

BIG FRENCH VICTORY

FRENCH STRIKE MIGHTY BLOW; UNEXPECTED AND DECISIVE

AT ONE POINT PENETRATED GERMAN LINES TO A DEPTH OF MORE THAN TWO MILES; MANY IMPORTANT POSITIONS TAKEN BY THE ATTACKING ARMY

ADVANCE MADE OVER A FRONT OF SIX MILES NORTHEAST OF SOISSONS; UNDER RAIN AND GENERALLY UNFAVORABLE CONDITIONS

MORE THAN 7,500 GERMANS CAPTURED, AS WELL AS AN ENORMOUS AMOUNT OF WAR MATERIAL AND 25 FIELD GUNS

AT ONE POINT ENEMY FLED PELL-MELL FROM PURSUING ARMY; SOME ACTIVITY UPON OTHER FIGHTING FRONTS

While the allied troops were busily engaged in consolidating positions won Monday in Flanders, the French forces of General Petain struck a mighty and unexpected blow against the German line northeast of Soissons Tuesday morning and made some of the most important gains of terrain since they threw back the army of the German crown prince which was besieging Verdun.

The stroke was made over a front of about six miles, from the east of Vauxaillon to Pargny-Filain. Under rain and generally unfavorable weather conditions the French pushed forward all along the line, aided by audacious aviators, who flew over the German positions at an altitude of about 150 feet, using their machine guns and penetrating the German line at one point to a depth of two and a half miles.

Numerous important positions fell one by one into the hands of General Petain's men, and in addition more than 7,500 Germans, an enormous amount of war material, and 25 heavy field guns were captured.

The greatest depth of the drive was in the center of the line. There the village of Chavignon was captured after a violent struggle which resulted in the enemy fleeing pell-mell.

DEFEATED THE CROWN PRINCE

Some of the heavy German crown prince were engaged in endeavoring to hold back the onslaught, but their efforts were unavailing under the enthusiasm of the French to win positions which would place them more advantageously to press on later toward Laon.

For about a week the French artillery had been hurling tons of steel into the German line in front of them in preparation for the drive, and when it was started had havoc had been wrought by the guns. In addition to the prisoners taken, the Germans also suffered heavy casualties.

HOLDING THEIR GAINS

In Flanders, both the British and French troops are holding all the gains made in Monday's drive northeast of Ypres, except at one place on the southern fringe of the Houtholst forest, where the Germans in a few counter-attacks forced a slight retirement of the British.

HEAVY GERMAN LOSSES

The latest advices concerning the naval activity in the Gulf of Riga between the Germans and the Russians show that although the Russians lost the battleship Slava and a large torpedo-boat destroyer, the Germans were the heaviest losers. Two of their dreadnoughts, one cruiser, twelve torpedo boats, one transport and numerous mine sweepers were put out of action by the Russian fleet. While the exact fate of these vessels has not been ascertained by the Petrograd government, it is announced that at least six of the German destroyers were sunk.

Further German attempts to land forces on the Estonian coast to the north of Werder have been repulsed.

On the other fronts no important engagements are in progress except in the nature of bombardments. On the Julian front of the Austro-Italian theater the artillery activity again has become intense. An Austrian attack with infantry in the Cadore region was repulsed by the Italians with heavy losses.

The British merchant cruiser Orama, a vessel of 12,925 tons, was sunk by a submarine, and a British destroyer has been lost by striking a mine. There was no loss of life on the Orama, but only two officers and twenty-one men are reported to have been saved from the destroyer.

LABOR COMMITTEE SETTLES COPPER MINERS' STRIKE

Fifty Thousand Copper Miners in Arizona Will Return to Work; Terms Very Satisfactory to All Concerned

Washington, Oct. 23.—President Willmore's special labor investigating committee reported today a settlement of the strike of more than 50,000 copper miners in the Globe-Miami district of Arizona, on a basis which promises to set a precedent for composing labor disputes elsewhere.

Avoiding for resumption of work immediately the commission paved the way for arbitrating other Arizona copper mine strikes, which have caused losses of many millions of pounds of war metals in the last four months and resulted in deportations of strikers and labor disorders.

Union organizations are to be repaid on the adjusting committee, which virtually amounts to union recognition by the government. One of the issues involved in the strike, which is an important principle put into effect in co-operation in distributing the necessary labor supply to the mines, said the government's effort to deal with labor questions and eliminate economic waste.

GREAT BRAVERY OF BRITISH CREW TO BE REWARDED

The Norwegian Government Asks for Names of British Sailors Who Performed Heroic Deed

Christiania, Oct. 23.—The Norwegian government, which has received reports of the heroic rescue work performed by the little British patrol ship on the occasion of the sinking of the steamers under convoy in the North sea last week, has asked the British government to forward the names of the officers and crew of the vessel so that the Norwegian government can express to them its gratitude for their rescue of the Norwegian sailors.

As the result of reports that the Germans may have received news of the convoy's movements from spies on land, the government has issued a proclamation prohibiting the use of any unauthorized signals, flags or lights, which could be observed from the sea or from aircraft. An infringement of the restrictions is punishable by imprisonment of six years.

HOW GREAT GAIN WAS MADE

Paris, Oct. 23.—In one of the swiftest and most dashing blows of the war, the French troops today smashed through the German lines north of the Aisne to a depth of more than two miles at one point, inflicted heavy losses on the enemy, and captured more than 7,500 prisoners and 25 heavy guns and field guns.

Several important villages also fell into the hands of the French, according to the war office announcement tonight. The text reads: "North of the Aisne, the attack which we launched this morning developed under extremely brilliant conditions. Despite mist and rain, our troops attacked with admirable enthusiasm formidable organizations of the enemy, which were defeated by the best troops of Germany, supported by heavy artillery."

"In their first dash our soldiers captured the line indicated by the quarries of Fruy and Pochery. A little later Malmouin fort, in the center, fell into our hands."

"Pushing their advance still further, our troops, after a desperate engagement in which they gave proof of their irresistible snap, drove the enemy out of the quarries of Mont Parnasse, which had been partly crushed by our big shells."

"In the left our progress was continued with the same success, the villages of Allemand and Vaudesson remaining in our hands, while on the right our troops carried their line on to the heights dominating Pargny-Filain."

"The enemy loss in the course of the day was large. In addition to those inflicted on him by our artillery, prisoners, the number of prisoners counted up to the present exceeds 7,500. In the large amount of material taken we have counted 25 guns and field cannon."

"Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather, our aviators carried out with audacity the missions imposed upon them, their machines flying 50 metres above the lines."

"Eastern theater, October 22: The enemy attempted on the Serbian front, and at the Cerna bend, several surprise attacks, which were repulsed."

PREMIER NAMES WAR COMMITTEE OF UNION GOVT.

RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE APPOINTED; EACH COMMITTEE TO CONSIST OF TEN MEMBERS; PROSECUTION OF THE WAR IS THE GREAT OBJECTIVE

ELECTIONS ABOUT DEC. 17

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—Writs for a general election are expected to be issued November 1. This will bring the election in the week of December 17. The exact date of the election, the Canadian Press, Limited, is officially informed, has not yet been determined, but they will most likely be held on or near the day indicated.

