

HEAR FOSTER AND GRAHAM!

REMEMBER THE GREAT MASS MEETING TO-NIGHT AT OPERA HOUSE IN AID OF RECRUITING AND RED CROSS FUND.

ENEMY THINKS SPRING WILL BRING PEACE

State Official in Berlin Says Business Sense Will Drive Them.

SHE MAKES NO OFFERS

Political Group Discuss the "Aims of the War" Continually.

INDEMNITY THE PRINCIPAL ITEM

Also the Restoration of Huns' Lost Colonial Empire, With a Little of Belgium's.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Berlin, Oct. 20.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—"But by spring we shall probably have peace, this remark of a state official in a very high place may be taken as indicative of the view held in the German government circles. The remark was made during a discussion of certain possibilities in the Balkans.

Pressed to give a reason for his optimism, the official replied that he based his expectations largely on the "sound business sense of the British" which would lead them to move for peace as soon as they saw nothing was to be gained by continuing the war.

"We now hold in the west a strongly fortified line, including a great enclave of French and Belgian territory. We shall soon have a similar line fortified in the east. Behind these two lines we can sit tight and defy all efforts of our enemies to break through.

"I have much confidence in the business sense of the British, and think that when once they have found the Dardanelles cannot be forced they will lead them to take steps in the direction of peace."

GERMANY CAN'T MOVE FIRST. It was suggested that business men usually are unwilling to make a contact wherein they are at a disadvantage as with the other parties, and that this "business" would be facilitated if the opponents had some definite information as to the maximum terms on which Germany would be ready to discuss peace. The official replied that for Germany to make a statement at this time on the conditions of peace, possibly might be interpreted as a confession of weakness, and that for the present he preferred to await overtures from the other side.

The vigor with which the various political groups and big industrial, commercial and agricultural organizations discussed the tabooed topic of the "times of the war," indications that the government is giving serious consideration to the subject of peace.

This discussion and the utterances of Dr. Karl Helfferich, secretary of the German Imperial treasury; Sir Edward Grey, British foreign secretary and other responsible personages give color to the suspicion that something may be going on behind the curtain.

THE TERMS. No statement whatever as to Germany's peace conditions can be obtained, or is it even certain that the government has reached any final conclusion. From observations and remarks dropped from time to time, in official circles, one would say that Germany's present terms include neither the absorption of Belgium nor other wholesale annexations demanded by the "blue sky" enthusiasts, who seem bound on adding to Germany's territory territory now occupied by German armies.

The cardinal point in the desire of official Germany, if these assumptions are correct, is at present a large indemnity. This is demanded not only to compensate Germany for the steadily growing war costs, but to provide a guarantee against future attack.

The second cardinal point is the restoration of Germany's colonial empire in undiminished form, with certain additions, presumably at the expense of Belgium. France is looked upon as the main obstacle to the indemnity. Russia will be asked to give up Poland.

VERY CONFIDENT. Any statement of German demands may seem a cool assumption of certain ultimate victory at a time when Germany's opponents are announcing

All in Readiness For To-night's Meeting

Civic Officials Have Started Ball Rolling by Donating \$500 to Red Cross Fund--Sir George Foster Arrived Early This Afternoon.

Everything is in readiness for to-night's big meeting in the Opera House.

It will be a joint event having for its double object the stirring up of recruiting and the securing of subscriptions towards the Red Cross fund. The figure aimed at in the latter regard is \$15,000. Toronto is after \$250,000 and in two days has nearly secured that sum. Hamilton is after \$35,000 and so on.

On the large stage at the Grand 300 chairs have been placed for the accommodation of the recruits now in training here for overseas service. They will form a striking background for the evening and others representing various interests.

A GOOD START. A meeting of the City Officials War Relief Association was held this morning and it was unanimously decided to vote \$500 to the Red Cross fund.

Serbia Admits Officially Army Seriously Menaced

Resistance of Serbian Troops Desperate and Heroic, But Strong Pressure of Austrians and Germans is Proving to be Too Much for Them.

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PARIS, Oct. 21.—Official statement issued yesterday at Nish, and forwarded by the Havas News Agency, says that the Serbian army is now menaced seriously. The Serbian war office says the railroad line to Saloniki has been cut in two places.

The communication follows: "The situation grows more and more serious. The resistance of the Serbian army is desperate and heroic, but the strong pressure of the Austrians and Germans from the north and of masses of Bulgarians from the east is menacing seriously the Serbian army, which is now cut off from Saloniki. The arrival of allied troops is awaited anxiously.

"The Serbians in the north hold the Rakhnatz, Alexanderovatz, Duhogolobov, and the Asagna-Kornai lines and the right bank of the Kolobaza. On the eastern front they hold the Saitochavi, Koiaztovatz, Pirov, Vlasina line, but the Bulgarians have taken the towns of Vranja and Volosko, cutting the line to Saloniki in two places."

This establishes the fact that the Serbians have captured the important railway town of Vranja, regarding which there has been some doubt.

WOMEN FIGHTING. Rome, Oct. 20.—London Daily Telegraph despatch.—Information from German sources states that the campaign in Serbia is assuming a drudgery character. Private citizens, even women and children taking part in the

Fine Tribute From Hamilton to Col. Brooks

The following from the Hamilton Herald deals with the new mounted infantry regiment, and its commander Colonel Brooks.

"Orders have been received here by the officers of the Second Dragoons to commence recruiting for the Second Canadian Mounted Rifles, which it is intended to raise in this district. About 80 Dragoon recruits now quartered in the mountains will likely be transferred to the new corps, but its strength is to be 600, a large number of additional men will be required. Not all will be from Hamilton, however, as Welland, St. Catharines, and Brantford will also be asked to furnish recruits. It is altogether likely that the new corps will be mobilized in Hamilton and will spend the winter here. Lieut.-Col. Brooks, who is to have command, is expected in the city this afternoon, and with Major Walters and Major W. L. Ross of the Dragoons will inspect the Hamilton Jockey Club premises and ascertain what changes and improvements will be necessary in order to make the buildings suitable for the accommodation of the corps. Lieut.-Col. Brooks is one of the most ex-

IMPORTANT MATTERS CONSIDERED

Municipal Railway Commissioners Discussed Request for Increase by Men.

Some important matters came up last night at a meeting of the Brantford Municipal Railway Commission. A contract was let to the Preston Car and Coach Company for a new snow sweeper. With the additional track mileage now in operation it was felt that the existing apparatus in the respect named was not sufficient to cope with possible demands.

A deputation of the men waited on the board to ask for an increase of pay. They constitute a very capable and efficient staff and their request was presented in a frank and friendly manner. They showed that remuneration was higher in practically all other places. They were promised careful consideration and an early decision.

GRAND VALLEY. Accounts and figures in connection with the Grand Valley portion of the line were before the committee. It was decided, Commissioner Hartman dissenting, to ask the Dominion Railway commission to send an engineer to report on this end of the system. His findings and other matters pertaining thereto will be presented in a report as soon as possible.

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Ode for Trafalgar Day

[By H. Newbolt, one of England's most famous modern poets]

ENGLAND! To-day let fire be in thine eyes And in thy heart the throb of leaping guns; Crown in thy streets the deed that never dies, And tell their fathers' fame to all thy sons! Behold! behold! on that unchanging sea Where day behind Trafalgar rises pale, How dread the storm to be Drifts up with ominous breath, Cloud after towering cloud of billow sail Full charged with thunder and the bolts of death.

Yet when the noon is past, and thy delight, More delicate than these good hundred years, Has drunk the splendor and the sound of fight And the sweet sting of long-since-vanished fears; Then, England, come thou down with sterner lips From the bright world of thy substantial power, Forget thy seas, thy ships, And that wide echoing dome, To watch the soul of man in his dark hour Redeeming yet his dear lost land of home.

What place is this? What underworld of pain All shadow-bathed with glare of swinging fires? What writhing phantoms of the newly slain? What cries? What thirst consuming all desires? This is the field of battle; not for life, Not for the deeper life that dwells in love, Not for the savor of strife Or the far call of fame, Not for all these the fight; all these above, The soul of this man cherished Duty's name.

