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BREWSTER WILL BE ASKED TODAY TO FORM CABINET

Official Figures of Soldiers Vote Received

WILL MACDONALD BE ATTORNEY-GENERAL?

Coast Liberals Fighting for Clean Politics Would Oppose Him

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 22.—The official figures of the soldiers vote in England which reached Victoria yesterday and examined today and tabulated by the deputy provincial secretary, who is the returning officer, have made no change in the election results as previously compiled from the cabled summary together with the results of the voting in Canada.

The certificate, which instead of coming by the Cunard liner Panonia, as the premier was advised would be the case, left England on the Carmania on Nov. 7, the Panonia being held over until Nov. 11. As soon as the certificate arrived and the premier was apprised of its receipt he attempted to get into touch with Mr. Brewster, but the latter was in Vancouver. He returned to Victoria today.

The government's resignation will go to the lieutenant-governor in the afternoon. The premier will recommend his honor to call upon Mr. Brewster to form a government.

Ten Days for Recount Demands

Within 10 days of the declaration of the deputy provincial secretary demands for recounts must be filed. It is likely that such will be demanded in Esquimalt, where F. B. McCurdy, Liberal, has a majority of two over R. H. Pooley, Conservative; in Islands, where M. B. Jackson, Liberal, is four ahead of Major W. W. Foster, D.S.O.; in Slocan, where William Hunter, Conservative, is one behind C. F. Nelson, Liberal; and in Fort George, where Hon. W. R. Ross, minister of lands, is seven ahead of John McInnes, Socialist.

Would Oppose Macdonald.

(Special to The Daily News.)

VANCOUVER, B.C., Nov. 22.—If M. A. Macdonald is selected as a member of the new Brewster cabinet he will be opposed at the subsequent byelection by a Liberal. That is the latest report coming from the inner circles of the Vancouver Liberal party.

The candidate who will oppose Mr. Macdonald will especially represent what has come to be known as the purity section of the party as opposed to the Wade-Macdonald section. Who he will be has not been decided, but among those who know three names are mentioned, one of which is pretty sure to be the final selection. They are D. E. McTaggart, E. M. M. Woods and ex-Ald. Crowe. Mr. McTaggart is a barrister of prominence and one of the recognized leaders of the purity section of the Liberal party.

Last year he was president of the Vancouver Central Liberal association. He it was who was chiefly responsible for the prosecution of Peter Annance on charges in connection with the plugging at the last byelection, which resulted in Annance being sent to jail, where he still is. Ex-Ald. Crowe has long held the confidence of Vancouver Liberals. At the Liberal convention for the selection of candidates for the last elections his name was placed in nomination and he narrowly missed becoming one of the party candidates, being beaten by only a few votes by Patrick Donnelly. He was Liberal campaign manager at the recent elections in Vancouver and much of the credit for the Liberal victory is attributed to him. Mr. Woods has also taken a conspicuous part in the efforts that have been made along the lines of political purity. He made several trips to Seattle in an effort to secure the return of J. T. Scott to Canada, in the hope that Scott might be compelled to disclose the details of the byelection plugging plot, in which he is alleged to have been the chief worker. Mr. Woods also took a prominent part in the movement for the prosecution of Annance and he is credited with the honest determination to purge the Liberal party of all suspicion of corruption, let him suffer who may. Any one of these candidates would have a strong Liberal following, and if supported in any considerable numbers by Conservatives, would probably have little difficulty in defeating Mr. Macdonald. It is hardly likely that the awkward possibilities of such a situation will be lost upon Mr. Brewster.

Two Bitterly Hostile Camps.

Mr. Brewster has kept complete silence as to whom he will select as his colleagues but it is not difficult to guess the names of the majority of the new ministers. The attorney generalship is the crux of the situation. And on the question as to who is a fit person to hold a post which carries with it the responsibility for the administration of justice throughout the province, the Liberal party is split into two bitterly hostile camps. For weeks past both sides have been impressing their views upon Mr. Brewster and both parties have added thinly veiled threats to their arguments. Neither side has secured the satisfaction demanded. Mr. Brewster has been a sphinx. He has listened patiently and said nothing. Who will be attorney general is still the riddle of the sphinx.

The Wade-Macdonald section demands the attorney generalship for Mr. Macdonald as its legitimate share of the spoils of office. With this section of the party it is the attorney generalship or nothing. Mr. Wade's newspaper, the Sun, nominated Mr. Macdonald as attorney general even before the Liberal victory had been won. It is claimed that the result of the election in Vancouver has vindicated Mr. Macdonald, that it proves that the people have confidence in him, that his slate has been wiped clean. And thinly veiled threats are added to the argument. Where, it is hinted, would Mr. Brewster be if the chief Liberal organ in the province became openly hostile to the government or even if its support became notoriously lukewarm.

Say Macdonald Impossibility.

The purity section of the party believes that its arguments are unanswerable. It contends that Mr. Macdonald's selection of Scott as his chief campaign agent, the revelations in the Annance case, and later before the legislative committee that investigated the plugging charges, Mr. Macdonald's double failure to secure the conviction of Gosden on the perjury charge and the possibilities of the "confession" that Scott is alleged to have made, make Mr. Macdonald an impossibility as attorney general. Imagine the situation, say these Liberals, if Scott returns to Canada and the responsibility for the prosecution of his confidential election worker should rest with Mr. Macdonald. And they, too, have a threat up their sleeve. Where would the new government be, they say, if Mr. Macdonald on becoming attorney general, resigned his seat, as he must do according to constitutional practise, and on appealing again to his constituents found himself opposed by a Liberal and was defeated? And they further ask what is the matter with Farris? J. W. DeB. Farris, they say, is equally available as attorney general. He is as strong a man and as popular as Mr. Macdonald and they declare the arguments advanced against Mr. Macdonald's appointment do not apply in Mr. Farris' case.

In the meantime Mr. Brewster keeps silence, but he is thinking furiously.

NO AMERICANS ABOARD THE BRITANNIC

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Local agents of the American Red Cross said tonight that, so far as they knew, no members of that organization were on board the Britannic when she was sunk. They doubted if any American nurses or physicians were on the vessel. One official said he never heard of an instance in which an American Red Cross worker had been assigned to a hospital ship.

FREIGHT HANDLERS GET 2-CENT RAISE

Strike in Toronto Collapses, Says Despatch—Mayor Church Intercedes With Company.

TORONTO, Nov. 22.—The Canadian Pacific freight handlers' strike in Toronto has collapsed, the men returning to work without any terms from the company. Their demand for increased rate of wages was the subject of a meeting today between the mayor, who acted as mediator between the company and the men and Allan Purvis, general superintendent Canadian Pacific railway, the company voluntarily granting an increase to hourly men of 2 cents per hour. The strike collapsed owing to the ability of the company to handle all freight offering and the sympathy of the general public being with it on account of the manner in which it offered to arbitrate the dispute either under the Lemieux act or by local friendly arbitration by business men of Toronto, both of which were refused by the men.

Mayor Church interceded with the company on the men's behalf in bringing about a settlement of the strike.

BRITISH REPULSE GERMANS IN AFRICA

Small Post Attacked—Reinforcements Arrive and Put Enemy to Flight, Leaving Dead and Guns.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Nov. 22.—An unsuccessful attack by a German column upon a small British post in German East Africa, following which the Germans were driven away with heavy losses by British relief forces, is announced in an official statement issued today. The statement follows:

"The enemy, 400 strong, with three guns and eight machine guns, attacked a small British post at Lupembe. The garrison repulsed all attacks, inflicting heavy casualties.

"Later two British columns closed in on Lupembe and the enemy fled in a northeasterly direction, taking their wounded with them and abandoning one heavy gun with its ammunition. Forty-seven dead were collected on the field."

EMPEROR'S DEATH NOT TO AFFECT WAR

German Domination Over Austria-Hungary Too Complete for That, Say London Papers

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Nov. 22.—The evening newspapers, commenting on the death of Emperor Francis Joseph, express the opinion that it can have no effect upon the war, because, they say, of German domination over Austria-Hungary, both military and politically. The Pall Mall Gazette says:

"It is impossible that the emperor's death will make any vital difference, politically or military, in the situation. It is true that the personal link of the throne counts for much in the ramshackle empire and the prestige conferred by years and dramatic affliction cannot be transmitted to the princeling who now receives the sceptre; but Austria has passed the stage in which her own instincts or sympathies can count for much in one way or the other. She has ceased to be an autonomous factor in the struggle. German leaders command her armies, German politicians are directing the course of her government and the program is already drawn up by which she is to walk in the event of a victory or a respite for the central powers. The dual monarchy is at an end in every sense of political reality."

Referring to the emperor's career, the Pall Mall Gazette says that even across the chasm of warfare some sense of pathos must still attach to the figure of a man who has all his life borne the chastisement of fate and who, it comments, passed away leaving the dynasty in even greater jeopardy than when he became its head.

The Standard says:

"It is too early to assess the specific responsibility of the late emperor for the crime of 1914. Whether he was forced into that crime or gave himself willingly there is at present insufficient evidence to determine, but it is certain that the woes descended upon Europe were the direct result of the subordination of Austrian policy to the ambitious ruler of modern Germany."

Great Gap, Anzeiger Thinks

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 22.—Commenting on the death of Emperor Francis Joseph, the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin says:

"The Austrian emperor's death will create a great gap, especially as it occurs at a moment when immense events are deciding Austria's future. There is, therefore, no doubt that the enemies of Germany and Austria will joyfully record this event to their credit side of the war balance, but the near future will show them that their calculation is a mistaken one. The will to victory of the Austro-Hungarian people will lose none of its strength."

AUSTRIAN QUEEN'S KIN FIGHT FOR BELGIANS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PARIS, Nov. 22.—Two brothers of the new Austrian empress, Princes Xavier and Sixte of Parla, are serving in the Belgian army. President Poincaire recently decorated both these princes with the War Cross.

BLAZE BLOCKS WAY TO SAFETY; JUMP

Several Injured When Montreal People Jump From Upper Stories Into Firemen's Nets.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Nov. 22.—A number of persons were injured, one seriously, through jumping to the street when fire broke out at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon in the basement of a store and office building at 242 St. James street. A. Dubois, 17, jumped to the pavement from the third story, and was severely injured in the legs and hip. He is in the general hospital. Of several others who jumped from the first and second stories, U. Brady, 20, was cut and bruised about the face and hands. The others were less badly hurt.

The fire is supposed to have originated from gasoline stored in the basement. Escape by the stairs and from the lower floors was cut off before it was realized that a fire had broken out, and about 50 persons employed in the various stores and offices climbed to window ledges and signs hung from the walls, from where the majority jumped into the firemen's nets and escaped injury.

SAY DIVER SANK HOSPITAL SHIP

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NURSES, DOCTORS ONLY PASSENGERS

Two Submarines Lay in Wait For Victim, Declare Survivors

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Nov. 22.—A brief official bulletin today conveyed the news that the White Star line steamship Britannia of 47,500 tons, the third largest vessel ever built, which since she was completed has been used as a hospital ship, was sunk in the Aegean sea today and that 50 lives were lost.

Officials say that until an investigation is held nothing definite can be said, but the strongest suspicion is expressed by officials that the disaster was due to a submarine's torpedo. It is believed to indicate that submarine warfare of the most ruthless sort is to be waged by Germany.

Austrian and German submarines are known to have been active in the Aegean, while there has been no evidence that any mines has been planted there.

Torpedo, Officials Assert

It also is emphasized that, after the recent channel raid, Germany stated that hospital traffic across the channel was unusually heavy, which is interpreted by officials as intended to cast suspicion on the bona fide character of cross-channel hospital traffic and on allied hospital craft in general.

It was stated that the Britannic had been a hospital ship since she was placed in the service early in the war, and that, besides the wounded, no one beyond the necessary crew and medical staff was permitted to travel on the vessel.

Although the admiralty is careful to state that the ship was sunk "either by a mine or torpedo," officials of the White Star line declared emphatically that only a torpedo could have pierced the steel hull of the Britannic.

No Wounded Aboard

LONDON, Nov. 22.—The Daily News' Athens correspondent says the following concerning the sinking of the Britannic:

"The Britannic was torpedoed at 8 o'clock in the morning and sank near shore 55 minutes later. She was going to Saloniki but had no wounded on board.

"Her complement included 121 nurses and 390 officers and men of the army medical corps. Twenty-five of the injured from the steamer are now in the Russian hospital, while others are aboard allied warships.

"The islanders of Zea saw the vessel sinking and the victims struggling in the water, and promptly responded to the appeals for help, and an Anglo-French squadron from Piraeus, comprised of destroyers and auxiliaries, immediately went to the scene.

"The injuries of some of those on board are very severe, especially the occupants of two boats which were caught by the propellers of the steamer. The women of Zea tore up their clothing to bandage the injured.

"The Britannia had 3000 beds which had been prepared for the reception of sick and wounded an hour prior to the torpedoing."

Some of the London morning papers, commenting on the torpedoing of the Britannic, denounce this act and contend that the ship's markings would prevent the possibility of any mistake.

Modern Equipment Saved Lives

The smallness of the loss of life on board the Britannic is believed here to be due to the steamer's magnificent life saving equipment. She had a double bottom, over five feet deep, divided into a large number of compartments, and this system extended well above her water line. The ship carried 48 of the largest size lifeboats ever fitted to an ocean liner, two of them being equipped with powerful

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WIFE SICK; FORGES; DETECTED; SUICIDE

Toronto Man Goes into Bank Carrying Bouquet for Woman for Whom He Commits Crime.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Nov. 22.—Detained while suspected of having forged a check in the name of H. M. Davey & Co., Richard Travers, about 30 years old, who lived on Christie street, shot himself through the head and died almost instantly in the Bank of Nova Scotia at Queen and Lansdowne avenue this afternoon.

The man was married only a few days ago. His wife is in the hospital after undergoing a serious operation. When he entered the bank today he bore in his hand a bouquet of flowers for her.

Travers, who was employed as a real estate man by Davey & Co., presented a check for $41 and the signature was detected as a forgery.

RUMANIANS BATTLE AGAINST PERILS OF TEUTON INVASION

JACK LONDON, VAGABOND AUTHOR, PASSES TO REST

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SANTA, ROSA, Cal., Nov. 22.—Jack London, the author, died at his Glen Ellen ranch near here at 7:45 o'clock tonight, a victim of uremic poisoning.

London was taken ill last night and was found unconscious early today by a servant who went to his room to awaken him. It was at first believed that the author was a victim of ptomaine poisoning.

From the time London was found this morning he did not regain consciousness. About midday he seemed to rally but later suffered a relapse and sank rapidly until the end came. London would have been 41 years old on Jan. 12.

Jack London was born in San Francisco and educated at the University of California. He had a varied career as a gold miner, tramp, sailor, Socialist, lecturer and writer.

In his search for adventures among the scum marine population of San Francisco bay in his youth London soon lost his ideal romance and replaced it with the real romance of life as it exists. He became by turn a salmon-fisher, an oyster pirate, a schooner sailor, a fish patrolman, a longshoreman and general bay-faring adventurer.

When he was 17 he sailed before the mast from San Francisco as an able seaman. He went to Japan and engaged in seal fishing on the Russian side of Behring sea.

Then he became possessed of an interest in sociology and economics. Swayed partly by this and partly by the fascination of the adventure, he tramped over the United States and Canada, many thousands of miles. Not a few of hir adventures landed him in jail. He possessed no fixed abode and no visible means of support. Later he continued his vagabond career in the east end of London.

In 1897 he went over the Chilcoot pass with the first of the Klondike rush.

He served as a war correspondent in the Russo-Japanese struggle and in 1906 started on his famous seven-year cruise around the world in a 50-foot ketch-rig yacht.

OTTAWA WAITERS IN GERMAN ARMY

Recognize Canadian From Capital After They Have Surrendered—Nothing Stops Tanks.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 22.—Driver Ernest Howell, an Ottawa boy, who has returned from the front, says that in a batch of German prisoners he ran across former Chateau Laurier waiters. He formerly drove a car for a local taxicab company and the Germans recognized him as he was driving by. They hailed him and he talked to them for a time. They accepted the first opportunity to surrender. This policy is followed by many others who formerly lived in Canada.