SENATOR ROBERTSON APPOINTED TO THE NEW UNION CABINET

Is a Prominent Representative of Railway Employees; Will Be a Member of the Privy Council in Union Government

MACLEAN SWORN IN

Nova Scotian Representative in the Cabinet Sworn In Yesterday; for the Present Will Be Minister Without Portfolio

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—The following official statement, covering today's cabinet appointments, was issued tonight:

The prime minister has partially completed his arrangements for the representation of labor in the government. This morning Hon. C. P. Robertson, a prominent representative of the railway employees of Canada, was sworn in as a member of the privy council. For the present Mr. Robertson will be without portfolio, but he has been appointed a member of the reconstruction and development committee, which is a permanent committee of the privy council, and which is invested with very important powers and duties, including labor conditions and the relations between employers and employees. As this committee has the power to appoint sub-committees, which will include persons outside of the government, it is anticipated that Mr. Robertson will act as chairman of an important sub-committee on labor and labor conditions and that he will have associated with him on that sub-committee persons of special knowledge and experience in respect of the matters which the sub-committee will deal with.

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SASKATCHEWAN HOUSE CALLED

Regina, Sask., Oct. 23.—The first session of the fourth legislature of Saskatchewan, elected on June 28 last, has been called to meet on Tuesday, November 13.

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—Canada's war cabinet is announced; also the committee of the cabinet which will have charge of the domestic problems arising out of the war. The war cabinet—technically known as the war committee of the cabinet council—will have the prime minister as its president and Hon. N. W. Rowell as its vice-president. The other committee, which will be known as the reconstruction and development committee, will also have the prime minister as its president. Hon. A. K. Maclean, minister without portfolio, will be vice-president.

The personnel of the two committees is as follows: War cabinet—Chairman, Sir Robert Borden; vice-chairman, Hon. N. W. Rowell, president of the privy council; Major-Gen. Mowbray, minister of militia and defense; Sir Thos. White, minister of finance; Hon. C. C. Balfour, minister of marine and fisheries and naval service; Hon. C. J. Doherty, minister of justice; Hon. F. B. Carvell, minister of public works; Hon. A. L. Sifton, minister of customs; Hon. P. E. Blondin, postmaster-general, and Sir Edward Kemp, minister of overseas military forces.

Reconstruction Committee—Chairman, Sir Robert Borden; vice-chairman, Hon. A. K. Maclean, minister without portfolio; Sir George Foster, minister of trade and commerce; Sir Thomas White, minister of finance; Hon. C. C. Balfour, minister of railways and canals; Hon. J. A. Calder, minister of immigration and colonization; Hon. Arthur Meighen, minister of the interior; Hon. T. A. Crerar, minister of agriculture; Sir James Loughheed, chairman of the military hospitals commission, and Hon. Senator G. D. Robertson, minister without portfolio.

The duties of the war committee, which will exist during the progress of the war and until after demobilization, are defined in an order-in-council based upon recommendations made by the premier.

Sir Robert Borden, in his recommendations, observes that the legislation of such a committee of the cabinet is advisable, "for the purpose of coordinating the efforts of the several departments of the government for the prosecution of the war, for insuring the maximum of efforts with the minimum of expense, and generally for the purpose of throwing the full power of Canada into the national endeavor."

The prime minister further recommended that the committee shall inquire into and report upon the status and maintenance of the military force of Canada, the enforcement of the military service act, the defense of Canada, the patrol of the coast, the patrolling of territorial and adjacent waters, the arrangements for garrisons and outposts of the military force.

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PERMITS OLEOMARGARINE

Government Rescinds Prohibition on Sale of Substitute.

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—The manufacture and sale of oleomargarine, which has been prohibited in Canada since the eighties, is now permitted. An order-in-council has been passed rescinding the prohibition.

DR. MICHAEL CLARK NOMINATED AMID GREAT ENTHUSIASM

Liberals and Conservatives From Every Part of Riding Unite 400 Strong to Name the Eminent Public Man

CERTAIN OF ELECTION

Dr. Clark Explains That Only Union Government Can Carry On Stable and Strong Government

OPPOSITION DIVIDED

Strong Win-the-War League Organized to Assist Dr. Clark in the Big Campaign

Red Deer, Oct. 23.—Dr. Michael Clark, in accepting the unanimous nomination from the Win-the-War League of the Red Deer riding today, made one of the greatest, if not the greatest, of his many great addresses. He showed the impossibility of accepting a nomination on a strictly party basis, pointing to the chaotic condition of the Liberal party today as a proof that it is not in the position to govern in the event of a successful issue, and gave reasons for believing that the union government can do so. His speech was punctuated again and again with applause, and his hearers expressed the opinion that he will sweep everything before him.

The recent storm hindered many from attending who had intended to reach Red Deer by auto, but notwithstanding this, there were more than 400 delegates and visitors in attendance at the meeting.

The walls of the convention hall were decorated with flags and bunting. Back of the platform was a large American flag, flanked on either side with the Union Jack, above which was a large streamer, bearing the motto "Stand by your boys in the trenches." Above this were 20 Canadian flags. To the right of the platform was another streamer, bearing the inscription, "Country before party," while on the wall to the left, but not with the motto, were the names of the delegates. Above this was another streamer, which read: "United for Clark." Hanging from the gallery was displayed the device, "The G.W.V.A. Welcomes You."

On the platform, besides Dr. Clark, were E. Michener, leader of the opposition in Alberta; R. L. Gaez, who presided; J. T. Day, mayor of Red Deer; late Conservative candidate, F. W. Galbraith, editor of the Red Deer Advocate; late president of the Red Deer Win-the-War League.

MOST HOPEFUL VIEWS OF THE SUCCESS OF IRISH CONVENTION

Agreed Policy Will Be Submitted to Parliament From Ireland, Is Opinion of Mr. Asquith

ULSTER IS MODERATE

A Further German Plan to Land Arms in Ireland Is Revealed in British House of Commons

London, Oct. 23.—The house tonight by a majority of 153 rejected John Redmond's motion deprecating the government's Irish policy as calculated to endanger the success of the Irish convention. The debate was a strong one, due to the revelation by the premier and Henry B. Duke of a further German plan to land arms in Ireland. It also derived unexpected interest from light thrown on the progress of the Irish convention.

Mr. Duke and Mr. Asquith both expressed most hopeful views concerning the success of the convention, Mr. Asquith saying he believed that only a few months would intervene before an agreed policy would be submitted to parliament concerning Ireland. John Redmond, a member of the convention, said he was able to pay tribute to the moderate and helpful attitude of the Ulster members of the conference.

Mr. Duke, in an exhaustive defense of the Irish executive, indicated that the authorities are endeavoring a middle course.

BRITISH OPERATIONS WERE SUCCESSFUL

ADVANCE ON SUNDAY GREATLY IMPROVED POSITION OF ASSAILANTS; GERMANS LOST HEAVILY; HARD FIGHTING AT SEVERAL POINTS

British Front in France and Belgium, Oct. 23.—(Associated Press.)—The new allied line established in yesterday's limited attack astride the Ypres railway was intact this morning with the exception of the loss in the southern fringe of Houtholst wood of one fortified farm from which the British were forced to fall back last evening when the Germans delivered a heavy counter-attack.

Yesterday's operations may now be recorded as a success, and while only limited objectives were sought, their attainment has greatly improved the allied position.

It was hard fighting at numerous points, and the Germans lost heavily, especially in the region of Poelcapelle. Large numbers of enemy dead were reported this morning lying in front of the British advance posts.

The fighting was especially severe near the point of junction of the British and French forces. The German defenses on the outskirts of the wood were strong and the enemy fell back, battling desperately with machine guns and rifles. At one point, north of the Ypres-Staden railway, at the edge of the wood, the British advanced posts were unable to maintain the most forward positions reached because of the enfilading artillery fire. The main allied line, however, was today well north of the strong line of German positions which skirted the outlying copse of the wood.