His steadfast hope from self has turned away, For the Cause only must he still contend; How goes the day with us? How goes the day? He craves not victory but to make an end, Therefore not yet thine hour, O Death; but when The weapons forged against his country's peace Lie broken round him—then Give him the kiss supreme; Then let the tumult of his warfare cease, And the last dawn dispel his anguished dream.

MYSTERIOUS DEATH OF YOUNG GIRL

First Incident Big Enough to Take Parisians' Eyes From Big Conflict.

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Paris, Oct. 21.—As a result of police investigations into the mysterious death last August of Marie Christophe, a young girl belonging to one of the wealthiest families of Clermont Ferrand, Jean Christophe, her brother and Madame Marguerite, Christophe, the mother, were arrested last night. Because of the prominence of the family the latest development in the case has created a sensation and the newspapers for the first time since the war began are devoting columns to a story of this kind.

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Unionists Win in South Africa

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New York, Oct. 21.—A news agency despatch from Johannesburg, South Africa, says: "Unionists will control the next parliament of the Union of South Africa, according to late returns from Wednesday's general election. Up to midnight the returns showed the election of the following: Unionists, 31. Botha partymen, 11. Laborites, 3. Dutch Nationalists, 1. Independents, 4."

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Junior Hospital Aid

The regular monthly meeting of the Junior Hospital Aid was held in the Y.W.C.A. on Wednesday, Oct. 20, when fourteen members were present. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and adopted.

Miss Helen Oldham reported \$6 in fees from the North Ward.

A communication from the Secretary of the United Hospital Aid was read, and an account from the Lyons' Electric Co. passed.

Mrs. W. Pearce reported for the visiting committee that baskets of fresh fruit, also magazines, had been taken at each visitation, and that the new electric lights, was proving very satisfactory for coal days. Miss Winifred Palmer and Miss Tomlinson were appointed visitors for next month.

Moved by Miss E. Sweet, seconded.

by Miss Raymond. That Miss Forde purchase an enamel immersion tub for the ward. Carried.

Miss Oldham moved that a vote of thanks be forwarded to Mrs. Agnew and Mrs. G. Whitaker for the use of their sewing machines for the work of the aid. Carried.

Arrangements to send a cheque to Miss Arnoldi, Canadian Field Comfort Commission, Shorncliffe, England, will be made immediately. This will enable the J.H.A. to send a Christmas gift to one hundred of the Canadian soldiers at the front.

Business and sewing being combined at this meeting, the members hemmed and labelled linen prior to the business proceedings.

San Francisco butchers threaten to go to raising cattle.

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Grand Jury Reports Buildings in Order

Few Minor Improvements Suggested to House of Refuge and Brant Sanatorium--Lipovitch Found Guilty and Must Settle by To-day.

The fall assizes came to a conclusion yesterday, when the indictment against J. Lipovitch for false pretences was successful and the defendant found guilty. He was let off on suspended sentence, being under the necessity of putting up \$500 by to-day and sufficient security for the balance of the shortage to satisfy Mr. A. M. Harley, acting for the United States firm which supplied the coal to defendant. The chief witness for the crown was Mr. Katz, a former partner of the defendant in the coal business, the conduct of which resulted in the suit.

The grand jury made their report yesterday, finding all public buildings in good shape, but recommending better sewer connections for both the House of Refuge and the Sanatorium. Their presentment follows in full:

GRAND JURY REPORT

The Honorable R. M. Meredith, Chief Justice of the Common Pleas; Presiding Judge at the Court of Assize and General Gaol Delivery for the County of Brant.

May it please your Worship--We the Grand Jurors at the Fall Assizes for the County of Brant, beg to report as follows:

We first visited the county jail and found it very clean and everything in excellent condition, reflecting great credit on the officials in charge. We would like to extend our thanks to Mr. Brown, the Governor of the jail, for courtesy shown to us.

We then proceeded to the House of Refuge, where we found it clean and well kept, and the good management of the institution apparent everywhere. Mr. Storey, the superintendent, seems to be eminently fitted for the position he holds, and Mrs. Storey, his matron, is especially capable for her position. We would recommend that two windows be placed in the sewing room in this build-

ing, as the room is very dark. We would also recommend that the sewerage system, which is at present in a very bad shape, be connected with the city sewerage. We wish to thank Mr. Storey for the kind manner in which we were received.

We next visited the Brant Sanatorium, where we were received by the head nurse, and we were much impressed by the accommodation, situation and provision made for the comfort and welfare of the patients. The buildings are modern and supplied with all the requirements necessary for every existing condition, except the sewerage system, which we would recommend be connected with the city sewerage. Everything was neat and clean in appearance. The staff is very efficient, and any one needing treatment for the disease which is treated at the institution, is sure to find the best of care and attention there.

We lastly visited the Brantford General Hospital, where every thing appears to be well managed. The new buildings have added greatly to the facilities of this institution. The hospital appears to be well equipped and every existing condition for the welfare of the patients.

Throughout our inspection, the officials of the various institutions treated us with every courtesy, and gave us all the assistance required for the proper discharge of our duties.

In conclusion, we heartily endorse your Lordship's remarks about the great war in which our Empire is unfortunately engaged. We feel that every citizen should appreciate the weight of his personal responsibility to contribute to the successful termination thereof as early as possible.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Signed on behalf of the Grand Jury,
GEORGE INNES,
Foreman.

Social and Personal

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 276.

Mrs. Wm. Peirce celebrated her 91st birthday yesterday with her son, Mr. H. S. Peirce. She is still in good health.

Clair Jarvis, Head Clerk, Woodmen of the World will be on a special visit to Brantford, No. 12, on Friday of this week.

Mrs. J. E. Bretwood of Burford, district president of the South Brant Women's Institute, entertained to luncheon her president, secretary and district officers. The guests were seated at small tables in the spacious dining room, and the dainty appointments were fully in keeping with the delightful hospitality of the hostess. Brantford guests included, Mrs. W. C. Livingston, Mrs. J. Y. Brown and Mrs. J. Hurley.

SLANDERING CANADIAN RED CROSS

German Influence at Work
Circulating Stories to Injure Society's Work.

Evidences of German secret service activity throughout Canada, seeking to injure the Canadian Red Cross Society, is thought to be the explanation of a series of widespread rumors and stories whose evident object is to interfere with the popularity of the society in the public mind, and to prevent as far as possible, further contributions to its work. The stories generally take the form of a statement that the Red Cross is selling socks that have been knitted by persons who desire to contribute these to the soldiers, two of the commonest tales being that a lumberman in Winnipeg who finds a card from the donor in the foot of one of a pair of socks he has bought, and the second that of an old lady of 80 living in the Niagara district who has knitted 100 pair of socks, and in the last pair encloses a card of good wishes which a soldier who, according to the story, buys the socks at the front, acknowledges. So mischievous have the coiners of these stories been that Mr. Noel Marshall, chairman of the Canadian Red Cross, has personally offered a reward of \$100 for the conviction of any person repeating this libel upon the society.

As a result of the series of stories that has reached the editorial rooms of newspapers, Mr. Noel Marshall, chairman of the Canadian Red Cross Society, was interviewed on the subject yesterday in Toronto. When called upon he had just dictated a letter

in reply to an enquiry from an out-of-town branch of the Canadian Red Cross in reference to the same rumors which his correspondent said were causing great annoyance to the workers, as well as seriously injuring their work. The letter from Mr. Marshall which shows how absolutely without foundation any such reports are, is, in part, as follows:

Replying to your letter of the 18th inst., some secret services have been circulating all sorts of rumors through Canada for past few months to the effect that the Canadian Red Cross Society were selling socks to the soldiers. On the 16th September last I cabled Commissioner Hodggets as follows: "It is being currently reported that the Red Cross Society is selling socks and other goods to soldiers. Is there the slightest particle of truth in such statements? Cable night letter that can be published--Marshall."

