

In The Wake Of The War

## VERSAILLES, May 18. - The German councillor of legation

 German councillor of legationwho expressed the view on his return from Berlin today that the with bodily harm if they did not sign the treaty, said he based his declaration on the pea
PARIS, May 19. - A reply by
he Allied and Associated Governments to the German note
protesting against the economic terms of the peace treaty as being calculated to cause the in dustrial ruin of Germany, has been delivered to the German peace plenipotentiaries. The re
ply is under eleven heads, and answers each German contention It declared that the Allied and ing the economic terms "had no intention to destroy Germany' economic life." On the contrary, the report points out that in the reconstruction of the world's af fairs Germany will have her par in the progressive development but also will share with the res of the world in the economic losresulting from the war.
PARIS, May 20. - The Germa delegation this evening sen of the conference. This is the tenth communication forwa y the enemy representati arrival of Max Von Wassermann one of the managers of the
Reichsbank, who come to Ver sailles yesterday with Count vo Brockdorff - Rantzau, is unde stood to be preliminary to a
effort on the part of the German to secure verbal exchanges wit the Allied and Associated Power egarding the financial terms PARIS peace treaty.
Van Kernebeek, Dutch Jonkher minister, again appeared before the council of foreign ministers today to discuss the Belgian claims as they affect Holland. The position of Holland in the lutely concessions to Belgium, but she is willing to admit of arrangements for the use of the Meuse gians. of the most severe character is in progress between Poles and progress between
Ukrainians in eastern Galicia, according to reports
BRUSSELS, May 21. international pariiamentary com mercial conference decided today to reserve its decision on the question of the internationalization of the Rhine, after a speech
by M. Chaumet, a French deleby M. Chaumet, a French dele complete economic and military liberty was agreed upon una mously by the conference
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PARIS, May 21. - The Turkish $\begin{gathered}\text { PARIS, May } 22 \text {. - The Allied } \\ \text { reply to the German note regard- }\end{gathered}$ the peace conference. Various was delivered today says in gendelegations are striving to find eral that the council considers declin

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 only nation which can become themandatory for Constantinople without precipitating anothe Curout precipitating anothe
States delegates to the peace conference express doubt of the United States to accept the man tions which the powers have out
ined. PARIS, May 21. - The note tion will submit to the peace con
ference before May 29, to whi time they are given to presen answers to the terms, will appar ently be so voluminous that th ntente representatives will with reading and consideration befor they can begin framing a r be a new adjuspected there win se a new adjustment in the tim treaty
SALONIKI, May 21. - A Turk detachment which at gents resisted the Greek troo t Smyrna was overwhelmed and captured, according to an official
statement issued by Greek genstatement issued by Gr
eral headquarters today.
PARIS, May 22. - Count vo
Brockdorff-Rantzau, accompanie
delegates has again gone to Spa He will consult with representa tives of the German government

PARIS, May 22 - A categoric negative reply to the German not egative rep peace terms was sent by the Allied Council to the German delegation today. The reply characterised the as exaggerated and says that i indicates failure to appreciate the enormity of the Germans respore
sibility. The Germans are re minded that it is right that Germany which was responsible hould make them cood to the utmost of her capacity.
PARIS, May 22.- Premier V recent meeting of the Council Four, at which the subject myrna was under consideration, because of the Greek interest in
Smyrna near which an Italian landing was made. When Pre mier Orlando entered the counc ting aside the usual diplomati ormality, addressed directly sking him what the answer wa
the note inquiring as to th anding of Italian forces in Tur ey. The Italian Premier, wit apparent feeling, replied that h Council of Four but not with Greece's premier present. Pre mier Venizelos at once offered to
withdraw, but President Wilso withdraw, but President Wilson is said to have insisted on his remaining. Premier Orlando de ned to proceed, however, PARIS, May 22. - The Alli
"proposals for the covenant are much more practical than those of the German government and
better calculated to secure the bjects of the league.
PARIS, May 22.
four agreed today on a reply
the German note concerning
the German note concerning
eparations. The note will be
anded to the German plenipontiaries at Versailles tomorrow ions in the terms regarding eparations as they now appear in
the text of the peace treaty the text of the peace treaty
This will be the first modification of the terms of the peace treat s agreed upon by the plenary onference. Consideration o Germany's protest regarding the Saar Valley also has resulted in light modifications of the terms
of the award.
BRUSSELS, May 22. - The
atest report from the "restitution atest report from the "restitution service whose task is to recover
from Germany, Belgian machinery and tools, shows that ther are 12,059 demands on the books. Already property has been re
turned to the amount of 154 car lurned to the amount of 154 car loads, ag
material.
VERSAILLES, May 23. - The Germay for Spa will divide int two groups. One group headed return to Versailles tomorro while the other will remain a Spa for a few days. LONDON, May 23. - On whens frontier in norther Russia Allied forces have capture
Medvyejyagora, at the north western end of Lake Onega, afte a series of actions in which the
Bolshevik rearguard suffered severely, a statement issued by the
British War Office tonight LONDON, May 23 , say MONDON, May 23
announced in the house of com mons yesterday that he hoped ment bill for the reform of the government for India. He said be transference of power from the bureaucracy to the people.
PARIS, May 25.-With the ex-
all suggestions and counter pro
posals by Germany for the di
position of the Saar basin hav
been rejected by the reply of the Allied and Associated Powers,
Count von Brockdoff-Rantzau's appeal for an oral discussion the points at issue on this subje
was ignored. The concessi agreed to is that Germany migh create a prior charge upon he assets or revenues for the pu
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| Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, | man cabinet has determined not | other than justly and in a non- |
| ed at Versailles, May 13, was | to | partisan manher and did not in- |
| de public today. | - stands. This fact was contained- | pon justice towards all, no |
|  | in an official statement issued by | ded |
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| th my communication of the |  | t ready ourselves to admit." |
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| COPENHAGEN, May $25 .-$ Dr. | struction for overseas trade. Ger- | Washington unconditionally that |
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| Karl Renner, Austrian chancellor | man shipbuilding yards will build |  |
| the established basis of President |  |  | peace delegation, has addressed tonnage destined for the allied be authoritive for the peace ace conference - in submitting