More rain fell last night and this morning, doing much to offset the effects of the recent few days of sunshine.

Consolidated Gains

British Headquarters in France, Oct. 23 (via Reuter's Ottawa agency).—The weather was again wet and dreary and the battleground shrouded in dense mist, nevertheless consolidation of the new gains progressed well yesterday and excepting the fortified post fringing Houtholst forest, which the Germans re-occupied after a counter-attack last night, we are pretty well established in the captured positions.

The Germans fought determinedly, especially in the little dip through which the Staden railway runs, and the ground hereabouts was strewn with their dead. Their front defenses seemed to be held more strongly than in earlier battles in this region, but their machine gun batteries, intent on the high ground about Houtholst, were less successful. We were lucky in minimizing the damage to the thick wood.

We carried, despite strong resistance, a number of fortified buildings and concrete redoubts east of Poelcapelle. Below this to the southern flank of the captured positions, a number of German lines have been so fast, due to the desperate resistance of the enemy, who fears the threat to the high ground about Houtholst. The Anglo-French gunners are now searching the Houtholst forest.

Savarians Grumbling

The German army is beginning to think and talk in a manner which must cause confusion to the higher command. The Bavarians are openly grumbling at being sacrificed to save the French and a German non-com. gives a good illustration of the extent of the dissatisfaction. He states that a fortnight ago thirteen men of his company deserted, saying they were going home. One actually reached his home; others were arrested en route. The important thing is that all were sent back to their regiment, the higher command evidently shrinking from adopting the approved method with them.

Another incident reflects eloquently on the German manpower problem. Last Sunday a German soldier wandered into our lines on the Menin road. He was four feet high and half-witted. The only information he could give was that he had been drafted from a recruit depot five weeks earlier.

UNFORTUNATELY HOLLAND HAS NO FOOD SURPLUS

Holland's Agreement With Austria of No Benefit to Huns

Berne, Oct. 23.—A Vienna dispatch says that under the agreement concluded between Austria-Hungary and Holland for an exchange of products, Austria-Hungary agrees to supply various articles, including wood and oil. Holland is to furnish foodstuffs. To facilitate these transactions, Dutch banks will lend Austria-Hungary banks four million guilders.

FERCE FOOD RIOTS DISTURB AUSTRIA

Austro-Swiss Frontier Now Closed; Troops Kill Many Civilians

London, Oct. 23.—The Austro-Swiss frontier has been closed owing to the serious internal situation in Austria, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Berne today. Several munition factories were wrecked in recent food riots in Vienna, Fressburg, Brunn and Laibach, the rioters being mostly women, the advices state. The police, according to the reports, fired on the crowds, killing and wounding many persons.

NEW SENATORS APPOINTED

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—It is announced that four of the nine senate vacancies in the western provinces have been filled by the appointment of Dr. F. L. Schaffner for Manitoba, Mr. W. S. Willoughby for Saskatchewan, and Col. J. D. Taylor and Mr. G. H. Barnard for British Columbia. It is understood that these appointments are made in pursuance of arrangements consummated before the union government was formed. There are still remaining five vacancies in western Canada, one each in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and British Columbia and two in Alberta. It is not anticipated that these will be filled in the near future.

UNION MINISTERS RECEIVE SPLENDID HEARING AT REGINA

People From All Over Saskatchewan Hear New Union Minister Expound Policy of the Government on Successful Prosecution of the War

HONORS LAURIER

Mr. Calder Pays Tribute to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, But Was Forced to Part on the Conscription Measure

Regina, Oct. 23.—Regina paid distinct tribute to the three federal ministers of the new union government who spoke here tonight bringing the message of the union government to the people of western Canada. People from all over southern Saskatchewan attended the meeting. A fact made necessary for the reason that the immense auditorium of the Metropolitan church would not hold all the people who clamored for admittance to hear the orators. The floor crowd was accommodated in the First Baptist church, situated just across the street from the Metropolitan, and here the listeners heard Reginald people while the other crowd was paying strict attention to another.

Each one of the three men who have come west to spread the gospel of union government in Saskatchewan, Hon. Jas. A. Calder, Hon. Arthur Meighen and Hon. T. A. Crerar, made it extremely plain that the union government was formed first and foremost to see the war through to a successful end and secondly to lay the foundation for building a newer and a better Canada during the reconstruction period immediately after the war. There were other reasons, important in themselves, but which were overshadowed by these two. Chief interest among Regina people centered in the appearance of James A. Calder, who had been one of the foremost Liberal politicians in western Canada until he accepted the request of Premier Borden and joined hands in the union of both parties.

The appearance of Mr. Crerar was also awaited with interest as he had been on the different side of politics from the late government and both these men united in praising the situation.

THE ITALIAN SUCCESS

Repulsed Attack of Enemy and Gained Some Trenches

Rome, Oct. 23.—Italian troops yesterday repulsed a strong attack by Austrian and German forces in the Cadore region at Monte Piana, clinching the enemy defeat this morning by clearing a section of the trenches which had been temporarily relinquished, the war office announced. The artillery activity on the Julian front was intense, and there was notable aerial activity during the prevalence of favorable conditions.

SPORT NEWS

H.B. BUTCHERS WIN FROM TOBACCONISTS

Two Games Rolled in the H.B. League Last Night

In the Hudson's Bay Five-Pin Bowling league the Butchers last night defeated the Tobacco experts and the First Floorites...

Table with columns for Tobacco Dept., Meat Dept., and First Floor, listing names and scores.

H.B.'S FIVE-PIN LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Table listing the league schedule for various teams like Tobacco Dept., Meat Dept., and First Floor.

NEW ORLEANS TO HAVE TRACK

Sixty-Five Days of Racing Listed for This Winter. New Orleans, La., Oct. 23.—This city will have 65 days of racing this winter...

TODAY'S RUGBY GAMES

Two rugby games are billed for today: the C.F.C.I. play St. Mary's at the W.C.C. grounds...

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SCANDINAVIANS TO MAKE PROTEST

For the Sinking of Neutral Steamers Under Convoy in North Sea

London, Oct. 23.—A joint Scandinavian protest is expected, will be lodged against the German sinking of the neutral steamers under convoy in the North Sea...

EXCEPT CONSCRIPTION

Opponent of Sir Thomas White Is Supporting Laurier, Mostly

Brockville, Ont., Oct. 23.—"While differing with Sir Wilfrid Laurier on the question of conscription, I am his loyal supporter on all matters of general policy and he himself has declared that, as the act has now become law it must be faithfully enforced...

SOLDIERS DECLINE HONOR

Vancouver, Oct. 23.—The resignation of two soldier candidates for A. L. Vanhoush house was accepted at a meeting of the Great War Veterans' association tonight...

EMPEROR WILLIAM PLEAS

Amsterdam, Oct. 23.—After his return from Constantinople, Emperor William telegraphed to Prince Leopold of Bavaria, commander on the northern front in Russia...

PROSECUTE CABINET

Athens, Oct. 22.—After 14 hours of defense of himself and his colleagues by M. Rallis, the cabinet was acquitted today in favor of prosecuting the members of the former Skoufdis cabinet...

RESIGNATION ACCEPTED

Listowel, Ont., Oct. 23.—At a meeting of the North Perth Liberal-Conservative association at Milverton today, H. R. Murphy, who has resigned as mayor and who has been re-nominated by the party for the coming campaign, tendered his resignation as a party candidate...

PERFECTLY SATISFIED

Montreal, Oct. 23.—Discussing the coming year, the Quebec minister of public works said today: "The Liberal party does not fear the elections because it has behind it the sympathy and support of the masses of this Dominion. It does not count, as the coalition cabinet counts, upon the support of a few financiers and millionaires for its triumph."