"In reply to this, General Hodggets cabled as follows: 'Report that Red Cross selling any supplies whatever absolutely preposterous--Hodggets.' "There is not the slightest particle of truth in the statement that any goods have been sold. The Canadian Red Cross Society never has and never will sell supplies. It is our duty to give them to the various hospitals for the sick and wounded, and this we do. We have never sent any goods that were not up to standard. Anything of that class that has been received has been remade. Personally I might say I shall be willing to give a reward of \$100 for the conviction of any party repeating this libel upon the society."

"The writer was in Quebec on Tuesday last, and saw a number of the wounded men returning from France, and if the people of Canada could hear the kindly words that these men have to say of the Red Cross they would be amply repaid for all the work they are doing. (Signed) Noel Marshall."

Commenting further on this, Mr. Marshall said: "When you consider that the organization has been running for fifteen months, and that there has never been a word of criticism of its work from the press, while there are always plenty of people ready to criticize it, they get an opportunity, you will realize how the work is being done. Besides this, at every meeting where returned soldiers have spoken they have nothing but the warmest praise for the Red Cross, and they would be the ones to tell if the work were not being carried on properly."

Mr. Marshall also pointed out that any suggestion that officers of the society receive any remuneration for their services is equally false, and he declared that no salaries whatever are paid to any officer, but merely to the necessary staff employed in handling the enormous quantities of supplies that are being received daily. On the contrary, he pointed out that many of the business men connected with the organization have almost entirely neglected their own businesses during the past year and more, and while they feel rewarded in the success of the work accomplished it is peculiarly galling to be constantly subjected to criticism of unreturned persons, and those who cover their own unwillingness to contribute to the cause by attacks on the administration of the Red Cross work.

Anthony Flatt, aged 15, Queen's, New York, died after sitting on his factory seat, on which jokers had placed sulphuric acid.

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BRITAIN WILL GIVE CYPRUS TO GREECE

Island Acquired by Disraeli Offered to Greece if She Will Enter the War.

London, Oct. 21--Great Britain has made a formal offer of the Island of Cyprus to Greece as soon as Greece undertakes to intervene in the war on the side of the allies. The Daily Telegraph makes this announcement to-day.

Cyprus is the third largest island in the Mediterranean sixty miles from the coast of Asia Minor. It was administered until November 5, 1914, by Great Britain, under a convention concluded with the Sultan of Turkey at Constantinople in 1878, but on the outbreak of hostilities with Turkey on the former date the island was annexed. The High Commissioner, Maj. Sir J. E. Clauson, is assisted by an executive council.

Cyprus has an area of 3,584 square miles and a population of nearly 300,000.

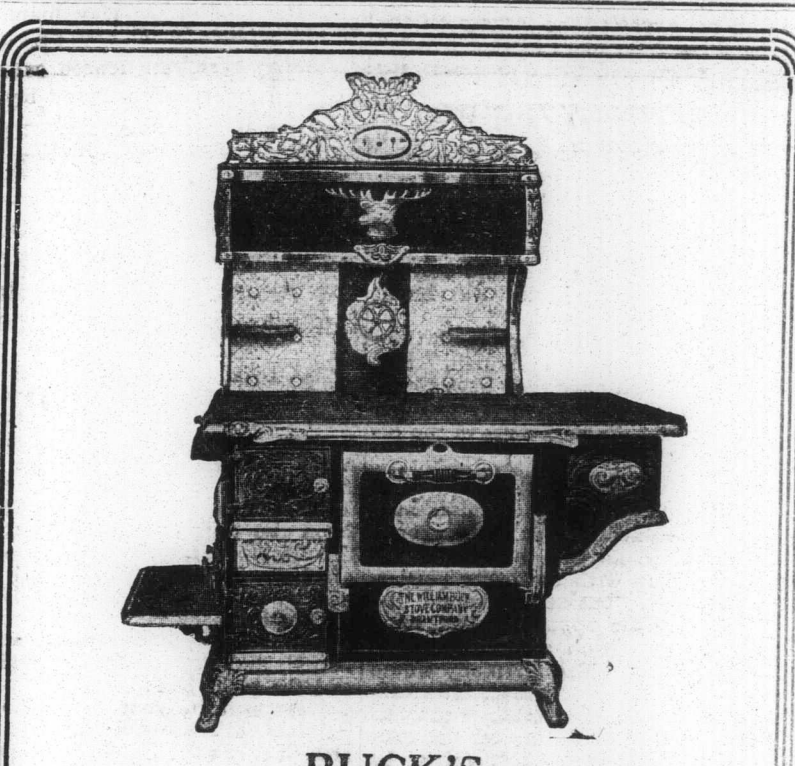
"Thus far," says the Daily Telegraph, "Greece has not replied to the offer of Cyprus. Our Athens correspondent informs us that it is believed the offer will create an excellent impression in Greece, since it is an actual present concession, and not a mere promise, which Germany might suggest and would never be carried."

The Daily Telegraph in an editorial claims that its report is based on good authority. The newspaper points out that the offer differs from the German offer to Greece, inasmuch as it is not contingent upon the final triumph of the Triple Entente, but would take effect as soon as Greece performed her part in the suggested agreement.

"The sooner we all recognize that purely chivalrous motives are not prominent in the Balkan politics of to-day, the better," the Daily Telegraph adds. "The cession of Cyprus to the State to which most of its inhabitants are related by race and history clearly involves no departure from the principles upon which we have taken our stand from the beginning, and it comes with especially happy effect from the power to which Greece owes her possession of the Ionian Islands."

The Entente powers are preparing to send an ultimatum to Greece demanding a definition of her attitude. This news comes from the Daily Mail correspondent at Rome, who adds that the entire Italian press is declaring that it is now time for Greece and Roumania to make a final decision respecting their position in the war.

The Rome correspondent of the Daily News says: "I am informed from a diplomatic source that the Greek Government is willing to give formal assurances to the allies that Greece intervention in favor of the Austro-Germans is absolutely impos-



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A despatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from Odessa says a mission which the Roumanian Government is sending to France, with a son of Gen. Gattuso at its head, arrived there yesterday. The mission will visit Petrograd on its way to France.

Considerable importance is attached to the arrival at Odessa of a military mission en route from Roumania to Paris. Its object is not known, but it is thought here that such a mission would hardly be undertaken unless Roumania contemplated action on the side of the allies.

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Katharine Dahlgren, aged 18, society belle of Lenox, Mass., has lost her license to drive an auto for reckless speeding.

Motorman Malachi Murphy was given \$250 by the New York Street Railway for saving his car at the Broadway collapse.

CHURCHILL'S MESSAGE FOR TODAY

All's Well With the Fleet But on Land Good Days Have Not Yet Come.

London, Oct. 21.—"Germany aims at world domination, and against world domination the British fleet from the time of Queen Elizabeth to the present day has always been found the surest and most effective protection," is the contribution of A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Admiralty, to the Navy League's symposium in connection with Trafalgar Day.

Winston Churchill, ex-First Lord of the Admiralty and at present Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, writes in part:

"For six months no hostile flag has flown outside the Baltic. We are stronger than ever, and incomparably better adapted for war conditions. The great strategic conclusions upon which our naval disposition is based have been vindicated. From its shrouded throne amid northern storms the Grand Fleet dominates and will finally decide the fate of the warring nations, and by that means secure combination, strength and patience, will secure the victory of our just cause."

NEW PERILS PRESENTED

"On land good days have not yet come. The valiant Russian front wears thin, the French and Belgians have pierced but has not ruptured the German lines. Through our long delays the enemy has secured advantages in the Near East and raised new perils of peculiar significance to us. A hazardous struggle, vast expense and hard privation lie before us."

"Courage! All's well with the fleet. The destruction of German military manhood is irreplaceable. Under the sure shield of the navy, every mistake can be retrieved, every neglect can be repaired."

"The choice to save or to lose the freedom of the world rests still with the British people and their leaders. The spirit of Nelson and the memory of Trafalgar should rouse us now to sustain unwearingly the darkening conflict, and by proceeding to all necessary extremes and by laying aside every impediment, to rescue Britain from dishonor and Europe from ruin."