her colonies, all her overseas pos-
he povernments, after careful con
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sessions, all her interests and se-
sideration, were also prepared to Earding the maintenance of peace ed countries and in their colonies, $\begin{aligned} & \text { President Wilson as the basis } \\ & \text { for the conclusion of }\end{aligned}$
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 n boundary on which some de- ty of peace Germany would lose "Germany answers them with and. Chinese and Japanese de-
regions for the production of corn
national law. Toward the pol is afternoon in connection with be equivalent to the loss of 21 per sailles, the German nation thues to occupy much of the ticles of food. Moreover, the in- niable rights and it is not in a coposal to recognise Admiral Kol- - ductions would diminish consider-
point. Germany concluded peace
chak's government, anti-Bolshe- ably. On the one hand, the im-
on the basis of President Wil keader in Russia.
PARIS, May 25.-Premier Cle- indispensible-for the production son's fourteen points which all
America had made its own and menceau's reply to the two Ger- of manure, such as phosphates, in America every individual is tern boundaries of Germany,
which was made public today, this industry would suffer
like all other industries from lack
 rom one sovereignty to another of the production of our coal the note of Secretary Lansing. Clemenceau points out that the we are for ten years to deliver who constructed the fourteen quabstion shall be taken into con- various Allied countries. More- poeptance, thereby induciny Gerideration, the only exception be- over, in conformity with the trea- $\begin{aligned} & \text { many to lay down her weapons } \\ & \text { ing that in regard to PrussianMo- ty Germany will concede to her }\end{aligned}$ We do not believe that Presiden resnet, inhabited by only 500 per- neighbors nearly three-quarters
Wilson, Secretary Lansing and
sons, which is transferred to Bel- of her mineral production and
the American people can take estruction of Belgian forests by moreduction."

Brockdorff-Rantzau's Note Germans Insist nage and ships in course of con

The Choice of A Cross
there was a touch of wistfulgess
in her smile that made her face
more thoughtful than was natural
for a little girl of saven.
"Father, don't get a new brus
keeper. Send for Ann instead."
keeper. Send for Ann instead
There was a little tremor in h drive back the tears.
her when she went off to bed that her questions; nor had he told he what he would do about Ann.
For a long time he sat at
window after Rose had left the room, his eyes riveted on
white church before him.
had passed and months had slipped
tered there: years in which he had
become too engrossed in reachin
his goal to give any time to reli
gion.
Out of the reaching of this goal
ambition for a brilliant social They lodged in various buildings
career for Rose had come. Deep
laid were the plans he had made
for her future; and, knowing his
faith as well as he did, he knew
also the sacrifices that it exacted
if one would keep true to its teach-
ings. So he had set about with
any knowledge of his Church and
hers.
rid the boose of Ann! But before
the accusing eyes of his unlettered
old housekeeper the sordid stand-
ards he had acquired and set up in
faith began to crumble.
And there was the mother of his
bittle girl! Presently his eyes left the church, and slowly he lifted
them to the picture over the mantel. He read nothing but reproach in would she find to say to him, he
asked himself, for the awful wron he had done to their little Rose? Suddenly he rose from the chair
in which he bad been sitting and moving over to the other side of light that hung low-over the small
mahogany desk in the corner and
began to write.
postman at the door the next day, and received from him a letter ad

