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The Situation.

There does not seem to be any doubt that Bulgaria has decided to throw in her lot with Germany and Turkey. They have every reason in the world to hate the latter country, whose yoke was thrown off largely through the work of Stambouloff, but King Ferdinand has long had it in his head that he would like to be head of a Bulgarian dominion extending to the shores of the Black Sea, the Sea of Marmora, the Aegean and the Adriatic, and without much doubt the Kaiser, through his agents, has had his ambitions still further strengthened in this regard.

The Russians are still meeting with a good deal of success in Galicia, and elsewhere they are making the enemy pay very dearly for any advance he may make. In Petrograd the present tone is distinctly more cheerful.

German Plots.

Evidence is abundant with reference to the fact that German plotting has taken place in all lands and in a most insidious way. The attempt to stir up unrest in India, the fomenting of trouble in United States factories, and many other instances, might be quoted. In addition their insidious methods have appeared in connection with financial matters. Many consider that Canadian Pacific Railway stock was used by German bankers and speculators in order to create disturbance and help affect British credit, and the Wall Street Journal discusses the fact that a credit in the United States for Great Britain to pay for war supplies, has been contemplated for some time past, "but a state of uncertainty, due to the possibility of a war with Germany, has held up this issue."

Since the above was written there is indubitable evidence of the fact that pro-German elements across the border are endeavoring to balk by every means in their power the latest monetary request of the Allies.

Fire Losses and Preventative Measures.

The estimated fire loss in Canada, just tabulated, for the month of August, was \$403,693, an exceedingly small figure. For the first eight months of the year the table is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Province/Region and Fire Loss (\$). Includes Ontario, Quebec, British Columbia, New Brunswick, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Nova Scotia, Alberta, and Prince Edward Island.

The Dominion is away at the top of the list in the matter of yearly loss through conflagrations, many of which could have been avoided by the exercise of a little care.

In this regard, in view of the approaching winter season, the Conservation Commission at Ottawa has issued a timely list of warnings, from which the following extracts are taken:

large, ventilated double thimble. You should examine the stovepipes in the attic. They may come apart of rust. Fluff and spider webs are likely to gather on and around them to be set on fire when you least expect it.

Furnaces—Protect all woodwork above and around boilers, if within three feet, with a metal shield, also all woodwork near furnace pipes. It is best to rivet the lengths of pipe together to prevent disjoining. The pipe should fit perfectly into the chimney. Examine the pipe frequently for rust holes or other defects. Keep them free from dust, fluff and spider webs, which are easily ignited.

REFORMS ASKED BY DEMOCRATIC RUSSIAN PARTIES

Every Right in Magna Charta is Enclosed in the Manifesto.

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, Sept. 15.—(In Montreal Gazette)—The following facts about the reforms that occupy the attention of Liberal and Democratic parties in Russia at the present moment have been ascertained from a reliable source.

- 1. The autonomy of Poland, the three divisions to be united within ethnographical limits, one under parliament with common ministers for war, marine and foreign affairs. 2. Full civil rights for Jews and removal of their present disabilities inhibiting Russia property.

In addition to the above it is urged that the following concessions be granted after the war or as soon as practicable:

- 1. Appointment of a new legislative body elected by universal suffrage. 2. Autonomy of Lithuania, Siberia and the Caucasus. 3. Reform of the schools, autonomy of the universities, and the establishment of secular elementary schools.

Great Painter Dead. Berlin, Sept. 14.—Via London—Paul Friedrich Meyerheim, the painter died today. Meyerheim was born in Berlin, Aug. 13, 1842, the son of Friedrich Meyerheim, a well known genre painter. The younger Meyerheim was noted for animal studies, landscapes and still life paintings.

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CANADA'S LINES ARE ROMANTIC IN APPEARANCE

So Avers French Journalist, Who is Visiting at the Battle Front.

Paris, Sept. 5.—(Correspondence)—"The life of the Canadians at the front takes one back to the tales of the North American Indian, which were the delight of our youth," writes Maurice Barres, the French Academician, who is on a visit to the fighting lines as the guest of the French staff.

Canadian managers to creep along without causing a single leaf to move. They remain for hours on the watch, lying on their backs and studying the ground around them by means of a little mirror.

NOT ALL ARE SUCH. "I know, of course, that among these volunteers there are many modern Canadians, businessmen, professional men, workmen. All are not sons of trappers and backwoods-men. But it is a fact that they have more initiative, more ingenuity, and more enterprise than European soldiers. And to look at them; what tenacity there is in their expression."

Wonderful Operation. By Special Wire to the Courier. Paris, Sept. 15.—Means by which he extracted a shrapnel bullet from the right auricle of a French soldier's heart, were described to the Academy of Medicine last night by Dr. Charles Infroit. This surgical feat was accomplished by the use of a radiographic compass invented by the surgeon.

Organization Broken Up. Montreal, Sept. 15.—By the arrest at Huntingdon, Que., of J. B. Francoeur, alias Hart, Alec C., and Johnny Lefebvre, the police believe they have broken up an organization which has smuggled 111 Austrians out of Canada to the United States during the summer.

One of the oaks under which the Republican party was born at Jackson, Mich., was badly hit by a storm. Joseph Koenig, was arrested for picking the pocket of Policeman John Scotti, on a New York street car.

Dr. E. J. Danck, alienist, of Waukegan, Ill., says cramped homes and flats breeds insanity in women. Martha Bembow, aged 11, Cleveland, asks \$3,000 for being bitten by the dog of Miss Elizabeth M. Sanford.

Wm. T. Goy, born without arms or legs, well-known in side shows, died in New York of pneumonia.

New York aldermen, with the election coming on are glad to marry couples without charging fees.

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LOCAL

A REQUEST MADE. All box holders at the office are requested to send keys from the office on...

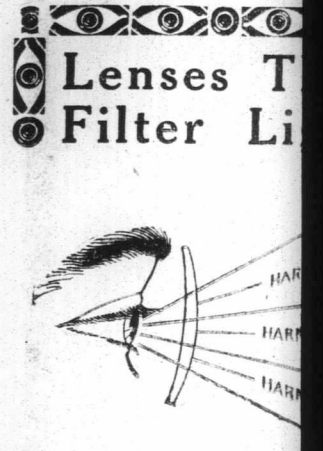
MEET TO-NIGHT. The regular quenchers of the Labor Council take evening in their hall on...

QUENCHERS INSTALLED. The first quenchers organized in Alexandria Park...

FORMAL OPENING. A. Coulbeck, chairman of Education, announced opening of the King George on Rawdon street.

HAS ENLISTED. Mr. Percy Meyer, of who has been spending months in Muskoka, has...

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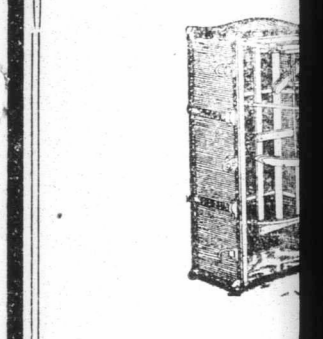


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