CANADA WILL SOON CALL FOR MORE TROOPS

Sir Sam Hughes, Speaking Before Canadian Club, Intimated This Fact.

ROSS RIFLE IS STILL BEING USED

Praised Highly the Spirit of the Canadian Boys at the Front, All Fit and Ready.

Ottawa, Oct. 21.—That Canada had in the past exceeded any call for recruits, and that when a new call was made, he understood the Prime Minister had indicated, was soon to be made, it would meet with the same response, was the statement made by the Minister of Militia in a speech delivered before the Canadian Club yesterday afternoon. This intimation by Gen. Sir Sam Hughes that the Dominion's contribution of fighting men might shortly be largely increased was greeted with interest.

"If it takes four or forty divisions," said the presiding genius of Canadian military affairs, "Canada demands that the war shall be fought to a finish, until the German ruler is humiliated, and the German fleet no longer a menace to Great Britain." This statement was greeted with cheers that were loud and long, the reception accorded to the Minister's remarks throughout by the exceptionally large mustering of the Canadian Club's membership being unusually enthusiastic.

Sir Sam's address was for the most part in the nature of a review of Canada's part in the war, during which he pointed out that in the Dominion had fulfilled its double duty of manning the trenches abroad and the farms and factories at home. He dealt with the production in this country of munitions of war, but in keeping with the spirit of Canadian Club dinners, made no reference to the divergent views apparently held by Mr. D. A. Thomas and the Canadian military authorities as to Canada's ability to turn out adequate shell supplies. Of special interest was his reference to the merits of the Canadian arm, the Ross rifle, which he stated had been in the final analysis amply demonstrated.

CANADA'S DOUBLE DUTY

Canada has a double duty. The first was a fighting duty, and it had been splendidly done by the Canadian boys. The second duty was the commercial duty at home. He did not intend to enter into the details of philanthropic aspects of the case. No country had done better so far as the commercial resources of the country were concerned. Soon after the war began, the British Government asked over and asked him if he could no longer secure 200,000 shells in the United States, and although the order was somewhat small, he had thought that the Canadian establishments could carry out the work, not only to keep the factories going, but to do something in the way of providing work for Canadians at home.

The manufacturers of the country were induced to take on the shell-making industry. They were producing in Canada tens of thousands of tons of steel. Canada was producing her own zinc, and for the first time in Canada trinitrotoluol was being manufactured, and in fact, the tire shell, including the fuses, was being made in Canada to-day.

To the credit of the commercial world of Canada, it has risen to the occasion. The British Government would rise and produce any quantity which the British Government allotted them to make.

ORDERS COME FROM LONDON

The committee of which General Bertram was the head, said Sir Sam, had not the authority to issue orders for munitions. Orders must come from the British authorities. With the adjustment of the tariff by Hon. Mr. White the "pressure from depression" in Canada was as light as it ever was in war-time on the people at home.

Regarding the fighting duty of Canada, Sir Sam pointed to the fact that about 60,000 cadets in the country and of that number 20,000 had done duty for King and country. He recalled the early days of the conflict and the days at Valcartier. Some thought that this sort of discipline had been afforded through the behavior of the rough-and-ready soldiers of Canada in the historic battle of St. Julien. They had held themselves against the most disciplined soldiers in the world.

Sir Sam paid a handsome tribute to Col. J. A. Currie, who was present, speaking of him as a soldier who in the long hours of Thursday night, the day of Friday, Friday night, and until the retirement on Saturday night at St. Julien, stood in the front line of trenches, where he had no business to be as a commanding officer, inspiring the boys in his command, and thereafter describing to the staff of St. Julien and the disposition of the allied troops.

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DRIVING OUT GERMAN

London Considering Displacing Teutonic Language by Spanish.

London, Oct. 21.—The educational authorities in London are considering the substitution of Spanish for German as a second language in schools and public examinations. The advantages of Spanish over German are thus stated by one of the advocates of the change:

"We do not want German trade, but we do want South American trade. The Germans have made great progress there, but the war has halted them for the time being, so that the field is open to Great Britain if we can speak the language.

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Thursday, October 21, 1915.

The Situation.

The fact that the Balkan nations are looking upon the war from the standpoint of what they think they can get out of it has long since been established. King Ferdinand of Bulgaria, who owes about all he possesses to Russia, did not hesitate to turn traitor to that country because the Kaiser offered him flattering terms for support, and in like manner Greece has hesitated to come to the help of Serbia, although bound by every moral tie to do so.

Meanwhile the progress of the German-Bulgarian forces against Serbia is very menacing at this writing. It is stated that Turkey is sending an army to help in the offensive. That the help of the Allies can come in time seems very problematical.

Sir John French reports severe losses to the enemy in an attack upon British positions, while in the Dardanelles matters are evidently very much at a standstill.

It does not look as if renewed recruiting efforts in Great Britain are meeting with any too great success. Conscription seems to be more and more the solution.

Trafalgar Day.

It was on October 21st, 1805, that the memorable battle of Trafalgar took place.

Nelson had a lengthy task in seeking to engage the French fleet in action. For this purpose he cruised for more than eighteen months in front of Toulon, drawing back occasionally to Madalena for water and refreshments. During one of these absences, in March of 1805, the French fleet put out to sea under command of Vice-Admiral Villeneuve, and got clear away to Gibraltar, to Cadix and to Martinique. Nelson, although delayed by six weeks by his ignorance of where Villeneuve had gone (no wireless telegraphy in those days), speedily got on the trail, and Villeneuve, deceived as to the English numbers, quickly got into harbor again.

Villeneuve meanwhile was urged by positive and repeated orders to put to sea, and on October 20th he reluctantly came out. Of French and Spanish ships combined there were with him thirty-three; with Nelson there were twenty-seven.

History records that at daybreak on the 21st the two fleets were in presence of each other off Cape Trafalgar, and Nelson, who several days before had given out and explained his plan of attack, at once made his signal to bear up towards the enemy. The wind was very light, and it was noon before the lee division broke through the rear of the Franco-Spanish line. Nelson, with the other division, threw himself on the centre. As the Victory passed astern of Villeneuve's flag ship she fell foul of the Redoubtable of seventy-four guns, and her quarter-deck became exposed to a raking musketry fire from the Redoubtable's tops. Nelson was standing talking to Captain Hardy when a shot which struck his left shoulder passed downwards through the spine. He was carried below and died some three hours later, just as the battle ended in a decisive victory for the English. Twenty of the enemy had struck, and their fleet was practically annihilated.

Thus, in the hour of his most notable victory, fell the greatest of the British admirals.

The anniversary of that notable and far-reaching engagement should always be fittingly observed, but at no time more so than in the present crisis. Like the French fleet of that day, the German fleet is still skulking in fear of the British foe, but as in the case of Nelson's period, the land forces are still engaged. Napoleon reached the zenith of his power after the naval disaster at Trafalgar, and so also, although the Kaiser's fleet is bottled up, that circumstance has meant no finality to present hostilities.

The need for men and money is still supreme throughout the British Empire, and to-night's meeting at the Brantford Opera House has for its object this dual purpose. The speeches of Sir George Easter and Hon. George Graham will constitute a rich treat on behalf of a double cause of splendid worthiness, and the response, without any doubt, will prove in every way worthy of this community.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

Foster and Graham on the one platform for a common cause of Empire has the right ring about it.

General Sam Hughes intimates that another call will soon be made to Canadians. And the response will be on hand to meet it.

One German report says that the Serbians are fighting with "great bravery." The fact is, they are showing themselves to be entitled to rank with the Belgians and there could be no higher praise than that.

The statement of Sir Edward Carson makes it abundantly clear that there has been no bickering or partyism in the Coalition Cabinet. The best means to a united desired end constitutes the only point of variance. Here's hoping that Botha will yet come through triumphantly in the South African election.

A rumor from Ottawa is to the effect that an agreement has practically been reached that there will be no general election until after the war. Furthermore that no session of Parliament is likely until New Years when there will be a war appropriation and a bill extending the lie of parliament.