## dressed to her. "Come back to

"Rose misses you, and the hous
needs you very badly
that bold to that I am that I was
that day. Maybe it has helped to
bring him to his senses."
the note and tucked it away in he
apron pocket, but through the tea
came a kindly little smile.
"Sure,'twas not the real Anthon
Bowman that sent me away from
It warling that day.
late stroke of the bell sounded for
the children's Mass as Anthony
Bowman came out of the house.
Rose was swinging to his hand as
he started down the steps, and
every now and then she would
and cheeks aglow.
ening came, and the ringing of
the Angelus had died away, "
we going to Mass next Sunday like
we did this morning
day morning from now on, we're
going."
Sund I to stay after Mass
day?"
"Surely," he answered, smiling.
And the same peace that brooded
the street that Sunday evening
came
there.
Be always displeased at what thou art if thou desire to attain to hast pleased thyself, there thou a hast p
bidest.


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VoL. 16 No. 15 St. Peters Bote, Muenster, Sask., Wednesday, May 28, 1919.
 - With fire still smoldering in Maru steaned into port at Victoria after an exciting passage from Yo kohama. Fire broke out on the liner, but was kept under control.
For two days the crew fought the blaze, and nine feet of pumped into the hold.

- Victoria's eivil serv vote endorsed the One Big Union PRINCE RUPERT burns received when an oilstove
in an incubator overturned in he home and set fire to her clothe Mrs. A. A.
died here Manitoba
WINNIPEG.-The great strike,
which has now lasted nearly two
weeks, is still on, and the city is
absolutely isolated from the outside
world except by train, Even gaso-
line line cannot be obtained for autos
to connect the city with the rest
fo world. So far no violenct has been reported, critical daily despite the presence
of two Dominion ministers who are
attempting to effect a settlement. attempting to effect a settlement. ki, Nick Skotinski and Pete Gety
brought before Judge Myers by the Great War deterans as a teren, were interned by order of the judge. Judge Mye
stated that he had no jurisdictio stated that he had no jurisdiction therned.
-Mennonites in the vicinity Winkler are still-resisting th school authorities and withholding Nine were summoned before MA-
gistrate Milne, and a fine of $\$ 20$ and costs was imposed on each of
the offenders. Two of the number paid their fine
seven declared


## imprisonment. Ontario

the first month of the new fiscal year show a decrease of $\$ 29,244$,
403 in the total of Canadian trade as compared with April, 1918. The 972 as compared with $\$ 150,722$,455 in April 1918. The decrease chandise imported, which decline $\$ 24,368,720$ as compare
year's figures for April.

- Dominion lands held under others whose duties are in default will be checked by the Dominion make them available for soldier
mats and


## lement.

-The Liberal information office sparks Street, founded in 1912
has been for the present practi cally abandoned and the National opened offices at 44 Elgin Street, Ottawa, with A. Hayden as secretary in charge, according to a statement given out.

Provincial premiers and re ral Liberals at Ottawa, and dorsed the proposals for the hold ing next August of a national Li beral convention. There was ence, it was national in charact and scope

TORONTO. - 7,635 died in T ronto in 1918. Influenza and preu sons. Twenty were cases of sui-- Bears are apparently very numerous on the peninsula north
of Wiarton. Recently the Rev. John Hilditch of Cape Croker In dian Reserve and Chas. Gilbert captured two full-grown ones and ro cubs.

Lightning played its freaks in Brantford township, when ou

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| dead. All the cattle were in a barn, | There the information was signalled |
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| and the barn was undamaged. | Grieve were aboard his ship. The | LONDON:-The jail here, after

80 yoars' use, is beeing repaired fous aviators were missing the first time. - . The establish for for six
for lost.

## Foreign News

PONTA DELGADA, Azores,
The American naval seaplane NC-
t, commanded by Lieuf. Comman-
der Albert C. Read, has attained its first objective in the transatlantie flight, having landed safely a after winging its way from Tre passey Bay, Newfoundland, in 15 hours and 13 minutes. The distance is 1,200 miles. Commander
Read treached Horta several hours ahead of the schedule for the flight
It had been estimated that lie would require 20 hours for the flight.
HORTA, Azores. - NC-3, the

## gada May 19, under her own powe after having been 67 hours and

 minutes at sea. Commander Tow-ers and his crew were in rood con-
dition, but fagged out by lack o rest and also i
NC-3 plane had
only one day.
LONDON.

