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BOCHES ARE EXPELLED FROM BRAY-CORBEL ROAD TRENCHES GERMAN FLEET TO COME OUT SOON

GERMANS TO USE FLEET IN NEXT ATTACK AGAINST BRITISH FORCES

Enemy Making Preparations To Use Warships In Conjunction With Attack On British—Object Is To Stimulate Depressed German Morale.

Paris, Aug. 7.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg and Gen. Ludendorff, in order to maintain their prestige and stimulate the depressed morale at home, usually well-informed observers here state, intend to strike a blow against the British front in conjunction with the German fleet. An order issued by the new chief of the German admiralty staff, Admiral Scheer is said to have expressed the wish of the fleet to attack the British naval forces.

Meanwhile the lull on the Rheims-Soissons front continues. The Germans, it is believed here, are putting their heavy artillery in place and digging themselves in with the intention of defending the positions between the Vesle and the Aisne as long as possible. The Allies have only light forces north of the Vesle, and are obliged to await their heavy guns before pressing the offensive, if the Allied commanders judge it opportune to push home an attack on that sector.

Marcel Hutin, in the Echo de Paris, says there is no hurry, and declares the Allies have proof that the Germans are suffering seriously from the lack of effectives.

Some observers believe that the Germans are regrouping their divisions in preparation for a broad defensive rather than an early offensive.

KAISER'S SAILORS REVOLT IN PROTEST AGAINST CONTINUANCE OF UNRESTRICTED SUB WARFARE

Trouble in the German Fleet Followed the Resignation of Former Naval Official—Emperor Wilhelm Postpones Visit to Kiel.

London, Aug. 7.—Rumors of a revolt by German sailors at Wilhelmshaven, in protest against continuation of the submarine war, are in circulation, according to a dispatch to the Daily Express from Amsterdam. It is reported that propagandists among the men incited sailors about to leave on submarine cruises to attack their officers and surrender their ships or seek themselves interned in neutral harbors. More than 50 submarines are said to have disappeared. Twenty-three of the ringleaders of the revolt are reported to have been arrested and sentenced to death. Many others have been arrested at Kiel and elsewhere, it is added.

FRENCH SECURE 300,000 SHELLS AND MANY GUNS LEFT BY ENEMY

Army of General Berthelot Secures Vast Quantities of Supplies.

With the French Army in France, Aug. 7.—The army of Gen. Berthelot, whose operations had a marked effect in bringing about the retreat of the crown prince across the Vesle by breaking down the eastern pivot of his line south of Rheims, effected heavy captures of material during the fighting. In one wood alone, 300,000 shells of heavy calibre were taken, in addition to immense quantities of other material. This army also captured several batteries of heavy and field guns, which are now being used against the enemy. Its booty comprises, likewise, in addition to 373 machine guns, hundreds of light trench mortars. The enemy's bag of prisoners

LONG RANGE SHELLING OF PARIS RESUMED

Paris, Aug. 7.—The long-range shelling of the region of Paris was resumed today.

BRITAIN WILL NEVER RETURN TO THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC AGAIN

Baron d'Abernon Makes Important Statement on the Drink Problem.

CRIMES HAVE DECREASED Benefits That Have Arisen From War Time Restrictions Are Numerous.

London, August 6.—The gain in national efficiency is so great as a result of war-time liquor restrictions that it is certain Great Britain never will return to pre-war conditions in this regard, according to a statement made today by Baron d'Abernon, chairman of the central board of control, which has to deal with the drink problem. Baron d'Abernon said:

"The regulations limiting the hours of sale, providing for the dilution of spirits and beer, and forbidding treating, have resulted in remarkable decreases in drunkenness and the diseases incidental to drinking. The level of drunkenness today is about half of a year ago, when it was one-third that of the pre-war time. There has been a general decrease of about 88 per cent in drinking among both men and women."

\$1,000,000 DAMAGE BY HURRICANE IN CITY IN LOUISIANA

Wind Attained a Velocity Exceeding 120 Miles an Hour.

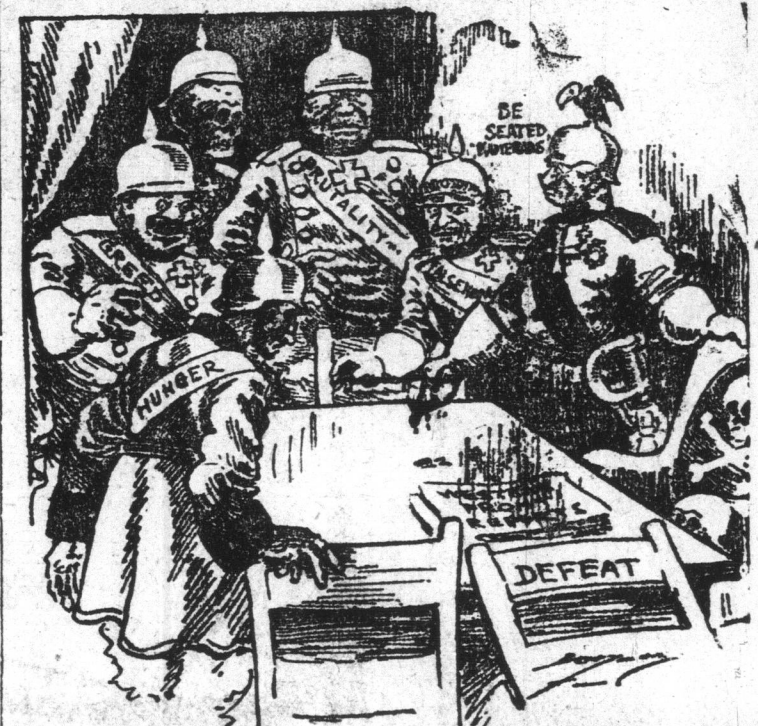
Lafayette, La., Aug. 7.—A telephone message received here early today from Lake Charles, La., said that the loss in that city from a hurricane last night will exceed \$1,000,000. The wind velocity reached 120 miles an hour and continued for nearly fifteen minutes at that speed.

GENERAL PERSHING RECEIVES FRENCH GRAND CROSS OF LEGION OF HONOR

Paris, Aug. 6.—President Poincaré visited American headquarters this afternoon and presented to Gen. Pershing, commander-in-chief of the American expeditionary forces, the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor.

The ceremony took place in the presence of Gen. Pershing's staff and detachments of French and American troops. During the presentation President Poincaré expressed his compliments to Gen. Pershing for what he termed the grand success of the Americans in the recent fighting.