The Ottawa boy saw the first tank used around Courcelette. They are about 40 feet in length, can take a 14-foot ditch without difficulty and if upset continue going.

"At one place I saw a nickel factory where a tank had gone through one brick wall and out the other," said Howell. "These are nothing to what will be used shortly."

ONE EGG A WEEK LIMIT IN GERMANY

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Among the passengers arriving by the steamer Stockholm today were three celebrated skaters, Frau Emmy Bergfeldt, Meyer Bror and Ulrik Solohow, who will compete and give exhibitions in this country. Frau Bergfeldt is a German, and she said food conditions in her country were terrible.

"We get only one egg a week," she declared, "and a piece of meat about this size," holding up a very small hand. "I am off to a hotel for a good meal."

NEW ZEALANDERS GIVE BRITAIN WOOL CHEAP

LONDON, Nov. 22.—A Reuter's despatch from Wellington, N. Z., says the wool growers conference has agreed to sell the New Zealand wool clip to the imperial government and that the price agreed upon is considerably under the 1915 and 1916 values.

REPEL TURKISH ATTACK IN PERSIA

LONDON, Nov. 22.—The Turks launched a heavy attack against Sultanabad, Persia, but were repulsed with heavy casualties by the Russians, according to Petrograd.

BRITISH BOMB GERMAN DEPOTS

London Reports Successful Attacks—Enemy Captured 26 in Raid on Trenches.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Tonight's war office statement says:

"During the day hostile artillery was active in the Beaumont-Hamel and Ypres areas. We bombarded the enemy lines near Ranscourt, east of Egres and north of La Bassee canal.

"Last night after a heavy trench mortar bombardment the enemy raided our front southwest of Cite St. Elie. Part of our front line trench was destroyed; 26 men are missing.

"During Monday night our aeroplanes attacked enemy railway stations, billets and transports with bombs and machine gun fire. All our machines returned safely."

Sporadic Cannon Duels Reported.

PARIS, Nov. 22.—Tonight's war statement reads:

"Intermittent artillery duels occurred along the greater part of the front; more spirited in the region of Dou au Mont and Vaux.

"The Belgian statement reads: 'Nothing of particular importance occurred on the Belgian front today.'"

ROOSEVELT HEADS LEAGUE OF NEUTRALS

Purpose of Organization Is to Protect Rights of Small Nations Against Oppression.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Theodore Roosevelt has accepted, temporarily, the honorary presidency of the League of Neutral Nations, it was announced here tonight. The organization was formed soon after the German invasion of Belgium for the purpose, according to its members, of influencing public sentiment in favor of the rights of smaller countries against military oppression by the great powers."

Originating in Switzerland, the league now claims to have branches in Argentina, Chile, Denmark, Spain, Greece, Holland, Peru, Brazil, Norway, Sweden and the United States.

HUGHES ADMITS WILSON'S ELECTION

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LAKEWOOD, N. J., Nov. 22.—Charles E. Hughes, Republican candidate for president in the recent election, tonight sent to President Wilson a telegram congratulating him on his reelection.

In his telegram Mr. Hughes said: "Because of the closeness of the vote, I have awaited the official count in California, and now that it has been virtually completed permit me to extend to you my congratulations upon your reelection. I desire also to express my best wishes for a successful administration."

WILL PROBABLY BURY FRANCIS JOSEPH TODAY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Arrangements for the burial of the late emperor have not yet been made, says a Vienna despatch to Reuter's, but the body will be interred in the Capuchin mausoleum next week, probably on Thursday. On Monday the body will be removed from Schoenbrunn castle to Hofburg chapel, where it will lie in state on Tuesday and Wednesday.

ALBERTA GOVERNMENT TO AID RECRUITING WORK

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

EDMONTON, Alta., Nov. 22.—At a meeting of the provincial cabinet this afternoon it was decided to contribute $500 out of the funds of the province to the commanding officers of each of the five battalions that have been raised in the province and are now located in Alberta toward the expenses that will be entailed in recruiting them up to strength. There are now two battalions in Edmonton, one at Red Deer and two at Calgary.

Retirement Appears to be Continuing

OFFENSIVE FAILS TO SHAKE ENEMY FRONT

Entente Troops Lose More Ground in Rothenthurm Pass Sector

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Nov. 22.—In the Wallachian region of Rumania the Austrians and Germans everywhere are keeping up their pressure against the Rumanians, and there have been forworded no despatches, either official or unofficial, which would indicate that the perilous position of the Rumanians has been ameliorated. Petrograd reports that in the Jiul valley the Rumanians are still in retreat toward Craiova but this report probably ante-dated the announcements of the Germans and Austrians of the capture of this railroad junction by forces of the central powers. A retreat upon Craiova would surely put the Rumanians into the hands of their antagonists.

To the northeast, in the Alt valley, on both sides of the river, and in the Rothenthurm pass sector, more ground has been taken from the Rumanians by the Teutonic allies, while in the region around Campulung, the Rumanians, in a strong offensive, have been held back by the stiffness of the front of the invaders.

Rumanians Counter-Attack

VIENNA, Nov. 22.—The following official communication was issued today:

"Craiova was taken after a short battle. On both sides of the Alt river the Rumanians withdrew further. North of Campulung all enemy efforts to gain an advantage by fierce attacks failed again. Otherwise there is nothing of importance to report on the eastern front."

WILSON CONDOLES WITH AUSTRIANS

Sends Message in Which He Says How Much He Esteemed and Regarded Francis Joseph.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—President Wilson today sent the following message of condolence to Emperor Karl Franz Josef of Austria-Hungary:

"I beg of your majesty and the imperial and royal family to accept the sincerest sympathy of Mrs. Wilson and myself in the great loss which you have sustained in the death of your illustrious uncle, for whom I entertained sentiments of high esteem and regard. I also extend to your majesty the condolences of the government and people of the United States and convey to you my best wishes for your personal well-being and prosperity."

The president addressed the new ruler as "His majesty Karl Franz Josef, Emperor of Austria, King of Bohemia and Apostolic King of Hungary."

At the same time Secretary Lansing instructed Ambassador Penfield at Vienna to extend on behalf of the president, government and people of the United States, condolences to the people of the dual monarchy on the death of their late venerable emperor and king."

REICHSTAG TO MEET.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON Nov. 22.—A Reuter despatch from Berlin by way of Amsterdam says that an imperial decree has fixed No. 25 for the convening of the reichstag.

SERBS STORM VILLAGES AGAINST STRONG DEFENSE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Late reports from Berlin concerning the fighting near Monastir are to the effect that northeast of the town attacks by entente troops against the German-Bulgarian front failed. Paris had previously announced that the Germans and Bulgarians were offering strong resistance along their new line running from Snegova, three miles north of Monastir, to Hill 1050, 13 miles northeast of the town, while a Servian official communication credited the Serbs and their allies with the capture of the villages of Paralovo and Dobromir, northeast of Monastir.

On the extreme western flank of the Macedonian theatre, near lakes Presba and Ochrida, the belligerent forces have come into contact. Paris records the capture by the entente troops of Leskovets on the west bank of Lake Presba.

486 Captured by Serbs.

SALONIKI, Nov. 22.—The official statement from Servian headquarters issued today says:

"Our troops have successfully followed up their attacks on the whole front. The village of Budimirtsa and the surrounding heights are in our possession. German bombers, recently arrived on the front, counter-attacked north of Supodol, but were completely repulsed.

'Besides inflicting heavy losses on the enemy we captured five German officers and 1891 men and 300 Bulgarians, including the colonel commanding the 9th regiment.

"The Servians and allied troops have occupied the villages of Paralovo and Dobromir, on the east of Monastir.

Says Entente Attacks Fail.

BERLIN, Nov. 22, via Sayville—The evening communication issued by the war office says:

"Northeast of Monastir, Servia, entente attacks failed against the German-Bulgarian front."

CANADIAN WHEAT SURPLUS ONLY 99,000,000 BUSHELS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 22.—According to a calculation made by the census branch of the department of trade and commerce the surplus of the wheat crop available for export from Canada durthe crop year ending Aug. 31, 1917, will be just a little less than 100,000,000 bushels. This amounts includes 27,000,000 bushels of the 1915-16 crop carried over. The calculation provides for the retention in Canada for food of probably 50,000,000 bushels, for seed 20,000,000 bushels and for loss in cleaning about 15,000,000 bushels.

The 1916 wheat crop is estimated at 159,123,000 bushels, the carry-over from the previous year is estimated at 27,033,000 bushels, making a total of 186,406,000 bushels. When the foregoing allowances are made for food, seed and loss in cleaning, there remains for export in the neighborhood of 99,000,000 bushels.

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Afternoon Summary

Brief Flashes from Yesterday's Telegraph Service to the Afternoon Papers

Enemy Sinks Hospital Ship.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Nov. 22—The British hospital ship Britannic has been sunk, with the loss of about 50 lives, says a British official announcement today. The Britannic was sunk by a mine or a torpedo yesterday morning in the Aegean sea. There were 1106 survivors, of whom about 28 were injured. It is understood that the Britannic sunk was the new White Star liner of that name of 47,500 tons.

Cannon Busy in West.

LONDON, Nov. 22.—The official communication on the military operations along the Franco-Belgian front issued today says:

"During the night the enemy artillery was active against the right of our new front south of the Ancre. North of the river a hostile patrol was driven off."

Russians Use Gas.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 22.—An official statement says:

"In the region of Illukst we made a successful gas attack. Along the river Stokhod, in the region of Kuhara and Grealand, Little Porsk, an artillery bombardment took place."

Enemy Offers Resistance.

PARIS, Nov. 22.—Energetic resistance is being offered by the Germans and Bulgarians on the Macedonian front north of Monastir, the war office announces. The advance of the entente forces was delayed also by a heavy fog. Five hundred more prisoners were captured."

FAMOUS ONTARIO JURIST IS DEAD

Sir John Alexander Boyd, Member of Some Historic Commissions, Lives to Age of 79

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Nov. 23.—Sir John Alexander Boyd, chancellor and president of the high court of justice, died early this morning, aged 79 years.

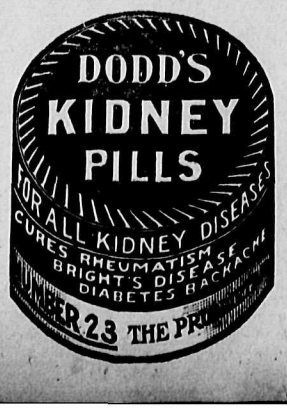
Sir John Boyd was born in Toronto, April 23, 1837, and was educated at Upper Canada college and Toronto university, where he took his degree as bachelor of arts and secured the gold medal in modern languages. The degree of master of arts was conferred upon him in 1863 and that of learned doctor of law in 1889.

He was called to the Ontario bar in 1863 and was created a king's counsel in 1880. He was for many years a partner of Hon. Edward Blake and Hon. Samuel H. Blake. He was appointed chancellor of Ontario on May 3, 1881, and president of the high court of justice for Ontario in 1887.

He acted as arbitrator for the Dominion government with respect to certain claims made by the Canadian Pacific Railway company in connection with the railroad in British Columbia in 1888 and was also arbitrator for Ontario in regard to adjustments of accounts between the Dominion and the province consequent on confederation in 1893.

He was chairman of the royal commission regarding the mode of remuneration and appointment of provincial and county officials in 1894, also regarding certain alleged election frauds in 1900 and arbitrator between the Canadian Pacific Railway company and its trackmen in 1902. He was again on the royal commission which heard the Gamey charges and on several occasions for the revision of the statutes.

A knighthood of the Order of St. Michael and St. George was conferred upon him in 1899.



SAY DIVER SANK HOSPITAL SHIP

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engines. They were arranged in four groups, leaving a large space for the marshaling of passengers in case of disaster. The davits were built on a new principle, so that the boats could be launched electrically on an even keel even if the ship were badly listed. It was also possible to launch all the boats from one side if necessary.

The ship had 16 transverse bulkheads and six of the main compartments could be flooded without affecting the stability of the ship.

The Britannic was nearing completion at the outbreak of the war when she was requisitioned by the government and converted into a hospital ship. In company with the Mauretania and the Olympic she was engaged in bringing thousands of wounded men from the Gallipoli peninsula soon after the evacuation of the peninsula by the allies.

The admiralty has been advised that many submarines were operating in the vicinity.

Was a Giant Ship

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The loss of the Britannic makes the third vessel of the larger type of ocean liners to be lost since the building of giant passenger carrying ships for trans-Atlantic trade began. The first was the Titanic, sunk on her maiden trip to New York by striking an iceberg. Then case the sinking of the Cunard liner Lusitania by a torpedo off the Irish coast.

Maritime records show there are now left six of the big vessels registering over 31,000 tons which were plying the Atlantic before the war or at that time about ready for service. Of these six, two are owned by Germans, the Vaterland, 54,282 tons, and the Imperator, 51,969 tons. The others are the Cunard liners Aquitania, 45,645 tons, and Mauretania, 31,938 tons; the White Star liner Olympic, 46,359 tons, and the Statendam, built in England for the Holland-American line and recently reported as having been taken over by the British government. The Statendam is registered at 35,000 tons. None of these ships is now in the regular transatlantic trade, either having been laid up or diverted to hospital or transport service.

According to officials of the White Star line, the Britannic was built with the idea of carrying approximately 3000 passengers. Her accommodations were of the latest approved designs for the comfort of sea travelers. In construction she was considered as being as nearly unsinkable as modern marine architecture could make her.

Submarines Lie in Wait.

LONDON, Nov. 22.—According to an Athens despatch to the Daily Chronicle survivors of the Britannic believe that two German submarines were lying in wait for the steamer in the narrow seas close to the island. The Britannic was attacked from both sides simultaneously, each submarine sending a single torpedo. One of these missed the mark but the other inflicted a square hit.

Order on board the steamer was perfect. Nurses, officers and men lined on the deck and showed excellent discipline. Thirty or forty members of the crew who were wounded by the explosion were first given attention. After this the women were saved first; then some of the crew donned life belts and took to the water. Wireless messages were immediately sent in all directions, calling for help and allied destroyers and sweepers arrived quickly.

Stewardess Was on Titanic.

One of the rescued stewardesses, the despatch adds, was also a survivor of the Titanic. She was an eye-witness to the unfortunate attempt to launch the first two of the Britannic's boats which became entangled in the propeller. Owing to the list of the steamer the screw was out of the water, and revolving rapidly. The loaded boats were smashed like matchwood, and many of the occupants were killed outright, while others were seriously wounded.

Survivors were landed at Phaloron, Piraeus and Krastsini. During the night the British minister, Sir F. E. H. Elliott, visited the wounded at the Russian hospital.

EX-PREMIER'S NAME FORGED FOR $15,452

Warrant Is Out for Former Confidential Employee of Hon. S. N. Parent of Quebec

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Nov. 22.—It was the name of Hon. S. N. Parent, former premier of Quebec province and now chairman of the Quebec streams commission, which, it is alleged, was forged by a former employee to checks drawn on the commission aggregating a total of $15,452. A warrant has been issued for Henri Charleboy, formerly Hon. Mr. Parent's confidential employee, who is said to be in New York. Complaint was made by Oliver Lefevre, chief engineer of the commission, and sets forth that between Oct. 19 and 30 the ex-minister's name was signed to six checks, which were passed through the Bank of Montreal. Five were for small amounts, but the last was for $14,752.

OTTAWA REGIMENT FROM BERMUDAS IN SOMME FIGHT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 22.—Cables received in Ottawa today by relatives of officers with an Ottawa regiment at the front lend credence to the report that this battalion has been in the recent severe fighting. This battalion is one that is mentioned as having wintered in Bermuda. The cables received by Mrs. R. F. Parkinson, wife of Major Parkinson; Mrs. William Woods, wife of Major Woods, and relatives of Lieut.-Col. Edwards merely mention that they are safe.

These cables are basis for the belief that the battalion had been in a severe action, evidently the fighting last Saturday mentioned in the report of the official eye-witness. The rumor persisted on the street today that the battalion had suffered heavy casualties. Presumably other battalions from Canada were engaged at the same time.

