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VICTORIA, B.C.

REFERENDUM MEANS LEAVING MEN IN TRENCHES TO FATE--BORDEN

ITALIANS HOLD MOST OF LINE BUT GIVE WAY IN TWO SECTORS

Enemy Crosses Piave 20 Miles from Venice

HELD BY ITALIANS IN SWAMPY REGIONS

Franco-British Troops Not to be in Fighting Line for Few Days

(By Associated Press.)

While the Italians continue to hold tenaciously to most of the new line along the Piave river from the Adriatic sea to the region of Feltre and through the northern hills westward to Lake Garda, they again have been compelled to give ground in both sectors to the Teutonic allied armies.

Major-General Maurice, chief director of military operations at the British war office, has stated that it will be "some days yet" before British and French fighting forces can be placed in the field to reinforce the Italians. Meanwhile the enemy is striving energetically to force passages of the Piave at various points and again has been successful on the southern reaches in crossing the stream some 20 miles northeast of Venice. Here however, in the swampy regions, the Teutons are being held by the defending forces from further gain.

To the north around Zensen where a retreat was negotiated by the Austro-Germans Tuesday, fighting is still in progress, with the Italian forces holding the upper hand, but not yet having been able to drive back the invaders to the eastern bank of the stream. Still further north attempts to gain a foothold on the western bank of the Piave between the Quero and Fenere were repulsed with heavy losses.

In the hilly region from Tezzo, on the Trentino front, eastward to Feltre, a distance of about 12 miles, the Italians have fallen back before the enemy, who also gained additional vantage points on the Asiago plateau and the Sette Comuni. On the western bank of Lake Garda the Austro-German forces attempted to push forward southward but were held by the Italian forces.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—Major-General F. B. Maurice said today it would be several days before the Anglo-French forces could operate on the Italian front.

"The Italian situation," said General Maurice, "is extremely critical and will remain so for the next few days. If the Italians fail to hold the Piave line, it is almost certain Venice will fall. Holding the Piave depends on the Italians themselves as not for some days yet can the Franco-British troops be in the fighting line."

Cadorna Changes Mind.

PARIS, Nov. 14.—According to the correspondent of the Temps on the Italian frontier, it is now stated that General Cadorna, who was said to have declined to represent Italy on the inter-allied military committee, has yielded to pressure and consented to act as Italian representative.

TURKS ARE DRIVEN FAR BACK FROM TEKRIT

(By Associated Press.)

The British drive against the Turks along the Tigris river and in Palestine continues to be successful. Under the pressure of the British, the Ottoman forces now have withdrawn their line from 30 to 50 miles north of Tekrit, placing them 150 miles northwest of Bagdad on the Tigris.

It is reported that they have lost half of their effectives in men killed, wounded or made prisoner since the operations began.

CANADIANS REPEL FIERCE ONSLAUGHT

Smash Efforts Made to Carry Out Von Hindenburg's Order to Retake Passchendaele.

(By Associated Press.)

On the western front in France and Belgium the situation remains normal with only heavy bombardments and minor infantry operations in progress on various sectors. The Germans have not renewed their attacks against the Canadians in the region of Passchendaele, where Tuesday night they were completely repulsed in an attack in which they sought to regain lost ground.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Nov. 14.—The official statement from British headquarters in France and Belgium issued tonight says:

"Since the capture of Passchendaele on Nov. 6, great hostile artillery activity has been directed against the village and the portion of the main ridge held by us in its vicinity. After our successful attack on Saturday the hostile shelling steadily increased in intensity on the whole of the area, culminating in the early morning of Tuesday in a concentrated bombardment of great violence on our forward positions. Our own artillery replied effectively but the heavy hostile shelling continued.

At 6:30 p.m. Tuesday the enemy's bombardment once more became intense and the attack reported in this morning's statement was launched. His infantry attempted to advance along the line of the Westroosebeke road. Our artillery again opened fire and, combined with the fire of our infantry broke up his attack. Our line is intact.

"Hostile artillery has been active during the day on the battle front. We improved our line slightly during the night northwest of Passchendaele."

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN BELGIUM, Nov. 14.—By the Associated Press.—The forces of Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria have made their first pretentious effort to regain Passchendaele village in accordance with the edict issued by Von Hindenburg that the place should be retaken. The enemy's attack was made late Tuesday evening against positions on the crest of the ridge north of the Hamlet.

The greater part of the enemy infantry was stopped by tremendous British artillery barrage, which plowed through the ranks, but some of them pushed through this rain of death and reached the British front line. A sanguinary struggle followed at close

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LAURIER MEN NAME MAXWELL

Run Returned Soldier Who Favors Sir Wilfrid

LABOR CANDIDATE IS TURNED DOWN

Austin Appeared Likely to Get Nomination, but Change Occurred

TRAIL, B. C., Nov. 14.—Laurier Liberals of West Kootenay at a well attended convention here tonight nominated J. H. Maxwell of Revelstoke, a returned soldier. He won on the second ballot. In his speech of acceptance he thanked the convention for the honor it had conferred upon him and praised Sir Wilfrid Laauriers' policy. Sir Wilfrid's recent referendum should be acceptable to anybody, he declared, amidst the applause of the delegates. John Keen, M. P. P. of Kaslo, was in the chair.

Mr. Maxwell is president of the West Kootenay Liberal association. He was elected to that position when Noble Binns resigned the presidency at the meeting at Nelson Nov. 2 when the association against the desire of Unionist Liberals present decided to run a straight party candidate in this riding.

Mr. Maxwell at first refused the nomination this afternoon but when it was seen that if the convention went to a vote Ald. I. A. Austin of Nelson, the Labor candidate, would get the nomination an adjournment for dinner was taken. After dinner the delegates reassembled, nominations were reopened, Mr. Maxwell consented to run, and was elected on the second ballot.

Four candidates were nominated: Joseph Martin, K. C., of Vancouver; Nelson Winlaw of Nelson, Ald. Austin of Nelson and Mr. Maxwell.

Martin's Support Slim.

These names were placed before the convention at the afternoon session. It was then that Mr. Maxwell refused to run. It had been expected that Joe Martin would get strong support, but when the delegates reached the city it became apparent that neither he nor Mr. Winlaw was likely to gain a majority of the delegates. The fight appeared to be between those who favored endorsing Ald. Austin and those who favored Mr. Maxwell.

Mr. Maxwell upon being placed before the meeting as a candidate for nomination refused to run. Nominations were closed, which left three men before the convention, Mr. Martin, Mr. Winlaw and Mr. Austin. At this stage it appeared certain that Mr. Austin would get the nomination, but some of the delegates moved an adjournment for dinner.

Nominations Reopened.

During the adjournment the matter was discussed by a number of the delegates. When the convention met after dinner, nominations were reopened and Mr. Maxwell consented to run.

On the first ballot the result was: Joe Martin, 6; Nelson Winlaw, 7; Ald. Austin, 26; J. H. Maxwell, 34.

On the second ballot the result was: Maxwell, 40; Austin, 32.

Strong for Sir Wilfrid.

Speakers at the convention spoke strongly in favor of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's policy and declared their belief that it was the best policy to win the war. Mr. Maxwell, after having been nominated, paid a strong tribute to the Liberal leader and stated his approval of Sir Wilfrid's recent referendum.

The convention was representative of the six provncial ridings of West Kootenay. There were full delegations from Trail and Rossland and practically a full delegation from Revelstoke. Two or three delegates were present from the Slocan and four or five from Kaslo.

Marcus Martin, president of the Nelson Miners' union, and one of the chief supporters of Ald. Austin, the candidate who is running on the Labor platform, addressed the convention.

Mr. Austin had been invited, but did not attend.

GREEN TO BE IN NELSON TONIGHT

R. F. Green, Unionist candidate in West Kootenay, left yesterday morning for Cranbrook and is expected to return to Nelson tonight. He is likely to visit Rossland Friday or Saturday.

51 REFUSED EXEMPTION BY WINNIPEG TRIBUNALS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Nov. 14.—Reports from Winnipeg's exemption tribunals received at Registrar E. R. Chapman's office, up to 2 o'clock this afternoon, showed that 51 more Winnipeg men had been refused exemption. One hundred and one more have been granted temporary exemption, 36 have been permanently exempted and the case of one has been deferred.

KERENSKY WINS, REPORT STATES

Said to be in Control at Petrograd

KORNILOFF TROOPS WIN AT MOSCOW

Siberia Proclaims Independence--Nicholas Emperor?

(By Associated Press.)

The internal situation still remains obscure in Russia. Although despatches sent out by the Finnish telegraph bureau asser tthat Premier Kerensky again is in control in Petrograd, other reports are to the effect that he has set up his government in Moscow and that fighting still continues in the capital. No advices have been forthcoming from provisional government sources.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

STOCKHOLM, Nov 14.—Premier Kerensky has entered Petrograd, according to a despatch received from the correspondent of the Swedish News agency at Haparanda, on the Russian border. The majority of Maximalist forces have joined the premier, the correspondent adds.

Capture the Kremlin.

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 14—Gen. Korniloff's troops have taken the Kremlin, the famous fortress at Moscow, after a severe fight, says the Berlingshe Tidende's Petrograd correspondent.

Siberia Declares Independence.

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 14.—The Berlingshe Tidende's Haparanda correspondent in a despatch received here, says:

"Officers of Torney, Finland, announce that Siberia has declared its independence and proclaimed former Emperor Nicholas as emperor.

"Cossacks have occupied Kiev."

Telegraph Service Interrupted.

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 14.—Telegraph communication with Petrograd has been interrupted since Tuesday. The cable station at Nystad, Finland, reports that no response could be obtained from Petrograd to its signals. It is presumed the Petrograd station is occupied by military force.

Denies Joining Kerensky

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 14.—An undated despatch from Haparanda to the Dagens Nyheter says the commander of the Bolsheviki defenses in Petrograd issued a proclamation denying that the Petrograd troops had joined the Kerensky forces and declaring that the defenders of the capital were strong enough to resist forces double those of Kerensky.

The despatch adds that three cruisers and six torpedo boats manned by Bolsheviki had arrived from Helsingfors and anchored in the Neua.

DR. TOLMIE NAMED AT VICTORIA

Gets Nomination from Capt. Macdonald and Chief Justice Hunter —Brewster Withdraws

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 14.—Dr. Tolmie, Dominion livestock commissioner for British Columbia, was nominated as the Unionist candidate for a Dominion seat at a convention held here tonight.

Dr. Tolmie secured the nomination on the first ballot, which resulted as follows: Tolmie, 120; Capt. A. D. Macdonald, 56; and Chief Justice Hunter, 24. Premier Brewster's name was placed in nomination but subsequently withdrawn on an intimation being received from him that he thought his place at this time was in British Columbia. The convention was remarkably enthusiastic for Dr. Tolmie, who is at present in Regina.

Postpone Action

VANCOUVER, Nov. 14.—Delegates to the straight Liberal convention met tonight and postponed action until next Friday night.

ALBERTA GOVERNMENT TO AID PATRIOTIC FUND

Will Meet Anticipated Deficiency as Result of Foreign Born Refusing to Contribute.

EDMONTON, Alta., Nov. 14.—The Alberta provincial government today voted to give $800,000 to the Alberta branch of the patriotic fund. The managers of the fund had asked for $1,000,000 to make good the anticipated deficiency caused by the foreign born residents of the province who had come under the operation of the War Times Election act, refusing to voluntarily contribute further. The grant will be paid in monthly instalments, beginning Jan. 1, 1918.

ITS ADOPTION BY CANADA WOULD DELIGHT HUNS, ASSERTS PREMIER

Tour of Maritime Provinces Inaugurated With Great Meeting at Halifax--Presentation of Case for War Service Act Enthusiastically Received

ELECTION IS TEST OF WHETHER CANADA WILL STAY IN WAR OR QUIT

Immediate Enforcement of War Service Act is the Only Method by Which Imperatively Necessary Reinforcements Can be Supplied--Result Being Watched by Germany--Appeals for Unity

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 14.—In a speech in which he contended that the coming election was a test of what Canada thought of the war and the necessity for the troops of the Dominion remaining in it and which was being watched by Germany, Sir Robert Borden, prime minister of Canada, inaugurated his tour of the maritime provinces at a great meeting in Market hall this evening.

Sir Robert announced that he considered the immediate enforcement of the Military Service act the only method by which imperatively necessary reinforcements for the Canadian troops in France and Belgium could be supplied, and he contended that the referendum proposal of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, if carried out, would delay the arrival of support for a year —something that would be hailed by the German high command with great joy and not a little mirth.

Discussing the Union government, Sir Robert mentioned that in his effort to give representation to all elements of the population that strove to maintain the national endeavor in the war, he had offered a cabinet position to three Liberal French-Canadians, who had declined it.

The premier was given a warm reception. Between 4000 and 5000 people attended the meeting, including many women. The chair was taken by John W. Regan. Hon. A. K. Maclean, who followed the prime minister, defended his decision to enter the Union cabinet as a minister without portfolio.

Text of Address.

The speech of Sir Robert L. Borden follows:

"Since Halifax was founded, more than a century and a half ago, there have been no events in the world's history comparable with those through which we have passed since August, 1914. In all the political memories of this historic city, where from time immemorial public questions have been studied and discussed with intense earnestness, there was never a meeting so remarkable and even wonderful in its character as that which is assembled here tonight. Here we find men sharply divided in their party allegiances, men who have fought in many a renowned political battle, men who on occasion achieved hard won victory or encountered defeat at each other's hand—we find these men gathered together in a spirit which rises far above all former political antagonism; we find them standing shoulder to shoulder in the firm determination to put aside every purpose other than service to their country. What has brought this about is a regenerating sense of the national peril, a clear vision of the national destinies involved, a compelling conviction that the future of this Dominion, of the Britannic commonwealth; yes, of the world itself, is at stake.

Quotes President Wilson.

"If it were necessary to impress upon my fellow countrymen the genesis of this war and the purpose to which the allied nations are today consecrating their supreme effort with all the suffering and sacrifice which it entails, I could not do so in better words than those employed by the president of the United States, Woodrow Wilson, in his recent answer to the Vatican. Let me quote them: 'The object of this war is to deliver the free people of the world from the menace and the actual power of a vast military establishment controlled by an irresponsible government, which, having secretly planned to dominate the world, proceeded to carry out the plan without regard either to the sacred obligations of treaty or the long established practise and long cherished principles of international action and honor; which chose its own time for the war, delivered its blow fiercely and suddenly and stopped at no barrier, either of law or mercy; swept a whole continent with the tide of blood, not the blood of soldiers only, but the blood of innocent women and children also, and of the helpless poor, and now stands balked but not defeated, the enemy of four-fifths of the world.'

War Fully Realized at City by Sea.

'In this city by the sea you can realize the war more truly, perhaps, than those of any other community on the continent. From this harbor go forth the great ships of war to maintain their ceaseless vigil upon the immensity of the oceans. Hundreds of thousands of Canadians have seen these coast lines recede as they began the ocean voyage on their way to the front. Here have passed Australian and New Zealand regiments and here thousands of men from our neighboring and kindred nation have in recent months bade a last farewell to this continent before taking their place in the battle line. Precautions for safety and defense have been constantly before you. The war is brought in sharp relief, but Halifax does not lie in its awful shadow, as Belgium and France, or even the British isles. Imagine a rain of shells fipon this city, no building intact, little semblance left of any human habitation, half the civil population murdered, the rest carried into captivity and slavery, the women out-

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POINTS FROM PREMIER'S SPEECH.