THE KAISER CALLS A COUNCIL OF WAR



LIFE SAVING CREW RESCUES MEN MAROONED FOR HOURS ON BRINK OF NIAGARA FALLS

Breeches Buoy Outfit Was Utilized and Proved Successful in Saving Men From Certain Death—Searchlight Played On the Scene All Night.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Aug. 7.—After being marooned on a sand scow within 1,000 feet of the brink of Niagara Falls for sixteen hours, George Harris of Buffalo and Gus Lofburg, a Swedish sailor, were rescued by the Youngstown lifesaving crew this morning. The scow broke away from a tug yesterday evening opposite Port Day, where it was being used in dredging operations on a new power channel, and with the two men on board was carried to the upper rapids and directly toward the crest of Horseshoe Falls. A shelving rock off the head of Goat Island caught the unwieldy craft and held it, saving the men from quick death. The life-savers succeeded in getting a line to the boat last night, but the length of the rope was so great, and the scow so low in the water, that the life-line sagged into the swift current, and it was impossible to operate a breeches buoy.

THREE KILLED WHEN EXPLOSION DESTROYS DYNAMITE FACTORY

Alton, Ill., Aug. 7.—The Grafton dynamite factory blew up this morning, and at least three men are dead.

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TOTAL REVENUE FOR HALF YEAR IS \$91,954,000

War Taxes Have Increased the Receipts by Over Nine Millions.

Ottawa, Aug. 7.—The total revenue from all sources of the Dominion Government from April 1, the beginning of the fiscal year, to July 31, was \$91,954,000, an increase of nearly nine million dollars over the same period last year. The detailed figures are given in the financial statement for the month of July given out today by the finance department. The report shows that the large increase in revenue has been achieved despite a drop in customs collections for the four months period from \$5,000,000 to \$3,225,376, due to restricted importations and lack of shipping facilities. An increase from \$4,560,912 to \$13,096,768 in miscellaneous revenues, including certain forms of war taxation, more than wipes out the loss in customs revenues. The postal revenues are slightly lower than for the same period last year. The total general expenditure for the four months was \$32,394,302 as against \$24,692,046 in the corresponding period in 1917, while war expenditure on July stood at \$14,008,552, an increase of less than half a million dollars. War expenditure for July alone was \$24,620,324. The total net debt of the Dominion now stands at \$1,172,222,459 as against \$860,377,227 on July 31, 1917. The increase for July was \$18,315,774.

BRITISH TROOPS HAVE LANDED AT VLADIVOSTOK

Shanghai, Saturday, Aug. 5.—British troops landed at Vladivostok at dawn today, says a dispatch from that city. They received a friendly reception.

JAP FREIGHTER TORPEDOED OFF EASTERN COAST

A Canadian Atlantic Port, Aug. 7.—An American schooner arrived at this port this morning with 65 members of the crew of a Japanese freighter torpedoed off the Atlantic coast. The crew of the Japanese mail steamship company's ship Tokuyama Maru, who reached here this morning, reported their ship was sunk by a German submarine on August 1. The Tokuyama Maru was on a voyage from Japan to America, and was en route to a port about two hundred miles from shore. The ship was sunk without warning. The crew to the number of 85 got out the boats and were ultimately picked up by an American schooner. The submarine, members of the crew stated, fired five torpedoes at the ship before she sank. The boats several hours after the Tokuyama Maru had gone down, and the German commander questioned the Japanese about their ship.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 106.5; lowest, 68.
The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 91; lowest, 78.
TOMORROW—THUNDERSTORMS.
Toronto, Aug. 7.—8 a.m.
Forecast.
Today—Moderate winds; thunderstorms in some localities, but mostly fair and very warm.
Thursday—Some local showers or thunderstorms.
Temperatures.
The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:
Stations. High. Low. Weather.
Victoria. 80. 48. Fair.
Calgary. 80. 48. Fair.
Port Arthur. 86. 52. Fair.
Perry Sound. 88. 64. Clear.
Port Stanley. 84. 72. Cloudy.
Toronto. 89. 68. Fair.
Kingston. 88. 66. Fair.
Ottawa. 88. 66. Fair.
Montreal. 76. 60. Clear.
Quebec. 85. 58. Rain.
Showers are reported locally from Alberta to Quebec, with great heat in the Peninsula of Ontario.

PRISONERS TAKEN BY BRITISH AND FRENCH IN RAIDS ON GERMAN LINES

Circy-Saisogne An Important Town On the Vesle Falls to French—Attacks Made By Foe On Allied Positions Are Quickly Repulsed.

With the British Army in France, Aug. 7.—After remaining for twenty-four hours in trenches they formerly occupied across the Bray-Corbel road southwest of Morlancourt, the Germans were expelled this morning by the British, who captured a number of prisoners. It was from these positions that the enemy was driven about a week ago.

Early yesterday morning a strong enemy force attacked and managed to get possession of most of their old trenches, but their occupation of them was short lived. The positions are now firmly in the hands of the British, who launched their counter-attack at 4 o'clock this morning.

Aide from this relatively small operation and the usual intermittent bombardment of certain villages in the rear of the British line, the front remains extraordinarily quiet.

Paris, Aug. 7.—In the course of the fighting near the Vesle the French occupied the station of Circy-Saisogne, just west of the bend in the Vesle, where it turns northward to join the Aisne.

Paris, Aug. 7.—Along the Vesle the French continue to repulse German attacks, especially between Braise and Soissons. The war office announces that one hundred prisoners have been captured east of Braise.

The Germans today made a local attack against the French position south of Auberville, in Champagne. They were repulsed. French troops last night made further gains in the Montdidier region.

The statement reads: "In the region of Montdidier, our troops have made some local progress south of Framicourt and southeast of Mesnil-St. Georges, west of Montdidier."

"Along the Vesle, the French last night repulsed German attempts against La Grange Farm, west of Braise, and against the station at Circy-Saisogne. We took 100 prisoners east of Braise. "In Champagne, a local attack was directed this morning against our position south of Auberville. It was thrown back."

French troops last night, in the Montdidier area, gained ground south of Framicourt and southeast of Montdidier, the war office announced today.

BRITISH LINE ADVANCED London, Aug. 7.—The British line astride the Clarence River, on the Flanders front, has been advanced a short distance, says today's war office announcement. A few prisoners were taken during the course of the operation.

AMERICAN MACHINE GUNNERS WIPE OUT ENTIRE GERMAN BATTALION

With the American Army on the Aisne-Marne Front, August 6.—American machine gunners, protecting a location on the Vesle, west of Fismes, wiped out an entire battalion of German infantry, men and machine gunners today. The Germans at the time were getting into position to attack a group of American bridge builders who were approaching the location.