CERIAL MEN COMPLAIN

Toronto, Oct. 23.—Representatives here of cereal concerns affected by the order of Food Controller Hanna, that breakfast foods and other cereal products must be sold only in 36-ounce packages after November 1, declare today that this will put many cereal industries out of business...

PROSECUTE EVASIONS

Winnipeg, Oct. 23.—Prosecutions may be attempted shortly in connection with certain attempted evasions of the Military Service Act, according to an announcement made by E. R. Chapman, registrar for Manitoba. "We are now investigating a number of cases," he declared, "and in every instance in which the evidence justifies it action will be taken. There is no specific case yet which we have decided to prosecute, but we are working on a number."

THISTLE CURLING CLUB

The annual meeting of the Thistle Curling club will be held on Thursday night, October 25, at room No. 711 Herald building. The meeting will open at 8 o'clock sharp. Extensive alterations are being made to the clubroom and the executive committee every prospective curler to attend the annual meeting and line up for the "brawl game."

EASY FOR LEONARD

Buffalo, Oct. 23.—Benny Leonard had an easy victory over Young Ernie, of Buffalo, in their six-round bout tonight. Ernie was on the defensive during the entire bout with Leonard pressing him hard but unable to score a knockout.

FIELDING ENDORSES UNION

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—The Hon. W. S. Fielding, for 15 years minister of finance under Sir Wilfrid Laurier, gave out tonight a lengthy statement asking general support for the union government, endorsing the action taken by Hon. A. K. MacLean in entering the government as the representative of Nova Scotia Liberalism.

GERMANS ATTEMPT TO MAKE LANDING

Petrograd, Oct. 23.—The Germans have made an attempt at second landing on the Estonian coast. The war office announces that they were driven away by the Russians. The attempt was made near Moisekull Manor, eight miles north of Waidar, on the Estonian coast. (The landing of German troops reported yesterday by the Russian war office was effected on the Werder peninsula.) No naval engagement occurred in connection with the maneuver. German warships were observed off Kullavast, Moon Island.

HIGHER THAN CALGARY

Fargo, N.D., Oct. 23.—Fargo milk prices advanced to 13 cents a quart in retail stores today, being the third raise of one cent since June 1. Dealers declare that road conditions make milk deliveries uncertain and plead high feed costs as essential to advanced milk cost. Five weeks ago milk was advanced to 12 cents a quart now.

CANNOT SEE IT

Deafened Mine Investors Still Have Hopes. Vancouver, Oct. 23.—Despite the fact that they are under conviction and awaiting sentences for conspiracy to defraud the public through a bogus mining scheme, Harvey Muscow and James Muir have not lost the confidence of those who placed their money in Muscow's hands. Two hundred "investors" in the gold "claim" which Muscow and Muir operated when arrested last night, and all but two of them united in expressing confidence in the jailed promoters.

TO ISSUE MANIFESTO

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who was slightly indisposed yesterday, is better today. The Liberal leader will leave for Montreal on Wednesday morning to issue a manifesto in support of the approaching campaign. It is altogether likely that Sir Wilfrid will issue a manifesto on his return to his position before the end of the week.

"TOOTHBRUSH" NOW BARRED

London, Oct. 23.—"Toothbrush" mousetraps, unattached by military authorities, are now absolutely forbidden. The upper lip must be either completely shaved or adorned with a whole moustache.

MOST HOPEFUL VIEW OF THE SUCCESS OF IRISH CONVENTION

(Continued from page one) course in an effort to save the convention from would-be destroyers. He strongly emphasized the great danger existing for Ireland through thousands of young men, untouched by military conscription, being submitted to the influence of the Sinn Fein movement, which he described as a belated propaganda ready to accept any assistance.

GOVERNMENT'S POLICY

The chief secretary declared that while the government was prepared to take necessary steps to prevent criminal acts, it would at the same time refrain from embarking on a policy of arrests, which would only help the secessionist propaganda. The third point was, there was a deal of talk in Ireland among the Sinn Fein leaders which, said the premier, did not mean home rule or self-government, but separation or secession. There was a demand for the sovereign independence of Ireland and, declared the premier, "we had better say at once, that under no conditions will Great Britain permit anything of that kind."

PREPARATION FOR REBELLION

After referring to the danger and the marching going on in Ireland and the exhortations of De Valera, the premier said that he was going on in Ireland was a deliberate attempt to form and drill thousands of young men—who in England would have been compulsorily enlisted in preparation for rebellion.

BURNED TO DEATH

Estevan, Sask., Oct. 23.—The 3-year-old daughter of John Romig was burned to death this afternoon when their home, five miles southwest of here, was destroyed by fire. Mrs. Romig had gone to town leaving the children, of whom there were nine, in charge of the eldest girl, aged 12. In rescuing the baby from the burning building, the eldest girl was badly burned, while the other children are suffering from minor burns.

BRENNAN BEAT LEVINSKY

Boston, Oct. 23.—Knockout Brennan, of Chicago, was awarded the decision over Battling Levinsky, of New York, after 10 rounds of fighting here tonight.

Razors, Strops, Clippers EVERYTHING FOR BARBERING OUR STOCKS ARE BIG—OUR PRICES ARE LOW

Advertisement for Ashdown's razors, strops, and clippers. Includes images of various products and prices.

Canadian Casualties

Advertisement for Canadian Casualties, listing names of fallen soldiers and their families.

TOOKE COLLAR

Advertisement for Tooke Collar, a new smart model.

EYES The Best Economy Possible Is to Take Care of the Eyes

Advertisement for The Alberta Optical Co., Ltd., offering eye examinations and contact lenses.

MUTT AND JEFF—As a Base Stealer, Mutt is a Regular Jesse James

Comic strip featuring Mutt and Jeff. Includes dialogue and illustrations of the characters in various situations.

Vertical text on the far right edge of the page, including "THE MORNING ALBERTAN" and other publication details.

AN HISTORIC PIANO EVENT. Ethel Leginska---Phenomenal Pianist AT AL AZHAR TEMPLE, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Under Management of Calgary Musical Agency. PRESS TRIBUTES TO LEGINSKA'S SUPERB ART. NEW YORK. H. E. Krehbiel, New York Tribune: One of the most remarkable woman pianists now before the public.

SOCIETY and Club. GIRL GUIDES HEAR REPORTS OF SUCCESS AT THEIR ANNUAL LACK OF RECRUITS THROUGH PUBLIC NOT UNDERSTANDING NATURE OF WORK

The progress being made by the Girl Guides in the city was one of the features to be noticed at the annual meeting of the Calgary committee yesterday.

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Hard work and premature old age show first upon the hands. Hundreds of women write to me asking for face creams, for massage to eliminate wrinkles, for the type of corset to make the figure young, for tonics to ward off old age in this way.

ETHEL LEGINSKA IS PIANISTIC MARVEL. Great Artist Will Play in Calgary November 1

The announcement that Ethel Leginska, celebrated woman pianist, will play in Calgary next week, as the second concert in the "artists course" of the Calgary Musical agency, has aroused uncommon interest.

NEW PURCHASES FOR OGDEN CONVALESCENT HOME ANNOUNCED

The commanding officer of the Military Convalescent hospital at Ogdon has expressed his thanks to the group of ladies who held a retirement booth at the horticultural exhibition in August.

72-Inch Green Felt, \$2.00 a Yard. 50-Inch Cretone, 85c a Yard

Attractive Fall Coats Specially Priced. A remarkable variety of women's coats—coats for every purpose—for motor travel or general utility wear.