KOOTENAY MEN ON CASUALTY LISTS

Rossland and Burton City Are Included Among Residences of Next of Kin.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 22.—Many British Columbia men are on tonight's casualty lists.

T. W. Talbot, Rossland, killed.
Joseph Overhill, Vancouver, killed.
Sam Reid, Burton City, killed.
Corp. R. R. Doherty, Vancouver, died of wounds.
John Donald, Steveston, killed.
E. E. Beck, Victoria, wounded.
Harry Bennett, South Vancouver, wounded.
J. Cavanaugh, Vancouver, wounded.
Lawrence Cherry, Kerrisdale, wounded.
C. H. Dawson, Vancouver, wounded.
Edward Eason, South Vancouver, wounded.
Francis Gordon, Vancouver, wounded.
William Grace, South Vancouver.
Alfred Greenhalge, Vancouver, wounded.
Sergt. R. E. Hall, Kerrisdale, wounded.
Corp. J. T. Hinds, Nanaimo, killed.
L. E. Harris, Vancouver, wounded.
C. H. Martin, Wardner, wounded.
J. K. Graham, Vancouver, wounded.
Corp. R. C. Herne, Vancouver, wounded.
Sergt. George Reid, Vancouver, wounded.
Thomas Fleetwood, New Westminster, wounded.
A. W. Blaney (on duty), Victoria, wounded.
W. E. Clarke, South Vancouver, wounded.
R. G. Taylor, South Fort George, wounded.
R. J. Riley, Vancouver, wounded.
F. S. Thornton, Vancouver, wounded.
N. P. Murie, Victoria, wounded.
Corp. Albert Witcherley, New Westminster, wounded.
G. A. Dison, Victoria, wounded.
R. F. Kay, Keatings, wounded.

INFANTRY

Killed in Action

O. M. Baker, England.
J. Chant, England.
W. D. Creegen, England.
A. E. Franklin, England.
Corp. W. Green, Ireland.
H. Howlett, England.
Andrew Izatt, Scotland.
W. W. Noble, England.
Arthur Osborne, England.
William Sinclair, Scotland.
Bernard Sparks, England.

Died of Wounds

J. D. Burns, Scotland.
H. Sorensen, Denmark.
Sergt. George Washington, England.

Missing

A. E. Hearsy, England.
Harry Sanders, England.
William Sime, England.
A. Stephenson, Ireland.

Previously Reported Missing, Now Killed in Action

Arthur Mellor, England.
J. T. Reeves, England.

Previously Reported Missing, Now Missing and Believed Killed in Action

G. A. Dore, England.
Corp. W. R. Gilmore, Ireland.
Thomas Morrison, Scotland.
C. H. Payne, England.
R. Perring, England.

Previously Reported Missing, Now on Duty

Henry Herdman, Isle of Man.

(Wounded

Corp. E. Andrews, England.
J. Andrews, Scotland.
William Barber, England.
John Beadle, England.
Sergt. H. B. Benfield, England.
George Carr, England.
S. R. Coleman, England.
J. R. Davidson, Scotland.
V. S. Dawkes, England.
W. H. Dryhurst, England.
William Duncan, Scotland.
Thomas Brown, Scotland.
Hamilton Crisford, England.
D. Dickson, Scotland.
P. J. Dimmer, England.
T. Dixon, England.
C. Eaton, England.
C. Haddon, England.
A. Hammond, England.
F. R. Thomas, England.
R. Heapy, England.
G. Hornbrook, England.
J. Henderson, Ireland.
J. W. Johnson, England.
H. G. Lewis, England.
Paul Naylor, Ireland.
D. A. Neve, England.
Sergt. A. Newport, England.
J. Stephenson, England.
L Swalwell, England.
P. Townsend, England.
Sidney Wager, England.
Sergt. F. Weeks, Bermuda.
N. Zindich, Montenegro.

MOUNTED RIFLES.

Seriously Ill.

Sergt. William Betteridge, England.

INFANTRY.

Wounded.

George Fraser, Scotland.
George Green, Scotland.
M. P. Hampton, England.
Sydney Harris, England.
Clarence Hawken, England.
Corp. Knud Jensen, Denmark.
E. A. Jones, Wales.
Lieut. J. Luckey, England.
Richard Lever, England.
Joseph Levisohn, England.
A. Macdonald, Scotland.
E. Macdonald, Scotland.
Thomas McKenzie, Scotland.
James McNally, Scotland.
Corp. B. C. Mander, England.
W. E. Millbank, England.
Corp. Fred Moody, England.
W. J. Murray, Ireland.
C. A. Neville, England.
Louis Norris, Poland.
Edward Ousely, England.
G. W. Parks, England.
Fred Rehd, England.
William Ross, Scotland.
F. G. Slater, England.
William Sloan, Scotland.
Harry Stratton, England.
A. E. Wilkins, England.
F. T. Wooders, England.
Harry Woods, England.

MOUNTED RIFLES.

Wounded.

Bert Smith, England.

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ARTILLERY.

Killed in Action.

George Gummer, England.

Died of Wounds.

Edwin Watkins, England.

Wounded.

J. C. Carpenter, England.
Sergt. Neil McLeod, Scotland.
A. E. Mann, England.
C. H. Morris, England.

ENGINEERS.

Admitted to Hospital.

Victor Jones, England.

Wounded.

Joseph Riddock, Scotland.

MEDICAL SERVICES.

Wounded.

Corp. G. Blake, England.

SERVICES.

Missing.

P. E. Jones, North Wales.

INFANTRY.

Killed in Action.

Fred Barkley, Fort William.
John Eynouf, Ashton, Ont.
E. A. Fisher, Maple Creek, Sask.
Wesley Hager, McCool, Ont.
William Hamel, Quebec.
William Herron, Quebec.
Corp. J. T. Hinds, Nanaimo, B. C.
A. R. Humphries, West Lorne, Ont.
Wendel Russell, Lorne, Ont.
Richard Secord, Dauphin, Man.
B. J. Summers, Saskatoon.
R. J. Chambers, Arthur, Ont.
A. S. Morton, Longford Mills, Ont.
Sergt. P. B. Pennington, Hamilton, Ont.

Died of Wounds.

Corp. C. J. Bryden, Elgin, Ont.
A. G. Down, Chatham, Ont.
Lieut. John Esslemont, Brandon, Man.
Hugh Logan, Stanley, N. B.
C. Pescod, Wales, Ont.

Previously Reported Wounded and Missing, Now Killed in Action.

W. B. Scott, Renfrew, Ont.

Previously Reported Missing, Now Missing, Believed Killed in Action.

H. J. Jarvis, Walkerton, Ont.

Previously Reported Wounded, Now Wounded and Missing.

A. B. Mallery, Belleville, Ont.

Previously Reported Missing, Now Not Missing.

Stewart McLean, Greenhill, N. S.

Dangerously Ill.

S. E. Mills, St. Stephen, N. B.
Corp. J. B. Tuck, Hamilton, Ont.

Wounded.

G. A. Cheer, Barrie, Ont.
James Clegg, Stratford, Ont.
H. L. Covey, Windthorst, Sask.
Herbert Cumshun, Hamilton, Ont.
P. Fetterly, Cornwall, Ont.
W. R. Fisher, Truro, N. S.
G. E. Gordon (on duty), London, Ont.
John Harkins (on duty), Toronto.
Capt. A. D. Harper, Moncton, N. B.
Z. Hiltz, Truro, N. S.
Arthur Lumley, Peterboro, Ont.
J. G. McCaffery, Windsor, Ont.
James Patterson, Greenwood, Ont.
James Ross, Hamilton, Ont.
G. B. Slaven, Sidney Mines, N. S.
John Terrio, Hamilton, Ont.

ARTILLERY.

Killed in Action.

F. A. Brush, Simcoe, Ont.

Admitted to Hospital.

Robert Gardner, Hamilton, Ont.

INFANTRY.

Killed in Action.

Edward Armstrong, Regina.
Sergt. E. B. Chafe, Montreal.
A. Crevier, Brockville, Ont.
John Donald, Steveston, B. C.
Joseph Overhill, Vancouver, B. C.
J. Crowley, Quebec.
C. Gibson, Quebec.
Fred Stone, Toronto.
J. W. McLaren, Ottawa.
Walter Dixon, Fort William.
A. Fraser, Stratford, Ont.
W. N. McCallum, Montreal.
U. Matrineau, Montreal.
James Milne, Moffat, Ont.
Peter Mitchell, Calgary.
Sam Reed, Burton City, B. C.
W. A. Smillie, Maxville, Ont.
T. W. Talbot, Rossland, B. C.
A. H. Whittier, Calgary.
Alex Williamson, Calgary.
E. E. Wilson, Calgary.

Died of Wounds.

Corp. R. R. Doherty, Vancouver, B.C.
W. B. Oatman, Tilsonburg, Ont.
E. W. Scott, Ottawa.
Thomas Watson, Montreal.
Albert Speary, Montreal.

Died While Prisoner of War.

Corp. P. Verrett, Haileybury, Ont.

Missing.

J. T. Hawkins, Calgary.
Donald Munro, Sarnia, Ont.
Robert Pringle, Willow View, Man.
M.G. Bernhardt, St. Catharines, Ont.
John Hutchinson, Winnipeg.
Stewart McLean, Green Hill, N. S.
William Patterson, Fort William.
Sergt. Fred Sharpe, Winnipeg.

Missing, Believed Killed.

Sergt.-Maj. D. G. Parfitt, Keewatin, Ont.

Previously Reported Missing, Now Killed in Action.

Charles Dickson, Lockhartville, N. S.
James Wilson, Macleod, Alta.

Previously Reported Missing, Now Missing and Believed Killed in Action.

Ross Beattie, Kingston, Ont.
Frank Loftus, Toronto.
Robert Smith, Scotland.
Percy Bourner, Quebec.
E. W. Clayton, Montreal.
George Kelly, Montreal.
William Teske, Quebec.
A. E. Presley, Curran, Ont.

Previously Reported Missing, Now Wounded.

Henry McDonald, Waterford, C. B.
E. G. Amy, Shawville, Que.
Robert Hart, Toronto.
W. J. Wallen, Toronto.

Previously Reported Missing, Now Officially Reported Not Missing.

Edward Martel, Montreal.
L. F. Mouland, Portland, Ont.

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Previously Reported Missing, Now Believed Killed in Action.

Malcolm Gray, Sintaluta, Sask.

Previously Reported Wounded, Now Killed in Action.

Alexander Nichol, Bells Hill, Alta.

Dangerously Ill.

W. H. Pearce, Ottawa.

Seriously Ill.

C. E. Tupper, Oyen, Alta.
J. L. Thomson, Henfryn, Ont.
William McElroy, Darlingford, Ont.

Wounded.

Thomas Barns, St. Louis, Mo.
E. E. Beck (remaining on duty), Grandview, Victoria, B. C.
Harry Bennett, South Vancouver.
J. Cavanagh, Vancouver.
Frank Bouferd, Berlin, N. H.
Fred Chambers, Quebec.
Lawrence Cherry, Kerrisdale, B. C.
Sergt. Donald Chaplan, Yarmouth, Ont.
H. Crabe, West Lorne, Ont.
David Cunningham, Lethbridge, Alta.
C. H. Dawson, Vancouver.
A. T. Drysdale, Kingston, Ont.
Edward Eason, South Vancouver.
John Fish, Winnipeg.
Harry Garrison, Altorado, Alta.
Stanley Garrett (on duty), Bernard, Sask.
Francis Gordon, Vancouver.
William Grace, South Vancouver.
F. E. Grant, Sydney, N. S.
William Gray (on duty), Strathmore, Alta.
Alfred Greenhalge, Vancouver.
Sergt. R. E. Hall, Kerrisdale, B. C.
H. Harper, Carlingford, Ont.
L. E. Harris, Vancouver.
Douglas Irwin, Kedleston, Sask.
E. Kingsley, Middlemiss, Ont.
J. J. McMullen, Glace Bay, N. S.
C H. Martin, Wardner, B. C.
John Meagher, Woodstock, Ont.
Alex Mitchel (on duty), Winnipeg.
Henry Naylor, Halifax, N. S.
Corp. R. Goodearl, Calgary.
W. H. Gough, Calgary.
J. K. Grahame, Vancouver.
John Gray, Calgary.
Corp. R. C. Herne, Vancouver.
Capt. E. G. Hudgin, Picton, Ont.
A. L. Larribee, Perrigold, Sask.
E. L. Lawson, Sherbrooke, N. S.
T. Lourie, Calgary.
Stephen McGarry, Chicago.
Sam McKenzie, Winnipeg.
P. Papineau, Quebec.
William Ralston, Picton, Ont.
Sergt. George Reid, Vancouver.
A C. Summers, Calgary.
Thomas Fleetwood, New Westminster, B. C.
F. C. Fulton, Toronto.
C. Garret, Sharbot Lake, Ont.
J. Goddard, Kingston, Ont.
Sergt. W. S. Grant, Quebec.
David Greig, Toronto.
John Jennings, Toronto.
C. F. Kelly, Kamsack, Sask.
A. J. Lafontaine, Cornwall, Ont.
G. O. Leakey, Carleton Place, Ont.
Murray Lounsbury, Duboyne, Ont.
H. J. McNair, Shoal Lake, Man.
S. McNeil, Saskatoon.
Sergt. P. Martin, Montreal.
D. Maffleck, Middleville, Ont.
E. C. Ball, Toronto.
F. M. Bareroft, Toronto.
A. W. Blaney, (on duty) Victoria.
B. Bradshaw, Toronto.
J. Broughton, Harriston, Ont.
C. Carter, Regina.
W. E. Clarke, South Vancouver.
S. Danville, Smith's Falls, Ont.
W. R. Diamont, Binscarth, Ont.
Lieut. L. E. Porter, Toronto.
G. Bowes, Ottawa.
Alex. Gracey, Ottawa.
J. Moule, Westboro, Ont.
W. Snyder, Westboro, Ont.
Capt. H. A. Reiffenstein, Ottawa.
William Robertson, Ottawa.

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Mining and Markets

BULLS AGAIN BUSY WITH LUCKY JIM

Fourteen Thousand Sold From Nelson at 11½ Cents—Slocan Star Makes Fractional Rise.

Lucky Jim was again the feature of chief local interest in the Spokane stock market yesterday, when the stock was quoted at 3-8 cent up at 11 3-8 bid, with an asked quotation of 11½.

The strength of the market for this stock was indicated by the fact that St. Denis & Lawrence sold 14,000 shares at 11½.

Slocan Star gained ¼ cent, 23¾ being bid. Utica, at 8¾ showed a gain of ¾ cent. The quoted asked price was 9 cents, but there were no indications that the stock could be bought at less than 10 cents.

Success at 48 showed a loss of 1½ cent. Caledonia was ½ cent down at 55½.

Spokane Closinng Quotations.

(Reported by St. Denis & Lawrence)

Caledonia	55½	57
Lucky Jim	11⅜	11½
Rambler	..	..
Standard	1.35	1.50
Slocan Star	23¾	24½
Success	48	49
Utica	8¾	9¼

STERLING EXCHANGE.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Sterling exchange, 4.75.75 for demand.

INDIA SHOWS TENDENCY TO PURCHASE SILVER

Mocatta & Goldsmid writes as follows from London under date of Nov. 2:

"The price of silver has had rather a rising tendency during the past week and although the quotation today is 32 7-16, for the previous two days it had been 32½d.

"The sales from America have not been on quite such a large scale and the Indian bazaars have shown some disposition to buy, causing more competition than there had been recently.

"The firmness of the China exchange continues to attract a good deal of attention, as any buying for that quarter would have a very hardening effect on the market and considerably higher prices might be seen; parity, however, has not been reached and with the present shortage of tonnage for exporting, it may be a long time before China comes into the market."

OCTOBER REFINED COPPER OUTPUT

Improvement took place at the copper refineries of the United States during October, although it did not carry as far as had been expected. It is estimated that the total copper yield was between 170,000,000 and 175,000,000 pounds, an increase of about 10,000,000 pounds over the estimated yield for the month of September.

Last May was the banner month for refineries with an estimated production of from 180,000,000 to 190,000,000 pounds. By July it had dropped to 150,000,000 with slow recovery from that level.