Some bridge material already had been moved near the south bank of the Vesle, and the Germans apparently discovering this fact, had sent a battalion to a hill position to prevent the Americans from carrying out their plan. A detachment of crack American machine gunners, however, previously had taken an elevated position commanding the location, and opened fire when the Germans appeared.

Observers reported that they did not see a single German get away from the leaden hail, and, according to the last accounts, not even enemy stretcher-bearers approached the scene. The Germans replied so feebly with their fire because of the surprise, that there were no American casualties.

SAMMIES WADED THE VESLE TO GET A CRACK AT THE HUNS

London, Aug. 7.—How American patrols crossed the Vesle after the occupation of Fismes is told in a dispatch from the correspondent of the Daily Mail on the American front dated Monday.

"The Germans have fortified a number of positions north of the Vesle and close to Fismes," he says. "Two of their divisions are in the line here, and one of them is believed to be a strong one, from the reserves of Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria."

"Early this morning American parties waded the Vesle west of Fismes, where it flows at a good pace. They were under machine gun fire from the lower slopes along the river and artillery fire from the heights more to the rear. From the north side the Americans pushed on while their artillery shelled the German positions intensely. East of Fismes American mounted patrols crossed the river today."

"At the taking of Fismes yesterday, the Germans fought desperately in the streets for some time, but finally broke and ran."

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London, Ont., Tuesday, August 7.

A SOLEMN OCCASION.

TODAY THE FIRST general court-martial called for this district sits to consider the charges of desertion made against two drafted soldiers. The innovation should not be treated lightly and its significance ought to be appreciated by all men in khaki and those who are likely to don the uniform in the future.

It has been usual to try deserters here before district courts-martial, which were not empowered to issue sentences of more than two years' imprisonment. There have been many such trials, and it is apparent that the authorities have decided that the two-year sentence is not a sufficient deterrent. The general court-martial may impose life-imprisonment, or condemn to death, although its sentences must be approved by Ottawa.

What this may mean to the two men who appear today to answer charges is not for others to guess, but the intent to make the punishment more severe for illegally leaving the army or refusing to enter it when called is clear. Desertion is a serious matter in war-time and this fact is going to be impressed on those who have failed to realize it.

It is to be hoped that it will not be found necessary to hold a second general court in London district.

THE FUTURE OF THE CHURCH.

URING the last four terrible years of war the question has frequently been asked "Has Christianity broken down?" "What will be the future of the church?" In St. John's Presbyterian Church at Port Stanley last Sunday the anniversary services were ably conducted by Rev. Alexander McMillan of Toronto. He is a native of Edinburgh and a specialist on church praise. He has been employed during the past three or four years in perfecting the new hymn book soon to be issued by the Oxford presses for the Presbyterian Church.

In the course of one of his sermons, speaking of Scotland, he pointed out that ninety per cent of the sons of the manse voluntarily enlisted in the Allied cause. The answer to the call had been universal, not only by the sons of the manse, but by all the sons of Scotland. The moderator of the Presbyterian Church had lost four sons in the war and was succeeded by another moderator who had lost two sons, all they had.

His morning service dealt with the church, and in opening, he quoted a definition of the church of God written by one of Scotland's most highly gifted divines, the Rev. Dr. Robertson of Irvine.

"I do believe in one living, broad, Holy, catholic church of God, Where there is neither bond nor free, Bishop, nor priest, nor presbytery; Where, in one church, they all are one, Who one Father, by one Son, Through one spirit, seek in prayer; And it matters nothing where, Whether in a barn of bricks Or in cloistered aisle with crucifix; If only, under the dome of love, High as the blue vault above, Ring the bells, and the bells reply, 'Earth is broad and heaven is high In the church of the Holy Trinity.'"

It is a complete and splendid answer to the questions so often asked during the recent years. It is the spirit that caused millions of the world's bravest and noblest sons to sacrifice their lives, that all in the world worth living for, might be preserved. It is the greatest proof that can be given.

"Ring the bells, and the bells reply, 'Earth is broad, and heaven is high, In the church of the Holy Trinity.'"

At the conclusion of the services Mr. Eastman, the minister of the church, paid a neat compliment to Mr. McMillan for his worthy services, and at the same time informed the congregation that Mr. McMillan's son, a gifted musician, had been a prisoner in Germany during nearly the whole time of the war.

NEW LIGHT ON OLD "STONEWALL."

"STONEWALL JACKSON" is one of the characters of history in whom interest seems to become greater each year. Before the present upheaval came along to revolutionize war's methods, as it seems to be revolutionizing everything else, the campaigns of the Confederate general, Lee's right hand, were more studied in the military schools of Great Britain than those of any other single commander save Napoleon. And quite apart from technical military interest, there has always been a surprisingly wide, popular interest in the career and character of the man himself. Twenty biographies have been issued in the half-century since his death, innumerable magazine articles have appeared, and still the mystery of the man seems unsolved. A nephew of old "Stonewall," Thomas Jackson Arnold, has just set forth his distinguished relative from a new angle in a volume dealing with the early life and letters of the hero, the part of his life which in earlier biographies had been passed over quickly in order to get at the Civil War period.

Three sides to Jackson's character are emphasized by his nephew—his system of self-discipline, his intense ambition and his deep religious feeling, Jackson not only disciplined himself, but he looked for the same in others. Methodical

habits he regarded as indispensable to usefulness in any field, and certainly his own thirty-nine years crowded into them a full man's life. His ambition underwent a change in the later years. Undoubtedly he started out to distinguish himself and to make a name, but from the opening of the Civil War there was a difference; from then on there was a complete subordination of self to what he regarded as a duty to his Maker whom he served. Jackson and Cromwell have been compared, there was much of likeness in their make-up. Jackson's religious nature shines everywhere throughout his letters as it shone through all his conduct. It is said that his old soldiers had a saying, "When old Jack is praying in his tent shine up your musket and pack your knapsack." Writing to his sister on the eve of hostilities between North and South, he said: "There is one very essential thing to the child of God who would enjoy the comforts of religion, and that is he or she must live in accordance with the law of God, must have no will but His; knowing the path of duty must not hesitate for a moment, but at once walk in it." That might sum up very well the creed of Jackson. There were those who classed him as a bigot or a fanatic. But of bigotry he was entirely free. That he regarded all denominations, Catholic or Protestant, as working for God's glory is clear. For himself he lived his religion every day and every hour of the day. In 1850, when he was 26 years of age, he wrote: "Rather than wilfully violate the known will of God I would forfeit my life. It may seem strange to you, yet nevertheless, such a resolution I have taken, and I will by it abide." And, as his biographer says, no one who knew him will for a moment question that he meant literally what he wrote in the above quotation, for Jackson was the last man to make a careless statement.

