

WEATHER: Cold with Snow

THE MOLSONS BANK Capital Paid Up \$4,000,000 Reserve Fund \$4,800,000

RITZ-CARLTON HOTEL Special Winter Apartment Rates: Luncheon, \$1.25 Dinner, \$1.50

THE DOMINION SAVINGS and INVESTMENT SOCIETY Capital \$1,000,000 Reserve 200,000.00

ENQUIRY INTO WRECK OF NAVARRA OPENED WITH CAPTAIN ON STAND

(Special to Journal of Commerce.) Yarmouth, January 7.—The enquiry into the loss of the steamer Navarra...

AMERICANS MUST USE BRITISH SHIPS FOR WOOL. Washington, January 7.—Consul-General Bray...

RUSSIANS SINK ITALIAN SHIP. Constantinople, January 7.—It is officially announced...

BLOWN UP BY MINE. Grimsby, England, January 7.—The trawler Cygnus...

CARDINAL NOT ARRESTED. Berlin, via Amsterdam, January 7.—Formal denial...

AMERICAN STEAMER RELEASED. Washington, January 7.—A report that British authorities...

ANCOUVER WORLD. Vancouver, B.C., January 6.—In some quarters...

WATERWORKS SYSTEM. Toronto, January 6.—The ratepayers endorsed...

MUSEMENTS. Play High Class Attractions. MATTIEES WED. & SAT.

BEGIN THE NEW YEAR RIGHT WITH A MAPPIN CLOCK

ALLIES CONTINUE ADVANCE IN ALSACE

All Positions Gained Have Been Held Steadfastly Despite Terrific Attacks of Reinforced Germans

CANNONADING IN FLANDERS

Zepplins Reported Over French Coast—Italy Completes Mobilization Arrangements, of All Men Liable to Military Service—Catholics Indignant Over Cardinal's Arrest.

(Special Cable to The Journal of Commerce.) London, January 7.—In Upper Alsace, the French to-day continued their progress.

The fresh recruits of the Kaiser's new army are pouring into Belgium to check the Allies' advance in Flanders...

Italy has completed all arrangements for the mobilization of an army of approximately 3,500,000 men.

Those assigned to the first line troops in this order are the first and second categories of the ten classes from 1886 to 1895.

Much indignation is being expressed by the Catholics throughout Europe at the imprisonment of Cardinal Mercier...

In a sudden attack on the village of Bozowa, near Grodnouk, the Germans were taken by surprise and bayoneted almost to a man.

NEW YORK, January 7.—Equitable Trust Company of New York, has purchased \$2,700,000 Province of British Columbia one-year 4 1/2 per cent. gold treasury bills.

PUBLISHER MARRIES WEALTHY WIDOW. Sydney, N.S., January 7.—The marriage took place to-day in Grace Church, New York...

Judge L. P. Duff, who was born at Meaford, Ont., on 7th January, 1865, was educated at the public schools and at the University of Toronto...

Sir Sanford Fleming, who has reached the ripe age of eighty-eight years, is one of the best known men in the Dominion.

MAPPIN & WEBB LIMITED At the Corner of Victoria

FRENCH SUCCESSFULLY REPULSED VIOLENT ATTACKS BY GERMANS

Trench, After Having Been Lost, Was Recovered in Brilliant Fashion—German Works Blasted.

(Special Cable to The Journal of Commerce.) Paris, January 7.—The official 3 p.m. statement says: "From the sea to the Oise there were during the day of January 6th only artillery duels in which we had advantage almost constantly."

"Our batteries put to flight the German aviators who were flying toward Dunkirk and extinguished the fire of mine throwers."

"Between the Somme and the Aisne there is nothing to report, except artillery combats."

"We have maintained ourselves in all the positions conquered on preceding days. The enemy has made two counter-attacks, one to the west of Watwiler, the other near Kohlschlag. They were repulsed."

GREEK EMBROIDERED WITH TURKEY. Athens, January 7.—Diplomatic relations between Greece and Turkey are nearer the breaking point than at any time since the war began.