"Watson's," "Turnbull's" and "Jaeger" Underwear

Watson's Wool and Cotton Combs, V neck, half sleeve, closed croch; at \$1.90 and \$2.75. Turnbull's Fine Spring Needle Cotton Combs, V neck, half sleeve; ankle length; \$2.25.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Please give me a permanent cure for itching—I have been troubled greatly by this miserable habit—Mary C. ... Pushing comes from self-indulgence and its cure is to overcome self-indulgence.

ALTA. GOVERNMENT VOTES \$5,000 TO THE BRITISH RED CROSS

The sum of \$5,000 has been voted by the Alberta provincial government to the British Red Cross "Our Day" appeal. This donation will be given to the Red Cross society and will go to the province's contribution.

CALGARY AND HIGH RIVER TEACHERS IN ANNUAL SESSION

The annual convention of the Calgary and High River Teachers' association opens in the Central Collegiate institute tomorrow and continues all day and Friday.

TODAY'S EVENTS

Organizations meeting to sew for the Red Cross include the ladies of Wesley church at 1:30 p.m.; Royal Scots chapter, I.O.D.E., at 2:30 at St. John's church.

ETHEL LEGINSKA'S FIRST CANADIAN TOUR

Miss Ethel Leginska opens her first Canadian tour in Winnipeg next Tuesday night, in Central Congregational church, under the management of the Western Canada Concert Bureau.

LOUSANA RED CROSS RAISES \$640 IN THE PAST YEAR

The annual meeting of the Louzana branch of the Red Cross society was held Friday last when the treasurer reported receipts for the year of \$940.87 and 600 articles sent to the provincial branch of the Red Cross.

ETRID OF YOUR FAT

I am a licensed practicing physician and personally select the treatment for each individual case, thus enabling me to choose remedies that will produce not only a loss of weight harmlessly, but which will also relieve you of all the troublesome symptoms of overweightness.

COMING EVENTS

The executive of the Local Council of Women will hold a special meeting at the Y.W.C.A. tomorrow at 4 p.m. and not 8 as previously announced.

STEAK DAY

Robert Burns & Co., Ltd. T-BONE STEAKS. Cash and carry. Per lb. 28c. Delivered Per lb. 30c. SIRLOIN STEAKS. Cash and carry. Per lb. 26c. Delivered Per lb. 28c.

DR. R. NEWMAN, Licensed Physician State of New York

288 Fifth Avenue, New York N.Y. Desk J-308. If you are overweight do not postpone, but sit down right now and send for my FREE TRIAL TREATMENT and my plan whereby I am to be PAID ONLY AFTER REDUCTION HAS TAKEN PLACE if you so desire.

Al Azhar Temple To Rent

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YUKON IS CONSERVATIVE

Dawson, Y.T., Oct. 23.—The Yukon Conservative association at its annual meeting at Dawson endorsed the Borden government, especially its war policy, and ratified union government.

Vertical advertisements on the right edge of the page, including 'WILL C...', 'Port Ar...', 'EM...', 'FREE...', 'UNDE...', 'B...', 'BE...', 'LO...', 'TH...', 'TH...', 'TH...', 'TH...'.

Ever Taste Crushed Coffee?

If you have, you've wondered at the entire absence of even a hint of bitterness. It is because the small, even, clean, crushed grains of Red Rose Coffee are entirely free from bitter chaff or dust.

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FRENCH-CANADIANS CALL ON BORDEN

Quebec Deputation Congratulates Premier on Forming Union Government

Winnipeg, Oct. 23.—The Ottawa correspondent of the Manitoba Free Press says: A French-Canadian delegation of prominent men from Quebec City waited upon Sir Robert Borden Monday and tendered him congratulations upon the formation of a union government composed of members of both parties.

“The deputation, which was introduced by Hon. Albert Severyn, minister of inland revenue, expressed the belief that the formation of a new cabinet would be conducive to greater harmony among the two races and would be for the best interests of the country at large. They urged the prime minister that in the coming election, special attention be given Quebec and declared that unionist win-the-war candidates would be placed in every constituency of that province. They also congratulated him upon the manifesto recently issued.

“Sir Robert assured the delegates of his good will toward the province and declared that every effort would be made to place the program of the government fairly before the electors of the province.

“Those present were Hon. Louis Morin, K.C.; V. Darveau, K.C.; Aime Dion, K.C.; A.H. N. A. Dussault, C.O.; Charles Chauveau, K.C.; Jules Goblet, Dr. George Clouthier, Edmond Chasse, Phillip E. Furois, J. A. Larue, Lucien Morand and Arthur Morin.”

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Lifting capacity, 4,000 lbs.; loading dimensions, 8x20. Must be in good order. Give name of maker and describe fully in first letter.

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To be repaired are not recognizable when the owner calls for them. For they are no longer old. They are as new as ever they were, with all the comfort of old shoes. Don't buy new shoes when you don't have to. With the aid of our repair work your shoes will be as good as new without the expense.

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BOB MARSHALL WISHES TO DECLARE

“That in my opinion the Rotary Minstrels are going to be a dismal fizzle, because—BE-CAUSE—now get me!—they absolutely refused to take advantage of my splendid voice which I placed at their disposal. I objected to singing in the chorus, believing that with my special training, both here and abroad (Edmonton), that I was entitled to a place on the list of soloists. But what do you think? After Jack Lydiatt, Lon Cavanaugh, Jack Spurr and a few other blacksmiths had got through testing my voice, they turned me down. Jeff thought I had sprained it in running at the last election. Lon declared that it needed a touch of sand-paper, while Spurr, the shrimp, said he thought someone had thrown a little crushed rock into my hopper and got the wheels all out of gear. In spite of all these insults to my vocabulary propensities (this is Bob's own), I am going to keep on singing for that \$2,422.13 which was the salary for my Christmas tree. If you all don't come across, we'll put it in your taxes next year.”

SECRET SERVICE OF U.S. ROUND UP IRISH TRAITORS

Arrests Made on the Eve of Announcement by Lloyd George That Germans Intended Landing Arms in Ireland

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FALSE PASSPORTS

One Traitor Was Allowed to Sail and Then Taken Off Steamer at Halifax; Secret Service's Splendid Work

New York, Oct. 23.—Liam Mellows, one of the recognized leaders in the Sinn Fein rebellion on Easter Monday, 1916, and an associate, Baron Dr. Max von Rocklinghausen, a German subject, are under arrest in this city, according to late today by W. J. Flynn, chief of the United States secret service.

The arrests were made on the eve of the announcements by Premier Lloyd George that the British government had knowledge of another plot to land arms in Ireland.

Mellows is charged with obtaining false passports to enable him to leave the United States for the purpose of joining the German forces in Ireland. He is declared to have been an intimate associate of Sinn Feiners. A statement issued by Flynn last week stated that von Rocklinghausen's rooms and on his person show definitely that large sums of money had gone to France for ultimate German purposes.

“Patrick Donnelly” Mellows was arrested Monday night in possession of a seaman's passport made out in an assumed name, “Patrick Donnelly,” and which, it is declared, he intended to use in returning to Ireland at the earliest opportunity.

“After the failure of the revolution last year, Mellows made his way to the United States. Secret service agents had him under surveillance shortly after his arrival and learned of his association with Dr. Patrick McGarrett, known to his Sinn Fein associates as “the doctor,” and who is first ambassador to the United States of the Irish republic. They plotted to return to Ireland and McGarrett shipped on ship American ship last week. On advice from secret service men, McGarrett was arrested at Halifax and is now being held there pending further investigation of his activities in the Dublin riots and his secret work in this country since early last year,” Flynn said.