There will always be conjecture as to the course of the war had Jackson not been stricken at Chancellorsville in May of 1863. Lee was then at the head of the best armies the South ever put in the field, and in Jackson he had the man who could carry out what he planned. Longstreet lacked the swift and the bold daring that divided the Confederate armies before Hooker, and with the detached portion administered that fearful blow on the right flank that has made Chancellorsville one of the most interesting campaigns of the Civil War. Longstreet was slow two months later at the "high tide" of the war, and possibly even more in 1864, in the wilderness and after, when facing Grant and Sheridan, did Lee feel the loss of Jackson, whom he seemed unable to replace.

It is a curious coincidence that at the death of both Jackson and Lee the same man was in the thoughts of both, A. P. Hill, the dapper little general whom both of them loved. A few minutes before Jackson died he cried out in his delirium, "Order A. P. Hill to prepare for action. Pass the infantry to the front rapidly." And then came that last dying utterance so often quoted because so strange from Jackson's lips: "Let us cross over the river and rest in the shade of the trees." So, on Sunday afternoon, May 10, 1863, he crossed over the river and rested in the shade of the tree whose leaf never withers.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Rain, rain, come today,
Don't get scared and stay away.

Too much politics in Canada, says Dr. Beland. He has not required much time to spot the trouble.

Reports from the west of improved crop conditions are almost as important as the good war news.

Chemin-des-Dames is to see another tremendous struggle apparently, but the Allies took that road once before.

In England left-hand salutes have been abolished, in order to cause Canadian soldiers less inconvenience. Ottawa, please note.

Dr. Michael Clark, M.P., says there is plenty for the Government to do yet towards winning the war. Agreed: Almost as much as when it started out.

Scarborough farmers break into print in Toronto papers by discovering the letters "B. V." on oat leaves, interpreting them as British Victory. Needless to say, Middlesex farmers were a month ahead of them as usual.

The reformation of Britain's House of Lords is beginning! Lady Rhonda has decided to exercise her right to take the seat left vacant by the death of her husband and take part in the deliberations of the Upper Chamber.

CAN WE CHAIN THE FIRE FIEND?

There are some very interesting and instructive diagrams in a bulletin on forest fires just issued by the forestry branch of the department of the interior. These diagrams show that throughout Canada, whenever the rainfall becomes unusually light, the higher the temperature the greater the danger of fire. The bulletin is entitled "Forest Fires in Canada 1914-16," and the extent of the losses to the nation from this cause makes the publication of particular value. The statement of these losses will aid in arousing Canadians to the need of stopping forest fires and details of statistics will show that forest fires can be stopped, just as surely as losses are kept down by a good fire brigade in a city. With the exception of lightning, all forest fires are started by men, and if men were careful there would be no fires. The success of systematic fire protection measures is shown and the whole bulletin gives much valuable information on this important subject. Copies may be had free on application to the Director of Forestry, Ottawa.

FAIR FROM THE MADDING CROWD.

It seems to me I'd like to go
Where bells don't ring nor whistles blow,
Nor clocks don't strike nor gongs don't sound
But where there's stillness all around!

Not real stillness—just the trees!
Low whisper of the croon of bees;
The drowsy tinkling of a rill,
Or twilight song of whippoorwill.

'T would be a joy could I behold
The dappled fields of green and gold,
Or in the cool, sweet clover lie
And watch the cloud-ships drifting by.

I'd like to find some quaint old boat
And fold its oars, and with it float
Along the lily-lake stream
Where water-lilies drowse and dream.

Sometimes it seems to me I must
Just quit the city's din and dust,
For fields of green and skies of blue,
And say! how does it seem to you?

—NIXON WATERMAN.

THEY EARNED IT.

(Montreal Gazette).
By March 31 next Canadian war pensions will have reached the total of \$17,000,000 annually, points out Chairman J. K. L. Ross. The amount is great and will be greater in time, but there will be no objection on the part of the public. The pensions are earned by the men who go to the front.

BITS OF BYPLAY

BY LUKE McLUKE

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Oh, Hellup.
Lose, lose, lose.
We'll soon be an also ran.
For a flock of pitchers
Who could make the batters fan.

Grubbing for it.
Gabe—Meyers is in it all over.
Steve—Yes, and we are all busy
digging.

Discord.
The convicts had an orchestra; 'twas
bad, twixt you and me.
They were familiar with the bars, but
they couldn't get the key.

Mysterious Nine.
The figure nine is the most mysteri-
ous of all numerals. Multiply it by
any number, and add the result; it
will always total one or more nines.

Take any row of figures you please
from two to five figures. Reverse them
and subtract and add the total. You
will find a mysterious nine.

Here are two examples taken at
random:
84932
23948

60984. These figures added make 27
— 9 nines.
53462
26435

27027. Here are seven and two twices,
or two nines.
Figure it out. It's interesting.

Oh, Fudge.
She worked in a large candy store.
And as I passed each day,
I watched her hand the bonbons o'er.
She has such a sweet weigh.

There Now.
Sho—Well, anyway you never hear
of a woman buying gold bricks.
He—No, they don't mark gold bricks
down to \$99.98.

Certainty.
The verdant green and the limpid
sheen
Of wind and water meet;
The ancient view, and only two
On the ancient, rustic seat.
The warbling birds, his tender notes,
The sound of a kiss or two,
And the story old has again been told
As I have no doubt you know.

Whisper.
The pitcher stood with his conk of
wood
And passed the first man up;
We were one ahead, so we had no
dread,
We cheered the careless pup,
The next man's awat went across the
lot.

The Home Run let in two.
And the story old has again been told,
As I have no doubt you know.

The Union Government

A Letter Published in the Halifax Chronicle, Which Is Worth
of Consideration From Every Canadian.

The following letter from the Halifax
Chronicle, written by a man who has
stood with Liberalism through thick and
thin, will be read with interest by The
Advertiser's readers.

THE UNION GOVERNMENT.
To the Editor of the Chronicle:
Sir—In your editorial of the 21st
instant you state that all "true Lib-
erals" will acknowledge that the
present Government at Ottawa has
made "an excellent beginning," and
that the present standard of the Lib-
eral party is not as high as it was
hostile have founded foundations.