The referendum proposal of Sir Wilfrid Laurier would delay the arrival of support for men in the trenches for a year.

That is something that would be hailed by the German high command with great joy and not a little mirth.

With Canadian fighting divisions depleted, the delay involved by the referendum would be fatal.

In face of the autocratic military aggression which now seeks to dominate the yorld, no nation can endure unless its people are prepared to fight in its defense.

The War Service act declares that in providing the needed reinforcements just and equitable consideration shall be given to the needs of labor.

The message I give you is the overmastering necessity of sustaining the army and holding Canada's first line of defense on the western front.

ONLY SIX BRITISH VESSELS ARE SUNK

Number Lowest Since Unrestricted Sub. War Began—Eight Attacked But Escaped

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Nov. 14.—Only one British merchant vessel of more than 1600 tons was sunk by mine or submarine during the last week, according to the weekly statement of shipping losses tonight. This is the lowest number since Germany began her unrestricted submarine campaign.

Five vessels of less than 1600 tons and one fishing boat were sunk during the week.

The admiralty statement follows:

"Arrivals, 2125; sailings, 2307.

"British merchantmen over 1600 tons sunk by mine or submarine, one; under 1600 tonnage, five.

"Fishing vessels sunk, one previously.

"British merchantmen unsuccessfully atacked, including three previously, eight."

Not since Germany began her intensified submarine campaign in February has the total number of British merchantmen sunk by mine or submarine been as small as the foregoing admiralty statement shows. The previous low record was 12 merchantmen, eight of them of tonnage in excess of 1600 and four of less than 1600 tonnage. The high crest of the wave of the British merchantmen sunk was during the week of April 22, when 40 ships of 1600 tons and over and 15 of less tonnage were sunk, a total of 55. The next high record was the following week, when 38 vessels of the larger and 13 of the smaller category were sent to the bottom.

Italy Loses Just One Ship

ROME, Nov. 14.—Only one small sailing vessel of Italian nationality was lost during the week ended Nov. 11, it was announced today, as the result of operations of hostile submarines. The statement reads:

"During the week ended Nov. 11, vessels to the number of 384 entered ports and 333 left. The loss due to submarines was one sailing vessel of more than 1600 tons."

France Loses Two Ships

PARIS, Nov. 14.—The loss to French shipping through mine or submarine for the week ended Nov. 11, was two vessels over 1600 tons, one of which was actually sunk the previous week, and no vessels under that tonnage. Four unsuccessful attempts were made by submarines.

BRITISH DESTROYER AND MONITOR SUNK

Torpedoed When Cooperating With Forces in Palestine—33 Men Are Missing.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LNODON, Nov. 14.—A British destroyer and a small monitor which were operating in conjunction with the British army in Palestine have been sunk, it was officially announced this evening. A total of 33 men from the two vessels are missing. A hostile submarine sank two warships. The text of the statement follows:

"One of his majesty's destroyers and a small monitor have been sunk by an submarine while cooperating with the army in Palestine. Seven men are missing from the destroyer and 26 from the monitor."

Troops Near Jaffa.

In an interview today General Maurice said the British front in Palestine now ran along the Wadi Surar, which was the Biblical brook Kedron. This position immediately covers Jaffa and the railway junction on the route to Jerusalem.

FUNCTIONS OF ALLIED COUNCIL EXPLAINED

British Premier Reads in Commons Terms of Agreement—Has no Executive Powers.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Nov. 14.—The proposed new inter-allied council was the subject of discussion in the house of commons today when the former premier, H. H. Asquith, brought the matter before the house by interrogating Premier Lloyd George on the functions of the council.

Mr. Asquith asked the premier if he would state the precise functions of the inter-allied council and, in particular, of its military staff; whether it was proposed that the council, if so advised by its staff, should have the power to interfere and override the opinion on a matter of strategy of the general staff at home and the commander in chief; whether the military staff of the inter-allied council was to have intelligence and operations departments, or either of them, of its own; whether the ultimate decision as to the distribution and movement of the various armies in the field was to rest on the council or on the government's represented on it and whether opportunity would be given to discuss the proposed arrangements and the statements made in connection therewith in the premier's Paris speech.

Premier Lloyd George, in replying to Mr. Asquith, said that the best way of arguing the question was to read the actual terms of the agreement between the British, French and Italian governments, for the creation of a supreme council of the allies. The text of the agreement follows:

"1. With a view to better coordination of the military action on the western front, a supreme war council is created composed of the prime minister and a member of the government of each of the great powers whose armies are fighting on that front, the extension of the scope of the council to other fronts to be reserved for decision with the other great powers.

"2. The supreme war council has for its mission to watch over the general conduct of the war. It prepares recommendations for the consideration of the governments and keeps itself informed of their actions and reports thereone to their respective governments.

"3. The general staff and military commands of the armies of each power charged with the conduct of the military operations remain responsible to their respective governments.

"4. General war plans drawn by competent military authorities are submitted to the supreme war council, which under high authority of government, ensures its concordance and submits, if need be, any necessary change.

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RESIGNATION OF LLOYD GEORGE IS POSSIBLE

Premier Fiercely Assailed by Press—Wisdom of Forming Allies' War Council Questioned.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—An Associated Press despatch from London dated Tuesday, Nov. 13, received today says:

"Premier Lloyd George on his return from his hurried trip to consult and hearten Britain's ally, Italy, finds himself faced by the sharpest crisis of his career as premier. The crisis is one which may quite possibly result in a vote of want of confidence by parliament, which would be followed by his resignation.

"No action taken by the British government since the beginning of the war has caused such a maelstrom of criticism and there are symptoms of uneasiness over the announcement of the formation of an international war council composed of cabinet ministers of Great Britain, France and Italy, with a military committee representing the three nations, which later is to be in constant session at Versailles. The questions being asked are whether such a vital change is necessary, whether it will bring effective control of the campaign, and particularly how far the new military trinity will supersede or overlap the management of British operations by the general staff of the army.

"During the last 24 hours the premier has had what in Europe is called 'a bad press.' The comments on his action ranged from violent attacks by the Morning Post and the Globe, to questioning and critical comment. Even the Times, which is credited with being the chief instrument in the overthrow of the Asquith government in Mr. Lloyd George's interest, said that 'His weakness is a failure to think out his plans to their logical conclusion,' which may be regarded as a considerate way of saying the premier is prone to leap before he looks. The Globe, which recently has been edited by L. J. Manxse, a prominent publicist, best known as editor of the National Review, calls the premier a 'dangerous demagogue,' terms the arrangement 'this juggle of strategy of the war.' This is the strongest language printed by the English newspapers since the political truce was declared at the beginning of the war."

Northcliffe May Join Cabinet.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—The Globe says that great pressure is being brought to bear on Lord Northcliffe to enter the government, which, it adds, he alone is deemed capable of bolstering up.

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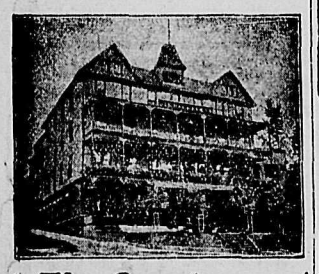

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GERMANS COMPLETELY DEFEATED BY BRITISH

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Nov. 14.—The Germans met defeat at the hands of the British Tuesday in Flanders, the war office announced today. An attempt to recapture the ground recently won by the British near Passchendaele was repulsed.

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FACES CHARGE OF DESERTION

First Ottawa Man Brought into Court for Failing to Register—Defies Government.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 14.—Harold Morris, 31 years old, who was an employee of the lands patent branch of the interior department, is the first resident of the capital to be charged with unlawful desertion under the Military Service act. He appeared in the police court this morning in a nonpenitent mood. Before he had a chance to plead guilty or not guilty, Detective Pollat asked for his remand for a week, and the request was granted. It is understood that bail will not be allowed. The remand was asked for in order that the minister of justice may be consulted. The police authorities want to ascertain whether Morris can ameliorate his predicament by registering for service. When arrested last night Morris declared that the government had no right to decide whether or not he should become a soldier.

"I am not available for the army," he said, "because I have decided in my own mind that I will not fight."

MAKES PLEA FOR GREATER PRODUCTION OF HOGS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

REGINA, Sask., Nov 14. — At the afternoon sitting of the livestock organization, J. D. McGregor of Brandon, representing Food Controller Hanna, gave a short address on using screenings as food for livestock. Mr. McGregor also made a strong plea for increased production of hogs.

G. H. Hutton of the Iacombe experimental farm gave an address dealing with the profitable production of pork.

R. J. Phin, M.P.P. for Pipestone, considered Saskatchewan was in a better position to produce beef. A. G. Hawkes assailed the idea of conscripting agricultural men into the army, claiming they were sorely needed on the farms.

Steps are being taken to increase the wheat movement to the lake front.

DO GERMANS MEAN TO INVADE ENGLAND?

British War Cabinet Considers Possibility—Tunnel Under Channel Is Rumor.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—The war cabinet is considering all possibilities of an invasion declared Bonar Law in the house of commons today. His statement was in answer to a specific inquiry apparently induced by several recent reports as to German plans.

More or less circumstantial rumors afloat during recent weeks have carried the story that the Germans were boring a tunnel under the channel to attack England and had been at work ever since they reached the Belgian sea coast. Other rumors of the projected invasion of England by German troops were revived recently in British front stories revealing that the German general staff had issued English-German conversation books to many of its soldiers.

FUNCTIONS OF COUNCIL EXPLAINED

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"5. Each power delegates to the supreme council one permanent military representative, whose exclusive function is to act as technical adviser to the council.

"6. Military representatives receive from the government and the competent military authorities of their country all proposals, information and documents relating to the conduct of the war.

"7. The military representatives watch day by day the situation of the forces and the means of all kinds of which the allies and enemy armies dispose.

"8. The supreme council meets normally at Versailles where the permanent military representatives and staffs are established; they may meet at other places, according to circumstances. Meetings of the supreme council take place at least once a month."

Has no Executive Powers.

The premier went into further explanations, saying:

"From the foregoing it will be clear that the council will have no executive power and that final decisions in the matter of strategy and the distributions and movements of the various armies in the field will rest with the several governments of the allies.

"There will, therefore, be no operations department attached to the council. The permanent representative will derive from the intelligence department all information to enable them to submit advice to the supreme allied council.

"The object of the allies has been to set up a central body charged with the duty of continuously serving the field of operations as a whole by the light of information derived from all the fronts and from all the governments and staff and of coordinating the plans prepared by the different general staffs and, if necessary, of making proposal of their own for the better conduct of the war."

Mr. Lloyd George announced that the government had set aside Monday for the discussion of his Paris speech and the proposed council.

C. P. R. REPRESENTATIVE WITHDRAWS FROM BOARD

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 14.—Because of a ruling of the minister of labor, E. A. James, the Canadian Pacific railroad representative of the board of arbitration called to settle the disputes between the Canadian Pacific railway and the freight handlers, withdrew from the board today. Arbitration matters came to a deadlock Monday following a disputed question and on account of objections raised by the Canadian Pacific railway, a telegram was sent to the minister of labor stating the conditions of affairs, and pending a reply the board was inactive. If the Canadian Pacific Railway company does not appoint another member of the board within five days, the minister of labor will do so and proceed further.

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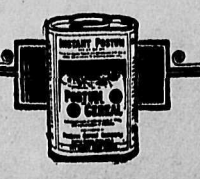

REFERENDUM MEANS DESERTING MEN

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raged, the children murdered—that is war as they know it in France and Belgium. That is Germany's crime against humanity, which humanity must punish and stamp out or relapse into barbarism.

"In August, 1914, Canada entered this conflict by the unanimous vote of her parliament, and with the strong and even vehement approval of her people. The record of what has since been accomplished is before you. More than 400,000 men have been enrolled; more than 350,000 have crossed the seas.

No More Effective Unit.

"There is no more effective fighting until today in any theatre of war than the Canadian army corps. Its records and its achievements speak for themselves; and the world itself bears witness to the glorious part that the Canadians have taken during the past three years in holding the western front with unrivaled tenacity and endurance, and more than that, in hurling back the invader from Vimy ridge and many a position deemed impregnable.

"In the first instance we relied altogether on voluntary enlistment, that seemed, and indeed was, most in accordance with democratic ideals so long as the need could thus be met.

"The task before the allied nations proved incredibly greater than was first supposed. The power of two great empires, with a population of 125,000,000 more highly disciplined and more thoroughly organized than any other nations in the world, and armed with a war preparation extending over nearly half a century, was not adequately estimated. All the nations of the British Empire felt called upon to exert their utmost effort. The one Canadian regiment which I saw opposite Messines in the summer of 1915 had increased to an army corps of four divisions when I visited the Canadian front 20 months afterward. The casualties have been severe and more than 30,000 of our best and bravest have made the supreme sacrifice, for their country, for civilization and for humanity.

"A statesman is not to be envied his duty when he is compelled to call on the youth of his country to take up arms, even in so just a quarrel. Still more unenviable is the duty of enforcing compulsory military service. That duty was urged upon me for nearly 18 months before I announced the decision of the government on May 18 last. In all parts of this Dominion men of both political parties, men of the highest standing, men of the loftiest patriotism and sanest judgment, from time to time had impressed on me warmly the obligation of Canada to throw into this war still greater effort and the necessity of compulsory military service.

Service Act Imperative.

"During the first four months of 1916 men were enlisted at the rate of 1000 per day and the need seemed to be adequately met. Through the summer and autumn of 1916 and the first four months of 1917 recruits came in so slowly, notwithstanding the utmost personal effort of myself and my colleagues, that only one of two alternatives could be adopted.

"One was to leave our Canadian divisions without support and without reinforcements and the other was to enforce military service. My heart and my conscience did not permit me, for one moment, to endure the thought of the first; and thus I found imposed upon me, not of my own desire, but by the compelling force of circumstances, the stern duty of providing reinforcements by means of a selective draft under compulsory provisions.

"In this country, the principle of compulsory service is not new. The Militia act, which has been in force for half a century, empowers the government to enforce military service, but not by intelligent selection. Under this act the determination is by ballot, that is by blind unthinking chance. For ordinary conditions such a provision may be adequate, but for so tremendous an effort as is now necessary it is entirely unsuitable. The need could not thus be met. The occasion demands from each the best service of which one is capable, organization, system and intelligence are necessary and thus the Military Service act was created.

Meets Needs of Labor.

"I realize the urgent need of labor to sustain the great industry of agriculture, to operate our fisheries, our coal mines, our munitions plants and all the varied industries that are essential for carrying on the war. This Military Service act declares that in providing needed reinforcements for the men at the front just and equitable consideration shall be given to these needs; but reinforcements must be provided.

"The operation of the act is carried on under the direction of the military service council, composed of able and patriotic men fairly representing both political parties. The tribunals by which exemption is to be determined have not been appointed by the government, but by independent authority. Every effort has been made to ensure impartial and reasonable consideration of all matters that should justly be taken into account in determining who shall be called uopn to stand in the battle line, and who can best give service at home. Above all, service already given by near kindred at the front must be taken into account in considering whether there shall be exemption.