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RISE IN CALL RATES HAMPERS THE BULLS

Upward Movement at Commencement of New York Session Gives Way to Unsettled Close.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Trading in today's active market was again governed to an unusual extent by technical conditions. There were further indications of an extended bull movement, especially in metals and specialties of prominence. Stocks of the more speculative character were freely offered almost from the outset, but registered lowest prices in the final hour when the entire list became unsettled. One of the primary causes was an unexpected rise in call money to 4½ and even 5 per cent, the latter rate being paid by a few belated borrowers.

Authoritative denial of any impending deal or consolidation of the metal companies was the chief factor in that quarter. Coppers fell 2 to almost 5 points from the highest quotations of the preceding session and twice that much from best prices of last week. Paper issues lost as much; also some of the equipments and independent iron and steel issues, Bethlehem Steel falling 30 points and recovering 10, with a loss of 9 for the preferred.

United States Steel held steady during the morning, the action of the corporation in the matter of the increased wage scale being accepted as a favorable development. Steel made its best price in the later dealings but lost ground as selling pressure increased, closing at a net loss of almost 2 points.

Motor shares and accessories dominated the market for a time at gains of 2 to 7 points. Most, if not all, of the gains were forfeited, however, as were some substantial advances in the leather group. Ohio Gas retained over half of its 6-point gain but this proved to be an isolated instance.

Rails were strong during the mid-session, presumably in consequence of the decision rendered by one of the federal courts declaring the Adamson law unconstitutional, but gains in this division were also of brief duration. Total sales of stocks were 1,820,000 shares.

Bonds were heavy with recessions of 2 to 4 points in copper and industrial securities. Total sales, par value, $4,525,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

BURTON MINE AT ELKO LOOKS WELL

(Special to The Daily News.)

ELKO, B.C., Nov. 22.—Mr. Caldwell, manager of the Burton mine, is building an ore chute and new landing stage. The development of this mine the last few weeks is the talk of the country. There is enough ore in sight to pay the bond several times over. Men are being put to work as fast as there is room for them and Mr. Caldwell expects to have 30 men working by the first of the year.

TO BUILD SPUR AT THE ST. EUGENE MINE

(Special to The Daily News.)

MOYIE, B. C., Nov. 22.—Mr. Lee, surveyor for the Consolidated company in Kimberley, was here last week and surveyed for the extension for the spur track to take ore to the St. Eugene concentrator.

NOTES OF MINING ACTIVITY IN LARDEAU

FERGUSON, B. C., Nov. 22.—Cutler Porter of Spokane paid the camp his last visit for the season a few days ago.

A. L. Houston of Nelson is prosecuting development work in the True Fissure with a crew of eight men.

R. H. Battey of Minneapolis has closed the Triune for the winter, but will resume operations as early in the spring as possible.

Many mining men visited the district this season with the result several properties have been taken over and are now in process of development. Lack of transportation is the great misfortune here, so that only the highest grade ores of the district receive attention.

PROFIT TAKING SENDS STEEL OF CANADA DOWN

TORONTO, Nov. 22.—There was liberal selling of Steel of Canada on the local market and this stock reached 81. The high mark was reached early in the morning session and the profit taking brought the price down to 78. The trading of the morning centered in Steel which was under bearish influence, and this influence later spread to other issues.

The public was in the market and the selling was well absorbed. In the afternoon Steel improved to 78⅝ and 3043 shares of the common stock changed hands. The preferred stock sold 2 points higher at 98½.

Steamships common was a strong issue, selling up to 41¼ after opening at 40. There were several slight fluctuations late in the morning and during the afternoon session, and this issue closed at 40¾, a gain of ¾. The preferred closed ¼ lower at 93.

Canadian General Electric rose to 123⅛ and then declined to 122½ where it closed. Brazilian was weak, fluctuating between 45¾ and 47. The close was fractionally below today's high point at 46⅞. Maple Leaf eased off to 114 and closed at 113, 2 below yesterday's close. Quebec Rails were ¼ higher. Brompton was ¼ weaker at the close. Dominion Steel Foundry, which was ex-dividend, opened at 240 and then sold off to 230.

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WHEAT BREAKS ON TALK OF EMBARGO

Chicago Hears Congress Will Support Measure, But Close Shows Some Net Gains.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 22.—Authoritative announcement that legislation for an embargo on foodstuffs would have substantial backing in congress did a great deal today to nullify the greater part of a sharp new advance in the price of wheat. After rising in some cases as much as 4⅝ cents a bushel, the market turned weak and closed unsettled at net gains of ⅛ to 1⅞, with December at $1.83¼ and May at $1.88¾. Oats gained ¼ to ⅜ and provisions closed 10c higher.

Highest prices of the day were reached soon after the opening and before word had been received from Washington that Chairman Fitzgerald of the house committee on appropriations was taking energetic measures to push the enactment of an embargo. Rumors that export transactions in wheat yesterday had aggregated 3,000,000 bushels formed the chief basis of the upturn in value. In addition Argentine crop advices were the most bullish yet received, doubt being expressed whether there would be any exportable surplus whatever this season in Argentina.

After Chairman Fitzgerald's position was known, however, backward swings in prices became more and more pronounced and it was not until the last half hour of the session that any important rally took place.

Oats merely reflected the changes in other grains. Trading was light. Provisions were lifted owing to heavy demand for hogs and grain.

WHEAT GOES TO $2.04 AT WINNIPEG

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Nov. 22.—Wheat: Nov. $2.04; Dec., $1.94½; May, $1.92½.
Oats: Dec., 65⅜; May, 67¼.
Flax: Nov., $2.65½; Dec., $2.66; May, $2.74⅝.

CANADA STEAMSHIPS HIT SOME NEW HIGH MARKS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Nov. 22—Price changes continued uneven, in some cases erratic, in a fairly active market in stocks here today. On the whole the undertone was considerably better than on Tuesday.

Canada Steamship stocks again advanced into new high ground, the common selling at 41¼ and the preferred at 93½; General Electric at 123 sold at its best price of the year and Canada Forgings at 200 added 2 points to the recovery that has been in progress for some days.

Steel of Canada and Dominion Bridge attracted chief attention in the market. The Steel of Canada market was bare of sellers at the opening and bids were advanced 4¼ points from Tuesday's close before offerings were met. The opening at 81, however, proved the high price of the day. Profit taking outweighed new buying through the rest of the session. After falling to 78 and rallying as high as 79¾ the price closed at 78½.

Early liquidation in Bridge was smaller than expected. After sales of 125 shares at 190, or unchanged from Tuesday's close the price jumped to 198 on the next transaction. Subsequent quotations were erratic, a decline to 191 being followed by a rally to 195, but the close was steady at 194, a gain of 4 points for the day.

Steel of Canada's strength imparted early firmness to the other steel stocks but they fell back later.

The paper stocks were dull. Laurentide sagged 1 to 2½; Riordon was offered down a point to 146; Wayagamack closed stronger at 107 bid and Spanish River common gained a fraction. Brazilian closed at 47.

Total business 16,428 shares and $71,600 bonds.

SILVER 72⅞.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Silver, 72⅞; at London, 34 13-16.

Lead: At New York, 7; at St. Louis, 6.92½; at Montreal, 8.67; at London, £30 10s.

Copper firm; electrolytic, first quarter, 32.50 at 33.50; second quarter, 31 at 33.

At London: Spot copper, £144; futures, £139 10s; electrolytic, £164.

BUTTER DEMAND GOOD.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Nov. 22.—Demand for butter is good. Cheese strong. Eggs active and strong, strictly new laid having advanced to 65 cents a dozen.

Cheese: Finest westerns, 24¾ at 25; easterns, 24½.

Butter: Choicest creamery, 44; seconds, 43.

Eggs: Fresh, 52 at 55; selected, 42; No. 1 stock, 38 at 39.

Pork: Heavy Canada short mess, 35 at 36; Canada short cut backs 33 at 34.

CHICAGO STOCKYARDS.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 22.—Hogs: Receipts, 50,000; unsettled, 5c higher. Bulk, 9 at 9.85; light, 8.40 at 9.65; mixed, 9.10 at 10; heavy, 9.35 at 10.05; rough, 9.25 at 9.55; pigs, 6.25 at 8.30.

Cattle: Receipts, 27,000; unsettled. Native beef, 6.50 at 12.05; western steers, 6.65 at 10.15; stockers and feeders, 4.60 at 7.70; cows and heifers, 3.65 at 13; calves, 9 at 13.

Sheep: Receipts, 24,000; strong. Wethers, 7.75 at 8.85; ewes, 4.40 at 7.85; lambs, 9.25 at 12.

AIR BRAKE PAYS OUT WAR PROFITS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The New York Air Brake company today declared an extra dividend of 12½ per cent payable in five quarterly instalments along with the regular dividends of 2½ per cent each for the next five quarters. The dividends were declared out of large surplus net earnings chiefly derived from war contracts.

Lieut.-Col. E. S. Wigle, a returned officer, may be the Conservative candidate for the house of commons in South Essex.

BRITISH OPERATIONS IN MESOPOTAMIA

Sir Percy Lake's Despatch Covers Three Phases in the Attempt to Relieve Gen. Townshend.

LONDON, England.—A despatch from Lieutenant-General Sir Percy Lake, K. C. B., relative to the operations of the force in Mesopotamia from the date of his assumption of the command on Jan. 19, 1916, up to April 30, has been received from the government of India and published by the war office.

The period dealt with in this, the first official account of these operations, covers three phases in the attempt to relieve General Townshend's force at Kut. The first, lasting from Jan. 19 to Jan. 23, relates how an unsuccessful attempt was made by Lieutenant-General Sir F. Aylmer to force the Hannah defile; the second covers an unsuccessful attempt from Jan. 24 to May 10 to outflank the Turkish right wing in the vicinity of the Dujailah redoubt, and the third describes the capture of the Turkish positions at Hannah and Felahiyah, the unsuccessful attack upon the Samaiyat positions and the fall of Kut. Lieutenant-General Sir G. F. Gorringe was in charge of the offensive operations of the third phase, which lasted from March 11 to April 30.

The despatches of Sir Percy Lake's predecessor, Sir John Newton, carried the story of the Mesopotamian expeditionary force up to the end of the advance from Ali Gharbi, the capture of the Turkish positions at Sheikh Saad and the Turkish retreat to the Umm-el-Hannah defile.

On Jan. 16 the bulk of Gen. Aylmer's force encamped on the left bank of the Tigris, above the Wadi river, and the advanced troops were in touch with the Turks entrenched in their Umm-Al-Hannah position. General Aylmer was actively engaged in reorganizing his force for a further advance with the least possible delay, influenced by General Townshend's reports as to the limits of his food supplies, of his ammunition supply, and the condition of some of his troops, and the rapidity with which the Turks might be able to reinforce the troops opposed to him and the desirability of forestalling them.

General Townshend reports that on Jan. 25 he had food for 84 days. Dwelling on the difficulties of the advance, Sir Percy Lake says: The number of steamers available in January, 1916, for river transport purposes was practically the same as when in June, 1915, the first advance up the Tigris took place. Additional river craft had from time to time been demanded, as augmentations to the force in Mesopotamia were decided upon, but owing to the peculiar conditions which vessels intended for the intricate navigation of the Tigris have to satisfy, the provision of these vessels was a difficult problem, necessarily entailing long delays, and the supply was never able to keep pace with the requirements of the force. In consequence of this it was never possible during the period now under report, either to concentrate at the Tigris front the whole of the forces available in the country, or to equip such forces as could be concentrated there with sufficient transport to make them mobile and enable them to operate freely at any distance from the river. It was always necessary, therefore, for general headquarters to balance most carefully the flow of reinforcements and supplies, so that the former should not outrun the latter.

The first phase of the operations under review opened with the transference of artillery and troops to the right bank of the river. This proved difficult, for the bridge across the Wadi was washed away several times, while the boisterous winds greatly interfered with the construction of a bridge across the Tigris, here some 400 yards in width. Guns and troops were ferried across, with difficulty, but by the 19th all troops allotted to the right bank had crossed over and were established in positions from which they were required to cooperate with the main force on the left bank.

Meanwhile the leading infantry brigades on the left bank pushed forward their advanced line to within 200 yards of the enemy's trenches, during the night of Jan. 20. On the morning of Jan. 21 the infantry moved to the attack. On the right the troops got to within 100 yards of the enemy's line, but were unable to advance farther. The left column, consisting of the Black Watch, Sixth Jats and Forty-first Dogras, penetrated the front line with a rush, capturing trenches which they held for about an hour and a half. Supports were sent forward, but losing direction and coming under heavy fire, failed to reach them. Thus, left unsupported, the left wing when Turkish counter-attacks developed, were overwhelmed by numbers and forced to retire. The attack was renewed at 1 p. m., but by this time the heavy rain had converted the ground into a sea of mud, rendering rapid movement impossible, and though every effort was made, the assault failed.

Throughout the month of February, preparations were made for resuming the offensive against the Turkish right flank and Dujailah redoubt, as the first step towards the relief of Kut before the arrival of the flood season, expected about the middle of March. General Aylmer decided to advance with the maximum force for which land transport could be made available with two days' food and water. His dispositions were, briefly, as follows: The greater part of a division under General Younghusband, assisted by naval gunboats, contained the enemy on the left bank. The remaining troops were formed into two columns under General Kemball and General Keary, respectively, a reserve of infantry and the cavalry brigade being held at the corps commander's own disposal. Kemball's column, covered on the outer flank by the cavalry brigade, was to make a turning movement to attack to Dujailah redoubt from the south, supported by the remainder of the force operating from a position to the east of the redoubt.

The night march by this large force was a difficult operation, but the troops reached their allotted positions apparently undiscovered by the enemy. Kemball's column was an hour late in reaching its position, however. Dujailah redoubt was apparently lightly held when the columns reached their allotted positions. But time was lost by waiting for the guns to register and to carry out reconnaissances, and when three hours later, Kemball's troops advanced to the attack, they were strongly opposed by the enemy from treaches cleverly concealed in the brushwood, and were unable to make further ground for some time.

By 1 p. m. the southern attack had pushed forward to within 500 yards of the redoubt, but concealed trenches again stopped further progress, and the Turks made several counter-attacks with reinforcements. At 5:15 p. m. attacks were launched from the south and east. Some troops succeeded in gaining a foothold in the redoubt but were forced to fall back to the position from which they started. Next morning General Aylmer, finding himself faced with deficiency of water, decided upon the immediate withdrawal of his force to Wadi, which was reached the same night.

The third phase of the operations is a story of constant struggles with the Tigris floods, which restricted the advance to the left bank. On April 4 the Thirteenth division rushed the first and second lines of the Turkish positions at Hannah. General Maude was in command of the attack, and the whole position was in the hands of his division by 7 a. m.—a maze of trenches with a frontage of 1300 yards and a depth of 2600 yards. This success was followed by a night attack on the Felahiyah positions a series of trenches being captured. On the 6th an attempt was made by the seventh division to attack the northern position of the Sannaiyat positions, but the ground delayed the movement and the troops were discovered at dawn in the open without cover, still 2300 yards from the Turkish positions. The attack was carried out, and actually reached a point 700 yards from the enemy, but the British were compelled to retire. A further attack by the Thirteenth division, which had relieved the Seventh, failed through the supports not coming up at the critical moment. After this failure the British attempted to secure the control of the river banks at Beit Aiessa as a preliminary to forcing the Turkish right. The attack took place on the 17th, and was successful in spite of lack of roads, the presence of marshes and the shortage of rations. In fierce counter-attacks, however, the portion of the position which included the river banks was lost.