## Quebec MONTREAL. - The award of the board of arbitration which sat in the Montreal tramways case

LONDON.-Thequarterly meet
rederation unanimously carried a

ployees voted for its acceptance.
QUEBEC.- The federated coun-
cil of trades and tabors of Quebee
affiliated with the Dominion Fed-
local labor men join the One Big
Union.

- The Quebec C. P. O. S. San
-The Quebec C. P. O. S. Scan-
dinavian, with 355 officers and men
and 600 dependents, docked here
May 18 th. The passage across was
a rough one and three babies were
born to the wives of three soldiers


## during the voyage. Nova Scotia

Nova Scotia
HALIFAX.-Sir Robert Borden
returning to Ottawa from the peace

## conference at Paris, gave out statement after landing from the

Aquitania this morning in which mans would sventually sign the
peace treaty; his confidence that he returning soldiers would exert steadying influence in the tren appreciation of the work of the the comfort of Canada's returning army while at sea, the work of Canadian nurses in England and in
the field, the overseas record of General Morrison as head of th artillery, and of Hon. A. L. Si as chief British representa
the Inter-Allied commission
anternational' 'regime of p
nd waterways, both
eturned with him, and his
eception arranged for him public citizens of Halifax, owing to th necessity of proceeding to O

## Newfoundland

ST. JOHNS.-Harry G. Hawker Australian aviator, and Commande left here on May 18th for a trans. atlantic flight without protection against disaster save what their rail airplane aforded. Some 1100 800 miles from the Irish coast on May 21st the lone aviators, making he best of engine which was forced to alight on the water. On hour and a half later they we picked up by the little Danish steamer Mary, on the way from
New Orleans to Aarhus, Denmark. Lacking a wireless, the captain of the steamer was obliged to withhold the good tiding of the rescue
 of Deputies and Senate adopted unanimously a resolution asserting nations and declaring they would
remain united in a just and durable peace. COBLENZ-Max Kaasch, formegly a captain in the German ar-
my, who was arrested by United States intelligence officers on a property stolen from France, committed suicide by stabbing TOKIO.-A statement re-assur-
ing all concerned that Japan will ing all concerned. that Japan will
return the Shantung Peninsula to China has been issued by Foreign Minister Uchida of Japan. mention of the time of the transfer
is made, but the change is expected

## within two years.

MELBOURNE - Returned Aus ralian soldiers have been exempted rom compulsory service in the
Australian army under the Defence Australian army under the Defence
of the Realm Act. Many of them, however, are voluntarily joining the special reserve being organised
the Commonwealth. Jesuits Return To Germany During the war the anti-Jesuit hus for two years the Jesuits have heir Order. P. Kemp, Rector of the Jesuit establishment in Valken in the United States, conveyed the munication information in a communication dated Feb. 13, 1918


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## Watch This Space.

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 ve society in some localities and so easy in others? Practially the only reason is the DIFFERENCE IN CO-OPER TIVE EDUCATION. If every shareholder would ask himself the following questions, and than HONESTLY ACT ACCORDING TO HIS OWN REASON failure vould be impossible
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 $\left.\begin{aligned} & \text { not fail to convey in justly angered } \\ & \text { language to the above mentioned } \\ & \text { Rantzaiu. "The attitude of Count } \\ & \text { von Brockdorff-Rantzau," cried the }\end{aligned} \right\rvert\,$ von Brockdorff-Rantzad," cried the
brilliant politician from the land
of the kangaroos, "is an in of the kangaroos, PremierClemenceau spokestanding,
whilst the German remained sitting when answering. Despite this in
tolerable arrogance (Mr. Hughes used this word) it was a day of
humilation for the (Germen humiation for the Germans ..."
"That's the boy!" echoed the Arverican correspondents in their choice style, applauding the aveng-
ing denunciation of Mr. Hughes. "Rantzau is a low type of person, the great joy of the nimies of the continent.
 hardly made their toup around the call a flaw was discovered in the
incident. The Montreal Star, continuing the publication of its serie



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$\qquad$ Preinier Hughes has spoken bitterly in condemning this in
politeness, and certain papers have sought to excuse; the count, alleging an infirmity on his part. The crit ing, and no excuse is necessary stting; messengers remain stumd ing when they speak, In remain ing seated, Count Rantzau gave
the allies a silent testimony that he had the full rank of plenipotenliary, and that he was not merely that is to say, he indicated that he was precisely what they demanded him to be." him to be,
be less astonished that the "ble wil colonials" are kept off the list signatories to the peace treaty, what represented.
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