"In the face of the autocratic military aggression which now seeks to dominate the world no nation can endure unless its people are prepared to fight in its defense. Under the Military Service act the highest duty of citizenship is demanded of the people. I am entirely confident that they will not shrink from that duty. It is said that this law ought not to be put into operation without a referendum. Such is the policy put forward in opposition to that of the government. I consider it my imperative duty to put the act into force immediately. That course is being pursued and it will be unhesitatingly continued. What is the situation?

Necessity Never Greater.

"The need for reinforcements is insistent, compelling, imperative. Do we fully appreciate the meaning and effect of what is taking place in Russia and in Italy—there never was greater necessity to summon our sternest resolve and to gird on our fullest strength. In the British Isles, and especially in France, they are much in advance of us in the organization and the utilization of the nation's human energy. The terrible need for reinforcements can be met. But even with the best speed that can be made, we shall barely be in time. Yet it is seriously proposed that with Canadian divisions depleted at the front—and, remember, that a division when thus depleted ceases to be an effective fighting unit until reinforced—it is proposed we are to wait until parliament is summoned, until a bill for a referendum is passed, and until the referendum shall have been held and the verdict of the people pronounced.

"How many men could be brought into military service by means of a referendum within one year from today? Parliament stands adjourned to Feb. 28 because the election results will not be available until Feb. 27. Probably the session could not begin before the middle of March. The passage of the necessary legislation for a referendum might take, and doubtless would take, at least two months. To hold the referendum election and obtain the verdict of the people would require two or three additional months.

"In the meantime the Military Service act would be suspended. The spirit of men would be broken and their ranks become more and more depleted. They had asked for reinforcements and you gave them a referendum. All military activity would be at an end, and perhaps the war itself would have come to a conclusion with results disastrous to our country. This is a war in which the last hundred thousand men may mean victory; the lack of them defeat. Make no mistake about it. The proposal for a referendum has but one meaning. It means that Canadian forces at the front shall be left to their fate, without support and without reinforcements.

"Whether that be the purpose is immaterial; beyond question that will be the result. It would be hailed with great joy and not a little mirth by the German higher command. Can we doubt that if any effort on their part can bring about such a consummation it will be spared?

"Out of the momentous events of the year now drawing to a close has arisen the Union government, which appeals to the electorate to uphold its hands in this terrible struggle. Upon all the incidents which led to the formation of that government I need not dwell. The members have come together from both political parties in an earnest spirit and with an intense desire to perform their duty to the country in the hour of its most urgent need.

"The enforcement of military service ought not to be carried on by a party government if that course can possibly be avoided. When the war reached so critical a period it became most important that a government should be formed thoroughly representative of every element in the population, prepared to support Canada's utmost efforts. I have never deviated from that purpose since I formed it May last. In this, or in any other country, an alliance of parties in a Union or national government is hardly possible until it becomes practically inevitable. Even in this great emergency the task has been a most difficult one, involving wearisome and protracted negotiations, resulting at times in serious discouragement and requiring almost infinite patience. It was my desire, and it is my firm intention, that both political parties shall have equal representation in the government outside of the office of prime minister. I have spared no effort to achieve that purpose and in the last three weeks I have approached successively, no less than three Canadians of French origin and of Liberal affiliation with the request that one of them should enter the Union government. I do not reproach them because my effort was unsuccessful, but I do most sincerely regret their decision. For its consequences they are responsible, not I. So earnestly did I desire the broadest basis of representation that I should willingly, and even gladly, have stood aside if it had proved necessary to the accomplishment of that purpose. There may be those in the party with which I have been associated who would regard this as a reproach to me. I should consider myself unworthy of its best tradition if I had been animated by any other ideal or any other thought. In the awful conditions which confront the world today, why should the political future of any individual or the political fortunes of any party stand for one moment across the path of a great national purpose?

Did Not Consider Party Victory.

"In my effort to form the present government I have been assailed, sometimes with vehemence, by earnest men within the party which made me its leader more than 16 years ago. I have been told that a Conservative victory was certain and I was surrendering the fortunes of an historic party to my desire for the accomplishment of an impossible purpose. I did not pause to consider the prospects of a party victory. Its absolute certainty would not have altered the higher purpose which I had at heart, to give representation in the government to all elements of our population that struggle to maintain national endeavor in this war. Those of my colleagues who have recently joined the government have played a worthy part. I know that they have yielded only to a sense of supreme duty. Doubtless they feel keenly the breaking of old ties and the dissolution of long standing and valued associations. All this means much to any man with a long public service behind him, but they have the consciousness of a great duty nobly fulfilled and the knowledge that a higher and more notable service to the country is before them. That they could not withhold themselves when called upon is their highest and complete justification. And remember that there are able men in the Liberal-Conservative party with long house service behind them and with very legitimate aspirations for promotion who, without hesitation, have stood aside in order that Union might be consummated.

Appeals for Unity.

"I appeal to you all, of whatever party, and especially to those of the party with which I have been associated, to ponder well upon these events and to put aside every old antagonism and controversy; to unite in earnest, vigorous efforts; to stand for the country and not for partizanship. Party antagonism, when not based on principle is a sorry spectacle at any time. In these awful days it is little less than a crime. We have a great task before us. The eyes of the world are upon us. Let us remember the words of the apostle: 'Therefore, seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us.'

"What weight are we to lay aside in this race? The weight of party antagonism. What is the sin that doth so easily beset us? The discord and suspicion so likely to arise from such antagonism. And how shall we understand the patience upon which the apostle dwells? The primary meaning of the word is the quality of suffering of enduring. And so we take from the apostle's words the lesson that until there shall come to us victory crowned with abiding peace, we shall suffer, but we must endure.

"The policies of the government have been set forth in two messages already addressed to the Canadian people. To-night it is not in my heart to dwell upon them, for the message which I must give you is the overmastering necessity of sustaining the men who hold Canada's first line of defense on the western front. They have gone forth voluntarily in the flower of their youth, to undertake this duty which daily calls them to bivouac with death.

States Appeal of Gallant Dead.

"The soil of France and Belgium is hallowed by the graves of their dead. If the task in which they died in the last scene remains unaccomplished we shall remain humiliated. Their appeal, whether from the living or the dead, tells you more eloquently than any words of mine that there is at present but one supreme issue before the Canadian people. Shall Canada's efforts in this war be maintained or withdrawn? Shall the Canadian army corps at the front be supported or deserted? Such is the issue. I appeal with all the earnestness of the utmost conviction. I speak as one on whom very heavy and trying responsibilities have been imposed during the

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Mining and Markets

UTICA DROPS HALF POINT AT SPOKANE

Slocan Star Unchanged—Neither Standard Nor Rambler Quoted on Dull Market.

Utica receded ½ point on the Spokane market yesterday, the stock being quoted at 11½. Slocan Star was steady at 1⅞. Neither Rambler nor Standard was quoted.

Spokane Closing Quotations.
(Reported by St. Denis & Lawrence.)

	Bid	Asked
Cork-Province	$ .01⅞	$ .02¼
Slocan Star	.01⅞	.02⅛
Utica	.11½	.12½
Caledonia	.45	.52

New York Curb.

	Bid	Asked
Canada Copper	$1.68¾	$1.81¼
Ray Hercules	3.00	3.25
Standard	.37½	.43¾
Utica	.11	.13

New York Exchange.

	High	Low	Close
C. P. R.	131⅞	130	131¾
Chino	38	37¼	37⅞
Inspiration	41¾	40½	41
Miami	27¾	27	27

Sales: C. P. R., 14,200; Chino, 1200; Inspiration, 3200; Miami, 300.

BRAZILIAN MOST ACTIVE STOCK ON TORONTO MART

Exhibits no Tendency, However, to Get Away from Minimum—Dominion Steel Dull.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Nov. 14.—Chief activity on the Toronto stock exchange today was in Brazilian, which contributed 382 of total transactions of 954 shares. The stock, however, exhibited no tendency to get away from the minimum, ranging between 32¼ and 32⅛ and closing at the latter figure. Dominion Steel, in which dealings were moderately steady on the previous day relapsed into dullness, only 45 shares changing hands at 52¾. Tuesday's closing price. Steel of Canada was marked up a trifle.

A revival of demand for the 1937 war bonds resulted in a turnover of $23,400 in this issue. The price was unchanged. Total dealings, $31,500.

PRICE OF SILVER AT NEW YORK IS 86

Quoted on London Market at 43⅝—Spelter Firm—Quotations for Lead and Copper.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Silver, 86; at London, 43⅝

Spelter firm; East St. Louis delivery, spot, 7.75 to 8; at London: Spot, £54; futures, £50.

Copper at London: Spot, £110; futures, £110; electrolytic, £125.

Lead: St. Louis, 6.17½; New York, 6.25; Montreal, 7.75; London, £30 10s.

DOMINION IRON GOES OVER MINIMUM AT MONTREAL

Is Exception to Rule—Steel of Canada and Brazilian Are Fairly Active.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Nov. 14.—In view of the weakness in Wall street it was not surprising that local prices seek the sheltering protection of minimums once more. Dominion Iron stood out as a shining exception, selling at 52½ to 52¾ as compared with the minimum of 52. Steel of Canada was fairly active with 210 shares, but compared with 50 to 50¼ two days ago, it again sold at the minimum of 49¼. Next in order of activity were Brazilians, 308 shares, and Civic Power 121 shares at unchanged prices.

BUTTER MARKET.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Nov. 14. — Cheese: Finest westerns, 21¾; finest easterns, 21¼.

Butter: Choicest creamery, 45 to ½; seconds, 43½ to 44.

Eggs: Fresh, 53 to 55; selected, 46 to 47; No. 1 stock, 42 to 43; No. 2 stock, 39 to 41.

Pork: Heavy Canada short mess, 52 to 53; Canada short cut back, 50 to 51.

The union of Newfoundland with Canada is said to be more and more likely as a result of the war.

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STOCK MARKET IS AGAIN DEPRESSED

Several New Minimums Recorded by Once Popular Shares—C. P. R. Drops to 130¼.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—The fall of the French ministry, new uncertainties in the Russian and Italian crisis and the problem involved in domestic labor troubles gave fresh impetus to today's dull but extremely depressed stock market. Several new minimums were recorded among shares once in high favor, notably the St. Paul issues at 35 for the common, and 74¾ for the preferred, while Canadian Pacific registered a new low for many years at 130¼. The feeling of uneasiness was accentuated by heavy liquidation of Liberty bonds, both issues yielding to lowest quotations, the 3½s selling at a discount in excess of 1 per cent. United States Steel declined to 89¼, its final quotation being 90½, representing a loss of 1⅝ points. Sales amounted to 615,000 shares. International 4s sagged to 99.18, rallying substantially, but the 3½s dropped steadily from 99.30 to 98.86, closing at the latter. Total sales, par value, $5,700,000.

Closing Prices.

American Smelting	71
Anaconda	55½
C. P. R.	131¾
U. S. Steel	90⅜
U. S. Steel preferred	108
Utah	75
Nickel	26¾

CAN FIND ORIGIN OF ALL TRANSACTIONS

Sweeping Measure Taken by Stock Exchange to Minimize Speculative Operations.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Governors of the stock exchange today took further steps to minimize speculative operations by adopting a resolution requiring all members to submit every day at noon to the clearing house a detailed statement embodying amounts and names of all stocks sold and bought for their own account of that of customers. In the latter case names must be given.

This measure is far more sweeping than that taken two weeks ago requiring disclosure only of stocks borrowed, which was directed against short selling. The new resolution enables officials of the exchange to trace the origin of every transaction to its source.

PRICES ON CORN MARKET BROUGHT DOWN SLIGHTLY

Government Supplying More Cars to Move Grain—Oats Lower—Provisions Fluctuate.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 14.—Announcements that the government would furnish an increased supply of cars to move new grain had much to do today with bringing about lower prices in the corn market There was an unsettled close, ½ to ¾ down with December at $1.19¾ and May at $1.15¼. Oats declined ¾ to ⅞ net. The outcome in provisions ranged from a setback of 15 cents to a like advance.

WINNIPEG GRAIN.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Nov. 14.—Oats: May, 71¼; November, 72⅝; December, 70.

Flax: May, $2.86; November, $3.15; December, $2.90½.

LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov 14.—Cattle: Receipts, 24,000; weak. Beeves, 6.85 to 16.25; western steers, 5.80 to 13.25; stockers and feeders, 3.65 to 11.35; cows and heifers, 4.50 to 11.65; calves, 6.75 to 13.25.

Hogs: Receipts, 32,000; unsettled. Light, 17.10 to 19.85; mixed, 17.10 to 17.75; heavy, 17.05 to 17.75; rough, 17.05 to 17.45; pigs, 14 to 17.75; bulk, 17.30 to 17.65.

Sheep: Receipts, 21,000; steady. Native lambs, 12.25 to 16.95.

Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 14.—Livestock receipts at the Union stockyard today totaled 3500 cattle on sale, 5000 in yards and 500 hogs. Cattle trading was steady at firm prices on all good quality butcher steers, cows and heifers. J. D. McGregor sold two heifers averaging 1350 at $10 per hundred. These were exceptionally good stuff and brought $1 to $1.50 over the market price. Good butcher steers and cows also sold at top prices. Bulls and oxen sold steady; stockers and feeders brought steady prices, also veal calves. The hog market had a liberal supply of porkers. Trading was steady at 16 per hundred.

Montreal.

MONTREAL, Nov. 14.—At the Canadian Pacific livestock market today offerings were 500 cattle, 350 sheep and lambs, 750 hogs and 150 calves. A fair trade was done in cattle. Sales were made at 10 to 10.25; good at 9.50 to 9.75; fair at 8.50 to 9 and common at 7.75 to 8. Butcher sows sold at 6.25 to 8 and bulls at 6.50 to 8.25. Trade in canners' cattle was fairly active at unchanged prices. The market for lambs with smaller receipts, was steady. Demand and sales were fair for Ontarios at 15 to 15.50.

SLIDE WRECKS HOME AND BUILDINGS IN INVERNESS

Man Imprisoned in Cabin Had to Cut His Way Through Roof—No Lives Lost.

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., Nov. 14.—A slide at Inverness last nightwrecked the home of Arthur Bailey and various small buildings of the cannery company. One man was imprisoned in his cabin and had to cut his way out through the roof. No lives were lost. The railway was blocked for 175 yards.

CANADIANS IN CASUALTY LIST

Names of 241 Western Officers and Men Appear in Latest List—Thirty Killed in Action.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 13.—There were 241 western men and officers in the casualty list issued tonight. Thirty were killed in action, seven died of wounds, 15 missing, six wounded and missing, one seriously ill, one returned to duty 17 gassed and 164 wounded.

British Columbia casualties are:

KILLED IN ACTION.
R. B. Triggs, Crescent.
J. Billy, Michel.
F. J. Seideiman, Vancouver.

DIED OF WOUNDS.
J. Davis, Chilliwack.
R. E. Cope, Edmonds.

MISSING.
A. Sorenson, Whonnock.
T. Sangster, New Westminster.
L. K. Wilkinson, Agassiz.