Persistent attempts on both banks had failed, says Sir Percy Lake, and it was known that not more than six days' supplies remained in Kut. For 18 days, in face of exceptional difficulties, the troops had done all that was humanly possible. It was, therefore, decided to attempt to run supplies into Kut by means of a fast river steamer, the Julnar. At 8 p. m. on April 24, with a crew from the royal navy under Lieutenant Firman, R. N., assisted by Lieutenant-Commander Cowley, R. N. V. R., the Julnar, carrying 270 tons of supplies, left Felahiyah. Her departure was covered by all artillery and machine gun fire that could be brought to bear, in the hope of distracting attention. She was, however discovered and shelled on her passage up the river. At 1 a. m. on the 25th General Townshend reported that she had not arrived, and that at midnight a burst of heavy firing had

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Rubber Supply Is Steady While Leather Gets Scarcer

This Explains Low Price of Rubber Footwear in Spite of Increasing Cost of Fabrics, Chemicals and Labor

The war is using up enormous quantities both of leather and rubber. At the same time it is seriously restricting the output of the former, much of which came from Russia—while rubber production keeps pace with the demand. From the great plantations now reaching maturity in Britain's tropical Dominions will come this year 150,000 tons of raw rubber—75% of the world's production, and an increase of over 40,000 tons from last year.

Thus, thanks to the British Government's foresight in encouraging these plantations, the Allied armies have been abundantly supplied with all the rubber products they need—Germany and her allies have been cut off—and the price to the world at large has actually been reduced. Meanwhile, leather has been getting scarcer and more expensive—80% higher than in 1914—and the end is not yet.

At normal prices a pair of good shoes cost about four times as much as a pair of standard quality rubbers, and would last nearly twice as long if the rubbers were worn to protect them in bad weather. So even before the war rubbers were a mighty good investment, to say nothing of their prevention of wet feet, colds and doctors' bills.

Now, when shoes cost seven or eight times as much as the rubbers, the saving from wearing the latter is so outstanding that no one who believes in thrift will think of going without them. Nor will those who are anxious to help win the war, for by wearing rubbers and overshoes we conserve the leather so scarce yet so absolutely necessary for the soldiers.

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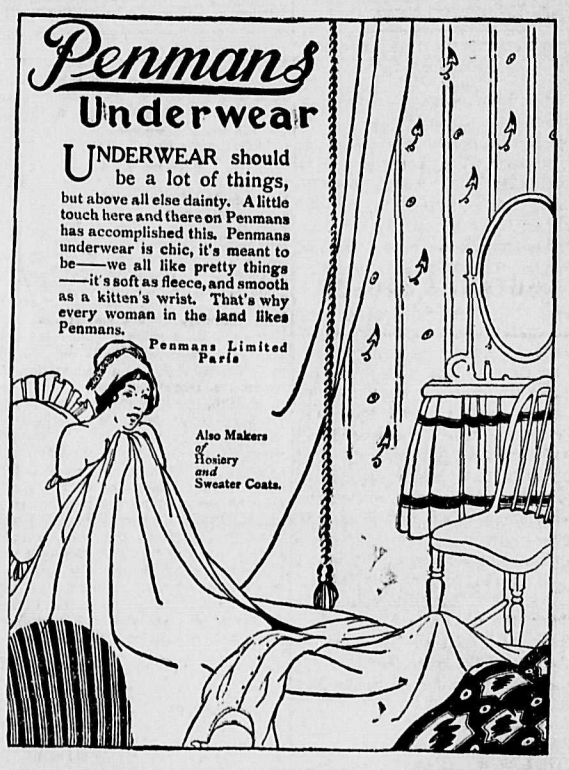

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TALK OF EMBARGO ON FOODSTUFFS

It is unlikely that the United States will place an embargo on the export of wheat, reports of which caused a setback in prices on the Chicago market yesterday, but if it followed this course Canada would feel the effect.

An American embargo would undoubtedly increase prices outside the United States, including quotations in Canada. In a time of peace the obvious course for this country to follow would be to impose a similar prohibition of export.

But at this time the Dominion government could not do so without injuring Great Britain and the entente cause generally. A Canadian embargo would add to the reasons which would be provided by an American embargo for higher world prices.

Hence a Canadian embargo on wheat exports would not be considered by Premier Borden's government. If any restrictions should be put into effect they would more likely be along the lines of confining export to the entente nations—a condition which is virtually in existence today.

GOOD NEWS OF THE APPLE INDUSTRY.

A report which contains encouraging information concerning the British Columbia apple-growing industry has been made by W. E. McTaggart, British Columbia fruit markets commissioner at Calgary, in the Fruit Bulletin. Emphasis is laid upon the necessity for maintaining a reputation for the production of the highest grade fruit.

Mr. McTaggart says that the growers this year have packed better fruit and have adopted better business methods. The individual growers are putting more thought into the business and are making it one of British Columbia's greatest assets, states the commissioner. "More and more British Columbia fruit is becoming known as 'Nature's Best' and the growers of our prolific province are winning the prairie markets as their own," he continues.

A significant feature of the report deals with the success attained by newspaper advertising of fruit. "Advertising, the inspiration of modern business, has been employed to a greater extent this year than ever before in telling the prairie people just what British Columbia has to offer," remarks Mr. McTaggart. "The results are to be seen on every hand . . . . . It pays beyond a shadow of a doubt," he concludes.

JOKE IS ON THE GERMANS IN THIS CASE.

To Lord Northcliffe belongs the credit of having fooled the Germans into allowing a representative of the London Times and Daily Mail to travel through Germany and Austria during wartime, under instructions to "obtain as much military and naval information as possible."

The scheme was worked through D. Thomas Curtin, an American school teacher, who went to Europe in the summer of 1914 on leave of absence from the institution to which he was attached. He bore an American passport and the joke on the Germans is made the more amusing by the fact that he carried credentials from Prof. Hugo Munsterberg, the notorious pro-German professor at Harvard.

From London he went to Germany, ostensibly as an American newspaper man. The Germans and Austrians did not, of course, allow him a free hand, but that he acquired a tremendous amount of valuable information has been proved by the articles, signed by "A Neutral," which appeared in the Times during 1915. No other correspondent has succeeded in obtaining while in Germany anything like as significant data as to conditions in the central empires. In addition, he is known to have given valuable material to the British government.

Germany is naturally exceedingly wrathy and a few days ago succeeded in getting the United States to cancel Curtin's passport on the ground that it had been obtained under misrepresentations. For once Germany seems to have been out-spied.

If high prices for farm produce were sufficient attraction Canada would be in the midst of a great "back to the land" movement.

There is at least one citizen of Canada who admits he does not believe he is qualified for the job of minister [illegible]. Sir Max Aitken has sent a cable to say so. But perhaps he does not mean it.

The Toronto Mail and Empire thinks it a good suggestion that wood alcohol should be called some other name so that ignorant persons would not drink it and comes forward with a jocular proposal to call it ginger ale. The Mail certainly knows how to make sure that the good people of Toronto will not drink any of it.

President Wilson, in his message of condolence to the new emperor of Austria, states that he entertained "sentiments of high esteem and regard" for Francis Joseph and that he extends his "best wishes for your personal well-being and prosperity." The president's despatch recalls that famous birthday message to Kaiser William.

The destruction of the hospital ship Britannia and 50 lives is another crime which must be charged to Germany's account, no matter whether the steamer was destroyed by a deliberately aimed torpedo or by one of the mines with which it is the enemy's practise to strew the seas, with a wanton disregard for the consequences.

President Wilson's reelection has caused great displeasure among the pro-German element in the United States which, for some unknown reason, supported Hughes. One Lutheran preacher in Oregon is so disgusted about it that he has resigned his United States citizenship, which is a pretty good proof that when he took the oath of American allegiance he swore falsely.

WHAT THE PRESS IS SAYING.

No Surprise.

It has surprised no one in Ontario or Quebec that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has wriggled out of giving his support to the national service commission, as Premier Borden invited him to do. The opposition leader never had any intention of aiding the recruiting movement, and the Liberal organs that try to excuse him are very little better than he is. Sir Wilfrid is the all-too-willing tool of those who are seeking to establish French domination in the Dominion.—Guelph Daily Herald.

Socialists Firmly Established.

Allen L. Benson, Socialist candidate for president, says he is satisfied with the vote he received. He ought to be, with a record-breaking poll of around 1,300,000. It is of some significance that the Socialists are firmly established as the third party in the United States, even if still widely separated from the two major parties.—Providence Journal.

Cause for Thought.

Although this is a generation in which the world has become so used to speaking in big figures that "hundred millions" falls "trippingly from the tongue," nevertheless, the announcement that the light of nearly one hundred million stars, never before seen by any inhabitant of the earth, may be revealed by the new reflector at Mt. Wilson observatory, near Pasadena, Cal., is startling enough to make people pause and think. Nor is it unlikely that their thoughts, if analyzed, would bear close resemblance to certain thought which the "Sweet Singer of Israel" put into words thousands of years ago.—Christian Science Monitor.

Australia's War Taxation.

The war-time profits tax which Mr. Hughes proposes for Australia is 50 per cent of the last financial year, and very nearly 100 per cent for the present financial year. Apparently all profits over 7 or 8 per cent are to be taken by the state. The income tax is also increased, and there is a tax on amusements. But perhaps the proposal which is most novel, as well as most remunerative, is the levy on wealth of 1½ per cent for the repatriation fund.—Westminster Gazette.

Hankypanky Not Agreeable.

On the whole it is cause for satisfaction that there is to be nothing said about the matter (of the U-53) since anything said in such a vein would necessarily be discreditable piffling. This nation has no stomach for wordy buncombe. It has no taste for arguments designed to prove that a violation of international law is not a violation of international law. Such hankypanky may be amusing to children, for a time. It is not agreeable to American citizens when the juggled objects concern the honor of the nation.—Boston Transcript.

Edward Grey and the Neutrals.

Of all the men who stood near the centre of the world-storm when it broke in August, 1914, the British foreign secretary has survived the shock with more enduring credit than any other in the whole circle of European diplomacy. When all the facts are known, and all the cross-lights lifted, the world will see that no man worked more seriously or more strenuously for the world's peace, and so worked that those who care for peace shall not need to be ashamed.—Toronto Globe.

THE WEATHER.

	Min.	Max.
Nelson	25	35
Prince Rupert	28	34
Victoria	40	48
Vancouver	42	46
Edmonton	26	30
Battleford	26	36
Prince Albert	24	36
Calgary	34	44
Medicine Hat	38	42
Moose Jaw	30	39
Regina	15	39
Winnipeg	24	44
Saskatoon	23	35
Port Arthur	24	42
Parry Sound	16	42
London	20	43
Toronto	20	42
Ottawa	12	38
Montreal	18	34
Quebec	12	30
St. John	16	36
Halifax	18	42

LOWER DECK HEROES OF THE NAVY.

There has been some comment in the British press regarding the curiously small list of awards to navymen of the lower ranks and ratings for their part in the battle of Jutland. Only four warrant officers were promoted and two decorated, though 50 warrant officers were mentioned. A writer, "Admiral," in the United Service Magazine, says it is far more difficult for the men of the lower deck to obtain special notice than it is for commanding officers.

But even when the navymen do gain special notice, the admiralty would seem to be tardy about promoting them. Of the officers decorated or commended after the Jutland battle, 46.5 per cent were also given promotion. Only 9.5 per cent of the relatively few men of the lower deck who did obtain special notice were also noted for promotion.

Rudyard Kipling has been delving into a report in the possession of the admiralty; and describing the perils of a destroyer, which he calls the Elbis, he says:

"There were three wise men who saved the ship whose names must not be forgotten. They were Chief Engine-Room Artificer Arthur Lee, Stoker Petty Officer Gardiner, and Stoker Elvins. When the funnel carried away it was touch and go whether the foremost boiler would not explode. The three "put on respirators and kept the fans going until all the fumes, etc., were cleared away." To each man, you will observe, his own particular hell, which he entered of his own particular initiative.

According to a naval writer in the Daily News (London), it is a remarkable fact that not one of those three navymen got promotion. Stoker Elvin received the D. S. M.—the lowest award it is in the power of the admiralty to give. In the case of a lower deck man advancement from able seaman at 1s. 11d. a day to leading seaman at 2s. 2d. would hardly expose the admiralty to a charge of reckless extravagance. A destroyer would cost about $500,000 and carry a crew of 70 or 80 men; the three men who saved the destroyer mentioned by Kipling had surely earned promotion.

The grudging recognition of the warrant officers, men as valuable to the navy as the battalion sergeant-majors are to the army, is commented upon by "Admiral," who says:

It must have a bad effect on the service if it is felt that the claims of the warrant officers, who are a most devoted body of men, have been unjustly ignored.

While officers and men of the navy, of all ranks are maintaining Britannia's hold on the trident, at the peak of efficiency, there would seem to be a conspicuous lack of imagination in the department of the admiralty where awards to the lower deck heroes are concerned.—Otawa Citizen.

AMERICANS MOVE TOWARD NORWAY.

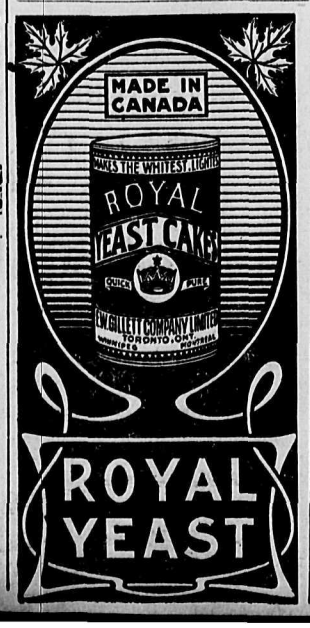
At the close of a cable despatch from Copenhagen printed recently in a New York paper was the following:

"Among the passengers (of the Norwegian American Line steamer Christionafjord) were many American laborers who are to be employed by large manufacturers in Norway. Several more are expected later."

Emigration from the United States to Europe! Who could have foreseen this as among the results of a European war. And away from a market crying desperately for laborers!

The statement is not as paradoxical as it may at first appear. Norway has prospered as a result of the war. As of old, the Norsemen are eager to sail the wide seas over. They have seized the opportunity to share in the immense profits to be gained in the carrying trade. They now rank third in volume of commerce. Norway has money to invest as a result. With the influx of capital it has been turned into many useful channels. Manufacturing has been stimulated. Ship building has increased. Part of the abundant water power has been turned to the task of snatching nitrogen from the air. Thousands of men are engaged in this work.

With the expansion of industry have come the demands for larger plants, additions to transportation facilities, ship building and the erection of many buildings, including better homes for workingmen. In the middle west are many Norwegians. A large percentage of them are naturalized American citizens. Naturalization, however, has not driven from their memories the scenes of their early lives. Now and then they have longed for a glimpse of the mountains and fjords and cataracts of their native land. Letters and papers from Norway are filled with news items showing the great demand for labor in the old home. Some are now succumbing to the temptation, for the wages offered are twice what were formerly paid. Carpenters, for instance, are receiving approximately $5 a day.—The Outlook.



H. G. WELLS AND THE ORIGIN OF THE TANKS

The now notorious "tanks" used by the allies is little more than a close adaptation of what H. G. Wells, the novelist, pictured and published many years ago in the Strand magazine in one of his celebrated but wonderfully prophetic articles, such as the "War of the Worlds," "The Martians," etc. So exactly does the invention of the imaginative novelist's brain correspond to the practically carried out "tank" of today that in a recent issue the Strand reproduces the article with illustrations in which a dozen or more of these strange armored monsters are seen crawling along and crossing the trenches and destroying and devastating all before them. In the picture they resemble huge black beetles. In Mr. Wells' article these monsters are attributed as inventions used by the enemy against the British. In the present war the invention and use are claimed to be purely British. It seems not improbable that no one exactly knows who originated and started the "tanks," though some have attributed them to the remarkable brain of Winston Churchill, that the idea of the "contraption" was suggested by the novelist's prophetic articles and imaginative description. The murderous zeppelins and submarines and particularly the use of gas, liquid fire and other diabolical German devices may have been suggested to the Germans, who are quick at adaptation of others' inventions and ruthless in putting them into practise, with no more regard for humanity than the Martians appear to have had in their war on the inhabitants of this planet. A. L.

Nelson, Nov. 21.

M. PADEREWSKI PAINTS POLAND.

Poland is to a degree only a memory. It is a vast desert, an immense ruin, a colossal cemetery. Posen, the ancient, Danzig, the wealthy, Cracow, the beautiful, are still there. Warsaw, Lemberg, Lublin and Vilno, according to newspaper reports, have been but little damaged. Only precious works of art, most valuable documents, books and manuscripts, all the priceless proofs of our ancient, thousand years old culture, have been confiscated as the operation is diplomatically called when it is performed by an overwhelming collective force.