Ulsterman

"I do not desire to deal with these ridiculous assertions, except to say now, in the presence of many of my late colleagues, that since I entered the Cabinet I never heard a word of discussion or dispute on those party questions which divided us before the war. In every Cabinet meeting I attended we all devoted our energies wholly and solely to the discussion of questions which arose with reference to the prosecution of the war.

"I also desire to say that during the whole time I have been in the Cabinet I have never had any personal differences either with the

Prime Minister or with any one of my late colleagues. May I also add that no one realizes more than I the great difficulties under which we labor, owing to the fact that our policy and methods must at all times be adopted in concert and co-ordination with our various allies, and must also very frequently be framed with a view to consulting sentiments and feelings in those neutral countries with whom we remain on friendly terms. This often has been lost sight of by critics of our actions, who cannot possibly know the difficulties which arise from time to time.

Difficulties which have arisen in the eastern war theatres have created a situation which to my mind must necessarily lead to far-reaching results.

"DIFFERS ON BALKANS. At the time I entered the Cabinet we were already committed to what may be called the operations in the Balkans. It is not, of course, my intention to deal either with the inception of the carrying out of these operations, but it must be plain to any observer that the new war theatre in the Balkans created a situation which could not be divorced from our position on the Gallipoli Peninsula, and the statement made in this House by the Foreign Minister, with the sanction of the Cabinet, appeared to me to be an announcement of a policy of the highest importance with regard to our obligations in the Balkans involving our prestige and honor.

"That situation with all its complications necessitated, in my opinion a clearly defined, well thought out and decisive policy on the part of the government; and finding myself unable to agree in any respect with what I understood to be laid down as a policy approved by the government, I felt that my presence in the cabinet could not be of any use in the critical situation in which we were involved.

"VIEWS HELD STRONGLY. I need hardly say I am not suggesting that my views could possibly be compared with those who have much more experience and greater wisdom in dealing with such situations, but at the same time I held and hold the views I have expressed very strongly, and I hope the public will believe conscientiously and patriotically. I did not think that in the circumstances I could be anything but a source of weakness at a time requiring great strength and consistency.

"That is all I can say, and I ask the House to believe that in the course I have taken I have been actuated by no personal party motive, but that I have acted to the best of my ability solely in the interests of my country."

Sir Edward Carson's speech was punctuated with applause and was concluded amid loud cheers.

Chester, Pa., now has 150 factories representing investments aggregating \$75,000,000.

Edward Smith of Orange, N.J., was fined \$10 for being found asleep on the railroad track.

Tug Sunk.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Port Arthur, Ont. Oct. 21.—The Tug Sea Gull, owned by Captain Gehl, struck a rock east of Port Arthur last night, and sank. Her crew escaped in boats.

Calgary Man Brigadier.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Calgary, Alb., Oct. 21.—Col. A. E. Cruickshank, D.O.C., military district 13, will be given command and will go to England shortly, according to local information.

Acquitted at Assizes.

By Special Wire to the Courier. North Bay, Ont. —Frank Cassidy, who was arrested on Labor Day on the charge of using seditious language was acquitted yesterday after a trial presided over by Mr. Justice Clute.

Ambulances Lost.

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, Oct. 21.—Fifty ambulances which the French Relief fund of Great Britain recently handed over to a representative of the French Government have been lost at sea. The vessel on which they were being conveyed to France was torpedoed by a German submarine.

The French relief fund hopes to replace all the ambulances within a few weeks by means of private donations.

Japan May Come In.

London, Oct. 20.—The Cologne Gazette, a copy of which has been received here, publishes a report which says passed the Russian censor, that Japan has undertaken to supply Russia with munitions in return for a complete cession of the Island of Sakhalin.

The Island of Sakhalin, 570 miles long and from seventeen to ninety miles wide, lies between the east coast of Asia and the northern islands of the Japanese archipelago. Russia owns the Northern and Japan the Southern end of the Island.

Tit for Tat.

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, Oct. 21.—The Petrograd correspondent of The Times sends the following:

"The Russian Foreign Office has notified Berlin through the Spanish embassy that in event of the fulfillment of the German threat to confiscate the property of Polish residents who fail to return to their former habitations, the Russian Government will be compelled to confiscate the property of German subjects in Russia for the benefit of the Polish victims."

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WORLD PRESS ON THE WAR

HEAVIER TOLL OF SACRIFICE. London Daily Express.—The signs are in our favor, but the final act of the greatest of all world dramas is still far off. Complete German triumph has been impossible since the battle of the Marne, but that has not prevented prolonged German advances and many German victories.

We have now entered a new phase of the war, a phase that must see the weakening of the enemy and the hastening of the end, but that end means breaking the might of the enemy once and for all, and a heavier toll of sacrifice must still be paid before that is accomplished.

THE BUSINESS OF BRITAIN.

London Daily News and Leader.—The men we ask for in this emergency are not for home defence but for foreign service. And in spite of all the obstacles put in the way of recruiting, the free spirit of the nation has provided an army without parallel in the history of this or any country.

It has done this while keeping the seas of the world open to the Allies and disclosed to the enemy, while providing from its industrial resources for the needs of Russia, and France, and while carrying on that great commerce upon which the motive power of the Allies ultimately depends.

The business of Russia primarily is to provide men; the business of France is to provide money, munitions and men. If we are to keep that triple task in due balance there must be no rude hands laid on the activities of the country.

GREAT BRITAIN AND RUSSIA.

London Times.—The crushing defeat has been averted, but we must not forget at how terrible a cost, or shut our eyes to the present plight of Russia. She has suffered and is suffering some of the worst horrors of war. She has seen tens of thousands of her brave soldiers die for want of guns, rifles and munitions. She has had the bitterness of relinquishing to a pitiless invader great tracts of her territory, many famous cities, and many historic fortresses, and she has looked upon millions of her people suffering as the victims of German invasion everywhere suffer. If, in the face of these calamities and trials, neither her sovereign, her armies, nor her people have wavered in their courage and in their faith, if they have never lost confidence in themselves or their destiny, and if after each enforced retirement have bent themselves more resolutely to resist than before, the spectacle of their unshaken heroism ought to quicken our sense of the urgency of the task before ourselves. Mr. Lloyd

George has truly told us that during the next few months the burden of the cause for which Russia has so nobly bled and suffered must fall mainly upon us and France. We cannot and we must not lose a day in taking it up. Only by throwing our whole weight into the scale, and by throwing it bodily and at once, can we repay to Russia the debt Europe owes her for what she has done, and shatter for every malignant German lie that England lets her Allies fight her battles and reserve the fruits of victory for herself.

Situation In

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the Entente allies are justified not only in blockading Dedeaghatz and the Bulgarian coast, but in any other measures to prevent the Teutonic allies taking advantage of the neutral position of a third power.

M. Sazonoff is said to have expressed the opinion that it was high time that the Entente allies should think of purely economic methods for safeguarding their interests.

"The war must come to an end some time," the minister is quoted as saying, "and we should not delay discussing commercial treaties between the allies. As England has waived her century old prejudice against national service and has introduced temporary tariffs, we may here find suitable ground for the discussion of a new treaty, and the possibility of excluding our enemies from the benefits they have derived hitherto so abundantly from trade with Russia, I personally undertake to give the idea my heartiest support."

Mrs. Adeline Joseph, aged 70, claims she was "hypnotized like Trilby" by Kohler in New York and robbed of \$295.

After a New York meeting of German-Americans, William J. Bryan was greeted with "Die Wacht am Rhein."

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ENEMY THINKS

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their determination to prosecute the way to a successful end. However it is symptomatic of the positive assurance of practically all Germans who are convinced that the German armies cannot be beaten, and that the Balkan situation soon will clear up in their favor, giving them a road to Turkey, whence copper, cotton, foodstuffs and other supplies may be obtained. Then they say, Germany can wait until her opponents are ready to acknowledge themselves beaten.

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LOCAL

WEEKLY MEETING

The railway commission regular weekly meeting. Only the regular routine is dispensed with.

MEETING FRIDAY

Sons of England Football Club meeting on Friday. Borden Club rooms. All committee men are requested to attend meeting called for sharp.