WOUNDED.
J. M. Ogilvie, Vancouver.
Lance-Sergt. R. Randell, Vernon.
Lance-Sergt. F. Hall, Vancouver.
Lance-Sergt. A. M. Grieve, New Westminster.
H. Lawrence, Duncan.
J. P. Power, Thrums.
J. Brent, Penticton.
C. D. McPhee, Kelowna.
C. C. Graham, Kelowna.
J. P. S. Campbell, Revelstoke.
W. B. Sanderson, Peachland.

GASSED.
W. A. Thompson, Alberni.
Sergt. S. M. Scott, Vancouver.
T. H. Lightly, Vancouver.
W. P. Kibbler, Vancouver.
J. McCargar, Vancouver.
N. G. M. Lougheed, New Westminster.

MOUNTED RIFLES.
KILLED IN ACTION.
J. Butler, Nanaimo.
Sergt. G. M. McKie, Rossland.
Lance-Corp. W. J. Griffith, Victoria.

DIED OF WOUNDS.
G. Wallace, Trail.

WOUNDED.
J. Billy, Michel.
Sergt. R. Shuttleworth, Nicola valley.
G. B. Wood, Vancouver.
W. Ryan, Vernon.
G. Watkins, Victoria.
W. J. Smith, Victoria.
W. Lang, Victoria.

GASSED.
C. Harper, Nanaimo.
A. Barr, Vancouver.
A. Hardy, Prince Rupert.
T. S. Burkmar, Victoria.
R. Morrison, Kamloops.
Lance-Corp. A. Tinkler, Fernie.
E. C. Clarke, Vancouver.
Major J. A. Motherwell, New Westminster.
D. McCardy, New Westminster.
G. H. Goldsmith, Kelowna.
S. R Jackson, Vancouver.
W. H. Brown, Vancouver.
Sergt. S. Petch, Victoria.
E. A. Baker, Vancouver.
R. A. Brown, New Westminster.
J. L. Stuart, Vancouver.
H. A. Dixon, Vancouver.
H. Somers, Vancouver.
L. H. Shanks, Vancouver.
Lance-Corp. T. U. Sturgess, Vancouver.
H. E. Wright, Vancouver.

MEDICAL SERVICES.
WOUNDED.
F. Kells, Kellie.
H. Lyne, Fernie.
G. H. Wadge, Vancouver.

Other casualties in the list are:

Killed in action—Lieut. F. T. Henderson, Cornwall; Lieut. R. Corbett, Brockville, Ont.; Lieut. R. P. Oakley, Ireland; Capt. R. L. Haggard, England; Lieut. M. W. Williams, Burlington, Ont.; Lieut. S. M. Laurie, Scotland; Sergt J. A. Stevenson, Fort William, Ont.

Died of wounds—Capt. Acting Major A. Hutchison, D. S. O., M. C., Scotland.

Wounded—Arthur Stephens Edmunds, Swan River, Man., next of kin Mrs. Hannah Edmunds (mother), Cloverdale, B. C.; Lieut. Clarence Drader, Edmonton, Alta., next of kin, Mrs. Delia Drader (mother), Victoria, B. C.; William Frank Keefe, Winnipeg, Man., next of kin, Carratte Keefe, Rossland, B. C.

Gassed—Lieut. J. H. Boutelle, Danville, Que.

Returned to Duty—Lieut. G. Campbell, Weymouth, N. S.

Wounded—Lieut. A. W. Logie, New York.

Gassed—Lance-Sergt. T. Buckham, Calgary; Lieut. J. L. Macdonald, Greenfield, Ont.

WANTS PLACE IN SUN FOR EVERY NATION

Brazil Sets Forth Ideas on Durable Peace in Reply Made to Pope Benedict.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

RIO JANEIRO, Nov. 14.—Brazil's views of the only manner in which the durable peace may be obtained are set forth in the government's reply to the peace proposal made last August by Pope eBnedict, which has been forwarded by Foreign Minister Pecanha. The reply says it is necessary that all nations, great and small, shall have a place in the sun, equal rights and unrestricted opportunities to exchange ideas and commodities on the broad basis of justice and equality.

Brazil never would have entered the war, the note says, if Germany had not disturbed America with her ways and deeds of violence. The reply says Brazil recognizes the generosity of the pope's appeal for arbitration and disarmament.

MACLEAN IS OPPOSITION LEADER IN SASKATCHEWAN

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

REGINA, Sask., Nov. 14.—The session of the legislature this afternoon lasted just 15 minutes. The only business done was the striking of various committees, the reports of the committee being read by Premier Martin and the receiving of notices of motion and questions. The house then adjourned until Thursday when the debate on the speech from the throne will take place. The speech will be moved by J. A. Macmillan, member for Wadena, and seconded by T. E. Gamble, member for Bengough.

Previous to the opening of the house the opposition members met and named Daniel Maclean, Saskatoon, as leader.

ZIG-ZAG LOGIC

If the Ostrich could only overcome the hereditary habit of running zig-zag what a hard bird he'd be to catch.

Most men have a zig-zag habit of mind—it is hereditary—a legacy of prejudice handed down to us.

THE DAVIS "NOBLEMEN" CIGAR

saves the logical smoker 50%, because he can see that "NOBLEMEN"—being Clear Havana—and sold at 2-for-25c, is imported quality at half the price.

Do not reason in a zig-zag line—look facts in the face—throw prejudice to the winds, and try a DAVIS "NOBLEMEN" CIGAR.

You will cut your smoking bill in two.

S. DAVIS & SONS LIMITED, MONTREAL.

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BRITISH VICE-ADMIRAL PASSES THROUGH VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 14.—Vice-Admiral Sir William Lowther Grant, accompanied by members of his staff, have arrived in Vancouver and entrained during the day for the east. The vice-admiral comes from Singapore, having been succeeded in command by Vice-Admiral Taylor.

Twenty-seven German Socialists have been convicted of interfering with the United States draft in South Dakota.

ENO'S FRUIT SALT
Women fly to Eno's when Headaches threaten

A Genuine Rupture Cure Sent On Trial To Prove It

DON'T WEAR A TRUSS ANY LONGER

Even Soldiers from the Trenches of Europe Write to Tell How the Wonderful Brooks Appliance Cured Their Ruptures, Sound and Well. Sent on Trial to Prove It.

From the battle front in Europe comes a letter written by Pte. John Carter, whose home address is No. 2 Shore View, Flixton, telling of his complete cure of rupture from wearing the Brooks Appliance.

April 18th, 1915.
C. E. Brooks,
Dear Sir:
I received your letter by first post this morning. I beg to thank you for your Appliance which was instrumental in the way it cured me of my rupture. I have now been in Kitchener's army seven months, and I have gone through all the training, and I have never felt anything and not had the slightest trouble. I remember when I passed the doctor he remarked: "There is nothing wrong with you, young man, you are in the best condition," and he sounded me all over, and I again thank you for the same, and I give my consent to use my letter as a testimonial to anyone, as I have been cured. Hoping you and your firm much success.
Yours truly,
Pte. John Carter

WOULDN'T TAKE $100 FOR APPLIANCE

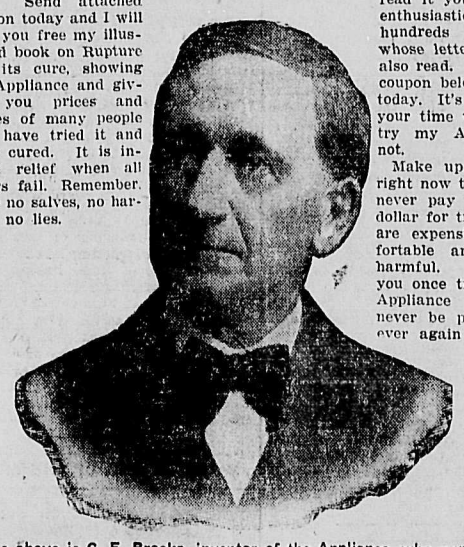
Cranworth, Ont.

Dear Mr. Brooks,—I am pleased to write you and let you know what your Appliance has done for me. I think I am all right now, as I have not seen the first sign of it since last fall. I can now run, jump and lift all I like and I would not take $100 for it if I could not get another. I do not wear it except when at hard work. Your appliance is just as good as ever. You can use this letter as you like for the benefit of others.
Yours sincerely,
GEO. KENNEDY.

REMEMBER

I send my Appliance on trial to prove what I say is true. You are to be the judge. Fill out free coupon below and mail today.

If you have tried most everything else, come to me. Where others fail is where I have my greatest success. Send attached coupon today and I will send you free my illustrated book on Rupture and its cure, showing my Appliance and giving you prices and names of many people who have tried it and were cured. It is instant relief when all others fail. Remember, I use no salves, no harness, no lies.



The above is C. E. Brooks, inventor of the Appliance, who cured himself and who is now giving others the benefit of his experience. If ruptured, write him today, at Marshall, Michigan.

I send on trial to prove what I say is true. You are the judge and once having seen my illustrated book and read it you will be as enthusiastic as my hundreds of patients whose letters you can also read. Fill out free coupon below and mail today. It's well worth your time whether you try my Appliance or not.

Make up your mind right now that you will never pay out another dollar for trusses. They are expensive, uncomfortable and actually harmful. And when you once try a Brooks Appliance you could never be persuaded to ever again wear a truss.

And here is a letter from a mother who is thankful because a Brooks Appliance cured her boy so he could go out and serve his country.

2 Orchard Road, Richmond, Surrey.
April 11th, 1915.
Mr. C. E. Brooks,
Dear Sir:
A line to thank you for what your Appliance has done for my son. After wearing it from December to the following September I can say he is quite cured and is now serving his country in France at his own trade, a shoeing smith. You can make what use you like of these, my thanks.
I am, yours,
Mrs. E. Whittle
(Mrs. E. Whittle.)

CHILD CURED IN THREE MONTHS

Brantford, Ont., Feb. 19, 1914.
11 Richardson Street.
Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.
Dear Mr. Brooks,—Just a line to let you know your Appliance has completely cured our little boy and we are very well pleased with it. We had it on him for about three months, and since he has had it off the rupture has not showed at all.
Yours truly,
MRS. G. SUDDABY.

RUPTURE THOROUGHLY HEALED

Ingersoll, Ont., Feb. 6, 1914.
Mr. C. E. Brooks:
Perhaps you will be interested in hearing what your Appliance has done for me. I know without doubt that my rupture has thoroughly healed after a term of sixteen years' suffering, and I attribute my restored and healed condition to the wearing of your Appliance, which held the bowel firmly and painlessly during the healing process. I have not worn it for months—neither do I feel in need of it.
Yours truly,
F. C. NOXON.

RUPTURED 22 YEARS; NOW CURED

East Sherbrooke, Que., Jan. 27, 1914.
Mr. C. E. Brooks:
Dear Sir,—I am very glad to hear from you, and happy to be able to tell you that my rupture was cured some time ago by your Appliance. I now need no truss after twenty-two years of torture.
Yours truly,
G. E. LEMAY.

CURED ME COMPLETELY

Perth Centre, N.B., April 26, 1914.
Mr. C. E. Brooks:
Dear Sir,—I received your letter regarding the Appliance you sent me. It was a complete success and now I don't know that I ever had a rupture. It has cured me completely and I thank you very much for it.
Very truly yours,
REV. H. A. SISSON.

FREE INFORMATION COUPON

Mr. C. E. BROOKS,
519A, State Street, Marshall, Michigan, U.S.A.
Please send me by mail, in plain wrapper, your illustrated book and full information about your Appliance for the cure of rupture.
Name .....
Address .....
City or Town ..... Province .....

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THURSDAY, NOV. 15, 1917.

THE CANDIDATES IN WEST KOOTENAY

R. F. Green, Unionist government candidate; J. H. Maxwell, Laurier Liberal; and Ald. I. A. Austin, Labor, are the candidates for the Dominion election in West Kootenay.

There is no doubt as to where any one of them stands.

Mr. Green supports the Union government, selective draft and vigorous prosecution of the war, with complete mobilization of Canada's resources to that end.

Mr. Maxwell supports Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Wilfrid's policy as set out in the manifesto. That policy is to cease operation of the selective draft act, try voluntary enlistment again and then put a referendum on the conscription question.

Ald. Austin stands on the Labor platform, of which the first plank is repeal of the selective draft bill.

The issue is clear enough and the candidates have made their position on the issue equally plain. It is for the electors of this constituency to decide which policy they desire should be carried out.

PEOPLE WILL NOT SHRINK FROM THEIR DUTY.

Sir Robert Borden puts the argument against the referendum thus, and it is unanswerable:

"In the face of the autocratic military aggression which now seeks to dominate the world no nation can endure unless its people are prepared to fight in its defense. Under the Military Service act the highest duty of citizenship is demanded of the people. I am entirely confident hat they will not shrink from that duty. It is said that this law ought not to be put into operation without a referendum. Such is the policy put forward in opposition to that of the government. I consider it my imperative duty to put the act into force immediately. That course is being pursued and it will be unhesitatingly continued.

"What is the situation? The need for reinforcements is insistent, compelling, imperative. Do we fully appreciate the meaning and effect of what is taking place in Russia and in Italy—there never was as great necessity to summon our sternest resolve and to gird on our fullest strength. In the British Isles, and especially in France, they are much in advance of us in the organization and the utilization of the nation's human energy.

"The terrible need for reinforcements can be met. But even with the best speed that can be made, we shall barely be in time. Yet it is seriously proposed that with Canadian divisions depleted at the front . . . it is proposed we are to wait until parliament is summoned, until a bill for a referendum is passed, and until the referendum shall have been held and the verdict of the people pronounced."

BEARS UNIONIST STANDARD IN EAST KOOTENAY.

Dr. S. Bonnell of Fernie, who was last night nominated as Unionist candidate will prove a winner for the war cause in East Kootenay. The doctor has resided in the Crows Nest for many years. He is known to practically every man, woman and child in the district and his popularity is widespread. As a supporter of the Unionist government, selective draft and a vigorous prosecution of the war he will receive the solid support of the Unionists of all parties in East Kootenay.

It is to be regretted that the Liberal organization refused to take part in the convention, but no one will imagine that the majority in control of the organization represent Liberals generally. Some Liberals support Sir Wilfrid; others, in company with N. W. Rowell, A. K. Maclean, F. B. Carvell and a host of other leaders of English-speaking Liberalism, have dropped party for the duration of the war and are supporting the Unionist war government.

CENTRAL INSTEAD OF DIVIDED MILITARY COMMAND

London press attacks on Premier Lloyd George because of the formation of an inter-allied war council and an inter-allied war committee would be more weighty if they offered concrete reasons instead of vague and unnamed fears regarding the effect of the new action.

It is a simple historical fact that the great weakness of the allies when they engage in military operations is the lack of central supreme control. One ally does this, another does that. With the most wholehearted desire for cooperation the result has never been complete coordination of effort. No one will deny that this has proved a great weakness to the entente in the present struggle.

On the other hand, the great strength of the central empires has lain in the centralization of control of all military operations by Germany, Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey. Bulgaria has never made a movement unless instructed to do so by the central general staff. Austrian movements, German movements, Turkish movements, all have been taken under orders from the supreme general staff.

Now that British and French troops are fighting in Italy beside the Italian forces it would seem that the need for an inter-allied staff had been accentuated, that the logic of events had been more powerful than the lessons of history or the axioms formed out of military experience through the ages.