It is difficult to tell just what is
the Liberal standard of the present
Liberal. I submit that in this province
today, there is not a Liberal who
is not caught in the trap so skillfully
set by Sir Clifford Sifton, Sir William
MacKenzie and other Canadian Northern
plotters, who is not disgusted with the
so-called Union Government, and very
few other Liberals or former conserva-
tives who are not most man—who are not
disappointed and disappointed.

You state that the Liberal majority
obtained by deceit and in-
famous election act—and secondly by
the rushing of the province into the
war in order that some members of the
Government may get away to London.

You refer to the province of Quebec
as being well handled. Well handled,
forsooth! The situation in Quebec has
been a disaster, and the province has
been the scene of the most terrible
act which was known in this province
as the military exemptions act.

There are a few weeks there have
been a considerable number of Quebec
volunteers, but surely, Union Govern-
ment cannot be given credit for such
volunteers. A large measure of credit
should, however, be given to Mr.
Macklin.

You state "patronage in appoint-
ments to the civil service has been
largely discontinued." Is it at present
possible and desirable? Ye Gods!
Are you shut up in a cloistered sanc-
tuary, and do you not know that the
Government appointments in every
branch of the service have been
rampant? If you do not, then some
body should break in the door and tell
you what is going on.

Do my eyes deceive me when I read
in your editorial that scores of postma-
ns have been appointed in this prov-
ince and hundreds throughout the Do-
minion, after calling publicly for ap-
plicants and after inspectors were ex-
pressly warned against suffering partisan
considerations of any kind to influ-
ence them in making their recommendations?
You are enjoying a pipe dream.

For the sake of old times, I break up
the new civil service act, poor as it
is, has not yet received the assent of
the governor-general and therefore
not law, and by the way, when it was
passed through the House of Commons,
Mr. Sinclair, M. P., moved an amend-
ment to include within its provisions
thousands of employees on the Govern-
ment railways.

That these worthy men should be
free from political influence, but the
Union Government and its supporters
do not seem to care for the amendment
and yet you state that the Government
introduced and passed a civil service
bill which was "a fulfillment to the let-
ter of pre-election promises."

In your paper denouncing, in your
strongest language, the dismissal
after 1911, of the thousands of employ-
ment Liberal employees and the ap-
pointment in their place of twenty-two
thousand Conservatives, you state that
this was rank injustice and extra-
vagance. Have you heard of any of the
thousands of men who have been dis-
pensated with? Instead of their being
dispensed with, they have been added
to the ranks of the unemployed and
have become the offices in Ottawa that
the minister of public works is build-
ing a new million-dollar office building
to provide for their comfort.

You refer to a great reform in public
advertising. The only reform I have
heard of is, that instead of the Halifax
Herald getting all the printing patron-
age in Halifax, an equal amount is now

being given elsewhere. I am also re-
peatedly informed that certain Govern-
ment advertisements have been placed
in every prominent daily paper in the Mar-
time Provinces, with the exception of
the Acadia news and the Moncton
Transcript, two papers which have had
the courage to stand by their Liberal
principles.

Lastly, you refer to the question of
prohibition, and state "one of the first
acts of the new administration, by ordi-
nary council before the meeting of Par-
liament, was to provide for the com-
plete suppression of the illegal sale of
intoxicants in Canada." You know, as
well as I do, that neither by order-in-
council nor act of parliament has this
Government prohibited the sale of in-
toxic liquor in this country.

It is true that the Government has
passed an act prohibiting the importation
of liquor, but they took mighty good care
that it should not reach the province
and that it should not be brought into
this country of vast quantities of
liquor. It is still in Montreal, and
placed. The Government also passed an
act prohibiting the transportation of
liquor to the provinces, but they took
mighty good care to give sufficient
time for the provinces to be well
supplied with liquor, even in this
strongly temperance province liquor in
many places is almost openly kept for
sale, and bootlegging is carried on in
every city and town. We do not owe
very much to Union Government along
this line.

The local governments and legislatures
enough to prohibit the sale of their na-
tional drink when faced with war. The
local governments and legislatures of
this Dominion did their duty as far as
their power and jurisdiction would al-
low, and the federal Government, with
all the power conferred upon it by the
war measures act, did not even go by
the Government of the United States,
in making it an offence for any
person in uniform to be supplied or served
with intoxicating liquor of any kind.

Union Government was supposed to
mean the mobilization of the man-power
of this country, and the selective draft
was the ultimate result of this mobiliza-
tion. We were told, to select men for
various war duties. Before the election
the Government announced a very bold
policy in reference to the transfer and
allocation of labor from non-essential to
essential war work in war time, but af-
ter the election labor leaders appeared
in Ottawa, and after they had secured
their ultimatum this bold program faded
away, and the statement was given out
that no such transfer or allocation was
being made, but instead, the Government
mountain-labored and brought forth the
announcement of a registration day.
In spite of the fact that the former regis-
tration cost the taxpayers of this country
over a million dollars, which might ad-
vantage have been thrown into the sea.
Instead of Government action, we have
had appointments of high-ranking com-
missions. Nineteen of these commis-
sions are now tumbling over one an-
other in the streets of Ottawa, and the
selective draft which almost closed the
doors of our country, while everything
goes on in Canada as if no war was in
existence.

We went to war largely because of
the action of a few men, who were
German chancellors referred to as "a
scrap of paper." The Government, dur-
ing the election campaign, made solemn
promises that producers of food,
such as farmers and farmers' sons,
should be exempted from the operation
of the military service act. The Morning
Chronicle and other so-called Union
papers previously to the last election
printed the following interesting item:
Exemption of Farmers.

Gen. Newton, minister of militia,
has issued the following statement
from the Government: "All farmers
coming within Class A called out for
military service under the provisions
of the military service act, who are
usually engaged in the raising of stock
or the production of foodstuffs for Can-
ada and her Allies and who are neces-
sary to the war effort, will be exempted
from military service, and no man
made to extend the time for such
appeals. If a farmer so called out
for military service, who is engaged
in the production of food-

stuffs, should be drafted into the
army, Gen. Newton feels it will be
his duty to relieve him from mili-
tary service on the condition that he
returns to the farm and continues to
be so employed.

The Government, during the past win-
ter, sent a very able man, Professor
James W. Robertson, to make in every
important centre from the Pacific to the
Atlantic, to tell the people of the im-
perative necessity of producing more
food. He stated the conditions, and said
that unless more food was produced,
not only the soldiers at the front would
starve, but the people at home would
starve as well. Let me use his own
language: "Unless we can get more food
now we shall go under and one million
people will starve."

The prime minister of this country
said, within a few months: "I cannot
emphasize too strongly the absolutely
urgent necessity for increased food pro-
duction. The issue of the war may de-
pend on the quantity of food production
in Canada and the United States."