LIGHT DISTRIBUTION

J. H. Smith, township electric Power Commission, will be here at once in the giving of light to C. Parkdale and Echo Place.

GOOD IDEA

A meeting has been called by Buildings and Grounds of the City Council and the Railway Commissioners to the establishment of a park on the corner of the Market and Main streets.

FOR THE RED CROSS

A meeting of the members of the Township Council was held in connection with the giving of money for Red Cross. It was unanimously decided \$500 to the aid of the B. Cross Society.

ENJOYABLE TIME

There was a very enjoyable last night at the Sanitarium. Miss Emma Jackson, noted pianist, kindly rendered a program of charming style. Interspersed the numbers were organ given in a most artistic manner. McIntosh.

BUILDING PERMIT

C. L. Kaufman has secured a permit for the removal of an old building of sun room, kitchen, estimated cost \$2,500. Sheridan street. The Shingling Manufacturing Co. for the brick warehouse at 70 West estimated cost \$3,500. Clark for the erection of a steel approved by Chief Engineer. The house street, estimated cost \$10,000.

AT THE ARMORIES

Two new men were signed today at the local depot. Fry of Watford, age 19, a machinist, will join the 24th Dragoons at Paris. William Anderson, Richmond, English, clerk, 25 Richmond street, 38th Dufferin Rifle.

SOCIAL TIME

The members and adherents of the Calvary Baptist Church held a Thanksgiving Social last evening. A large crowd partook of the bountiful supper. After the short but pleasant program was enjoyed by those present, consisted of readings by Miss A. of Cainsville and by Miss C. solos by Mrs. J. F. Sage, Miss Sayles, and Miss H. Lewent. Solo by Miss Mabel Stenby, a chorus by the Baraca Club which were very much enjoyed. The social was also supplied, during the evening, by Miss Mabel Stenby and Mrs. Howden. In the course of the evening a welcome was given to Mrs. R. Simmons. Mr. J. acted in the capacity of emcee.

INSPECTOR HERE

Inspector Leake, of the Department of Education, Toronto, arrived in the city last evening regarding the proposal to rent in the Y. W. C. A. for the public science classes of the public. Hitherto said pupils have attended at Collegiate Institute, which come too crowded. He met members of the management committee of the board and of buildings and grounds of the executive of the Y. W. C. A. were also present. The inspector advised the purchase of the building, as the present building was previously rented, as the warrant a government grant for such purpose. This will be mended.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

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The township clerk has received a notice from the Hydro Electric Commission that an engineering committee is to take steps towards the lighting of Grand View, Parkdale and Echo Place.

GOOD IDEA

A meeting has been called of the Building and Grounds committee of the City Council and the Municipal Railway Commissioners to consider the establishment of a public lavatory and a passenger waiting room at the corner of the Market Square.

IN THE RED CROSS

A meeting of the members of the Township Council was held this evening in connection with the granting of money for Red Cross work. It was unanimously decided to vote in aid of the British Red Cross Society.

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C. L. Kaufman has secured a permit for the removal of an old kitchen and building of sun room over inner kitchen, estimated cost \$250, at 175 Sheridan street. The Shingby manufacturing Co., for the erection of a brick warehouse at 70 West Mill St., estimated cost \$3,500. Charlton Miller for the erection of a steel drive shed approved by Chief Lewis at 154 Dalhousie street, estimated cost \$50,000.

AT THE ARMORIES

Two new men were signed up yesterday at the local depot. Harry John Fry of Watford, age 19, Canadian machinist, will join the 25th British Dragoons at Paris. William Alexander Armstrong, English, age 18, clerk, 25 Richmond street, with the 28th Dufferin Rifles.

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A GRANT

Oakland Township Council at a meeting held last night, voted a grant of \$200 to the Red Cross fund.

WARRANT ISSUED

A warrant is out for the arrest of Luigi Ferri, an Italian, who has eloped with Resiuta Di Vigo. They left the city Tuesday night.

FOOTBALL MEETING

A general meeting of the Brantford Thistles will be held in the Birken Club on Friday night at 8 p.m. All players and committees are requested to be on hand.

COUNTY COUNCIL

The County Council assembled in the city to-day and are this afternoon visiting the Patriotic fund offices in the Commercial Chambers to look into the method of conducting that work, and also the Red Cross work.

CHANGE OF TITLE

Mr. Hunt received an official communication from Ottawa to-day to the effect that what has formerly been known as the St. Luke's Boy Knights will in future be called "The Brantford Boy Knights."

TEACHERS MEET

At a meeting of the members of the Teachers' association it was decided that he or she would give what they felt they could towards the Red Cross fund and that the minimum should be at least \$100. Indications are that the sum will be beyond that.

CITY AND THE RED CROSS

A meeting of the Finance committee of the City Council and the chairman of the other committees took place to-day in order to discuss the course of the city towards the Red Cross fund. Various plans were suggested and the matter will come up for final settlement at a council meeting.

CARPETBALL LEAGUE

A meeting of the Carpetball League was held last night for election of officers which resulted as follows: President, Thomas Cockburn; vice president, G. Legacy; secretary-treasurer, H. S. Peirce. Prospects are excellent for a successful season. Ten teams have already entered. The schedule will be drawn up on the night of Thursday, October 28th, and any further teams wishing to enter must do so by that time.

POLICE COURT

A number of cases were disposed of by Magistrate Livingston at the police court this morning. The case against Mike Van Dusen for breach of motor by-law was adjourned until Monday, pending further enquiries. Assault case was dismissed. Charges of theft of bicycles against Numan Meshak, who was brought back from Hamilton by Detective Chapman yesterday, were adjourned until Monday.

NEWS NOTES

A valuable pet dog belonging to a Toronto family escaped from the roof of the Hotel Netherland, New York, and suicided.

Emilio Sopra, burglar, escaped from Corpus Christi, Tex., court house by jumping 20 feet from a window and eluding a huge crowd.

Chloroform, tackle and fifty men were needed at Norwood, Mass., to get a house from a hay loft to which it had walked upstairs.

Miss Margaret Kerfoot, who ships the stamps out of Washington for Uncle Sam, 25,000,000 daily, is said never to make a mistake.

He who has a Life Policy has done his duty. He has discharged his responsibility and obeyed the law of equality in that he has not neglected more people than ever before, and is quite confident that the marketing of milk through a well thought-out advertising campaign would indicate that there are big possibilities in properly advertising a dairy.

Attended Y. M. C. A. Convention

Mr. Sweet, the new president, and Mr. Goodwin, of the local Y. M. C. A., journeyed to Toronto yesterday where a conference of the Y. M. C. A. representatives of Ontario, and Col. Langton, chairman of Militia Committee of the Y. M. C. A. department of Canada, was held. The idea of the conference was to try and standardize the work of the various branches of the Y. M. C. A. for the soldiers. Some of the institutions are in a better position to assist in the work, than others. The spirit of the Association is that the Y. M. C. A. consider it an opportunity to serve these men far beyond the ordinary person because they are doing such noble work.

Mr. Israel, of N. Y., one of the international secretaries of the Y. M. C. A. for North America, also editor of the paper "Rural Mankind," who has just returned from England, where he was representing the International Committee in regard to the proposition of the German prison camps, gave a weird picture of the life there, and offered many good suggestions. Mr. Scammell, president of the Returned Soldiers' Committee was also present and outlined the work they had in mind, showing how the Y. M. C. A.'s could help solve the problem of those returned men who were out of work and perhaps not able to work by assisting in new vocational training for those who had suffered.

Obituary

MRS. MARGARET TOMLINSON. Mrs. Margaret Tomlinson, widow of the late George Tomlinson, died this morning at the residence of Mr. Frank McQuillan, 126 West street, at the age of 73 years. The late Mrs. Tomlinson leaves to mourn her loss two daughters, Mrs. John Ellis, Syracuse, N.Y., and Mrs. M. Maria, Newport and two sons, Ezra, Treesbank, Man., and Oliver, Syracuse, N.Y. The interment will be made in Mt. Pleasant cemetery, on a date to be announced later.