ROSSLAND AND GRAND FORKS BUY VICTORY BONDS

Rossland and Grand Forks city councils are to the fore in subscriptions to the Victory loan. Rossland city has subscribed $50,000 and Grand Forks city $35,000. With Nelson's subscription of $30,000, this brings the total for three of the municipal corporations in Kootenay and Boundary to $115,000.

In making these subscriptions, Rossland, Grand Forks and Nelson city councils are doing a splendid stroke of business for the ratepayers they represent. They are transferring money from the sinking fund which bears 3 per cent to war bonds that pay more than 5½ per cent.

But, of more importance still, they are aiding in winning the war. They are displaying the spirit of patriotism which is carrying the people of the British Empire slowly but surely to victory over the autocratic forces which would engulf them.

Everyone should own a Victory bond.

If Germany should win this war your money wouldn't be worth anything to you, anyway.

Canada isn't asking people to give their money for the Victory loan. It is offering to borrow it at an interest rate of up to 5.81 per cent.

Canada's Victory loan will buy supplies for the troops at the front and supply credits to enable the entente to purchase goods in Canada.

Buy some Victory bonds for the children. They are worth more than money in the savings bank and they will help the entente to win the war.

If you can't buy a $100 bond, subscribe for a $50 bond. It will pay you 5½ per cent every year, or 5.81 per cent if the delayed payments under the instalment plan are taken into consideration.

WHAT THE PRESS IS SAYING

Cupid Runs His Own Game.

The London Mail has been urging Canadian soldiers to marry English girls and has been warmly criticized for doing so by some Canadian newspapers which have in mind the future of the girls at home. The discussion on both sides is simply so much waste time. Such matters are quite out of the control of newspaper editors, however influential, or of anybodp else. In attempting to give advice they show a deplorable lack of knowledge of human nature.—Edmonton Journal.

A Boom in Boys

The increase in numbers of male births during great wars has for a long time been put down to the kindly intervention of nature trying to rectify the innumerable losses. The Medical Monitor has crushed this theory. It declares that women who are fatigued by arduous labor such as munition and other work usually performed by men, can only become the mothers of male children. Gynecologists appear to be in agreement that history has given evidence in suppport of this explanation.—London Daily Express.

WHERE GEN. HAIG GAINS.

The Ypres battle ground is already hallowed for Great Britain, for the Passchendaele ridge and Gheluvelt were the scenes of seome of the fiercest struggles in the first battle of Ypres in October and November, 1914. Sir Douglas Haig is fighting "today in the very sector he brought up the first corps from the Aisne and came to the succor of the battered Seventh division, then far spent. He is winning back point after point from which his gallant men were forced in that epic conflict, and he is doing it with a tenacity and a calm, unhurried persistence which compel the admiration of the world. His deliberation has sometimes puzzled onlookers, but it is most palpably justified today. The great machine, slowly perfected under his hand, moves steadily forward. With each successive stride the arrangements grow more exact, the results more certain, the losses lighter. There is no longer the smallest of our armies—in which every division alike is a corps d'elite—over the picked and concentrated forces of Germany.—London Times.

If a man's really fond of music he seldom tries to sing.

THE HORIZON

We are all engaged today in watching the horizon. If we stand on a low level the range of view is limited; at the top of the hill we shall see things which were invisible at the lower levels.

Before this country's entrance into the war it was enough to go along as in the past—push business, pay current prices and sometimes criticize the government.

Now, with all the national energy developing for the supreme effort of saving Christian civilization and the national ideals upon which our own liberty rests, no height is too great to get the whole view. Only the near-sighted are satisfied with periscopic vision. Today we have a world-widened horizon.

We must recognize the things we see, or they will have no true meaning. We cannot look back upon our own affairs and forward to the looming menace without realizing that unless the latter is utterly destroyed, the former, with everything involved in them, may be attacked and rent beyond repair.

The question today confronting every individual business man and corporation, every producer and manufacturer is, shall we give, if necessary, all we now have, to be saved and to save; to be saved from the domination of an arrogant, murderous, godless survival of the Dark Ages, clad in egotism, hellish in method and of grasping ambition; to save our brothers in democracy, and freedom in our sister nations, and the international equities and privileges which we share with them—or not?

Our younger men are being made into fighters for the right, and we must watch them. They are to act for us, to yield their lives, if it is so willed, that we may live and remain a great independent nation.

That our prosperous country may continue to contain our free homes, that our factories and fields may continue to send their products into free world markets, that our ports may be greater terminals of a vast and free oceanic ferry, that we may live under laws of our own making—these are the things which are woven into the great question which looms in the further horizon.

We do not have to climb very high to see them, and it is a dull or selfish observer who does not see the whole question resolve itself, like the transformations of the cinema, into a compelling background of dollar signs, which group themselves as our fighters at the front; as our money flowing to them by every ship and converting itself into clothing, food, shelter and caveguns, of all calibres, to shoot straight at the hellish idea and hit it; ships and ammunitions; overtime in home factories and fields.

But we do not have to give our dollars; we only exchange them for a few years for certificates of world integrity and receive a guaranteed interest return.

It is the insurance of everything we value—with the premiums paid to the insured.

And taking out our policies now means putting up our flag and letting the fighting line know that it is waving high, and is up to stay. Let it dominate our horizon.—Boston News Bureau.

RAGS ARE ROYAL RAIMENT.

The sterling old sentiment of melodrama had it that rags were royal raiment when worn for virtue's sake. At the same time the ragpicker was no aristocrat, virtuous or otherwise, and his humble calling did not enrich him beyond his most frugal needs.

But times have changed, and even rags have changed with them. If the price of paper keeps on going up one may see fortunes founded from the rag bags, and purse proud plutocrats of the future will point proudly to their ancestor as "one of the old millionaires who made his money in rags."

The ragpicker of today is selling his stuff for more than four times his return four years ago. And it is not only in paper rags that the profit on refuse is mounting. The scans, scrap iron and a hundred other things that were formerly classed as rubbish and garbage are commanding a constantly increasinng return. Out of the things that every household makes haste to get rid of not only good things, but actual fortunes are now being made. From old books to old boots, from last week's newspaper to last year's bird's nest, everything you throw away as useless finds its uses and adds to the scavenger's bank roll. It is safe to say that nine-tenths of one's rubbish may be salvaged at a profit. Not only is the leather of discarded shoes used again, but the eyelets for the shoe laces, the shoe laces themselves, and the bit of steel that stiffens the instep.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

WOMAN'S VIEW OF THE VOTE.

The enfranchised women will vote for the selective draft, Union government, the rebuke of partyism, personal sacrifice and service, the honor and lives of the men they have given. They are judging both of the old parties by the degree in which those parties unite for the achievement of victory and a righteous peace.

It is said that the cabinet minister who had a chief part in preparing the Wartimes Election act spoke to a friends of how he understood his responsibility. "The way I look at it is this: If I endanger the passing of conscription by helping people to vote who are in sympathy with the enemy, I deserve to be set up against a wall and shot."

In this election women will vote with a similar mental attitude with just one thing in mind—the honor and safety of the men at the front.

It is well that the first instalment of the Dominion franchise has been given to women for a great purpose.

By national good fortune, the change has come when the country was ready for it.

For this one election, a vote is a Canadian woman's military cross. There is literally nothing else which can be compared in war time with the giving of a soldier. The woman who votes on Dec. 17 will perform a sacred duty of which she will almost shrink to speak.

IS CANADA A WELCHER?

Conscription Liberals will be disappointed and chagrined with Sir Wilfrid's manifesto. They had hoped that he would support the act and help to raise the 100,000 men required for reinforcements, leaving further operation of the act to a mandate from the people. This would have been acceptable to a large number of Laurier followers who favored conscription.

Now it has come down to a choice of standing by the boys at the front or deserting them. We must support Union government and the Military Service act or tell the whole world that Canada is quitting the war. That is the paramount issue of the coming election.

Canada entered the war without a referendum, and subsequently promised to raise 100,000 additional troops, making the total 500,000. This announcement was applauded throughout the Dominion and it has undoubtedly been accepted as a pledge by the British war office.

Is Canada going to be a "welcher?" We cannot conceive such a humiliating spectacle.—Windsor Record.

LESSONS OF THE MACLEOD CONVENTION.

When two men who have been such bitter political opponents as Dan Riley and Dr. Stanley of High River, who fought the hardest fight of the provincial election a few short months ago can get together, forget past differences and work for a common government there is reason for the political die-hards of the old line parties to consider the situation. Mr. Riley and Dr. Stanley were an inspiration at the Saturday convention at Macleod. They had sunk their past differences, and they were great, and they got behind union. That is one of the best arguments for the new Union government. When men can forget their old party affiliations and make everything else yield to the cause of the war, there is evidence enough that the main issue in this election is the war and the methods to be used that Canada may not shirk her whole duty. There are thousands of men throughout Canada whose views on domestic problems are just as divergent as ever they were but who are now lined up behind the new Union government convinced that the new government has the only satisfactory war policy with which to meet the present emergency.

That is one of the lessons of the Macleod convention. The other is that the farmers are just as interested in winning the war first as anybody else. There are some who think that all the farmers think about these days is making money out of the high war prices for foodstuffs. But the delegates at the Macleod convention showed that they were behind the Union government policy and they thought a good straightforward farmer would bring to the house in support of the government the strength and ability necessary to see the policy through. And in Mr. Shaw they made a good choice.—Lethbridge Herald.

TEUTONIC LOGIC

At the time of the destruction of Louvain by the German troops in August, 1914, Mr. Gibson, first secretary of the American legation in Brussels, in company with some other diplomatic officials, was conducted about Louvain by a German officer.

"Just to see what would happen," says Mr. Gibson, "I inquired about the provision of The Hague conventions prescribing that no collective penalty can be imposed for lawless acts of individuals. He (the German officer) dismissed that to his own satisfaction by remarking:

"'All Belgians are dogs and all would do these things unless they are taught what will happen to them.'

"Convincing logic!

"With a hard glint in his eye he told us the purpose of his work; he came back to it over and over, but the burden of what he had to say was something like this:

"'We shall make this place a desert. We shall wipe it out so that it will be hard to find where Louvain used to stand. For generations people will come here to see what we have done and it will teach them to respect Germany and to think twice before they resist her. Not one stone on another, I tell you—nie ein Stein auf einander!'

"I agreed with him when he remarked that people would come here for generations to see what Germany has done—but he did not seem to follow my line of thought."

THE FARMERS GIVE THEIR SUPPORT.

The Union government idea gains strength daily. From the prairies come positive indications that the organized farmers there welcome the rapprochement between the Liberal and Conservative parties on the basis of winning the war.

The Grain Growers' Guide expresses this view without equivocation. It says: "The support of the prairie farmers to the new administration will be whole hearted and in the highest degree patriotic. There are certain well defined and fundamental principles for which the organized grain growers have stood for many years. They adhere to those principles as firmly today as ever. But the organized grain growers are not the type of citizens to waste the strength and the resources of the nation by internal strife when the enemy is literally pounding at the gates. We believe that the grain growers are willing to accept any reasonable terms for a cessation of internal political struggle until the enemy is forced to surrender. After that date the organized farmers will push for the fulfilment of their own legitimate demands with all the vigor at their disposal. In the meantime they will carry on their educational work and will give the Union government wholehearted support so long as its actions and conduct warrant that support."

"My country first," is the motto of the Grain Growers.—Vancouver World.

Washington has decided to tax patent medicines containing a high percentage of alcohol as liquors.

FOOD IN BERLIN.

Increasing price and deteriorating quality are the characteristics of food in Berlin, as described by an American writer, recently a resident of the German capital, in the Atlantic Monthly. Here are some items on the Berliner's bill of fare. Mussel sausage — "a terrible concoction of ground mussels and spices;" dried sea lion's meat, made into a stew—"after one or two attacks of nausea people came to like the concoction—it filled a vacuum," bread containing five per cent sawdust and five per cent flour ground from straw; crows and sea gulls—"considered great delicacies;" horseflesh at 60 cents a pound; slightly tuberculous beef—"rigid inspection is a thing of the past;" barley, acorns and carrots for coffee—"there has been no coffee in the market for the past two years." Rice costs $2 a pound; toilet soap $2 a cake, and milk has been so scarce that "in the past year a cow has been an honored member of more than one palatial residence, leading a pampered existence in the courtyard."

KAISER AND SULTAN.

"Amsterdam, Oct. 17.—A despatch from Constantinople says the sultan of Turkey has conferred on the kaiser Turkey's highest war decoration, and that the kaiser has presented to the sulton the star and chain of the Hohenzollern Order with diamonds."

The martyred dead of "Scio's rocky isle," for centuries unavenged, the victims of Turkish massacres in Herzegovina's glens, of Turkish atrocities in Bulgaria's rocky fastnesses, the hosts freshly slain in Armenia, upon the one hand; and upon the other the shade of all the millions who lie in graves upon the battlefields of France, Belgium and Poland, of Galicia and Rumania, of Macedonia and Mesopotamia, and of thousands who have been sent unwarned and unknelled to burial beneath the waters of the sea, looked upon this strange, astounding scene. These two men, in their unapproachable supremacy as the world's greatest destroyers of human lives, with hands drenched in blood, blood enough in all literalness to incarnadine the seas, affixed each to the breast of the other an order of highest distinction, symbols and testimonies of exalted rank in the terrible art they practise and do not shudder at.

Alexander Borgia should have been there to confer his blessing upon this twain, who have so far surpassed him that his deeds of horror dwindle to mere peccadillos.—New York Times.

COLD STORAGE

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Application for lease must be made by the applicant in person to the agent or sub-agent of the district of which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections or legal subdivisions of sections and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns shall be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any agent or sub-agent of Dominion lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

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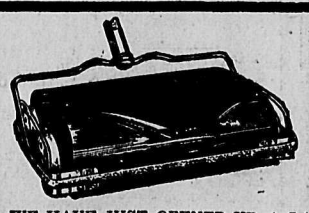

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A GENERAL MEETING

all canvassers for the Victory Loan l be held in the office of Hunter & nable, committee headquarters, at o'clock tonight. All canvassers are rticularly requested to attend.

D. GUTHRIE, Chairman.

RAIL WOMAN'S ARM BROKEN--AUTO UPSETS

ildren Have Narrow Escape—Car Driven by Son Wercked by Exposion.

RAIL, B. C., Nov. 14—The Rossland road was the scene of two nasty auto accidents on Sunday afternoon. Mike Butorac had taken his mother up to Rossland earlier in the day and was on his way up again to bring her back when his engine became overheated and exploded, leaving the car a total wreck. Meantime Mrs. Butorac, becoming impatient at his delay, had hired R. Delosse to bring her and the children down to Trail. In passing a car on the road Delosse's car went a little too near the edge and slid over, turning turtle. Mrs. Butorac sustained a broken arm and was taken to the hospital. The children escaped with minor injuries.

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ROSSLAND WILL INVEST $50,000 IN VICTORY LOAN

Coach Leaves the Track—Train Due from Nelson Delayed for Several Hours.

(Special to The Daily News.)

ROSSLAND, B.C., Nov. 14.—The city of Rossland has decided to invest $50,000 of its sinking fund accounts on Canada's Victory loan bonds.

Mrs. Walter Robson of Trail is visiting she city.