Several large cities have been spared, preserved for the comfort of our uninvited guests. But, on the tremendous battlefront, extending from the Baltic sea to the southern slopes of the Carpathian mountains, the whole of Russian, almost the whole of Austrian, and even a portion of Prussian Poland, have been totally ruined. Three hundred towns, two thousand churches, twenty thousand villages are no more. An area equal in size to the states of Illinois, Pennsylvania, New York and Maine together has been laid waste. For, what could remain of a country where in many districts those huge armies of millions of men were moving continuously forwards and backadrds for eighteen months? Eighteen months of continuous fighting; eighteen months of incessant danger; eighteen months of uninterrupted anguish and pain, imposed upon an entirely innocent nation! Millions of homeless peasants, of unemployed workmen, of humble Jewish shopkeepers, have been driven into the open. Millions of bereaved parents, of breadless, helpless widows and orphans are still wandering about in the desolated land, hiding in woods, or in hollows, happy if they find an abandoned trench and in that trench, next to the body of a fallen fighter, some decaying remnants of soldier's food.—From an Address in Chicago.

AN ESSENTIALLY HUMOROUS ACT

The kaiser has conferred upon his son a military decoration as a reward for his violent and hair raising efforts to take Verdun. This is an excellent example for the kaiser to set, as it shows that efficiency is not the Ultimate Fetish of all Germans, as we outlanders have always thought. We may expect to find the kaiser's admirers following in his footsteps and conferring Master of Art degrees on young men who have wasted five or seven years in a vain attempt to worm their way through college. We may expect to behold Prof Muensterberg giving marks of 99 to Harvard students who don't know what he is talking about. We may find golf clubs awarding commodious silver cups to the duffers who hack out the most divots and use up the greatest number of strokes when competing in tournaments. Hostesses whose sympathies lean toward the central allies will have to give their bridge prizes to the players who have the lowest scores. And leading German business houses, if they steer the same course as that over which the kaiser has started, will pay the highest salaries to the men who spend the most money and obtain the least results. If the kaiser should ever care to make any explanation of his reasons for conferring the aforementioned military decoration, almost any vaudeville manager would pay well to have him deliver it in the form of a monologue. Vaudeville managers are eager for all the humorous stuff they can get.—Puck.

WHEN THE DUKE YAWNED.

The story of how the Duke of Devonshire, when Lord Hartington, yawned in the house of commons and later commented on the incident, has achieved the position of a classic. Sir Henry Lucy, none the less, in his recent volume of reminiscences, does more than throw doubt on its authenticity; he confesses to being responsible for it, and to have invented the greater part of it. He did actually see Lord Hartington "gallantly attempting to restrain a yawn while speaking"; but he adds that Lord Hartington's famous reply, "Ah, you don't know how dull that speech was," to the lady who taxed him with it, was a pure invention. And yet the story finds due place in the official biography of the duke, who, indeed, ended by believing it, and accepting it as part of the Hartington tradition.

COLD STORAGE.

"Father," said the youngest.

"Noo," said his sire, "if it's only mair of yet stoopid questions awa' ye gang. I've telt ye a'ready that I dinna ken whither a man who does guid is a guid dooer as a do guider, or whither the seat o' war is what the standin' army sits doon on. If it's a redeeclous question of that kind awa' ye gang to bed."

"But, paw, it's a serious question."

"Weel, oot wi' it!"

"I want to know, paw, what the Dead sea died of?"

"Awa' to bed wi' ye!"

Edith—Isn't it a pity that poor men don't know enough to remain single?

Marie—Yes, and that rich ones do.

Some time ago one of the masters at a certain grammar school caused a sensation by publishing a book which bore a striking resemblance to one published previously by a well-known minor poet. Comments upon the matter became of an accusatory nature, and culminated in one of the pupils openly accusing the author one day in the common room of plagiarism.

"Sir," replied the indignant author, "your opinion is neither sought nor valued—you're an ass."

"I may be," calmly retorted the scholar, "but—the ass knoweth his master's crib."

Two ladies were hurrying down the street in the rain, carrying their umbrellas low for protection. In turning a corner sharply the point of one umbrella struck a passerby in the forehead.

"Goodness," gasped the woman, "I'll keep an eye out in the future."

"Begorra," exclaimed the man, "Ye nearly had one out in the present."

"Why is it," a friend asked G. K. Chesterton, "that you—er—stout men are always so good natured?"

"We have to be," replied G.K., "for we can neither fight nor run."

She (thinking of the wounded)—Poor fellows! How dreadful it must be to be paralyzed.

He (with recollections)—Aw, yes, you do have rather a bad head next morning.

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WHO WILL TRY IT HERE?

"How to Live on Six Cents a Day" is a liberal English translation of the title of a lecture which has been delivered in all the principal cities of Germany by Dr. Ismar Boas, one of the foremost of the food experts of the empire. Dr. Boas had a reputation as an economic expert in Germany and on his lecture tours, financed by the government, he has had large audiences, composed principally of women. According to reports of the meeting in the Berlin Vorwarts, the leading Socialist organ, the housewives have not been very enthusiastic about the Herr Doktor's proposals. He recommends a diet consisting largely of potatoes, bread, beans and fruit, and distributes at his meetings a leaflet giving menus for such vegetarian meals, by which the cost is reduced to about six cents daily for each member of a family. Dr. Boas declares that Germans have always been prone to overeating and that the adoption of such a regime as he recommends will have the result of improving the general health of the fatherland's inhabitants. There is no danger of under nutrition in the adoption of such a dietary, he insists, but it is plainly apparent that the women are sceptical. 'One of the greatest obstacles to victory,' Dr. Boas is quoted as saying, "is the food idolatry which exists to a greater extent in Germany than in any other land."—Calgary News-Telegram.

OKLAHOMA BOYS AND GIRLS IN FARM CLUBS

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.—Grady county contains more boys and girls enrolled in the various farm boys' and girls' clubs than any county in the state, according to James A. Wilson of the United States department of agriculture, says the Daily Oklahoman. More than 300 of the farm boys and girls of the county are enrolled in these clubs and are following the courses of instruction outlined by the United States department of agriculture and the Agricultural and Mechanical college at Stillwater. The girls of the county are taking as active an interest in these clubs as the boys.

Mr. Beairsto, who for the past five years has been manager of the branch of the Dominion bank in Calgary, has been promoted to the post of assistant to F. L. Paton, who is manager of the Winnipeg branch and also superintendent of the bank's branches in the west.

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NOTICE.

Land Registry Act.

In the matter of an application for the issue of a duplicate Certificate of Title to Lot 9403, Group 1, Kootenay District.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue at the expiration of one month after the first publication hereof a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above mentioned lot, in the name of Joseph Grafton, which Certificate is dated the 13th day of February, 1911, and numbered 14193-A.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Nelson, B.C., this 6th day of November, 1916.

SAMUEL R. ROE, District Registrar.

Date of first publication Nov. 9, 1916.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Under and by virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia against the goods and chattels of Alice Grace Caldwell, Defendant, and to me directed and delivered, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title and interest of the said Defendant in and to SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED shares of the capital stock of the Utica Mines, Limited, which said shares were at the date of seizure, registered in the name of the said Defendant on the books of the Utica Mines Limited, and numbered as follows:

Certificate No. 226 for 2000 shares,
Certificate No. 228 for 2000 shares,
Certificate No. 229 for 2000 shares,
Certificate No. 230 for 500 shares;

all of which I will offer for sale at Public Auction on Saturday, the 25th day of November, 1916, at my office, 509 Ward street, Nelson, B. C., at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon.

Intending purchasers may satisfy themselves as to the ownership of the said shares by applying to the Secretary of the Utica Mines Limited whose address is Kaslo, B. C.

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D. ST. DENIS, Acting Sheriff of South Kootenay.

Nelson, B. C., November 18th, 1916.

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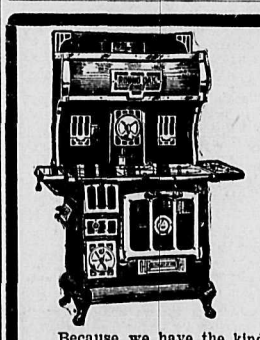

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Coal mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories and in a portion of the province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 per acre. No more than 2560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the agent or sub-agent of the district in 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.

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Dated this 20th day of October, 1916.

THOS LAKE, Manager.

HARROP NOTES.

(Special to The Daily News.)

HARROP, B.C., Nov. 22.—The pupils of Harrop school contributed $15.50 to the Belgium children's fund.

Miss Muriel Harrop entertained her friends Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Chalmers of Thrums lectured to a large audience Monday. She took for her subject "Soils and Silage and Poultry."

KINGSGATE RAISES $45 FOR BELGIAN CHILDREN

Kingsgate school raised $45 at a concert and dance given in aid of the relief fund for suffering Belgian children, Nov. 15. Refreshments were provided and served by the women of the town.

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A Christmas Present for the Boy in Khaki

Christmas is not too far ahead to make up your mind what to send to that boy in khaki, now at the front! If you want him to get his Christmas present in due time, you must send it early, for transportation is slow, and parcels often meet with much delay.

Remember, then, that Christmas in the trenches is far from pleasant, that MUSIC—however simple—is the sparking plug of the soldier's mental motor, and that a simple little mouth organ or ocarina is most likely the finest gloom-chaser you could send. If you want to do something for the upkeep and good cheer of that boy in khaki and his comrades, send him by all means some little music maker!

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PROCTOR SOCIAL AIDS RED CROSS

Dance Follows Whist Drive—Children Collect Money for Belgians—Presents for Soldiers.

(Special to The Daily News.)

PROCTOR, B.C., Nov. 22—The whist drive and dance proved a great success and netted $41 in aid of the Red Cross. Frist prizes in the whist drive were won by Mrs. A. G. Gallup and F. J. Sammons, while consolation prizes went to Miss McKay and Percival Coles. Portions of a pig donated by Harry Oliver of Balfour were raffled and won by Mrs. Sears and Miss Snow, the remainder being sold, bringing $28.75. A box of apples was won by Mrs. Johnson.

A general meeting of the Red Cross society was held Friday for the election of a president in place of Mrs. Sears, resigned. Mrs. W. R. Baxendale was elected unanimously. Mesdames Severn, Gallup, Merrifield and Dickson were elected on the working committee. It was decided to hold sewing meetings at Mrs. Johnson's residence every Wednesday during the winter months, from 2 to 4 p.m.

On Tuesday, tag day, on behalf of the Belgian relief fund the children of Proctor school collected $20 and those at Balfour school $12.

A fund has been raised by Rev. F. P. Hughes to buy Christmas presents for each of the men who have left this district for the front. The sum of $35 has been collected to date.

HALCYON NOTES.

(Special to The Daily News.)

HALCYON, B.C., Nov. 22.—Brendan O'Farrell left this morning for Nelson and was accompanied by Mrs. and Miss O'Farrell to West Robson.

John Glaspie, Nakusp, and Miss Agnes Faulds, Burton City, arrived Sunday and go to Revelstoke Wednesday where they will be married.

G. A. Lafferty, Rosland, arrived Sunday and left yesterday.

John Brown of Revelstoke and William Hill of Sandon are here for a rest.

ASSIST BELGIANS.

(Special to The Daily News.)

JAFFRAY, B.C., Nov. 22.—The pupils of the Jaffray school gave a concert Wednesday at the East Kootenay hall in aid of the Belgian children's relief fund, the net proceeds being $50. Miss Smith, the teacher, trained the pupils who carried out the program. Miss Leitch presided at the piano and George Hunter acted as chairman.

ELKO NOTES.

ELKO, B.C., Nov. 22.—Mrs. T. Duncan and family of Wardner is visiting her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ingham have returned from Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Leslie McKee of Redvers, Sask., have moved to Elko.

Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Waters of Winnipeg are visiting their mother, brothers and sisters who are ranching at the mouth of the south fork.

I. O. D. E. BRANCH FORMED BY SLOCAN CITY WOMEN

SLOCAN CITY, B. C., Nov. 22.—The following are the officers of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, organized here Saturday: Miss C. Freeman, regent; Miss M. Binish, vice-regent; Mrs. M. P. Reid, honorary regent; Miss Bertha Armstrong, standard bearer; Miss Eva Grant, secretary; Miss K. Binish, treasurer; Miss Grace Armstrong, echoes secretary.

Mrs. P. Bruin went to Nelson on Saturday with her son, Ralph, to receive medical treatment and it was found necessary to leave him in the Kootenay Lake General hospital.

Mrs. George Long was one of the women who donated toward the hampers sent to the soldiers.

Miss N. Holt went to Silverton Wednesday to visit relatives.

Capt. M. P. Reid has been moved to the Kootenay lake service for the winter months.

HERO OF YPRES RETURNS TO BLAIRMORE ON LEAVE

Crowds Welcome Lance-Corp. W. J. Howe, Who Has Served Two Years With the Colors.

BLAIRMORE, Alta., Nov. 22.—Crowds welcomed Lance-Corp. W. J. Howe upon his arrival at the depot from England Monday. Corp. Howe left Blairmore about two years ago and joined the 10th battalion at Lethbridge and went to France with the first contingent. He experienced some severe fighting at the great battles of St. Julian, Ypres, Festubert and others and was more than once recommended for conspicuous bravery. He was three times buried at St. Julian and the injuries received there caused his withdrawal fron the front. He has since been attached to the C. A. M. C. with duties in England. He is now on a few weeks' furlough to recruit his health and strength.

TO ALL KIDNEY SUFFERERS

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FOR THE KIDNEYS

CHARLES COLLYER IS BURIED AT NEW DENVER

(Special to The Daily News.)

NEW DENVER, B. C., Nov. 22.—The funeral of Charles Collyer of the Rambler mine took place at New Denver yesterday. The body was brought from Sandon by the morning train and followed by many friends and the staff from the Rambler mine. The service was held in the Anglican church and conducted by Rev. Mr. Harrison. The hymn, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," was sung and the "Dead March in Saul" was played.

Mr. Collyer had been ailing for some time. He died in the Sandon hospital Sunday morning.

FORT STEELE NEWS.

(Special to The Daily News.)

FORT STEELE, B. C., Nov. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Walsh left Sunday to visit Spokane.

Mrs. A. B. Fenwick and Arthur and Priscilla Fenwick returned this week from Jaffray.

Mrs. Akers, wife of the new Canadian Pacific railway station agent, will arrive this week and will make her home here.

MOYIE NOTES.

(Special to The Daily News.)

MOYIE, B. C., Nov. 22.—Among the old time residents returning last week to Moyie are George Garden of Rossland, D. E. McDonald and Nicholas McKenzie of Trail, and Oscar Birch of Silverton. They are again in the employment here of the Consolidated company.

A dance was held in Kootenay hall Saturday.

By the energy of the school children $34 was sent last week for the benefit of Belgian children.

ROSSLAND NOTES.

(Special to The Daily News.)

ROSSLAND, B. C., Nov. 22.—Dr. Hebb returned to her home in Chester, N. S., Tuesday evening after spending a few days in the city as the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. E. Armstrong.

Miss Dodson left yesterday for a short visit to Spokane.

Mrs. G. Merry is spending a few days in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. H. Ollis.

W. H. Hannay of Moyie is spending a few days at his home here.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Kent on Tuesday, a daughter.

KAMLOOPS MAN RUNS CASCADE POWER PLANT

(Special to The Daily News.)

CASCADE, B. C., Nov. 22.—Fred B. Smith and family of Kamloops, B. C., arrived here on Friday. He is in charge of the Cascade power house.

Mrs. A. Carlisle left last week to join her husband in New Westminster, B. C.

The work on the government fish screen at Christina creek has been completed.

SOCK TEA IS HELD AT BONNINGTON HOUSE

(Special to The Daily News.)

SOUTH SLOCAN, B.C., Nov. 22.—Mrs. Collingwood Gray held a sock tea for the 54th battalion Friday afternoon. A guessing contest was much enjoyed by the guests, Miss Gladys Clyde winning the prize. Those contributing socks were: The Bonnington Red Cross working party, nine pairs; Mrs. Lee, three pairs; Mrs. Birce, one pair; Mrs. Humphry, one pair; Mrs. Chamney, one pair; Mrs. Gray, one pair.