Reli. York, arrested at Agden, Utah, and Edward Carr, arrested in Canada, ex-politicians, are accused of circulating \$500,000 bogus gold pieces.

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ITALIAN OFFICIAL

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Rome, Oct. 20.—The following official statement received from general headquarters of the Italian army under current date was given out here to-night:

"On the offensive in the Tyrol and Trentino regions continued with brilliant results throughout the day of the 19th. In the Giudicaria valley we stormed Palone Peak, northeast of Condino, a very strong position commanding the mouth of the Doane valley and the head of the Ledro valley, and provided with two lines of trenches, some of which are hollowed out of rock. We made eighty prisoners, four of whom were officers, and the rest of the Austrian garrison fled. In the Lagarina valley we completed our advance on the 18th by conquering the heights north and northeast of Brassano, also defended by many strong outposts. From San Bernardino, on Mount Dianna, the enemy attempted by a violent artillery fire to dislodge us from the positions we occupied, but without success.

"On the Upper Caradovale the attack continued throughout yesterday, which made us masters of Sief, on the slopes of Col Di Lana. In the Palzarogo zone our Alpines reached Piccolo and Lagaziano. In the Fella valley the enemy on the 18th and 19th repeatedly attacked our advanced positions, but was driven back each time. "On the Upper and Middle Tonzo and in the Cerro artillery duels continued, varied by occasional small infantry encounters. Yesterday one of our aeroplane squadrons made a fresh raid on the enemy's aviation camp at Aesovizza, throwing numerous bombs with visible excellent effect. The squadron was shot down in the vicinity of many enemy batteries, but returned intact."

FRENCH OFFICIAL

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Paris, Oct. 21.—2:30 p.m.—Following their futile bombardment last evening to the east of Rheims, the Germans renewed their attacks in this region, according to an announcement made this afternoon by the French War Office. In spite of a very violent preparatory artillery fire, they again were checked, and cut down by the fire of the French artillery and machine guns. They did not succeed in winning a single trench, and the French first line trenches.

The text of the communication follows: "Following the bombardment reported yesterday evening to the east of Rheims, along the front of eight or nine kilometres (about 5 miles) stretching between the Butte de Tir and the integrity and density of the blanket of suffocating gases, the enemy suffered a further check. On three distinct occasions our assault endeavored to penetrate our positions. "Decimated by the fire of our machine guns and the concentrated fire of our artillery, they finally were brought to a halt in front of our barbed wire entanglements, and they were not successful in gaining possession of any point in our first lines of trenches. "Last night we also repulsed a German attack directed against our positions in the forest of Vionchay, to the northeast of Soissons. "In the Lorraine district a surprise attack on the part of the enemy against our listening posts to the east of Moncel resulted in complete failure. "There is nothing to report from the remainder of the front."

Laid at Rest

WELSH. Yesterday afternoon, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Welch was laid to rest in the Brantford cemetery. The funeral took place from the residence, 50 Brant street. Rev. Mr. Campbell officiated.

BIALKOFFSKI. The funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Bialkoffski took place yesterday afternoon from 180 Pearl street to St. Joseph's cemetery. Rev. Father Dogoroski conducted the services.

"PRINTER'S INK" COMPLIMENTS WELL KNOWN ADVERTISING AGENCY. That an advertising campaign is always profitable when the advertising agency knows its business and has done so, was practically demonstrated by the results of the advertising campaign of the Farmers' Dairy Co., Ltd., which has been handled throughout by Mr. R. A. Baker, of the Baker Advertising Agency of Toronto.

"Printer's Ink," a journal for advertisers, in commenting upon the success of the campaign, says: "Instead of suffering from the war, the Farmers' Dairy claims to be serving more people than ever before, and is quite confident that the marketing of milk through a well thought-out advertising campaign would indicate that there are big possibilities in properly advertising a dairy."

Mrs. Allan Fuller Morse's will leaves \$250,000 to be paid to her divorced husband, Harry S. Black, New York.

Mrs. Cordie L. Erdman, St. Louis, time after she had been divorced once is being sued for divorce a second and then re-wed.

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J. C. SMUTS ELECTED IN SOUTH AFRICA

Minister of Interior Return--Towns in North Strong for Botha.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Capetown, via London, Oct. 21.—General Jan C. Smuts, Minister of Interior, Mines and Defence has been re-elected to parliament by the Pretoria constituency, over the Nationalist and Labor candidates.

The triumph of General Smuts in Pretoria, is the only indication thus far of the probable outcome of the contest between the adherents of Premier Botha and J. B. M. Herzog, former minister of justice. The Unionists are proving unexpectedly strong, having already returned thirty members, which was the total conceded the party before the polling began. The strong showing of the Unionists thus far is accounted for by the fact that the returns from the cities of Cape province have been received before those of the country districts where the South African and Nationalist parties dominate. Towns in other provinces which have reported, voted heavily for General Botha's South African party. The Nationalist returns thus far have been poor, but are expected to improve with the rural reports.

A number of leaders in all the parties apparently have suffered reverses. This is especially true of the standard bearers of the Labor party, which has been rent in twain by the factions for and against General Botha, Frederick H. Creswell, a Labor leader, who has supported General Botha, was defeated in two constituencies in which he was a candidate.

India in Line.

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, Oct. 21.—It is announced that shipments of shells manufactured in private factories and workshops in British India have begun. This is regarded here as a decided advance in the industrial capabilities of India, the work having been carried out successfully through all processes from the iron ore to the finished product. The work called for co-operation of railway shops, numerous private factories and workshops belonging to chiefs of native states. The quality of the shells is said to be excellent.

Long Island gardeners had a fine crop of cauliflowers last week and prices are good.

BRANTFORD CITY LOAN

The necessary arrangements are now being made in connection with the offering of a DOMESTIC MUNICIPAL LOAN. The loan will take the form of notes authorized by the Council, and issued under the seal of the Corporation, at one, two and three years, with coupons attached providing for the payment of interest at the rate of five and one-half per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on December 31st and June 30th in each year, on presentation at the office of the Treasurer.

The notes may be in sums of One Hundred Dollars and upwards, and payable to bearer or registered if so desired. Details of the offering will be made in a few days. Meantime the Treasurer will be pleased to answer enquiries from any persons desirous of participating in this loan.

ARTHUR K. BUNNELL, City Treasurer. Brantford, October 19th, 1915.

DIFFICULT TO OBTAIN STEEL

French Shell-Makers at Disadvantage Since Germans Occupy Supply Source.

Paris, Oct. 21.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—The French shell makers have had some difficulty in obtaining the necessary quantities of steel suitable for projectiles. The largest iron-producing region in France is in German occupation and home production has had to be supplemented by orders abroad, chiefly in the United States. Besides ordering steel in the United States, the French shell manufacturers have also bought their most of their hydraulic machines for shell forging. Most of the shells ordered for France in America have been unfinished, the finishing of them being committed to French industry with the object of helping out the small manufacturer who would otherwise be idle and whose works are not equipped for the production of the shell from start to finish.

The cost of producing shells has been greatly reduced since the war began, by the immense scale on which they are produced and by the use of the most modern machine tools imported from the United States. The beginning of the war was equivalent to \$7.60. This price has been reduced by one-third. American makers of larger size calibres are, it is understood, receiving for 6-inch shells about \$10 apiece. These prices are for unloaded shells; the charging of them is not trusted to the makers from the private arsenals. All these shells must be made with extreme precision for long range work, but for short range to pitch shells at the trenches from half a mile to two miles old guns can be used—cast iron shells.

Frank West Dead.

Saskatoon, Sask., Oct. 21.—Frank West, aged 27, of East Mines station, N.S., a student at the University of Saskatchewan, died last night after undergoing an operation to join the fourth University contingent. Because their divorced pastor, Dr. J. M. T. Knox, married again the Presbyterian church of Larned, Kan., will hold an investigation. During September nine persons were murdered in Brooklyn, N.Y., the borough being known as "the City of Churches." Columbia University lost money on all branches of sport except basketball and baseball; the deficit on its crew was \$4,400.