Solemn promises were also made to
be working in essential industries,
and the Government has failed to do
such as coal miners, who were told that
if the coal production should seriously
decrease, Canadians might freeze and
the wheels of industry would cease to
revolve.

The farmers and the miners, believ-
ing that Canadian promises were no
Prussian promises, prepared to increase
production to the utmost of their re-
sources, and yet a few weeks ago this
so-called Union Government, which you
state has made an excellent begin-
ning, tore their promises to shreds and
put through an order-in-council con-
sidering food producers and farmers as
the best production class, strikers of
crushing blow to the farming industry
of the country, and will cause the loss
of out of Nova Scotia this year to
drop a million tons, and this blow is
being felt in the production of food.

They claim that experience is the best
teacher. But you may have noticed
that the more times a man gets mugged
the less sense he displays in pick-
ing a wife.

Even when she remembers that he
once called her a scold, she goes on in the
world, a woman will claim that her
husband has no imagination.

The old-fashioned man who was
ticked to death when he got a pair of
red-topped boots for a birthday
present now has a son who is highly
sensible and gets up to the minute
reader for a birthday present.

Punish women will try to fool
themselves. For instance, every woman
believes that she can make good
coffee.

Who dare to knock the movie
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fan if said fan ever got a look at a
real cowboy and desperado. A real
cowboy often wears overalls and a
Derby hat and in many ways resembles
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chamberlains in city livery stables.

One of the remarkable things in
life is how easily a little, little
woman can break a big, strong
150-pound man.

If a man ever found as much help
in the comb after he had a hard day
as a woman does he would have a
kitten. But a woman doesn't do any
worrying. For instance, the cow-
boy puts it back on her head.

Once in a while a man takes a day
off when he has a cold. But it is a regular thing for a woman
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brates her birthday.

We never could understand why a
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Noteworthy Examples of
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The coat illustrated is made from good quality velour, lined to the waist. As shown, it has a good full sweep, convertible collar and full belt, two pockets and button trimming. We cannot guarantee the price beyond those we have in stock.

Colors are navy, taupe, brown, dark green and black.

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JIMMY COON STORIES

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THE HUNT FOR THE LOST POSSUMS.

Teddy Possum enjoyed his life in the woods, and he was not at all sorry when he found out that his little brothers and sisters were lost. He was a very good hunter, and he was sure to find them. He was a very good hunter, and he was sure to find them. He was a very good hunter, and he was sure to find them.

Benny Mink, Little Scamp, Winked His Left Eye at Sammy Muskrat.

Patriotic Western Ontario

Address All News for This Column
to the Editor of the Women's
Page.

ESSEX.—The Essex monthly Red Cross box was packed at the Women's Patriotic League rooms last week, and contained 48 suits pyjamas, 6 hospital shirts, 34 bandages, 13 personal papers.

DAILY SHOT AT KAISER FOR HOME FOOD SAVERS

NATIONAL WAR GARDEN COMMISSION

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PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

NEW HOSTESS HOUSE AT CAMP IS REAL BOON FOR SOLDIERS' FOLKS

Local Y. W. C. A. Doing Fine
Work Along New Line—
Travelers' Aid Report.

Good news for mothers, sisters,
wives and sweethearts for many coun-
ties around lies in the fact that the
Dominion Council, Y. W. C. A. has
opened a "Hostess House" at Carling
Highway.

Do you know what this means to
hundreds of soldiers' relatives, who just
live in anticipation of the day that
they can come to the city to see the
boy in camp? Do you realize what it
means to the boys themselves, in know-
ing that when the folks arrive there
will be no confusion about where they
will lodge for the day, and no worry
over the time they must lose in hunting
them up. As much as possible the pro-
cess of finding a headquarters for the
boy is simplified. Mrs. Moir, the
superintendent of the Hostess House,
does all she can to facilitate meetings
and make the loved ones' stay as pleas-
ant as possible. One tent is more like
a club-room than anything else, its
cheerful, hospitable atmosphere insist-
ently whispering "Come again and often."

The other tent is a real ladies' rest
room, with plenty of refreshing and
rehabilitating conveniences. When
over-night accommodation is
desired, visitors to the city can apply
to Lennox, the Y. W. C. A. home on
King street. This organization is con-
stantly on the look-out for new ways
in which to serve the soldier's needs.
And perhaps there is no manner of
doubt that it is no manner of a
home and has more wholesome results
than in providing comfortable accom-
modation for the folks when they can
find an opportunity of visiting him.

Dining-room fare is under the super-
vision of Miss May Miller, until the
present, dietitian at St. Luke's hos-
pital, Cleveland. Miss Miller is only
in the city for a few days, and she
will act as superintendent of Lennox.

Report of Mrs. McPhail shows the
scope of work as a travelers' aid
secretary. In order to give the public
some idea of what this work entails,
the duties and responsibilities involved,
it is given in detail:

Travelers' Aid Report.
London, Ont., Aug. 1, 1918.

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BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

BORN.
BIRMINGHAM—To Mr. and Mrs. A. W. W. Birmingham, 898 Dundas street, August 4, 1918, a daughter.

HIGGINS—Mr. and Mrs. B. Howard Higgins of 498 Dundas street announce the birth of a daughter, August 6, 1918.

MARRIED.
TREMBLE-ROUSSEL—On Saturday, August 3, at St. Maria Margaret daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Rousell of Paris, to Gilbert Tremble, son of Mrs. George Tremble, of 106 Victoria street, London.

DIED.
FORSTER—Passed away at Victoria Hospital, on August 3, 1918, at 10 p.m. Anna R. Forster, beloved daughter of William and Alice Forster of 309 Horton street, aged 30 years.

Funeral at 3 o'clock from above residence on Thursday. Services at 2:30 o'clock. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

LEICESTER—At Victoria Hospital on Tuesday, August 6, 1918, Capt. John C. Leicester, M.C., dearly beloved husband of Katherine Leicester, aged 51 years.

Military funeral from his late residence, 14 Rosedale avenue, at 10 p.m. Thursday, August 8. Services at St. Paul's Church, Hamilton road, 3 o'clock. Interment at Woodland cemetery.

NEIL—At Detroit on Tuesday, August 6, 1918, Edith, widow of the late Richard Neil, late of London, Ont.

Funeral from the C. P. R. station on Thursday at 1:30 p.m. to Woodland Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lang and Mr. Samuel Lang, father of the former, of 637 Grosvenor street, wish to thank their many friends and the sisters and nurses of St. Joseph's Hospital for the kindness shown Mr. Lang during his recent illness.