“Considerable papers of interest in this government were taken in the raid of the premises of Mellows and Von Rocklinghausen last week. It was stated before the various ramifications of this plot can be thoroughly detailed,” said Flynn.

He declared Von Rocklinghausen “was mentioned as an envoy left here by Count von Bernstorff, and that he maintained two residences in New York, one of which is near an East River bridge commanding a clear view of the river.

“The inward effects of humors are worse than the outward. They engage the whole system. Hood's Sarsaparilla eradicates all humors, cures all their inward and outward effects. It is the great alterative and tonic whose merit has been everywhere established.”

“CANNOT BE PREVENTED” Isolated Raids by Surface German Craft Will Occasionally Happen.

London, Oct. 23.—Sir Eric Campbell Geddes, first lord of the admiralty, made his first appearance in the House of Commons today as representative of the admiralty to reply to further questions regarding the situation in the North Sea.

“The result was that she was perfectly cured three years ago, and feels now as if she had never been ill. This is not an isolated case, but proves that this great medicine cures when ordinary prescriptions fail.”

SERIOUS MIXUP IN CONVENTION

Nanton and Crerar Were Candidates and Neither Got Majorities

Brandon, Man., Oct. 23.—Brandon Conservatives and Liberals have failed to agree to either Sir Augustus Nanton or Hon. T. A. Crerar as a union candidate. After an eight and one-half hour session, commencing at 2 o'clock and lasting till 10:30 o'clock, without adjournment and after an attempt had been made to divide the 108 delegates representing polling divisions in the federal riding departed for their homes without having accomplished anything.

One great obstacle was lack of assurance from either Sir Augustus Nanton or Hon. T. A. Crerar that a nomination would be accepted. Eleven candidates were originally nominated. Four of these withdrew and the remaining seven eliminated at the end of the third ballot, leaving Sir Augustus Nanton and Hon. Mr. Crerar in the field. Eleven more ballots were taken before the decision to adjourn was reached.

Conditions of the convention, which tonight after a session of several hours, were that the candidates must have seventy-five per cent of the vote before being declared the unanimous choice, and this neither of the candidates could secure.

“TRADING IN CORN FORBIDDEN” Chicago, Oct. 23.—Trading in November and December corn has been stopped by decision of the board of trade directors.

“LIBERALS TENDER WRONG CANDIDATE” Laurier Man as a Union Candidate

Byth, Ont., Oct. 23.—At a meeting of the executive of the North Huron Liberal association this afternoon to consider the proposition of the Conservative party to accept a joint meeting to be held to agree on a non-partisan candidate who would support the war effort, the Liberals tendered Archie Hyslop, ex-M.P., as the Liberal candidate, as a union government supporter.

“LANDING MEANS LITTLE” Germans Were Making Demonstration in Russia.

Petrograd, Oct. 23.—A semi-official communication published in the Petrograd newspapers says, in effect, the landing of the German fleet in the Bosphorus and in the Black Sea is a military demonstration to cover up an enemy landing on the coast of the Black Sea, probably in the Crimea.

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“HUN AIRSHIPS LOST” Fifteen Were Brought Down in Recent Fighting in France.

London, Oct. 23.—Fifteen German aeroplanes were brought down by British aviators in recent fighting over the battle area in northern France, says the official statement on aviation issued by the war office.

“FATAL EXPLOSION” San Jose, Costa Rica, Oct. 23.—Sixty persons were killed and 90 seriously injured as the result of an explosion which occurred in the principal barracks here early this morning.

“MUNITIONERS TO CONFER” New York, Oct. 23.—Four members of the British ministry of munitions now in Washington will visit this city November 8 to confer with employers, labor leaders, workers and economists as to how industrial conditions in war time can be handled. They will be received officially by the major's committee on national defense.

AT OUR SALESROOMS 205 Eighth Avenue West IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE TODAY, OCTOBER 24 AT 2 O'CLOCK SHARP CHAS. GREENFIELD, Auctioneer, will sell by UNRESTRICTED PUBLIC AUCTION SALE, the entire contents of the following residence, viz:

BEDROOM No. 1. Exquisite Solid Mahogany Bedroom Suite, comprising 4 1/2 ft. full roll Mahogany Bed, claw foot design, and box spring Mattress; Bevelled Square Mirror; Mahogany Dresser, with trunk and toilet drawers and two extra large linen drawers; Mahogany Commode Stand; 2 Mahogany Bedroom Chairs; 1 Rocker and 1 Chair, cane seats; Beautiful Lady's Mahogany Writing Desk with chair to match; very fine Wilton Rug, 12,9ft.x10ft. BEDROOM No. 2. 6ft. Heavy Full Roll Golden Oak Bed, claw foot design and box spring Mattress; exceptionally fine Lady's Dresser of charming design, with half An English Bevelled Mirror, with trunk and toilet drawers and two long linen drawers; Chiffonier to match; 2 Golden Oak English Bevelled Bed Room Mirrors; Golden Oak Commode Stand; Golden Oak Dressing Stool; 2 Golden Oak Bedroom Chairs, 1 Chair and 1 Rocker, cane seats; very fine Wilton Rug, 12x8.6ft. SPARE ROOM. Massive 4 1/2 ft. Heavy Continuous Post 1/2 in. Filler ornamental Brass Bed, Hudson's Bay Coil Spring and Mattress; Fumed Oak Morris Lounging Chair; Golden Quartered Oak Large Square Mirror Dresser; Square Golden Oak Center Table; Bedroom Chair; Dark Green Floral Axminster Rug, size 9x10.6ft. MAID'S BEDROOM. 3ft. Brass-rail Enamel Iron Bed, springs and mattress complete; long Mirror, English bevel; Faced Oak Dresser and Wash Stand; Beautiful 5-drawer Drop-head Singer Sewing Machine; Floral Tapestry Rug, size 9x10.6 ft. KITCHEN. Four-hole Jewel Gas Range, with oven and boiler; Gas Oil Heater; Baking Cabinet; Kitchen Table and Chair; five square yards Tile Pattern Linoleum; Refrigerator. GREENFIELD, The Auctioneer. PHONE M3777. Greenfield's Auction Mart 205 Eighth Avenue West. PHONE M3777. NO RESERVE. NOTICE—Only goods as per advertisement will be offered for sale this afternoon. Thursday we sell the home of G. M. Lynch, 112 Eighth Street N. E. Full particulars in Thursday morning paper.

