'S REST ROOM, TELEPHONE BOOTHS. Third Floor. Throughout the Store.

Genuine Swiss Lace Curtains \$8.49 Pr.

The balance of a purchase made several months ago, direct from St. Gall, Switzerland. Rich floral borders, well applied, on a fine quality of net, in rich ivory shade; 3 yards long, 45 inches wide, at pair, \$8.49.

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50-inch Egyptian Cloth, \$1.98 Yard—For portieres or over-curtains, 50 inches wide, in rose, green, brown or blue. At cost price, yard, \$1.98.

Annual Sale of Blankets



Offers Notable Savings the First Day---Today

Anticipate your fall and winter needs now--- these values procurable today may not be duplicated later. Our high standing in the markets accounts for such plentiful savings. Can you doubt it is to your best interests to hurry here first thing in the morning?

Flannelette Blankets away less than mill price. Largest size 70 x 84 inches. Best Canadian quality. White or grey. Not more than 3 pairs to a customer. Today, pair, \$2.95.

White Union Blankets, closely woven and evenly napped. Size 64 x 82 inches. \$6.95 value. Today, pair, \$6.95.

All Wool Military Blankets, mill seconds, joined in centre. Weight about 4 pounds. Size 70 x 88 inches. Today, each, at \$4.95.

Finest Quality White All Wool Blankets, weight 8 pounds. Size 68 x 86 inches. \$22.50 value. Today, pair, \$18.50.

Grey Union Flannel, 27 inches wide. 35c value. Today, yard, 28c.

Cream Saxony Flannel, 27 inches wide. 85c value. Today, yard, 59c.

White Flannelette, lovely soft quality, 29 inches wide. Not more than 20 yards to a customer. 25c value. Clearing today, yard, 20c.

Silkolone Bed Comforters, assorted pretty designs. Size 72 x 72 inches. \$5.00 value. Today, \$3.75.

Fourth Floor.