The train due here from Nelson Monday afternoon was delayed a number of hours owing to the coach on the morning train from here leaving the track.

The Brantford board of education has passed a war bonus of $5 monthly to school janitors.

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ROSSLAND WEIGHTS MAY BE CONTROLLED

Notice Given at Council of Bylaw Relating to Meats and Provisions Sold by Merchants

ROSSLAND, B. C., Nov. 14.—The regular meeting of the Rossland city council was held Monday evening at the city hall. Those present were: Mayor A. Page, Alds. Hanna, Bulmer, Dunn, Pitt and McLean.

R. E. Plewman wrote suggesting that the traders license bylaw be amended so as to permit farmers, ranchers, etc., to dispose of, without being liable to the present license fee of $50, any produce grown or obtained by them on their own land in the province. The council decided to introduce an amendment at the next regular meeting.

J. N. Cran, manager of the Bank of British North America, informed the council that the bank was prepared to sell to the city 23 bonds of $500 each, issued by the city of Rossland at a price of 89.29 plus accrued interest. The council decided to redeem these bonds to the extent of the amount of the sinking fund on hand, which is approximately $9000.

A communication was received from W. O. Miller, superintendent of the Canadian Pacific railway, Nelson, in connection with the overhead bridge on Washington street. The matter was left over to be taken up at the next meeting and the city clerk was instructed to obtain all available information in the meantime.

D. E. Hart, military secretary, and C. B. Smith, local secretary of the Y. M. C. A., requested the city to make a grant towards the association. The matter was left over till the next meeting.

City Solicitor R. J. Clegg wrote enclosing copy of a letter received by him from P. C. Shine of Spokane, Wash., in connection with the condition of the building owned by him in this city. This communication was ordered placed on file.

Notice was given to introduce at the next meeting of the council a bylaw governing the weight by retail of meats and provisions sold by local merchants.

A grant of $100 was made to the Sisters hospital for the current year.

The following bills were presented and ordered to be paid: T. H. Armstrong, $159.45; W. H. Wainman, $1; John Hanna, $11.50; J. S. Deschamps, $98.30; Brackman-Ker Milling Co., Ltd., $25.70; Betts & Oddy, $1; board of works payroll, $42; payroll, $38.50; D. W. Ferguson, $1.50; W. S. Murphy, $2.50; P. R. McDonald, $24.50; C. J. Miles, $87.25; J. J. Walker, $2; J. H. Freney, $24; Rossland Water & Light company, $45.45; West Kootenay Power & Light company, $153.20; British Columbia Telephone company, $26.40; Hopp Lee, $3; Alex Cameron, $35; Canadian Pacific railway telegraph, $2.35; T. P. Rogers, $10; Rossland Daily Miner, $10.75; M. A. Henderson, $8.50; Robert Barrie, $46; McKay & Beverly, $25.90; J. H. Lee, $16.05; Hunter Bros., Ltd., $18.70; A. S. Goodeve & Co., $53; T. S. Gilmour, $24.40; R. E. Plewman, $40.

WANETA ITEMS.

WANETA, B. C., Nov. 14.—A service was held on Sunday afternoon by Rev. J. A. Hull of Fruitvale at Mrs. Cooper's house.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazlett have gont to live at the Salmon river house. Mr. Hazlett will work with the Waneta Development company.

GRAND FORKS SENDS APPLES TO SOLDIERS

Forty Boxes Given by Ranchers and Citizens—Red Cross Establishes Winter Quarters.

GRAND FORKS, B. C., Nov. 13.—Miss Alice Kerr of the public teaching staff at Greenwood, spent the weekend in Grand Forks with friends.

In response to the recent appeal of the local Red Cross for contributions of apples to make Christmas cheery for the boys at the front, 40 boxes were secured from the ranchers and citizens. These were shipped yesterday.

Ald. McArdle and Frank Corzell returned Monday from Rock Creek, where they have been doing some government surveying.

The local Red Cross depot is now established in its winter quarters in the provincial court house. The members of the new womens committee, which was recently appointed, are: Mrs. Jeffs Davis, Mrs. H. E. Woodland and Mrs. E. C. Henniger. Workers are urgently needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Olsen and family of Phoenix spent Sunday in Grand Forks with friends, returning home yesterday.

VICTORY LOAN CAMPAIGN AROUND KASLO PLANNED

Committees Appointed to Canvass City and Surrounding Points—Good Response Expected.

KASLO, B. C., Nov. 14.—Mayor Anderson called a meeting the object of which was to appoint committees to canvass the district for subscriptions to the Victory loan. The following committees were appointed: For Kaslo, James Anderson, W. M. Papworth, A. T. Garland, Rev. H. E. Norton and A. McQueen; Zincton, H. Lakes; South Fork, W. H. Burgess; Whitewater, J. A. Poyntz; Queens Bay, J. H. Hoyle; Crawford Bay and Grays Creek, Commander Harrison; Trout Lake, Andrew Craig; Riondel, C. F. Sherwin; Ainsworth, H. Giegerich; Howser, William Simpson; Argenta, Henry Denoreaz. A good response is expected at all points.

PROCTOR—A whist drive and dance will be held in Gallup's hall, Proctor, on Tuesday evening, Nov. 22nd, in aid of the Red Cross funds. Doors open at 7 o'clock, to commence at 7:30 p.m. prompt. Admission 35c. Refreshments included. (7490)

ACCIDENT OCCURS IN ROSSLAND MINE

One Man Seriously Injured and Another Slightly Wounded When "Missed Hole" Explodes

(Special to The Daily News.)

ROSSLAND, B. C., Nov. 14.—J. Comich was severely injured and J. Jones received minor wounds this afternoon when they were drilling in the Le Roi No. 2 Josie mine. They struck a "missed hole," which exploded, causing Comich to be badly hurt in the face, eyes and shoulder. Both men were rushed to the hospital and received immediate medical attention. Late tonight Comich's condition was reported serious, though he is not in any immediate danger.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Inches and Miss Hazel Trembath have returned from a motor trip to Spokane.

Mrs. Proctor, wife of Dr. Proctor, and two children, of Victoria, are visiting Mrs. Proctor's mother, Mrs. A. Inches.

Mrs. Wraight of Spokane is visiting in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Geary.

W. W. Perry of Kelowna spent Tuesday in the city.

R. K. Wallace of Trail spent the afternoon in the city.

J. H. Honey, D. J. McDonell, A. McMillian, T. Embleton and A. T. Collis motored to Trail this afternoon to attend a Liberal meeting which is being held there today.

Mrs. J. White and Miss Elsie Waite motored up from Trail and spent the afternoon in the city.

ROSSLAND MAN DIES OF WOUNDS

(Special to The Daily News.)

ROSSLAND, B. C., Nov. 14.—R. K. Wallace received an official telegram last night stating that his son, Signaler George Wallace, had died of wounds. Signaler Wallace received gunshot wounds in the head on Oct. 18 and died in 708 field ambulance Oct. 31. Signaler Wallace enlisted with the 225th battalion at Nelson, but was later transferred to another unit.

GRAND FORKS WILL INVEST IN WAR LOAN

Subscription of $35,000 Decided upon by City Council—Citizens Contribute $2400.

(Special to The Daily News.)

GRAND FORKS, B.C., Nov. 14.—At the meeting of the city council on Monday evening the city fathers decided to take $35,000 from the sinking fund and invest it in Dominion government bonds.

Mayor Acres informed the board that he had interviewed the Hon. Martin Burrell in the matter of securing a war trophy for the city of Grand Forks. The minister assured him that he would do all he could to see that the city got some trophy, but did not think that would be possible till after the war.

The committee in charge of Canada's Victory loan report that satisfactory progress is being made. Some $2400 has now been subscribed in the city, most of this being taken up in small allotments. With the campaign gaining momentum the canvassers are confident that this sum will be greatly augmented within the next few days.

Miss Gwendolyn Humphries has accepted a position on the local postoffice staff.

Carson McLeod, Glen Manly, Ludy Frankovitch, Charles McArthur and Walter Lowerby returned to the city on Tuesday from Vancouver where they passed the examination for the royal flying corps and have now been duly signed up and are on leave. With the exception of the last named all these boys have been raised in Grand Forks, going through both public and high schools. They will be here for about three weeks, leaving then for Toronto where they will commence their training as airmen.

Percy H. Harkness has returned from Vancouver.

FORT STEELE DELEGATES TO CONVENTION CHOSEN

(Special to The Daily News.)

FORT STEELE, B. C., Nov. 14.—A meeting of the Fort Steele Unionist association was held at the Imperial hotel, Nov. 12, for the purpose of appointing two delegates to nominate a Unionist candidate at the convention which will be held in Cranbrook on Nov. 14.

A. Doyle and E. H. L. Attree, both of Fort Steele, were appointed as delegates. G. S. Baker was secretary pro tem. for the meeting.

Mrs. Justice Scott of Edmonton is visiting her brother, T. T. McVittie of Fort Steele.

CRANBROOK HEARS OF WAR WORK OF Y.M.C.A.

(Special to The Daily News.)

CRANBROOK, B.C., Nov. 14.—There was an attendance of over 70 at the business men's supper at the "Y" grill on Tuesday evening. After the repast a hearty welcome was extended to Capt H. A. Pearson, who gave a stirring address on the growth of the British offensive from the small army that took the field at the commencement of the war, to the mighty force now operating on the western front and elsewhere. Capt. Pearson also gave some interesting details of the work of the Y.M.C.A. at the front and demonstrated the value of the work being done for our boys in France by the organization.

BONNELL IS CHOICE IN EAST KOOTENAY

Will Run as Unionist—Liberals Refuse to Enter Convention on 50-50 Basis.

(Special to The Daily News.)

CRANBROOK, B. C., Nov. 14.—The Unionist convention assembled at 2 p.m. and immediately opened up communication with the Liberals who were also in convention here and negotiations were carried on until 12:30 this morning when it was finally evident that there was no possibility of getting together.

The last proposition from the Unionists was that the two parties should meet in joint convention on a 50-50 basis and the candidate receiving a majority of the convention should be the Union candidate, but the Liberals refused to come in on that basis.

The Union convention then nominated Dr. S Bonnell as the Union candidate to contest the east in the forthcoming election.

CANADIANS REPEL FIERCE ONSLAUGHT

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quarters, the Germans battling doggedly, but the British soldiers flung themselves on the enemy with such ferocity that he was compelled to give ground and finally retired, leaving many dead on the barren hillsides.

French Destroy Shelters.

PARIS, Nov. 14.—The war office announcement tonight reads:

"Artillery actions occurred north of the Aisne, in the region of Apremont forest. North of Berry au Bac one of our patrols, after an engagement this morning brought back prisoners and a machine gun. In addition one of our detachments entered German trenches west of Cornillet and, after having explored the positions destroyed shelters and captured material, returning intact to our own lines.

"An enemy airplane was brought down in combat in the region of Dammarie. The two aviators were made prisoner.

REFERENDUM WOULD MEAN DESERTING MEN IN TRENCHES

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last three years, responsibilities that I would gladly have laid aside except for the silent appeal from the trenches. The responsibility is now yours. It rests upon each of you, men and women. I pray that it may be fulfilled as to justify the sacrifices endured on many battlefields in France and Belgium by those whom Canada has sent forth in this awful struggle against the most relentless, brutal and powerful militarism that ever threatened to bring the world within the orbit of accursed tyranny."

Unity Only Natural

Hon. A. K. Maclean said he wanted to emphasize the fact that the Union government has no designs against *anybody. However, it was as impossible* to satisfy suspicious people in politics as in other things.

They could not comprehend the issue today if they thought there were still normal times. The party system had disappeared in England. What was more natural than that there should be a desire among Canadians for national unity in making a *supreme effort to win the war and attend* to national interests. He had not left his political leader. He had simply joined the Union government to render national service. He was not condoning the sins of the late government, but forgetting them in the present crisis.

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The large collar is trimmed with Taupe Fox, as are also the cuffs and bottom of coat. The one button at the front gives it a very stylish appearance. The skirt is made in modish style, an extremely smart suit. Size 36. SALE PRICE **$59.50**

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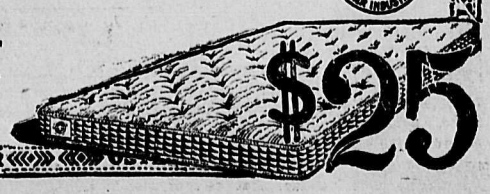

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DICTATORSHIP BY KAISER THREATENED

COPENHAGEN.—The threat that a military dictatorship is inevitable unless insistence upon a radical vice-chancellor is dropped and the government of Count von Hertling as it now stands is accepted, is held out over the progressive democratic elements in Germany.

Count von Hertling, through a semi-official note in the Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, announces that no promises whatever were made to give the Radicals the two posts they desire. Representatives o- the reichstag majority have issued an equally authoritative announcement that they adhere to their old position.

The Radical press indicates that the chancellor's compromise proposal to appoint a Radical deputy to the newly created ministry for occupied territories with a seat in the Prussian cabinet, is not acceptable because such a post would be merely temporary and the occupant would be powerless in the face of the military authorities.

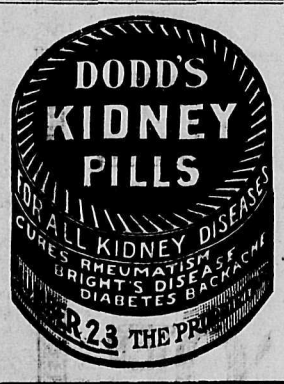
The situation is drifting rapidly toward the goal desired by the reactionaries, that is, a split in the present minority in the reichstag and the formation of a new coalition embracing the Conservatives and the National Liberals. Such a bloc, which would have a bare majority in the reichstag, is by no means impossible, despite the apparent unity proclaimed by the mapority caucus.

The Catholic centrum is by no means adverse to following the chancellor along a road marked with party advantages. The National Liberals who for the most part are Conservatives and annexationists and whose hearts never were in the present majority bloc, intimate strongly their informal announcement of Herr Frieburg's withdrawal of his acceptance of the vice-presidency of the Prussian cabinet their dissatisfaction with the attitude of the Radicals and the Socialists. They probably are quite ready to line up with the Socialists in an alliance. Herr Frieburg gave as the reason for his withdrawal that these parties advanced pretensions to his prospective office which could not be fulfilled and in so doing rendered vain hopes of creating a dependable working majority in parliament.

Not a solitary application for exemption was made Thursday before the three tribunals sitting in Moose Jaw. The boards commenced sitting at the advertised places and time, but not one of the 770 men who have registered for exemption appeared before the board.

While playing about the old canal Walter, eldest son of Norman C. and Mrs. Peacey of Port Dalhousie, fell in and was drowned.

The freight per ton on a shipment of coal received at Cobourg by boat the past week was $1.70. Several years ago it was only 20 cents.



Face Peeling Habit Becoming Fashionable

Women of fashion and refinement in this country as in Europe seem to have been acquiring the mercolized wax habit, depending less and less upon cosmetics for their complexion difficulties. It does seem a lot saner to just peel off the wornout skin when it loses its youthful color and appearance—now that this can be done so easily, safely, painlessly and economically.