FRENCH MOVING FORWARD. Paris, January 7.—Driving forward in Alsace, the French troops, though operating under weather conditions highly unfavorable, are now only two and a half miles from Altkirch.

Men in the Day's News Major-General Cotton, who has just attained his sixty-seventh milestone, was born in Montreal and educated in Toronto and at Quebec.

Alcide Chausse, who celebrated his forty-seventh birthday yesterday, is Inspector of Buildings for the City of Montreal.

The Hon. G. T. Daniels, Provincial Secretary of Nova Scotia, who has been exonerated by a Royal Commission regarding the charges laid against him in connection with the sale of the Halifax and South-western Railway Lands...

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WANT CENSORSHIP OF LOCAL THEATRES

Demand for Appointment is Supported by Police Chief's Recommendation to Board of Control

"IN INTEREST OF ORDER"

Chief Campeau Says the Choice of Vaudeville Turns in Moving Picture Houses is "Not Always Judicious."

Demands for the establishment of a dramatic censorship in Montreal are growing and many clergy and others interested in civic welfare have given the project their support.

With the growth of the censorship system in many parts of this continent Montreal public opinion has been inclining towards the establishment of such a bureau for some time.

Chief Campeau, in his letter to the controllers, refers to the fact that a year ago he made a similar recommendation. He again urges the nomination of a board of censors as to the theatre productions...

MEXICO GOVERNMENT AUTHORIZES AN ISSUE OF \$300,000,000. Washington, January 7.—The Gutierrez Government at Mexico City has issued a decree authorizing an issue of \$300,000,000 in six per cent. bonds.

WASHINGTON, January 7.—On Wednesday, the day of the accident, the subway carried 405,919 passengers. As normal daily traffic on subway is close to 1,000,000 passengers this represents a loss of about 600,000.

GERMANS FLEE BEFORE RUSSIANS. Amsterdam, January 7.—A Berlin despatch states that 300,000 residents of East Prussia have fled into Central Germany from the Russian advance.

GERMANS INDULGE IN SPONTANEOUS ACTS OF UNFETTERED BRUTES (Special Cable to Journal of Commerce) Paris, January 7.—No war between civilized nations has ever been characterized by such savagery and ferocity as our implacable enemy has shown on our soil.

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WASHINGTON, January 7.—Call money 2 1/2 per cent.

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WITH BRANCHES THROUGHOUT CANADA AND IN THE UNITED STATES, ENGLAND AND MEXICO, AND AGENTS AND CORRESPONDENTS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

CLAIMS OF UPPER HAND ARE MADE IN BERLIN WAR BULLETIN

(Special Cable to The Journal of Commerce.) Berlin, (by wireless), January 7.—The afternoon report from Army Headquarters follows: "In the west, our theatre of war English and French forces continue to destroy by bombardment Belgian and French villages beyond our front."

"North of Arras severe fighting continues for trenches which we stormed and took yesterday. "We have made further progress in western part of Argonne forest."

"Attacks were made all day Tuesday in eastern Argonne. Near Courtclausse the enemy advanced as far as our trenches, whence he was driven back along the line with heavy losses. Our losses were comparatively small."

"West of Semblan, the French re-attempted last night to obtain possession of Hill No. 425. Their attacks broke down under our fire. The height remained in our possession."

"Situation in eastern theatre of war is unchanged. Continuation of our operations has been affected by most unfavorable weather conditions. Nevertheless, our attacks are progressing slowly."

NEW YORKERS SHUNNED SUBWAYS AFTER ACCIDENT. New York, January 7.—On Wednesday, the day of the accident, the subway carried 405,919 passengers. As normal daily traffic on subway is close to 1,000,000 passengers this represents a loss of about 600,000.

SUBWAY ACCIDENT WILL BE EXAMINED INTO THOROUGHLY. Albany, January 7.—Officials on the Interboro Rapid Transit Company have telephoned to Governor Whitman details of Wednesday's accident in this subway.

AMERICAN COPPER IMPORTS. Washington, January 7.—Imports of copper at principal ports for the week ended January 2nd, are announced by the Department of Commerce:

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