MEETINGS.
MEETING IN Y. M. C. A. AUDITORIUM
TONIGHT AT 8:15 P.M.

Hear **MISS MCINTOSH**
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Open to men and women. Everybody welcome.

Dominion Lodge, No. 43.
meets in their hall, Richmond street, this (Wednesday) evening at 8 o'clock. General business. Visitors welcome.

REGULAR COMMUNICATION
City Chapter, No. 13, Order Eastern Star, Alma Hotel, Richmond street, tomorrow (Thursday), 8 o'clock. Visitors welcome. Mrs. Ida Mills, W.M.; Vida Stewart, secretary.

A MEETING OF THE MEMBERS
of Knox Church will be held in the schoolroom at 8 o'clock p.m. Friday, August 9, for the purpose of "calling" a pastor for the congregation.

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IN CITY, SMALL GOLD NECK CHAIN. Finder please return to 38 Lincoln street.

LOST—BETWEEN LONDON AND
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LOST—FOX TERRIER PUP NEAR
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Quaker Oats Company, containing \$37.15. Reward this office. 56c

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TEACHER WANTED, S. S. NO. 2,
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PROTESTANT QUALIFIED TEACHER
wanted for S. S. No. 15, Mersea—Dunlop, Ontario. State salary and experience. Apply to Mr. J. L. Leanington, Colton Noble, R. R. No. 1, Leanington, Ont. 55c-xv

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QUITE NEW REASONS
FOR RAISING BRIDGE
GIVEN BY SIR ADAM
Not Matter of Economy, But
Necessity Now.

When the London Railway Commission, composed of Sir Adam Beck and Philip Pocock, appeared before the council last night, Mayor Somerville asked if the council would hear them. Ald. O. G. Keene made a motion that they be heard. "But limit them to five minutes," said the alderman. Control-ling Little agreed.

Mr. Pocock took fifteen minutes and Sir Adam well over half an hour. Sir Adam's argument for raising the bridge was a brand-new one. He did not favor the financial saving as connected by Secretary Spittal and Manager Richards, with honorable mention. Mr. Richards said that they had to cut some trains when they stopped at "Phillip street. He never mentioned a word about stopping at Ottawa avenue because of the street cars. He never mentioned that the law compels them to stop at the station road. Sir Adam said that as far as cutting trains was concerned, there might be one a month or one a week cut.

Sir Adam said that it was proposed to pay for the raising of the bridge out of revenue. The commission has just previously secured from the council the \$50,000 line of credit. "The latter money," he said, "was needed immediately, and the raising of the bridge would go ahead at once."

The board of the council will keep its weather-eye on the footbridge proposal, and will wait a week to see whether steel for the bridge can be secured. If not, it is likely that the city will erect a swing bridge over the river.

FOR HARVESTING IN WESTERN CANADA.
Thousands of men are required to help in the work of harvesting the western crop. The C. P. R. has completed arrangements to transport to the West this great army of workers.

For those going from points in Ontario to Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta extra trains will be operated through to Winnipeg (the distributing point) without change.

Going trip west, \$12 to Winnipeg. Returning trip east, \$18 from Winnipeg.

Consult C. P. R. agents regarding transportation arrangements west of Winnipeg. Going dates:

August 20 and August 29.
All stations, in Ontario, west of Smith's Falls, up to and including Toronto, on Lake Ontario Shore Line, and Havelock-Peterboro line, also from stations Kingston to Renfrew Junction, inclusive, and from stations on Toronto-Humberly line, from stations on Sault Ste. Marie branch. From stations on main line, Beauport to Franz, inclusive. From stations, Bethany Junction to Fort McNicoll and Burketon-Bobcaygeon.

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Further particulars from any C. P. R. Ticket agents, H. J. McCallum, C. P. R., London, Ont. Aug. 27.

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BRYANT WASHBURN, the popular screen star, featured in a five-act comedy, "Kiddie & Ko," showing at the Patricia Theatre again today. Also a Big V. comedy, an Ebony comedy, a James Montgomery Flagg's screen story and "The Six Jolly Tars" in vaudeville.



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MAYOR WILL NOT
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SUNDAY CONCERTS

Sunday band concerts were aired before the city council last night. Ald. Watkinson asked the mayor if it was the intention to discontinue these concerts.

Mayor Somerville replied: "It is not my intention."

Ald. Watkinson said that he understood the Lord's Day Alliance objected to them on the ground that the band-ucers were paid for their services. He said they seemed to forget that they pay soloists and organists in churches.

CARRY YOUR PAPERS
IN YOUR MOUTH IF
YOU GO SWIMMING

Men May Be Asked For Their
Documents in Lake.

A local youth who spent the weekend at Port Stanley had an interesting experience Monday afternoon, while strolling down the board walk in his bathing suit. He had just left his cottage, and had not proceeded a great distance, when he was hailed by a military policeman and asked to show his papers.

The youth in question, having no pockets in his bathing suit, a la Palm Beach, informed the zealous member of the police that his papers were at the cottage, and offered to accompany him to this place in order to satisfy his curiosity.

He was allowed to proceed to his weekly bath, however, after the inquisitive one had taken his name, and exacted a promise from the paperless youth that he would report Tuesday morning at the local armory, minus the bathing suit, but armed with the necessary documents.

McADOO AWARD
NOW IN EFFECT

Stratford, Aug. 6.—Announcement has been made in the Grand Trunk here that the McAdoo award is applicable to the local shippers, dating from the first of the month. This will mean a substantial increase in pay, the full effect of which will not be felt for possibly a month.

LONDON'S EXHIBITION

The official program of the Western Fair has just been issued and a glance over the same will assure the public that a visit to the Exhibition will be well worth while this year. There will be two speed events daily with \$400 purses all week, with only two exceptions. A new system has been adopted of making every heat a race and dividing the money accordingly. This should bring out the very best horses and the best that is in them. There will be fireworks of the very best each night after the platform performance is over.

Plenty of music will be furnished by the best bands obtainable several being in attendance each day. The platform program will be of a very high order and will be carried through each afternoon and evening with dispatch so that there will be no long waits between acts.

The Midway will be filled with shows and riding devices by "The Show World Exposition Shows" Carnival Company and will be a source of fun and amusement for all visitors to the Exhibition. If favored with suitable weather this should be the best Exhibition ever held in London.

All information from the secretary, A. M. Hunt, London, Ont.

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HAS LITTLE CITY FARM
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West London has a little city farm all its own. Mrs. Lawrence, an enterprising, energetic, old lady, is the fair farmerette. Plowing land and planting trees have no attraction for her, whose inclination runs towards livestock, particularly the raising of pure-bred Jersey cattle.