British Columbia Telephone company men are here repairing the old line from Trail to Nelson and stringing a new copper cricuit.

Mrs. S. J. Dedrick returned from Nelson yesterday where she has been visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Yeatman returned from Nelson yesterday with their little son Marwodo, who is recovering from a kick from a horse some two weeks ago.

SIR SAM WILL SEEK RECRUITS IN QUEBEC

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 22—Sir Sam Hughes has left for Montreal and Quebec. He proposes to look over the ground for recruiting there and expects to be able to stimulate in that province the enlistment of men for overseas service.

It is possible that Gen. Hughes may open a business office in Ottawa in the near future. It is understood that he desires to remain in Ottawa and that he has several business proposals under consideration which will keep him here.

JUDGMENT RESERVED IN ROGERS TUNNEL CASE

(Special to The Daily News.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 22.—After lasting for two weeks arguments in the appeal of McIlwee vs. Foley, Welch & Stewart concluded today. Judgment was reserved in this appeal in which nearly $1,000,000 is at stake over the breaking of a sub-contract for the construction of the Rogers Pass tunnel. E. P. Davis argued the case for the appellants and S. S. Taylor for the respondents.

MACDIARMID MAY SUCCEED DUFF IN ONTARIO CABINET

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Nov. 22.—The Telegram today says there is reliable information to the effect that Hon. Finlay G. Macdiarmid, minister of public works and highways, will succeed the late Hon. James Duff as minister of agriculture and that Dr. David Jamieson, speaker of the legislature, is favored for the public works portfolio.

HOLD UP TRAIN; GATHER IN $34,900

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Nov. 22.—Two men held up a Southern Express company transfer wagon tonight in the Western & Atlantic railroad yards here and took $34,900 in currency, according to Chattanooga city detectives.

MRS. MANN DIES.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Mrs. Emma C. Mann, who was shot yesterday by Alfred Henriksen because she rejected his proposal of marriage, died here today. She was the widow of Henry Mann, widely known as an editor and author. It was said that her assailant, who shot himself in the head, would probably recover.

NURSE WHO STUDIED UNDER FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE DIES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BALTIMORE, Nov. 22.—A cable was received here today from Sir William Osler of Oxford university, announcing the death of Miss Louisa Parsons, trained nurse, who studied under Florence Nightingale and was one of the founders of Johns Hopkins hospital. She also opened the University of Maryland hospital here.

Miss Parsons accompanied Lord Wolseley's Egyptian expedition in 1882, receiving decorations from the khedive of Egypt and Queen Victoria. Contracting typhoid during the expedition, she came to America. She also helped Clara H. Barton in the relief work after the Beaufort, S. C., flood and saw service in the Spanish-American and Boer wars.

SWISS MINISTER MEETS WILSON; PEACE TALK?

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Dr. Paul Ritter, the Swiss minister, spent half an hour with President Wilson this afternoon. Afterward he would not discuss his visit and refused to say whether it had anything to do with peace prospects in Europe.

WILL MAKE ONE TEST CASE OF ADAMSON LAW

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—At a conference here today between Attorney-General Gregory and railroad attorneys tentative plans were made to centre the contest over the constitutionality of the Adamson law in one test case and expedite an early hearing in the supreme court.

NORMAN HAWKINS WILL BE LIBERAL CANDIDATE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PARRY SOUND, Ont., Nov. 22.—Norman Hawkins, lumberman of Parry Sound, was unanimously nominated at a Liberal convention at Elmsdale yesterday as candidate for the house of commons in the next federal election. Eight names were put forward, but all others withdrew.

TO FORM NEW UNIT IN GREY COUNTY, ONTARIO

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Nov. 22—Announcement was made today that a new battalion to be known as the 248th, will be organized in the county of Grey. The commanding officer will be Major J. H. Rorke, a graduate of the McGill university officers' training corps.

MAJOR HALL DEAD.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Nov. 22.—Major Franklin E. Hall, 39, of F. E. Hall & Co., owner of several lake vessels, has been killed in action, according to a private message received here today.

Penman's Cashmere Hose

Twenty-Five Dozen at 50c Per Pair

THIS IS A LOT OF "SECONDS" WHICH ARRIVED A FEW DAYS AGO. SOME HAVE VERY SLIGHT IMPERFECTIONS, WHICH DO NOT INJURE THE VALUE OF THE ARTICLE, OTHERS ARE ABSOLUTELY PERFECT. ALL-WOOL CASHMERE, WITH SEAMLESS FEET AND LEGS. SIZES 8½ TO 10. REGULAR VALUE, 75c.

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COAL SCARCE.

KINGSTON, Ont., Nov. 22.—Owing to a scarcity of coal at Oswego and Charlotte, practically the entire local fleet of coal carriers has been laid up. Half a dozen vessels arrived in port during the night on their last trip of the season.

$99,000 FROM WAR TAX.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 22.—Inland revenue collections for October amounted to $2,160,128 or approximately $150,000 more than for October, 1915. War taxes collected during the month were $99,677.

THERE are two ways to make a sweet-smelling toilet and bath soap.

One way is to use inferior materials and kill the disagreeable odor with perfume.

The other way is to use such high grade, mild, pure, *clean* ingredients that no perfume is needed.

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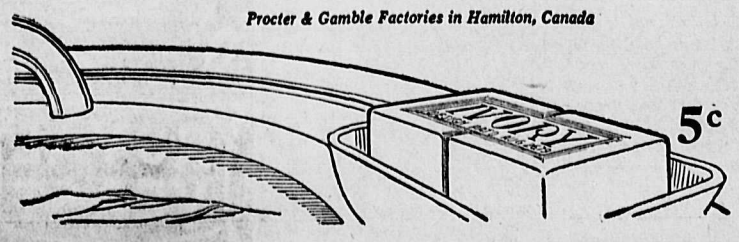

News of Sport

ROSEBUDS WON'T PART WITH MEN

Decision Regarding "Moose" Johnson and Clem Laughlin Is Up to President Frank Patrick

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 22.—Whether "Moose" Johnson or Clem Laughlin or a Portland player will go to Spokane or not will not be definitely known until President Frank A. Patrick of the Pacific Coast Hockey league announces his decision early next week.

Ed Savage, manager of the Portland club, paid a flying visit to this city today and was locked up in private session with the league head for an hour. He left for Portland on the 4 p.m. train.

While Frank Patrick would not go into details he admitted after the session that the hurried visit was on account of the recent decision regarding the deal between Portland and Spokane. The executive of the P. C. H. A. had ordered Portland to send either Johnson or Laughlin to Spokane, but apparently the Rosebuds refuse to part with either man.

NEWSY LALONDE TO LEAD CANADIENS

Has Not Yet Signed But Satisfactory Arrangements Are Likely Soon to Be Concluded

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Nov. 22.—"Newsy" Lalonde is likely to be seen again this season leading the Canadiens when the world's champions get into action in the schedule. Lalonde has not yet signed, but it is expected that satisfactory arrangements will be made within a few days.

Manager Kennedy of the Canadiens has not yet signed any of his regulars, but says he expected to have a line-up ready within a fortnight. Canadiens have, however, signed a new player for a try-out—a Blond River, Ont., man of the Soo league, whose name is Tepin.

QUINN DENIES ALF SMITH TO JOIN QUEBEC

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

QUEBEC, Nov. 22—Emphatic denial is made here of the report emanating from Ottawa to the effect that Alf Smith, ex-coach of the Senators, might join the Quebec N. H. A. club this season. "There was never any question of such a move," said Manager Quinn.

Negotiations are, however, under way, according to Quinn, for an exchange through which Tommy Smith would go to Ottawa in return for the services of Sammy Hebert, Ottawa's extra goaler. Paddy Moran, Quebec's old standby, is not anxious to play this season, though he will turn out if necessary.

Joe Malone has turned in his signed contract and it is expected that news from Crawford will be received shortly. Ritchie and Crawford are likely to make up the regular defense of Quebec this season.

SIRE OF WORLD-CHAMP HORSE SELLS FOR $20,000

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Guy Axworthy, sire of the world's champion trotter, Lee Axworthy, was sold at auction here today for $20,000. He passed from the estate of the late Jacob Ruppert to that of the late L. V. Harkness. He probably will be turned over to Harry S. Harkness or his sister, Mrs. A. K. Macomber, whose husband is said to be the largest owner of thoroughbred horses in America. When three years old Guy Axworthy was a world's champion on a half mile track, and besides producing Lee Axworthy he is the sire of more winners than any other American stallion except Todd and Bingara.

WILLIE RITCHIE BEATS MITCHELL

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 22—Willie Ritchie, former lightweight champion, gained the decision over Sid Mitchell of Australia in a four-round bout here tonight. The former champion had to extend himself against his tough, strong opponent; but at no time was the result in doubt. Ritchie's clever left jabs and well-timed right crosses kept the Australian on the defensive throughout the bout.

CRITICS BEGIN TO LIKE FRED FULTON

Minnesota Giant Now Given Credit for Being Real Opponent for Willard.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Fred Fulton, the "Rochester Giant," intends to prove to a doubting world before many months have passed that he would be able to make a creditable showing against Jess Willard or any other heavyweight. Although Fulton has been held cheaply in some quarters because of his lack of real experience, the attenuated heavyweight has shown such great improvement since he last appeared in this city that many critics, especially those in the middle west, now rate him as being one of the most promising contenders for the heavyweight title.

Bout With Moran.

With arrangements under way for a bout between Fulton and Frank Moran at St. Paul, speculation is rife among ring fans as to what chance Fulton would stand with the Pittsburg man. The impression is general that Fulton would more than hold his own, for he has a destroying left hand punch, against which Moran would find it difficult to set up a defense. Fulton, furthermore, has improved vastly in ring generalship, has taken on weight and has been thoroughly "seasoned."

ANOTHER HEAVYWEIGHT IS AFTER WILLARD'S CROWN

Jimmy Dunne, who made a champion out of Johnny Kilbane, has taken a heavyweight under his wing. The latter is none other than Billy Maxwell, the one-time middleweight who made such a dismal showing against Mike Gibbons over in Brooklyn a couple of years ago. At that time Maxwell ran like a frightened rabbit before the St. Paul ghost, who made a target of him, but failed to bring him down for the count. Now Maxwell has been matched with Battling Jim Johnson, the gigantic negro, who does a turn with Langford and Jeanette whenever times are hard. If Dunne can make Maxwell stand in front of the ferocious-looking Johnson without throwing a fit he will have proved himself a regular manager.

MINORS HELP THEMSELVES TO WHISKY AND CHAMPAGNE

William May, aged 19, and his brother John May, aged 18, picked the lock on the door of the bar in a local hotel Monday night and after helping themselves to a bottle of Scotch whisky and a bottle of champagne, proceeded to make a night and morning of it.

As a result they landed in the toils of the police early Tuesday morning and were yesterday fined $20.25 each in the police court.

FORM JOCKEY CLUB.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

QUEBEC, Nov. 22.—Another jockey club for Montreal has just received letters patent from the legislature—the National Jockey Club, Limited. This organization is authorized, among other things, to raise and train horses, hold races, operate book making stands, pari mutuels, etc. The capital stock of the club is to be divided into 499 shares of $100 each.

AT THE THEATRES.

WELSH SINGERS GIVE RARE TREAT

Music Lovers Thrilled and Charmed by Splendid Choral and Soloist Work.

The Halifax Morning Chronicle says: A festival of music, music that thrilled and stilled, that set the blood tingling and the heart throbbing, yet held an audience hushed and breathless—that is the sort of music that the Royal Gwent Welsh male singers provided at the Academy of Music last night. No one wondered that they had won the prize over all Welsh choirs. Not even Wales should produce such another choir, with the perfection of tone, the delicacy out of shading, the volume, the sweetness, displayed by these singers. From the magnificent opening number, "The Soldiers' Chorus," from "Faust" (Gounod) to "God Save the King" there was one succession of joys to him who had even the rudiments of music in his soul.

Halifax has certainly never heard anything to compare with it. The ensemble work was purely marvelous, especially in the wonderful blending of voices and the perfectly sustained tone even when unaccompanied by the piano. This was particularly noticeable in the arrangement of "Old Black Joe," the negro melody with such possibilities of expression. In no other number was the piercing sweetness of the tenors so apparent and even those most familiar with that song discovered new qualities in it. It was encored again and again, as was every chorus on the program. The generosity of the choir in responding to the demands of the audience merits special thanks.

This excellent company will appear on the evening of Friday next at the opera house.

KOOTENAY MEN ON CASUALTY LISTS

(Continued from Page Two.)

R. G. Taylor, South Fort George.
G. H. Tripp, Huttonville, Ont.
W. Webster, Milton, Ont.
C. P. Wharton, Milton, Ont.
F. W. Maton, Toronto.
H. J. Meeres, Saskatoon.
W. Pecore, Green Valley, Ont.
R. J. Riley, Vancouver.
R. D. Taylor, Calgary.
W. S. Oliver, Morren, Alta.
B. Ripley, Edmonton.
J. P. Steele, Fergus, Ont.
J. H. Sutherland, Simcoe, Ont.
F. S. Thornton, Vancouver.
J. S. Vollock, Moulton Station, Ont.
C. Hail, England.
W. A. Fisk, Virginia, U.S.A.
W. J. Knox, Massey station, Ont.
A. Laverty, Toronto.
E. T. Leake, Wollaston, Mass.
N. P. Murie, Irving road, Victoria.
J. Wilson, Oshawa, Ont.
Corp. Albert Witcherley (on duty) New Westminster.
C. W. Woodliffe, Cambridge, Mass.
John Young, Truro, N.S.
John Beech, Toronto.
W. J. Brown, Halifax.
W. Burke, Philadelphia, Pa.
T. E. Butler, Owen Sound, Ont.
I. Cohen, Montreal.
E. J. Corbin, Toronto.
Capt. J. F. Costigan, Calgary.
Arthur Dale, Calgary.
C. J. Diamond, Fennell, Ont.
Edward Drinkle, Oshawa, Ont.
G. A. Dison (on duty) Victoria.
F. J. Gagnon, Quebec.

MOUNTED RIFLES.
Killed in Action.
McIver Sinclair, West Selkirk, Man.
Henry Macdonald, Petrolia, Ont.
G. D. Barton, Winnipeg.
Missing.
A. L. Fitzgerald, Sarnia, Ont.
Wounded.
George Brown, Poplar Point, Man.
Sergt. J. Rowlett, High Gate, Sask.
Edward Guilmette, Cleveland, O.
E. W. Myles, Sarnia, Ont.
E. H. Sexsmith, Carman, Man.
J. Wilson, Toronto.
Norville, Westover, Port Percy, Ont.

ARTILLERY.
Killed in Action.
S. N. Clark, Toronto.
E. G. Tomkins, Montreal.
Missing, Believed Wounded.
James Hobson, Halifax, N. S.
Edward Martel, Montreal.
Dangerously Ill.
William Oldland, Hamilton, Ont.
Wounded.
J. J. Allison, Quebec.
Sergt H. S. Hayes, Trenton, Ont.
Robert Templeton, Montreal.
William Watson, Toronto.
A. C. Stevenson, Montreal.
J. D. Darragh, Ottawa.
Conrad Lasha, Montreal.

ENGINEERS.
Wounded.
R. F. Kay (on duty), Keatings Post-office, Vancouver Island.
Corp. W. R. Londry, Toronto.
G. F. Warner, Beamsville, Ont.

SERVICES.
Wounded.
John Mann, Grand Forks, N. D

PIONEER SUFFRAGIST IS DEAD AT NEW YORK

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Mrs. Emily Montague Bishop, author, lecturer, health culturist and a pioneer in the fight for equal suffrage, died at a hospital here today at the age of 59 years. She was the widow of Coleman Bishop, once editor of Judge.