There's no trouble getting mercolized wax at any drug store (an ounce will do) since its virtues have become generally known here and there's no trouble using it—just as you use cold cream, applying at night, washing it off next morning. The wax takes off the old scarf skin, in tiny flakes, a little each day. This new underskin which gradually appears, is velvety soft and beautifully white, radiant with girlish loveliness. Any surface trouble like chaps, pimples, red or yellow patches, freckles, etc., vanish of course with the discarded cuticle.

GERMANY'S LAST HOPE IS TREACHERY

TORONTO.—A short time ago Prince von Buelow, formerly Germany's representative in Italy, remarked that he had prominent friends there at work. We now can gaze at some of the fruits of their work, which certainly will enhance Buelow's reputation in his own country and may speed his ambition to play a great part on the world's stage. Writing from Berne a fortnight or so ago, Mr. Julius Grande gave to the New York Times an inkling of what might be expected. At the time he wrote there was no indication of a great Teutonic advance, and the information upon which Mr. Grande based his conclusions was acquired by him at a much earlier date, in fact before the German reply to the pope's note was issued. It appears that there was a conference in Berlin attended by prominent public men, some of them representatives in the reichstag, some not. The purpose of the gathering was to express opinions as to what form the forthcoming reply should take. That the conference made a change in the reply that had been decided upon has been officially denied in Berne, but it has not been denied that there was a conference.

The Socialists' Scheme

The Socialists, it is said, insisted that the German reply should be definite with regard to Belgium, Serbia and Poland and some other matters. They said that Belgium should be evacuated and partially restored at Germany's expense; that Serbia should be evacuated and partially restored by Austria; that Rumania should be evacuated, but that no indemnity should be paid to her; that Poland should be left an independent state, while Courland should be evacuated and left to settle her own affairs. In return Germany would demand that some of her colonies be returned to her. Such a statement, while leaving much to be desired from the allies' point of view, would have an excellent effect upon public opinion in France and England, and particularly in the United States. It would give the elements opposed to war in all those countries, and probably the German agents, a chance to raise their voices in favor of an international conference, with a truce while certain points were being threshed out. If in the end the German terms were rejected Germany would at least have benefited by the delay and be better able to resume hostilities.

Opposed to this position were members of the Junker party, the pan-Germans and many of the Centrists. They contended that Germany had held out for three years, and that if she could hold out only a few months longer she would be able to impose her own terms of peace. All who spoke laid emphasis on their expectations of dissensions among the allies. One member of the Junker party assured his hearers that before long Italy would be as much disorganized as Russia, and that Germany had thousands of friends in the United States who would be busy making trouble. This view finally prevailed, and it is said that because of the high hopes aroused by the Junker speakers the conference approved a change in the answer to the papal note which made it the nonsense it is and a production which the Germans themselves do not pretend to understand. The Junker who made the promises about Italy evidently spoke by the book, although there is no reason to suppose that Italy will ever be reduced to the present status of Russia.

"Divide and Conquer"

Germany's original plans have been sadly disarranged by the progress of the war, but they remain essentially the same as ever, and of late appear to have been working out more satisfactorily for her than at any other time. She has all along counted upon defeating her enemies one by one. France was to be the first victim; then she was to turn to Russia. Circumstances have obliged her to alter Russia's position in the batting order, and now we see that Russia stands first among the great powers to be rendered virtually helpless. What she was unable to accomplish by force of arms in Russia she has almost achieved by means of her secret agents and her anarchist dupes. Of late we have had sensational revelations of the part her spies tried to accomplish in France. It was announced the other day that Bernstorff was backing another rising in Ireland. It is too early yet to say that all her activities in the United States have been brought to nothing.

New "Talking Points"

Germany's hopes must recently have revived. What she has achieved may not amount to much in a military way. If the whole Italian army were captured her great problem on the western front would be left unsolved, but Germany has secured, in the collapse of Russia and in the disaster to Italy, what salesmen call "talking points." She has them to use as texts from which to exhort her people to continue to hold out and to encourage her allies. She has removed from Austria the menace of a Russian invasion; she has guided Austria to her greatest victory of the war in the past week. If she can provoke another Irish rebellion the whole German population will cheerfully take another hole in its belt. If she can hold on long enough her rulers believe that anything may happen to help them. They are gambling now, and are throwing for the big stake of disorganization among their foes. The point is that Germany's foes cannot be disorganized unless they disorganize themselves.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

Peterboro closed a three days' canvass for the Canadian Red Cross, splendidly surpassing its objective of $20,000, the sum of $26,767 being raised.

Fraternal societies are to be allowed to do social work in U. S. camps. No initiations or secret meetings, however, will be permitted.

Some sixty-three million dollars, almost half of the total earnings of the U. S. Steel Corporation, goes to the government for war tax.

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NICKEL SHIPPED TO GERMANY BY NORWAY

WASHINGTON. — Information received at Washington indicates that Germany is on the verge of receiving considerable quantities of nickel from a Norwegian plant for use in manufacture of tubes for torpedoes and that some of the Norwegian papers are voicing dissatisfaction at the fact that Germany is to receive such aid in view of the sinking of Norwegian ships in the U-boat campaign. According to the information reaching Washington, the Christiania nickel factory is about to resume operations and beginning in January will deliver 100 tons of nickel a month from Norway to Germany.

Exportation of nickel from Norway to Germany has been practically cut off for a considerable time and the promised supply will be of very great military value to her. The nickel is used for making tubes for the torpedoes.

The Christiania Middagaavisen, in commenting on the report of the early resumption of operations by the nickel factory and after stating that the Norwegian government officials are maintaining silence concerning the plan of the factory to export a stipulated amount of nickel monthly to Germany says:

"Looking at the matter generally, this exportation of nickel, if it is to be continued cannot be allowed to take place in secret. If not, others, at least the families of our drowned seamen have a claim to know who it is in the government and storthing that bears the responsibility of the German-torpedo manufacturers being able to obtain their nickel in Norway; all the more so since Norway has the honor of holding the monopoly in this field."

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Dry wood for sale, fir and tamarack. Irwin's Transfer, phone 151. (7491)

The B. P of E. will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the Elks' home. (7495)

The Baptist Ladies' aid will hold an apron and bake sale on Friday, 23rd. (7489)

Clan Johnstone, No. 212 will meet in the Oddfellows' hall tonight at 8 o'clock. (7488)

The Lady Maccabees will meet tonight at 8 o'clock prompt. Dancing at 9. (7494)

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NOTICE

All notice of meetings and other election advertising for publication in The Daily News must be paid for in advance or payment therefore be guaranteed by some responsible person.

A general meeting of all canvassers for the Victory loan will be held in the office of Hunter & Annable, committee headquarters, at 8 o'clock tonight. All canvassers are particularly requested to attend. (7499)
D. GUTHRIE, Chairman.

CARD OF THANKS.

The sons and daughters of the late Mrs. Sophia Cose of Harrop wish to express to their many friends their deep gratitude for kindness and sympathy shown them in their bereavement and sad loss of their beloved mother. (7492)

GRAND MASTER GLASS HONORED AT NELSON

Presented With Gift and Address on Occasion of Visit to Kootenay Lodge

At the regular meeting of Kootenay Lodge No. 16, I. O. O. F., held on Monday evening, Brother J. H. Glass of Penticton, grand master of the jurisdiction of British Columbia, was present on his official visit to the lodge. He was accompanied by Brother R. Dudley, P. G. M., of Fernie, and Brother D. C. McMorris, acting D. D. G. M. of Kootenay lodge. Brother E. H. Sadler, N. G., presided. The initiatory degree was conferred on a candidate, after which a brief address was given by the grand master, relative to the progress of the order, as well as to the work and activities of the local lodge and calling upon all brothers to stand by and for the principles of the brotherhood and to exemplify in their life and example the teaching of the obligations they had individually and severally assumed.

At the close of the business session the doors were thrown open and the Sister Rebekahs of Queen City lodge were admitted for the social exercises which followed. Refreshments were first served, after which the noble grand called the meeting to order and briefly introduced the grand master and Brother Dudley. Before calling upon the grand master to address the gathering, the D. D. G. M. was granted the opportunity of presenting Brother Glass a small token of the respect and esteem in which he is held by the lodge, together with the following address:

"Sir,—It affords me great pleasure, on behalf of Kootenay lodge, to present you this small souvenir, commemorative of your official visit to Nelson. We would ask that you do not value it so much for its intrinsic worth as for the spirit which prompts the gift. We congratulate you, sir, on your elevation to the highest office in our jurisdiction and express the hope that your term of office will be one of pleasure to yourself, and of profit to our beloved order. We further express the hope that when your term of office expires, you will still be found in the front rank of those who will continue to 'do their bit' for Oddfellowship and the noble principles for which it stands. We would ask you to convey to your partner in life our kindest regards, and we trust that you and she may long be spared to each other, and that when the final call shall come you may both be found ready, and that the 'well done' of the Master may be your welcome to the eternal home. That He may guide and guard you through all the peril of the way is our sincere wish."

Brother Glass made a brief and feeling reply, thanking the brothers for the kind thoughts expressed and cherishing more than all else the kindly reference to Mrs. Glass. Continuing, he gave an interesting account of his visit to the Dawson City lodge, and his experiences while there, followed with a resume of the condition of the order in British Columbia, and once again impressed those present with the importance of living up to their obligations, and on all occasions to exercise the true spirit embodied in the motto of the order, not only to those of the brotherhood, but to the world at large.

Brother Dudley, P. G. M., briefly addressed the meeting, followed in turn by several of the brothers and sisters present. Sister Forteath of the local Rebekah lodge, furnished the music for the social end of the meeting. In addition to the members of the local lodges, there were a large number of visiting brothers in attendance.

VANCOUVER FACTORY GETS 25,000 SEALSKINS

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 14.—Twenty-five thousand sealskins will be converted into shoes, gloves and other wear at a local manufactory this year. The seals were obtained in Siberian, Alaskan and British Columbia waters.

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SOCIETY NEEDS FIELD COMFORTS

City Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire Held Meeting Yesterday Afternoon.

At a meeting of the Kootenay chapter of the I.O.D.E. yesterday afternoon the need of field comforts for the boys overseas was especially emphasized. A report was read at the meeting showing that 22 suits of pyjamas, 41 pairs of socks, 2 pairs wristlets and 2 trench caps had been finished. It was stated that money was needed as the price of materials and the demand for warm garments kept increasing together. The dance committee reported that all was in readiness for an informal good time in the near future.

A donation of money from J. Parker will enable the society to adopt his son, J. R., who is a prisoner of war at Gisson, Germany, and was formerly one of Nelson's school boys. A beautifully embroidered Indian shawl of native workmanship, was donoted by Mrs. Smith, Silica street, which will be raffled by the society. The large doll donated by J. Meagher is now being robed by Miss Shaw and when finished will also be raffled.

During the afternoon through the courtesy of the W. C. T. U. the chapter had the privilege of meeting Mrs. Louise McKinney, who is a Daughter and earnest worker for the Empire's good.

A SLUGGISH LIVER CAUSES LOTS OF TROUBLE

When the liver becomes sluggish it is an indication that the bowels are not working properly and if they do not move regularly many complications are liable to set in.

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BOYS OVERSEAS SOLID FOR DRAFT

Will Support Union Government, Says Pte. John Roche on Returning to Nelson.

"The soldiers overseas are solid for selective draft and the Union government. At least, if there are any anticonscriptionists among the boys in khaki I didn't meet them," stated Pte. John Roche on his return last night from overseas. He has been invalided home on account of pleurisy. He enlisted in the 225th battalion and was turned down by the doctors. Eager to get to the front, he then enlisted in a forestry corps.

"I am very disappointed that I had to be returned to Canada as they need men and need them badly, especially young men, over there," he said last night.

"The treatment I received in England, in hospital and in camp, was first rate all the time. Certainly no one has any reason to complain of his treatment in the army these days. And the people of England treat the Canadians like princes. Many of them expressed their gratitude for the help Canada has rendered and its continuing to render in this war. Over there they realize what it would mean to have Germany victorious and they will never quit until victory has been attained."

Mr. Roche expressed gratitude to the officials of the Canadian Pacific railway and steamer lines for the manner in which they treated soldier travelers.

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MRS. M'KINNEY IS GUEST AT RECEPTION

Local Branch of the W. C. T. U. Honors Visiting Member of the Legislature.

About 100 women took advantage of an opportunity to meet Mrs. Louise McKinney, only woman legislator in the British Empire at a reception tendered to her yesterday afternoon. The affair was held in the Y.M.C.A. by the members of the Nelson W.C.T.U., the Alberta branch of which Mrs. McKinney is provincial president.

Out of courtesy to the guest of the afternoon, who is an executive member of the Alberta I.O.D.E., the Daughters of the Empire, who were in session in an adjoining room, adjourned their meeting for half an hour and joined in the reception.

Afternoon tea was served by Mrs. T. L. Bloomer, Mrs. A. T. Parks, Mrs. E. N. McBeth, Mrs. A. J. Dill, Mrs. W. B. Steed, Mrs. Keys and Mrs. A. H. Webb.

At the conclusion of Mrs. McKinney's address at the opera house last evening she was presented with a handsome bouquet of chrysanthemums, the red, white and blue streamers of which were decorated with small bows of white ribbon, the emblem of the W.C.T.U., one bow for each member of the local organization.

MAINTENANCE OF WAY MEN WILL TAKE STRIKE VOTE

Dissatisfied With Award of Conciliation Board on Demands for More Pay.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Nov. 14.—The maintenance of way men on the Canadian Pacific railway are dissatisfied with the recent award of the board of conciliation which investigated their demands for increased pay, and will take a strike vote during the next few weeks. About 6000 men will be affected.

The board awarded the men 1½ cents per hour to the foremen and 3 cents per hour to the ordinary workers. The men's demands were for a straight 5 cents per hour increase all around.

The following classes of employees are being canvassed with regard to the strike vote: Masons, trackmen, pipe fitters, water service men, bridge builders, interlock and signal men and painters.

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NO U. S. SHELL CONTRACTS TO BE LET IN PROVINCE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 14.—No contracts for shells for the United States will be let in British Columbia, according to advices received in this city from Sir Joseph Flavelle today. While contracts for a great many shells will be made with Canadian factories for the United States, the work will be confined to the east. A long freight haul is given as reason for not giving contracts in the west.

COUNTY COURT DECIDES MINOR CASES

At the sitting of the country court Tuesday, which was presided over by his honor, Judge Forin, the following cases were disposed of:

Calder vs. Fred Blakernan. Judgment for the plaintiff. Calder vs. Percy Blakernan. Judgment for the plaintiff. In each of the cases James O'Shea acted for the plaintiff and E. C. Wragge for the defendant. The disjute arose over promissory notes.

The action of Hennessey vs. Brandon was dismissed on account of the plaintiff not appearing. The action arose over a dispute on goods sold.

In chambers Tuesday afternoon James O'Shea obtained orders for the issuance of letters probate to William H. Haig-Smellie in the case of the estae of the late Lieut. Herbert Haig-Smellie, whose death was reported April last. The estate amounted to $3800.

James O'Shea also obtained an order for letters of administration to be issued Mrs. Sarah J. Cody in the case of the estate of Archy C. Cody, who died last January.

The action of Strachan vs. McDougall was adjourned to the next sitting of the court. Hollingsworth vs. Susselbeck was settled out of court.