PREMIER NAMES WAR COMMITTEE OF UNION GOV'T (Continued from page one) in Canada, the training and equipment of troops, the internment of aliens, the prohibition and regulation of imports and exports, and the granting of licenses therefor, the arrangements with the government of the United Kingdom and with the governments of the allied nations respecting any of these matters, and generally speaking, all matters relating to the efficient prosecution of the war so far as could be effected by the government, the powers and duties of the committee will be of a very wide character, special attention will be given to the increased cost of living. Alleviate Conditions. “Unhappily,” says the order-in-council, “this is chiefly due to causes which are beyond the control of the government, namely, the withdrawal of more than thirty million men from productive activities and the vast and almost incalculable expenditure incurred by the war must inevitably advance the cost of the necessities of life. Nevertheless, it is especially imperative that every means should be taken to alleviate conditions so far as may be possible. It is essential that the government, in order to meet the needs of the population, should be considered with a view to any further action that conditions may demand.” Provision is made for the appointment of sub-committees to consider any particular subject requiring special investigation. The committee may authorize such sub-committees to bring into consultation as members of the committee in question any persons with special expert knowledge. The war committee will hold periodical meetings at such intervals as it may deem desirable. The members of the committee will constitute a quorum. Provision is made for the appointment of the secretary of the committee. The reconstruction and development committee will be a permanent committee during the progress of the war and will after demobilization. It will investigate the enormous and varied resources of the Dominion and will consider a scheme of immigration and colonization in order that further production, and especially agricultural production, may be assured. “For this purpose,” says the order-in-council, “a more systematic and thorough study should be made of all questions touching land settlement, to the end that large areas of fertile land now uncultivated, and in some cases held for speculative purposes, may be brought into production. In this connection it is especially important to take into immediate consideration the problem of returning soldiers, including those from the British Isles and from allied nations who may desire, under suitable conditions of encouragement and assistance, to engage in agriculture.” The Reconstruction. “The committee will take into consideration the probable course of reconstruction which will be incident to the latter stages of the war and to the conditions arising upon the conclusion of peace, and the effect of such reconstruction upon industrial activities and labor. Coming to the problem of transportation, which will be dealt with by the committee, the order-in-council points out the probability that in the early future two thousand additional miles of railway must be acquired, in the public interest. It is essential that thorough and systematic methods of operation should be devised, the order-in-council continues, and that the management of this large and important system (the Canadian Northern railway) should be kept entirely free from party interference or political prejudice. After pointing out the desirability of the management of the various railway systems being called into consideration for the purpose of devising a more systematic and co-operative use of the railway facilities to the end that economy in operation may be secured and duplication of lines prevented, the order-in-council proceeds: “As a very considerable portion of the products of Canada must find a market abroad, it is also essential that the question of water transportation upon our great inland waterways and upon both oceans should be considered with a view to securing the greatest economy, expedition and security for our products in seeking such markets. The policy of state-owned lines of steamships to operate in connection with our state-owned railways demands attentive consideration and study. The problem of transportation necessarily begins at the farm or other point of production and involves the consideration of improved highways, which subject should be taken up in consultation with the governments of the several provinces.” Consider an Air Service. “The committee will also consider the future possibilities of air service for certain national purposes, while attention will be given to the wisest methods of raising revenue and possible reduction of public expenditure. Questions of thrift and of increased productivity of the land will come under review. The committee will take into consideration the importance of encouraging co-operation among persons engaged in agricultural production; the conditions of labor, the relations between employer and employee, and the effect of the war thereon, and all questions incidental thereto will be subjects of study, while special attention will be given to the national service performed by the womanhood of Canada during the present war. In this connection the opportunities for a continuation of such service after the war will be considered. The order-in-council concludes: “The avancement of the foregoing important subjects is not intended to limit or prevent the consideration by the committee of all matters, which, generally speaking, have relation to the development and progress of our country, with special regard to the conditions created by the war or arising upon the conclusion of peace.”

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CALGARY REGISTRAR RUSHED WITH A MASS OF REPORTS

Registrar Carson's Staff Kept on Jump All Day; Only 13 2-3% of Registrations Report for Service; 7,449 Have Registered

SELF MUTILATION

Several Cases of Water on the Knee Develop; Others Show Keen Desire to Become Tillers of the Soil; Tribunals Will Hear Interesting Cases

With his office staff of stampers, checkers, messengers, typewriters, indexers, clerks and stenographers, Registrar Carson on the fourth floor of the Southern building has so far handled 6,441 claims for exemption and 1,027 cases reported for war service...

It is a question if the government will obtain the thousand men in Class A in fifty days, as many of the men in Class A may be relegated to Class B by the medical board, and until these men have been passed upon by the authorities it is not possible to make an estimate of the numbers in the eligible class.

Many of the men who have registered in Calgary are farmers, and these are the men that are needed at home. A number of claims for exemption have been filed by married men who are the sole support of families...

Others who file claims are American and other alien soldiers, and now are being subjected to the same examinations as British subjects being wanted.

Going Out as Farmers. Reports have reached the registrar's office that many men who should be in Class A are flocking into the northern part of the province, getting jobs and filing claims for home-stays in the land office, in vain hope of evading the military act.

Others are mutilating themselves in various ways to fall in passing the medical boards. Three of these in one boarding house treated their knees with a certain ointment which produces water under the knee cap.

A number of employers are now asking for exemption for their employees, claiming that they are badly needed in their businesses. The registrar is wary. In this class for a contractor after the war.

Hard on the Mothers. Many mothers are asking exemption for their boys, but the need of men at the front forbids anyone being excused on sentimental grounds.

Large number of men who are claiming exemption because they are farmers who have gone to the farms to avoid the military act, are being investigated by the military authorities, and will be disagreeably surprised at their appearance before the military tribunals.

Distillery Found Guilty. New Westminster, Oct. 23.—The British Columbia distillery was found guilty of an infraction of the prohibition act in police court today in having delivered to the Kelly Douglas company on October 5, thirteen barrels of alcohol which had been paid for prior to October 1, when the act went into effect.

Miners' Strike Settled. Washington, Oct. 23.—Settlement of the strike of copper miners in Arizona was formally announced today in a telegram from President Wilson's labor commission in the west.

Good Digestion Preserves Beauty

Your Complexion Depends Largely Upon Your Stomach. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Are Real Beauty Preservers.



I owe my Perfect Complexion to Perfect Digestion. Made So by Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. How in the name of reason can you expect to retain beauty with a stomach full of sour bile, blood poisoned by sour food and a complexion fed by such food?

NORWEGIANS TELL OF MURDEROUS WORK OF GERMAN NAVY

Newspapers Demand Deportation of Germans From Norway

Christiania, Oct. 23.—The Norwegian newspapers bitterly denounce the "murderous attack" of the Germans in the convoy action last week in the North Sea. The newspapers in Bergen, where survivors of the attack were taken, demand the deportation of all Germans employed by the German general purchasing agency.

The Christiania newspaper Verdens Gang says the affair was characteristically German, brutal and with exceptional cowardice. The newspapers add that the Germans, having put the British warships out of the game, acted against the peaceful merchantmen as if they were the entire British navy.

SENATOR ROBERTSON APPOINTED TO THE NEW UNION CABINET

Labor Representative. It is anticipated that a prominent representative of the trades and labor organizations will, in the early future, enter the government as parliamentary secretary of the department of labor.

MacLean Takes Office. Ottawa, Oct. 23.—Hon. A. K. MacLean was sworn in as a member of the privy council today and has become a member of the union government.

His experience has not been confined to the federal parliament, for some time he was a member of the provincial legislature of Nova Scotia.

In the meantime he will find full scope for his activity and energy in the viceregalship of a permanent committee of the cabinet, which is to be known as the construction and development committee.

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GERMANS LOST OVER HALF OF THE ZEPPELIN FLEET

Latest Raid Puts One-half of Effective Zeppelin Fleet Out of Action; Heavy Blow to Huns

Washington, Oct. 23.—Germany probably lost one-half of her total effective fleet of super-Zeppelins as result of the raid of October 20 over England, according to official cablegrams received here.

For every Zeppelin which falls from the sky, the German raid was an attempt to carry out a fearful threat of vengeance made four days before.

On that occasion the German government sent out a warning to both France and England of dire punishment to follow what the Germans declared to be unwarranted and inhuman attacks by British and French aviators on peaceful German towns.

The official French report of the attempted German raids is as follows: "First Brought Down." "The first Zeppelin brought down fell at St. Clement on the borders of the forest of Mandon, 10 kilometres from Lunville. It was seen at 8:30 a.m. Journeying with two other Zeppelins, it was at once attacked by one of our army's defense sections.