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MUNITIONS OF WAR NOW MADE IN IRELAND

Necessities of Great Struggle Turned Many Trades to Shell-Making.
TEXTILE FACTORIES RECEIVE ORDERS
Vigorous Campaign Instituted to Increase Output of Food Products.

Dublin, Ireland, Oct. 21.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—Ireland is now at work on a large scale in the manufacture of munitions of war.

For several years past there has been only one large Irish factory of war material, Kynon's in County Wicklow. It is an off-shoot of the Birmingham firm of which Arthur Chamberlain, brother of the famous English statesman, was the head. But the necessities of the war have in Ireland, as in England, turned other trades into the munitions business. When the demand was made in Great Britain for a great extension of the manufacture of all sorts of war materials, Mr. Redmond saw to it that Ireland should have a share in the scheme. Representatives of Mr. Lloyd George's new department came over to Ireland and got into touch with leading business men in Dublin and throughout the country. The Dublin Chamber of Commerce gave active assistance and formed a special munitions committee.

MANY FIRMS ENGAGED
The work is now well in hand and no less than one hundred and seventy firms in Ireland are engaged in it. Large orders have been placed in Dublin, and one firm has got an order for twenty thousand pounds, a small figure on the general scale of this war, but a good deal of money for a city where employment is scarce and industry backward. Mr. Lloyd George has established in Dublin a branch office which is expected to ensure not only the execution of war contracts but a continuance of government work after the war. A central arsenal is being constructed and equipped with special machinery. Every available machine is being pressed into the service, even those used in the city of Dublin Technical Schools for the training of pupils. The employees at the new works are to be divided into five classes, skilled and unskilled men, skilled and unskilled women and auxiliaries who will work at times when the regular hands are resting at the week ends. Employment is not to be restricted to men outside military age, the idea being that the munitions worker is as useful as the soldier.

Belfast whose main activity in the war interest has been the increase in the output of shipping from its famous yards has also gone seriously into the munitions business. Cork and Limerick, and even some of the smaller towns throughout the country are also employing all the machinery they can command in making shells or parts of shells.

TEXTILES ALSO.
Munitions are not the only branch of war trade of which Ireland has demanded and received a share. Some of the textile factories which had good orders for clothing materials, Ireland never has in the past secured a fair share of government expenditure, and at the beginning of the war was greatly hampered in competing for contracts by the fact that the depots for examining and receiving goods were in London. Agitation, however, led to the establishment of a depot in Dublin where certain classes of goods of Irish manufacture are dealt with. But there are still restrictions limiting the classes of goods, and an effort is being made to widen the utility of the depot by admitting to it all the goods produced in Ireland which are required for military and other government services.

CRY IS ALL FOR TILLAGE.
Ireland's chief industry is and must remain agriculture, and one of the most indispensable of war munitions is food. A vigorous campaign has been instituted under government auspices to increase the output of food products in Ireland. She used to be told that her function was to be the fruitful mother of flocks and herds. Now the cry is all for tillage. The difficulty is that the grazing system which belongs to the old theory has not been abolished and the people have not complete access to the land. They are puzzled by the two voices which they are addressed on their duty in the war. On the one hand they are told that it is the duty of farmers to enlist, that the state has done a good deal for the Irish farmer and that his time has come to show his gratitude by shouldering a rifle in the new armies. Comment is freely made on the fact that the farmers and the farmers' sons have not enlisted in the same proportion as other classes. The complaint is true as regards farmers of all parts of Ireland and of all parties and creeds. It is true of English

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farmers as well. But now there is the new campaign for increased food production which cannot be worked if the men leave the land for the armies. So the recruiting sergeant and the government agriculturists are getting in each other's way.

PRODUCE MORE.
That there is room for a considerable development of Irish agriculture is evident from the fact that, according to the statistics given by the head of the Agricultural Department, Ireland actually imports an annual average of sixteen million pounds worth of foodstuffs which could easily be replaced by home grown articles. He has pointed out that if Germany had tilled as little of her soil as Ireland she would have been exhausted in six months. Germany uses 85 per cent of her arable land, whereas he says, Ireland tills only sixteen. The inevitable topic of the American Exchange and the balance of trade crops up here, and the Irish farmer is appealed to by the Agriculture Minister to help keep down the price of the dollar by importing less American food, and producing more of his own.

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BULGARIAN CROWN PRINCE IN LOVE WITH PRINCESS OLGA

Irony of Fate That Czar's Daughter Was Once Sought by Bulgarian Commander-in-Chief.

Sofia, Oct. 21.—Correspondence of the Associated Press.—The announcement that Prince Boris, the Crown Prince of Bulgaria, will be commander-in-chief of the Bulgarian army, recalls the love affair between him and the Russian Emperor's eldest daughter, the Princess Olga. The engagement has been announced by the papers on two occasions, and, while not officially confirmed, his visits to the Czar have given color to the romance. He knows Petrograd better than any city outside his own country, and prefers it to any other foreign city.

Prince Boris is only 21 years old and is the eldest of four children by King Ferdinand's first wife, the Princess Marie Louise of Parma. While King Ferdinand remains a Roman Catholic, Prince Boris is a Greek Catholic. The Prince's conversion which took place at the early age of two years, was a condition demanded by Russia in return for Russian recognition of Ferdinand as King.

When only four years old, the little prince astonished the Russian court on his first visit to Petrograd by his precocious knowledge of the niceties of etiquette. The rule of the Russian court gives precedence to ecclesiastical over lay dignitaries. When attending court, the child prince never made a mistake in distinguishing between the two, kissing the hands of the churchmen and presenting his own hand to the laymen to be kissed.

New Scheme to Down England

Prussians Getting Children Out to Collect Acorns and Horse Chestnuts for Oils in Them.

Berlin, Oct. 20.—In furtherance of the suggestion that school children assist in conserving the national resources by systematic collection of acorns, horse chestnuts and other nuts that ordinarily go to waste, for the sake of the oils they contain, the Prussian minister of agriculture has just issued a long and minute list of instructions and advice.

This includes a detailed account of the methods to be employed in preserving the nuts until a marketable supply has been collected; the uses to which each variety of nut can be put as a food for animals; the percentage of albuminous and oily contents of each variety; and, finally, the market for the nuts and the prices that rule in it.

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COMING EVENTS

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THE PROBS

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Brantford has never before had such a meeting... place last night in the on behalf of recruiting, Cross Furd. Notable de there have been plenty, which there was such a on behalf of a united pur united cause. Of the spe evening by Sir George Hon. George Graham, i much to say that each w their kind.

The building was filled fore 8 o'clock, and the be closed. Soldiers acted as ushers On the large stage of some three hundred of recruits at present trainin the front. In the night were returned soldiers have nobly done their pa the opposite boxes the Red Cross Society, attire dresses with the scarlet of their arms.

At the back of the sta large Union Jack and sm the Allies were across the together with palms. A b bore the inscription "1890 talgar Day, England expres what will your answer red crosses also hung per the upraised curtain. A centre table was drap Union Jack.

Throughout the evening was frequent and most b Three large placards w ently displayed as follows: "BRANTS' HERO D Pte. Arthur F. Barnes. Pte. D. Rose. Lieut. Norman Nelles. Pte. Frank Isaac. Pte. Percy Walley. Pte. Arthur Smith. Pte. James Higgins. Lt. Cameron Brae. Pte. William J. Philpot. Pte. Frank Burkhard. Pte. Harry L. Dupuy. Corp. Claude F. Charle. Pte. James Kelly. Pte. James Kelsey. Pte. George Huggins. Pte. Thomas Robertson. Pte. C. D. Duggan. Pte. Ivan H. Murray. Pte. H. Hawke. Pte. Ernest Hooper. Pte. Thomas H. Podd. Lance-Corpl. Ransom. Cyclist Weeden Billman. Pte. Charles Crozier. Pte. William Lofy. Pte. F. A. Ellis. Pte. John Blanchard. Pte. Earl Houser. Sergt.-Major T. Mack. Pte. F. N. Kelly. Pte. Herbert J. Logan.

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COL. H. COCKSHUTT President of the Brantf Legion, occupied the chair