APPLES

We have just received from the ranchers:

25 boxes of McIntosh Red, per box $1.75
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NOTICE

Strike on at Skyline Mine

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All men working or going to work will be placed on unfair list.

NELSON MINERS' UNION
MARCUS MARTIN, Secy.

ADMIRAL NELSON LEADS VICTORY WAR LOAN FLEET

The following telegram from William Farrell, president of the provincial committee, was received yesterday afternoon by Secretary Hunter of the local Victory War Loan committee:

"Splendid work. We have suggested $300,000 as your objective and you are ahead of all others in getting there. Nelson's ship always was in the van of victory."

SERGT. RONMARK IS ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL

Sergt. Alex E. Ronmark has been admitted to the No. 8 field ambulance as a result of gunshot wounds sustained in the right arm, according to word received by his father, A. E. Ronmark, yesterday.

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POLITICS TOPIC, MRS. M'KINNEY

EXTENSION OF FRANCHISE ADDS PERSISTENCY, MOTHERLOVE AND LOYALTY TO POLITICS.

WOMAN M.L.A. SPEAKS

LARGE AUDIENCE GREETS ALBERTA MEMBER IN NELSON OPERA HOUSE LAST EVENING.

Women with their persistency, motherlove and loyalty working with growing public sentiment for the eradication of graft, the patronage system and centralization of wealth in politics is the beginning of a needed revolution in politics, was the gist of a clearly given and highly interesting address by Mrs. Louise McKinney, M.L.A. of Claresholm, Alta., at the Nelson opera house last evening. The building was filled to capacity and hearty applause marked intervals in her speech.

In opening her remarks, Mrs. McKinney said that she appeared as a woman guilty of having entered politics. There was a time she said when people were doubtful of even a man who would enter the political game and it was said that he would later do one of two things, either not remain in politics or not remain good. Some had wondered for years what politics were anyway. She told of youthful impressions of "politics." To children it represented a man who shook hands a great deal, told funny stories and who was the man of the hour at election time. After the campaign there was the quiet and it was all over for a long time. But as children grew older they asked what politics were anyway. And after first being told that it was something that women should not mix in because it would destroy their feminity, they were finally given the fronchise.

Politics a Science.

Mrs. McKinney then turned to politics as she had discovered them to be. Politics she had learned was the management of national affairs—a science. The breaking out of the great world war had put a more serious aspect to it than before. The war had not been caused three years ago, she said, but had been caused, as history told the story, 40 years ago when Bismark fastened a policy of government on Germany. And in that way the war had been caused 40 years ago when a nation had followed out a wrong policy. In the same way, the speaker said, the policy of the nations of today would determine the policy of that nation 40 years hence. From this point alone women would do well, Mrs. McKinney said, to look into the politics of the Dominion as they are.

Gives Definition of Grafter.

The most outstanding feature of old line politics today was graft. The term might be applied to the big corporation, the M. L. A. or the voter who was bought. The speaker stated that in the dictionary the word "grafter" was defined as one who obtained money for self through public office. She said that the same thing applied to the voter who used the franchise for private good. "The franchise is not for us to use as we wish but for the public good," Mrs. McKinney declared, "and anyone who uses their franchise for private good is a grafter."

Another evil was the patronage system. The existence of it was known because Premier Borden had said that it must stop.

Monopoly of Wealth.

A third evil which was not a popular one at the present time was the centralization of wealth. It was the evil that came of a few men of money getting control of government. It had been stated, she said, that 23 men in Canada controlled the wealth of the nation.

All the evils of party government meant that Canada was a victim of a political system. Yet politicians were only men among men and if there was graft in politics then it only followed that there was graft in the business, social and other parts of world life. "The remedy is a revolution in our thinking. We must eliminate graft from our life."

Woman's Persistency.

One of the qualities of woman, the speaker remarked lowering her tone and turning to a new phase in the situation, was persistency. She said there was a popular expression that 'When a woman will, she will, and when she won't, she won't, and that's the end of it.'

Woman would bring with her into politics a second quality, that of loyalty. Then women would work hand in hand with men for the uplift of a glorious Canada. The situation had been defined, she said, and the three evils, graft, patronage and centralization of wealth should be attacked together.

Old Plan Fails.

The legitimate cost of election was large. The expenses came from party funds. There was a suspicion that certain moneyed men were so patriotic that they gave to the party money for these funds. The moneyed interests had an axe to grind, the speaker intimated. "All those things must go and we are gaining headway," Mrs. McKinney declared.

A call had been sent for the men of the country to fight for democracy and unless the people at home banded themselves together to crush the evils that had been killing the best in the nation they were not doing all they should. Every wrong was a challenge to every citizen.

THIRD DAY BOND SALES $30,950

NELSON SELLS ONE-THIRD ENTIRE QUOTA IN FIRST THREE DAYS.

MANY SMALL AMOUNTS

GRAND TOTAL NOW AGGREGATES $112,750 IN VOLUNTARY SUBSCRIPTIONS TO POPULAR LOAN.

Victory war loan sales took a climb again yesterday in the city when a total of $30,950 in voluntary bond applications were reported received by the Nelson and district committee. This amount brings the grand total for the first three days up to $112,750 or one-third of the entire quota expected of Nelson.

A greater number of yesterday's subscriptions were for small amounts, only one $5000 application having been made. Visits of smaller salaried wage earners were especially noticeable in the committee's headquarters during the day and two scores of $50 bonds were applied for.

Tomorrow morning the personal house-to-house canvass will be commenced and the entire canvassing committee, numbering in all over 20, will take part in visiting the citizens of the city both in the business and residential districts.

This morking C. R. Hickman, who has offered his services gratis to the local committee, will leave Nelson for points on the Great Northern railway between the city and Waneta to solicit subscriptions to the war loan.

A telephone call was received by the local committee yesterday stating that the organization of the Creston committee had been completed and requesting an additional supply of advertising posters. Wednesday afternoon a public meeting was held at Slocan City at which H. E. Dill, local publicity officer, was one of the principal speakers. A large number were in attendance and an enthusiastic hearing was accorded those who took the platform.

LOCAL AUTHORITY VIEWS NEW ISSUE

N. Wolverton Gives Brief and Simple Synopsis of Proportional Representation

In a letter to The Daily News, N. Wolverton briefly summarizes the proportional representation issue which will come up for consideration at the meeting of the city council Monday evening.

"Pursuant to notice given last month a bylaw for the adoption of proportional representation in the city elections will be under consideration at the next meeting of the city council.

"The great majority of the electors of the city are quite fully informed as to that method of election, yet for the sake of those who have not given it thought permit me to give a very brief description thereof.

"The basic principle is that a city or district is not divided into geographical areas each of which elects one or more men, but into constituencies or groups of individuals who hold common sentiments whatever part of the city or area they may reside in and who desire to have their sentiments represented. For example: The city of Nelson would do away with the wards and the people would come together in groups of like sentiments.

"Let us suppose that in the city voters would naturally fall into the following eight classes of like thought: Business men, railroad men, professional men, labor men, Socialists, Conservatives, Liberals, women. Each class would like to be represented in the city council but all cannot be as only six aldermen are to be elected.

"Again, suppose that 950 votes will be cast and six to be elected. There may be any number of candidates. Any candidate who polls what is known as the quota of votes, that is in this case 136, will be elected. In that way any group of voters numbering 136 can be represented.

"The plan of voting is so devised that no one will lose his vote. The voter marks his ballot thus: Opposite the name of his first choice, that is, the man above all others whom he wishes elected, he places the figure 1. He may write after other names the figures 2, 3, 4, etc., as many as he wishes, indicating his second, third, fourth, etc., choice. His vote will go to the man of his first choice if that candidate needs it, that is has not received 136 votes and been elected without it. In that case his vote will be transferred to his second choice to help to elect that man. In some cases it might be transferred to his third, or further choice. In some cases his first choice may have so few followers that he cannot be elected. Should this occur still the vote is not thrown away but will be given to assist in electing some other man of his choice. Each elector has but one vote but that vote is transferable according as the elector has instructed the returning officer by means of the figures he has placed on his ballot.

"The system would not apply to the election of mayor unless there are more than two candidates for that office.

"The voters duty is simply to mark the candidates in the order of his choice. The work of the returning officer is more complicated but in a city like this should not take more than two hours.

"This system is the only one which has ever been devised to give representation to minorities and the only one which gives to all parties a fair and square deal. Wherever it has been adopted it has worked to the entire satisfaction of all parties."

It is a wise thing to buy your Fuel now before the shortage takes place and the weather cold.

It is a wise thing to buy your own home while prices are low and quit paying rent.

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TRIBUNAL PASSES ON TWENTY-FOUR APPLICATIONS

Applications to the number of 24 were handled yesterday by the local exemption tribunal. Of this number only five came under category "A." The remaining 19 were the applications of men who were physically unfit and were automatically exempted.

CORP. E. KEATLEY REPORTED WOUNDED

Corp. Ernest Keatley has been reported wounded in action, according to information received by his mother, Mrs. W. Keatley. The corporal enlisted in a local battalion a little over a year ago.

Social and Personal

Miss Mae Pascoe left for Calgary yesterday morning.

C. R. Hickman of the Imperial Life agency will leave on the Great Northern railway this morning to canvass points between this city and the boundary line for Victory loan subscriptions.

F. B. Delves of Trail, and formerly of Nelson, who is in Trail hospital with several broken ribs and injuries to the head as the result of an accident a couple of weeks ago, is reported to be well on the road to recovery.

News has been received from Capt. T. P. Devlin, R.A.M.C., England, of the death of his youngest son, Lieut. F. C. C. Devlin, Gambia company, Nigerian contingent, East Africa, who was killed in action about the middle of last month.

CALDER NAMED FOR MOOSE JAW

Gen. Mewburn Endorsed by East Hamilton Liberals—Nominations in Many Points.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Nov. 14.—Major G. W. Andrews, D.S.O., was nominated as the Unionist candidate at the open convention of Centre Winnipeg electors Tuesday evening. There is a split, however, among the Union forces of this constituency and Dr. S. G. Bland, a prominent Liberal, has declared he will continue to run as Liberal candidate and the Liberal executive of Centre Winnipeg sent a letter to the convention stating that they refused to attend it because they did not recognize the convention.

Lieut.-Col. Fonseca's name was proposed to the meeting as Union candidate, but there was no seconder, and Major Andrews received the nomination unanimously. He gave a strong address, stating that he was out for winning the war and that in every respect voluntarism had failed.

While in France, he said, he had some good Quebec soldiers in his battalion and they were so "damned good that he still had faith in that province."

It is stated that another effort will be made to effect Union in the constituency.

Norfolk Unionist Named.

SIMCOE, Ont., Nov. 14.—Hugh. P. McInnes, K.C., ex-M.P., was today nominated Unionist candidate for Norfolk at a mass meeting of Liberals and Conservatives here. W. A. Charlton, who represented the riding in the last parliament as a Liberal, declared that he would not accept the verdict of the meeting.

Winnipeg Editor Nominated

WINNIPEG, Nov. 14.—R. L. Richardson, managing director and editor of the Winnipeg Tribune, received the endorsement of the convention held by Springfield Unionists today and will contest the riding in the interests of the Union government.

G. Charrette of St. Boniface is already in the field as the Laurier Liberal candidate.

Two names came before the convention, the other nominee being Dr. J. P. Howden of Norwood.

Only one ballot was required, Mr. Richardson having 75 votes to Dr. Howden's 58, whereupon the latter moved that the nomination be made unanimous and this was passed with enthusiasm.

The Pas Man Chosen

SWAN RIVER, Man., Nov. 14.—At a convention of Unionists of the federal constituency of Nason, held here today, J. A. Campbell of The Pas was the choice as their standard bearer.

One other name was presented to the convention, being W. I. Ford, who, immediately after the balloting, moved that the nomination be made unanimous.

Turriff Named.

ESTEVAN, Sask., Nov. 14.—J. G. Turriff was the unanimous choice as Union government candidate for Assiniboia at the convention here today.

C. C. Smith of Carnduff was also proposed, but withdrew. Mr. Smith was the Conservative candidate who retired some time ago to make room for a Union government choice.

Calder Nominated.

MOOSE JAW, Nov. 14.—Hon. J. A. Calder was chosen as federal candidate at a Union government convention tonight of Liberals, Conservatives, Great War Veterans and the British National Citizenship league. J. A. Maharg, president of the Grain Growers' association, also endorsed the nomination.

Labor Man Chosen.

SUDBURY, Ont., Nov. 14.—A representative Unionist convention at North Bay today endorsed the candidature of Charles Harrison, Independent Labor candidate as a win-the-war candidate in Nipissing.

Laurier Man Selected.

CAYUGA, Ont., Nov. 14.—A meeting of 400 people tonight nominated J. J. Parsons as Laurier Liberal candidate.

Gen. Mewburn Nominated.

HAMILTON, Ont., Nov. 14.—The Liberals of East Hamilton this evening decided to endorse Hon. S. C. Mewburn, minister of militia, as their candidate.

Morrison Chosen.

BRIDGEN, Ont., Nov. 14—J. G. Morrison was today nominated by the Laurier Liberals to contest West Lambton.

Is Unionist Candidate.

MONTREAL, Nov. 14.—Aquailli Jasmin was nominated the Unionist candidate for Jacques Cartier division this afternoon.

Candidates Named.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Nov. 14—The Conservatives of St. John-Albert, in convention here tonight, nominated Commissioner R. W. Wigmore of St. John for one of the two seats in the house of commons The Labor party nominated Daniel Mullin, K. C., Belgian consul, in St. John. The Liberal convention was in session at a late hour considering whether it would nominate a Union candidate. The Liberals, by a vote of 130 to 56, rejected the principle of Union government in Canada, whereupon minority delegates walked out of the convention and at a meeting nominated S. E. Elkin, Liberal-Unionist.

The regular Liberals nominated Dr. A. E. Emery and W. H. Broderick of this city.

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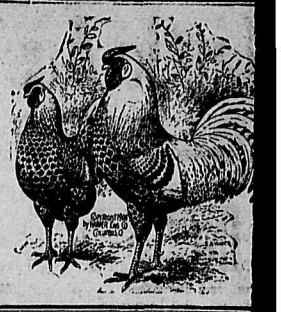

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Canadian mothers, sisters, wi daughters and widows of soldiers the British as well as the Canad army overseas, or the navy, are elig to be placed on the voters' list by enumerators for the coming elect Information to this effect was rece ed yesterday by Fred C. Moffatt, W Kootenay returning officer, from tawa.

This means that the mothers, wi widows, sisters and daughters of me bers of the British expeditionary fo whether such soldiers have ever res ed in Canada or not, are eligible. the women must have resided in C ada for a year and in this riding a month. The point was taken with Ottawa by Mr. Moffatt beca there was some doubt as to whet the enfranchisement of women app to relatives of all British soldiers well as all Canadian soldiers who h gone overseas.

Women before they can vote m have reached the age of 21 years be qualified as to race and so on.

Special printed forms have been sued for the enumerators to make their final lists of voters, but provi an exact copy of the official form made there is stated to be no obj tion if forms are typewritten and names filled in on a typewriter. reason that this course has been s gested is that the official forms too wide for most typewriters.

There must be at least one separ polling place in each polling divisio

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