"Two Zeppelins entirely destroyed were attacked by our aviators and by our anti-aircraft guns and came down in the valley of the Saenne, alighting in the region of Sisteron, the crews having burned their Zeppelins, attempted to escape, but were taken prisoners.

"Two other machines were seen in the north, one landed at La Rango, in the lower Alps. The other was destroyed by the aviation center at Frejus, drifting toward the sea in a vertical position and disabled.

"This probably the Germans lost five of their Zeppelins, which were all of the new type, from 234 to 244 metres in length and carrying seven and nine tons of bombs from 1,500 to 2,000 horsepower.

Summing up the extent of the disaster to the German air fleet, the report says that Germany altogether has constructed probably one hundred Zeppelins of which 16 were destroyed before the war.

ARRESTED AT HIS WEDDING ON A FORGERY CHARGE. Toronto Groom Has a Close Call; Cashed Cheques for His Wedding Expenses

Winnipeg, Oct. 23.—The wedding of Harry G. Gardner of Toronto, to a local actress was interrupted yesterday by James Melville, a detective, who arrived with a warrant for the arrest of the bridegroom, charging him with forgery.

Gardner was supposed to be an advance agent for a theatrical company of Toronto, and carried letters purporting to be authority from them, which he used to cash checks for payment of wedding expenses and clothing, and is reported to have such checks upon the bank of the bridegroom.

GOOD INVESTMENT FOR ENEMY MONEY. U.S. Will Invest German Wealth in Liberty War Bonds

Washington, Oct. 23.—Subscriptions to many million dollars' worth of Liberty bonds will be one of the first official acts of Mitchell Palmer, newly appointed enemy property custodian. On opening offices and assuming his new duties today, Mr. Palmer found scores of letters reporting money, credits or other property held by American interests for alien enemies.

TO SUSPEND TARIFF. Winnipeg, Oct. 23.—Hon. Valentine Winkler announced this morning that it is the intention of the government to suspend the tariff on sheep coming into Canada from Montana.

OHARA TO CONFER. Ottawa, Oct. 23.—F. C. T. O'Hara, deputy minister of trade and commerce, left Ottawa for Washington this afternoon in Washington, Mr. O'Hara will confer with the United States priority committee in regard to steel and other exports from the United States to Canada.

COUNTING TODAY The Albertan Automobile Contest Ends in FOUR WEEKS

(24 WORKING DAYS) Extra Club Votes Will Be Given For Three Weeks, as Noted. No Extra Votes the Last Week. The Contest Closes November 20.

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Country Candidate Showing the Way. Yesterday's subscription reports promise to book the chances of many candidates. All the live ones in the city visited the contest office from one to five times yesterday, but their votes were very short, as they all felt that every minute must be devoted to subscription getting.

CANDIDATES IN THE CONTEST. The standing of the candidates, as shown below, includes such votes as were accepted for publication up to Monday noon. Votes will be added Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. To insure accuracy a Burroughs adding machine is used in computing the votes.

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UNSETTLED PRICES CHICAGO EXCHANGE

New Price Regulations Are Cause of Many Acrobatic Stunts

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Expected new price regulations upon ballooning of prices have decided unsettling effect today in the corn market...

Belief that owing to the temporary scarcity on the elevators here the board of trade directors would formally prohibit all new business in corn contracts that implied December delivery...

Smallness of rural offerings kept rates relatively steady. Provisions gave way under scattered selling when the market was bated of support...

Winnipeg Market Unchanged. Winnipeg, Oct. 23.—The market was again very quiet today. The Wheat Export Company was the buyer of all offerings...

Winnipeg Options. OATS: Open 67 1/2, High 68, Low 66 1/2, Close 67 1/2. BARLEY: Open 390, High 394, Low 386, Close 390.

Winnipeg Cash. Wheat: No. 1 northern, \$2.21; No. 2 northern, \$2.18; No. 3 northern, \$2.15; No. 4 northern, \$2.12.

Chicago Livestock. Chicago, Oct. 23.—There was a steady demand for cattle, showing receipts of 12,000 head...

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YESTERDAY'S MARKET TOPS

Table with 4 columns: Commodity, Calgary, Winnipeg, Montreal, Chicago. Includes Hogs, Cattle, Sheep, Potatoes, Eggs, Butter, etc.

YESTERDAY'S RETAIL TOP PRICES

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes Potatoes, Eggs, Butter, etc.

VERY SMALL DAY AT LOCAL YARDS

Prospects Are, However, Very Bright for a Big Week

The sales at the Calgary stockyards yesterday were restricted about four times as much as those of the week before...

Buyers look for a further decline in hogs, and anticipate a 16-cent base, the Toronto market showing a continued weakness.

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UNION MINISTERS RECEIVE SPLENDID HEARING AT REGINA

(Continued from page one) Mr. Sir Robert in the negotiations looking toward the formation of the union cabinet.

Canada in Danger. All these speakers stated that Canada was in danger and laid special stress upon the fact that the war was not yet over...

He drew a picture of the negotiations leading up to the formation of the union government by stating that it was only consummated when Liberals met members of the late government face to face and agreed to their cards upon the table.

Then Mr. Calder stated, with explanation, the reasons for the formation of the union government. The first and foremost reason was because it was believed that Canada's part in this war could be better carried out only through a government which was devoid of party affiliations...

Mr. Calder said that he had not a union government in mind when he came to Regina. He had only a government which was devoid of party affiliations...

Referring to the last two questions, Mr. Calder said that it was not an easy matter to get into this union government, but now that it is in being, he would do his best to see that it was not a failure.

Mr. Calder said that Canada would be suffering under a tremendous war debt, and this country must have more people and must have greater production of goods...

While Mr. Calder was addressing a packed audience at the Metropolitan Hotel, Regina, he was interrupted by the interior, was speaking to a large crowd at First Baptist. Mr. Meighen regretted the fact that the Saskatchewan government previously, but now, referring to Mr. Calder, the people of this great province have a man in the cabinet...

The minister of the interior impressed upon his hearers the fact that this war has brought to an end satisfactory to Great Britain and her allies, and this could be done, so far as Canada was concerned, only by the strict enforcement of the Military Service Act...

He exhorted the people who heard him not to believe that this war was over. He said that the war would not be minimized. Canada must exert every ounce of her strength to do so...

He asked his hearers to support the union government, showing that it was the only method by which all the parts of the country could be united.

MONTREAL PRODUCE. Montreal, Oct. 23.—Butter was quiet and steady. About 1,000 boxes of cheese were sold at 21.18 cents f.o.b. company points. Eggs were fairly active and firm. Quotations: Cheese, finest western, 21-24; finest eastern, 21-24.

Butter, choice creamery, 48c to 50c; second, 45-48c; selected, 47c to 48c; No. 1 stock, 42c to 44c; No. 2 stock, 40c to 42c.

Pork, heavy Canada, short mess, barreled, 85c to 90c; extra, 80c to 85c. Canada short cut, 80c to 85c.

OILY PROFITS. Victoria, Oct. 23.—The city council last night passed a resolution asking the Dominion government to investigate the profits made by the Ogilvie Flour Mills Company, Ltd. The mayor suggested that excess profits, if any were found, should be used to keep down taxes.

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of Canada could be brought together in a harmonious whole. "A satisfactory verdict at the next election," said the speaker, "would cheer our boys at the front beyond comparison."

He told his audience of the stirring times through which we are passing at the present time, and asked the people to stand behind the union government.

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