Many years ago she found herself in a desperate condition. With the sudden illness of her husband, she became the bread-winner of a small family. For a long time there seemed to be no way out, until she determined to have her way about the keeping of a cow, to which her husband had been violently objected. But Mrs. Lawrence went out, and has good reason to bless the persistence with which she followed, along with rare common-sense.

Upon the death of Mr. Lawrence, his widow was left with two alternatives: keeping cows or keeping boarders. In order to make a living, dumb animals appealed more to her, and she saw to it that the cows kept her.

The little city farm, which she has had for some time, is a phenomenal calf, 14 months old, which has been giving milk for the past six months. Her name is Thekla, yields two and three-quarter pounds every day, which has been Government-tested, and found to contain 4 per cent butter fat. This calf boasts a pedigree. For three generations a wonderful milk strain has been maintained. The great-grandmother's record was 1,300 pounds of milk before she calved. The mother gave 6,200 pounds in a year, 700 pounds more than the Government standard. The calf has donated \$200 towards the butter income in one year.

Some few years ago, in a record of performance test for milk, butter and breeding, nine cows were selected from the London area for a performance test. First-class qualifications. Two of the nine belonged to Mrs. Lawrence.

All in Small Lot.

Mrs. Lawrence has not much ground—just an ordinary backyard and small paddock for the animals. She has enough space for the cultivation of corn and sorghum. Besides five head of pure-bred Jersey cattle, she has a few more froules around. If the C. P. R. trains only could pass through the back of her lot, she would be a fortune teller. But they would not give a glimpse of an animal from the huddled outcrops. But they would not give a glimpse of an animal from the huddled outcrops. But they would not give a glimpse of an animal from the huddled outcrops.

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WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE AISNE-MARNE FRONT, Aug. 6.—By the Associated Press.—With their backs to the Aisne, the Germans continued preparation today for what may be either a stiff resistance to give them more time for further withdrawals, or for a definite stand. Minor actions along the American portion of the front, and in the adjoining French sectors marked the day.

The little force of men who were sent into Hamcourt, maintain their foothold, although they are not yet across the river which flows through the extreme northern portion of the town.

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PROCLAMATION

GEORGE the FIFTH, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To all to whom these presents shall come or whom the same may in any wise concern,—GREETING :

A Proclamation of conditional amnesty respecting men belonging to Class 1 under the Military Service Act, 1917, who have disobeyed our Proclamation of 13th October, 1917, or their orders to report for duty, or are deserters or absent without leave from the Canadian Expeditionary Force.

E. L. NEWCOMBE,
Deputy Minister of Justice,
WHEREAS considerable numbers of men belonging to Class 1 under our Military Service Act, 1917, called out on active service in our Canadian Expeditionary Force for the defence of Canada under our Proclamation of 13th October, 1917, although they have thus become by law soldiers enlisted in the Military Service of Canada,

Have failed to report for duty as lawfully required of them under the said Military Service Act and the regulations thereunder, including the Order in Council duly passed on April 20 last,

Or have deserted,
Or absented themselves without leave from our Canadian Expeditionary Force,

And it is represented that the very serious and unfortunate situation in which these men find themselves is due in many cases to the fact that, notwithstanding the information and warning contained in our Proclamation aforesaid, they have misunderstood their duty or obligation, or have been misled by the advice of ill-disposed, disloyal or seditious persons.

AND WHEREAS we desire, if possible, to avoid the infliction of the heavy penalties which the law imposes for the offences of which these soldiers have thus been guilty, and to afford them an opportunity within a limited time to report and make their services available in our Canadian Expeditionary Force as is by law their bounden duty, and as is necessary for the defence of our Dominion of Canada.

NOW KNOW YE that we in the exercise of our powers, and of our good will and pleasure in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare and cause to be published and made known that **THE PENALTIES OF THE LAW WILL NOT BE IMPOSED OR EXACTED** as against the men who belong to Class 1 under our Military Service Act, 1917, and who have disobeyed our Proclamation aforesaid; or who have received notice from any of our registrars or deputy registrars to report for duty on a day now past and have failed so to report; or who, having reported and obtained leave of absence, have failed to report at the expiry of their leave, or have become deserters from our Canadian Expeditionary Force, **PROVIDED THEY REPORT FOR DUTY ON OR BEFORE THE TWENTY FOURTH DAY OF AUGUST 1918.**

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. Witness: Our Right Trustee and Right Entirely Beloved Cousin and Counsellor, Victor Chretien, Duke of Devonshire, Marquess of Hartington, Earl of Devonshire, Earl of Burlington, Baron Cavendish of Hardwicke, Baron Cavendish of Keighley, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter: One of Our Most Honourable Privy Council: Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order; Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

At Our Government House, in Our City of OTTAWA, this FIRST DAY OF AUGUST, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and in the ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command:
Thomas Mulvey
Under-Secretary of State.

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10 CENTS.

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Premier Lenine May Decide
To Take Action Any
Day.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—It is reported from Moscow by way of Berlin, that the Bolsheviki Government in Russia is considering a declaration of war against Japan, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen today.

Premier Lenine, the message adds, has up to this time been opposed to such action, but it is believed that Russia "will be compelled to declare war notwithstanding the fact that the people are opposed to any new war."

PLOT TO KILL LENINE.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Swedish press reports of a plot to kill Lenin and Trotsky, the Russian Bolsheviki premier and foreign minister, were received today at the state department. When Lenin called on the new German minister the streets of Moscow through which he passed were closed by the police.

Berlin has reported that all private communication between Russia and England has been suspended by order of the Bolsheviki.

SOCIALISTS WANT HELP.
LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Russian social revolutionary party, which is opposing the Bolsheviki Government, has sent a direct appeal to the British Labor party urging that efforts be made to convene a socialist conference.

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PROCLAMATION

GEORGE the FIFTH, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To all to whom these presents shall come or whom the same may in any wise concern,—GREETING :

A Proclamation of conditional amnesty respecting men belonging to Class 1 under the Military Service Act, 1917, who have disobeyed our Proclamation of 13th October, 1917, or their orders to report for duty, or are deserters or absent without leave from the Canadian Expeditionary Force.

E. L. NEWCOMBE,
Deputy Minister of Justice,
WHEREAS considerable numbers of men belonging to Class 1 under our Military Service Act, 1917, called out on active service in our Canadian Expeditionary Force for the defence of Canada under our Proclamation of 13th October, 1917, although they have thus become by law soldiers enlisted in the Military Service of Canada,