ALBERT SARRAUT HONORED

PARIS, France.—In a recent order of the day occurred the following honorable mention: Albert Sarraut, sub-lieutenant in the —— infantry, regiment; former governor-general of Indo-China; former under secretary of state for war; minister of education at the beginning of the war; insisted on taking his share of the dangers and hardships of the front. Having been given a staff appointment, he was, at his own request, transferred to the —— infantry regiment, in a particularly difficult sector. During the 10 months that he served either in this sector or recently on the Verdun front, he has shown, especially in the course of dangerous reconnoitering work, remarkable fearlessness and energy.

A Montreal alderman is agitating for a curfew-bell law.

TALE OF EXCITING FIGHT IN THE AIR

Lieut. Clement Writes of Some Interesting Experiences on the Western Wront.

Lieut. Carleton M. Clement, son of Mr. Justice Clement, attached to the 22nd R. F. C., with the British Expeditionary force in France, has had some thrilling experiences recently in the air, according to a letter from the front.

In the course of it he says: "Since last writing we have not been doing an awful lot of flying, but what we have has been quite hot work. The Huns have been out in force lately and things have been fast and furious.

"This little excitement took place last Sunday morning (all of the biggest shows seem to take place on Sunday) while I was doing early patrol from daylight to 8:30. We already had had a go at four Huns who were edging up rather close to our lines and in conjunction with the other F.E. and two French scouts sent them off east in good style. A few minutes later two German scouts appeared high up in the sky and came right up over our heads. After such manoeuvring they decided they'd have a go at us, and dived down on us. There were some De Haviland scouts around, not far off then, and they rose up so that one Hun decided he would not come for me after all, and the other, after one feeble attack, started down home in large spirals.

"I was feeling very fit by that time, and forgetting that the observer's gun was jammed (it had jammed in the first scrap and could not be freed), I decided I was going to get at him. From 9,500 where we started, down to about 6,000 he just spiralled, and managed by a little good manoeuvring to keep me from getting right on his trail Then (and I think that was his game all along) having gotten me down by myself, away from all the other British machines, he suddenly woke up and came to life as it were. He was flying one of their newest and fastest little scouts, and in two shakes he was up above me and going all ways at once.

"From then till the end of the scrap we were both doing the most amazing antics possible, chasing each other, flopping over and under each other. You see he had only the one gun firing right ahead through his prop, and I had only my gun, so that it was really one to one, my observer sitting tight and directing me how to manoeuvre when I couldn't see Mr. Bosche. He, being considerably faster and small, had the advantage on the maneuvring and managed to ginger us considerably but I also managed to put drums into him at different times. In this fashion we went right down to 500 feet off the ground, about a mile or more the other side of the trench.

"I could see the ground getting most awfully close, but couldn't leave off and turn my tail directly to the Hun as he would then have me 'sitting' as the saying goes. However, it was either that or eventuallly landing in Hunland, so I handed my gun over to the observer to use over the back and headed for our lines. Old Mr. Bosche started after me, but decided, when he saw the airship diving down full out on him that he'd better clear, so clear he did and we got over our lines O.K., although peppered at in great style from machine guns on the ground until we got over into our own territory. We managed after all that to fly along till we got to one of our advanced aerodromes, and then my petrol being almost gone (one tank had been shot through) we flopped her down. I thought we would just fill up and carry on, but after looking around I found it wouldn't be worth while. She was practically shot to bits. At least all her main spars were gone and that is what counts in an aeroplane. Consequently we waited until they sent us out a tender from home, and a party came out to dismantle the machine.

"Arrived back, we were greeted in a most enthusiastic fashion with all crowding around to know all about it. I couldn't make it out at first, but it seems that the De Havilands who came home shortly after I landed at the aerodrome reported that an F.E. had an awful scrap with a Hun and it was the best scrap they had ever seen and a lot of other bosh. They had seen the whole thing but they said we were both going around each other so fast that they couldn't get a shot in edgeways for fear of hitting the wrong machine. However, the one big thing that I got out of it was that the C. O. was so pleased with the show at least the De Haviland's account of it, that he promised me one of the new powerful busses that we are all getting gradually."

The letter goes on to report other engagements with air craft in one of which the writer wrecked a small balloon which the Huns had sent up carrying reams and reams of literature for distribution in the British lines.

LA FRANCAISE ANNIVERSARY

PARIS, France—The feminist paper La Francaise is celebrating its tenth anniversary. The work which the paper has done for the women's cause in France is incalculable. It was instrumental in founding the Cercle de la Francaise, which in its turn led to the Union Francaise pour le Suffrage des Femmes and the Congres Permanent du Feminisme International. Mme. Jane Misme, the editor of La Francaise, remarked recently that while in other countries the women's movement had been the outcome of the efforts of women teachers, in France it was the women's movement, or rather a small group of feminists belonging to the "petite bourgeoise," who first claimed the right of education and the freedom to work.

Joseph R. Knight has been nominated as Socialist candidate for Edmonton City for the provincial legislature.

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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.

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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.

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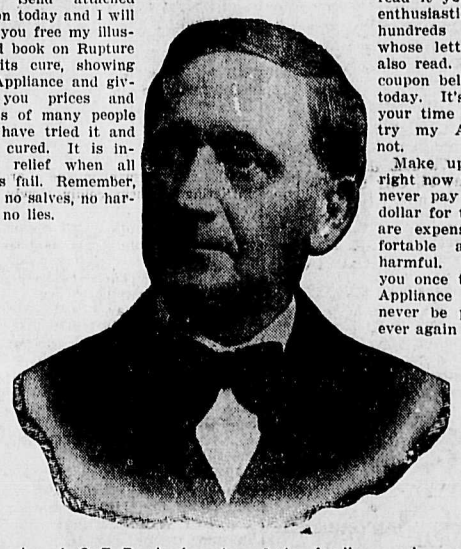
Make up your mind right now that you will never pay out another dollar for trusses. They are expensive, uncomfortable and actually harmful. And when you once try a Brooks Appliance you could never be persuaded to ever again wear a truss



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.

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.
Your 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.

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.
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Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.
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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

The Pythian Sisters will meet tonight at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to attend. (4341)

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Don't overlook the masquerade dance in aid of patriotic Christmas tree in Eagle hall, November 30th. Dancing 9:15 p.m. Tickets 50c. Johnson's orchestra. Positively no one allowed on floor unless in costume. (4339)

Special sale of diamond rings, solid gold lockets, brooches, necklaces, scarf pins, cuff links and signet rings. All these articles are on display in our windows with prices plainly marked. Look these over today. J. J. Walker, Jeweler and Optician.

Rev. Francis von Clafenbeck, a naturalized German of Tillamook, Oregon, has resigned his United States citizenship because of his disgust at Wilson's reelection.

At the Mason & Risch music store, 513 Ward street, Nelson, a complete sheet music department has been in operation for several months—a great convenience to music lovers in the Kootenay district. All the standard music and the very latest popular songs can be obtained. Mail orders entrusted to them receive prompt and careful attention. (4246)

DEATH NOW MOWS DOWN BELGIANS

Tuberculosis is Wiping Out Those Who Have Suffered From Months of Poor Nourishment.

"Death they preferred to monstrous friendship, the German invaders are now inflicting on them, coldly, slowly, methodically."

This is the description of the condition Belgium is in today, as described by one who is closely in touch with the situation. Those Belgians—7,000,000 of them, mostly women and children—bravely declared their preference of death to friendship of the enemy in the early days of the war, and now that death is upon them.

It is not only the death of starvation but the death produced by the ravages of tuberculosis, following months of poor nourishment. Hundreds of them—non-combatants all—are dying this terrible death, and worst of all the terrible plague is mowing down the little ones, while the German conquerors stand by and see the results of their work and the accomplishment of their purpose.

They have threatened to wipe out this nation which thwarted their aims in the early days of the war. They have put a blight upon the loved ones of those soldiers who stopped them in their march on Paris and in spite of all the Belgian relief committee has done, the millions it has saved, the Germans have in a measure been permitted to see their threats materialize. Millions of tons of food have been distributed to these people but the Belgian relief committee can only distribute as the food is given it. Canada has her part to do in this giving, has her quota of Belgians to save from the death that the Germans long to see come, and that part can only be done through the contribution of her people to the Belgian relief committee. Send your money to the Belgian relief fund, Daily News, Nelson. It may mean the life of some poor Belgian woman or child.

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Give it when feverish, cross, bilious, for bad breath or sour stomach

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxitive"; they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

SPEND YOUR MONEY

DO IT NOW, AS SPENDING YOUR MONEY TODAY WILL MEAN A DIRECT SAVING TO YOU.

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MAJOR FOSTER IS AWARDED D.S.O.

High Honor Conferred on Victoria Officer, Who Commands "C" Co., 2nd C. M. R.

VICTORIA, B.C., Nov. 22.—Major W. W. Foster, who left Victoria in June, 1915, with the 2nd C.M.R. and has been in France almost continuously ever since, has been awarded the D.S.O. This news has reached Victoria and will be gratifying intelligence to a large number of the friends and acquaintances of that gallant local officer. No particulars are yet available as to what led up to this signal distinction.

While representing the Islands constituency in the provincial legislature and before the outbreak of war Major Foster manifested his first interest in military matters by taking a commission in a Victoria unit known as the B. C. Horse. When the 2nd C.M.R. was formed and came to this city to train the B. C. Horse was merged with it under Lieut.-Col. C. L. Btot, as "C" squadron. The latter was made up, naturally, almost exclusively of Victorians. It was commanded by Major Bapty. When the 2nd C.M.R. was made a distinct unit "C" squadron became "C" company and as such has been fighting in France for months. Its personnel now is much changed but there still remains in its ranks many of the young men of this community.

It was as Capt. Foster that the latter left here. He was detached from his corps at first and, after taking special training became a grenade officer with the C.E.F. Major Bapty having been wounded and invalided to England, Capt. Foster was given his majority and placed at the head of "C" company. This occurred four months ago and Major Foster has been so engaged on the firing line ever since. It was while performing the responsible duties of this rank and command that he earned the D.S.O. just bestowed on him.

BRITISH OPERATIONS IN MESOPOTAMIA

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been heard at Magasis, some eight miles and a half from Kut by river, which had suddenly ceased. There could be but little doubt that the enterprise had failed, and next day the air service reported the Julnar in the hands of the Turks at Magasis.

In the hope of prolonging the resistance at Kut for even a day or two, the Royal Flying corps and Royal Naval Air service had dropped into Kut, between April 16 and April 29, approximately eight tons of supplies, besides fishing nets and specie. With the failure of the Julnar there was no further hope of extending the food limit of the garrison of Kut. Everything that was possible with the means to hand had been attempted. The troops only desisted from their efforts when, says the despatch, the limit of human endurance had been reached. On April 29 Kut surrendered.

TACKLE PROBLEM OF CAR SHORTAGE

Cooperation of Public Asked—Shippers Urged to Load Cars as Rapidly as They Can.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 22.—The railway commission has been investigating the complaints of car shortage in the west along the lines of the Canadian Northern railway and the chief operating officer of the board, Mr. Spencer, left today for the west with a view of further assisting the rapid movement as much as possible.

The company, in its reply to criticisms, states that it is doing everything it can do in handling the traffic as quickly as possible, giving a fair proportion of the share of cars to every point. The Canadian Northern railway accounts for the fact that it handled more grain last year with less difficulty. It claims that the grain crop last year was well distributed and that when the large movement of last year was under way it had the benefit of the short as well as the long haul and that the average distance of transportation was less and therefore the number of days per car required per load was much less last year than this year; that this year the shorter hauls are comparatively few and that the real traffic comes from the western portion of the territory served.

In addition to this the company states that the weather has not only hindered its operation, but has greatly hindered the farmer in his loading. The company also claims that the other demands of the western provinces have greatly increased, and that the freight deliveries into and out of prairie distributing centres are greatly in excess of last year and that fair attention must be given to this traffic.

The commission has been asked to put into effect the legislation passed by parliament last session under which the board may require the company, when unable to provide facilities for the movement of grain, to furnish all facilities for the movement of grain to the nearest point of interchange with another company who will then complete transportation. It is impossible to do this for two reasons. First that this legislation, passed to meet an emergency, only comes into operation after the close of navigation and second for the reason that the first duty of the other companies is to the farmers on their lines, the grain on their lines not being marketed. Commenting on the situation Sir Henry Drayton says:

"The best results will be obtained by the close cooperation of all interested. The railways can assist very much in seeing that cars are handled with the least possible delay both to and from the wheat fields, and the producers can similarly assist by seeing that the care are loaded with as little delay as possible."

Sir Henry also points out that there is a considerable car shortage, the Canadian Pacific railway reporting that 24,000 cars of its system have not been returned by American and other Canadian railways, and the Canadian Northern reporting 5112 cars not returned by the United States roads.

Sir Henry added that on Oct. 1 the American railroads reported a shortage of 108,010 cars.

RESEARCH WORK IN ENGLAND CONCERNS DYES

MANCHESTER, England—An important new departure in connection with the dyestuff industry is announced by the faculty of technology in the university of Manchester. Prof. A. G. Green, F.R.S., who recently resigned his post at the University of Leeds, has been invited to take charge of a new department for advanced study and research in the subject of coal tar chemistry in the school of technology. The new department will be open only to post graduate students, or to those of equivalent attainments. Prof. Green will be assisted by F. M. Rowe, M.Sc., and Dr. G. Grant Hepburn. The staff will also have the help and advice of Dr. Edmund Knecht the professor of chemical technology, who is well known as an expert in dyeing chemistry.

The funeral of Dr. Alexander Beith, oldest practising physician in the town, took place at Bowmanville. He had practised 50 years, and until the day of his death.

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Daily News Display Ads

Nelson News of the Day

TELEPHONE USERS ARE ON INCREASE

Statement of Company for Ten Months of Year Shows Much Progress in Kootenay-Boundary.

Increases in the number of telephones in service in Kootenay-Boundary are reported in the statement of development published in the latest issue of Telephone Talk, the official organ of the British Columbia Telephone company.

The statement covers a period of 10 months from Jan. 1, 1916, until Nov. 1, and shows that on Jan. 1 Nelson had 568 instruments in service, while Nov. 1 this number had increased to 652, an increase of 14.7 per cent.

Trail shows the greatest percentage of increase of any centre in the district, the business having grown from 108 instruments in service at the first of the year to 168 Nov. 1, an increase of 55.5 per cent. Kaslo also makes a good showing with a 31 per cent increase in the same period. It began with 58 instruments in service and closed with 76.

Other places where increases in business have been recorded are as follows:

Grand Forks—Jan. 1, 221; Nov. 1, 244: increase, 10.04 per cent.

New Denver—Jan. 1, 56; Nov. 1, 61; increase, 8 per cent.

Phoenix—Jan. 1, 83; Nov. 1, 91; increase, 9.6 per cent.

Rossland—Jan. 1, 235; Nov. 1, 243; increase, 3.4 per cent.

Sandon—Jan. 1, 15; Nov. 1, 17; increase, 13.3 per cent.

William Haldane, is architect of the new Kootenay Lake General hospital.

Social and Personal

P. W. Racey of Rossland is a guest at the Hume.

Born, yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. W. Crossley, a son.

A. R. Heyland of Kaslo was a visitor to the city yesterday and registered at the Hume.

Mrs. J. Cook of Creston is spending a few days in the city and is a guest at the Hume.

Miss Lily Cope will leave this morning on the Crow boat en route for Saskatoon.

Mrs. Howard H. Hill will leave this morning on the Kettle Valley for Vancouver where she will visit relatives.

W. Jordan of Ymir and family are visiting the city and are staying at the Strathcona.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Simpson of McLeod, Alta., reached the city last evening and are guests at the Strathcona.

Pte. William Lavigne of the 211th battalion will leave this morning on the Crow boat enroute for Calgary, where his unit is quartered in Victoria barracks.

J. T. Russell of Ninemile passed through the city Tuesday on his way to New Westminster, where he expects to join the 225th battalion.

A. Grogan appeared in the police court yesterday morning and paid a fine of $12.25 for disorderly conduct Tuesday morning.

"Forestry as a Business Proposition"

(By M. A. Grainger, Acting Chief Forester, in address before the Victoria Rotary Club.)

I remember when we started the forest service in British Columbia many good people, and especially lumbermen and business men connected with the industry shook their heads very doubtfully. "The logging and sawmill industries of the province are business propositions," they said, "commercial propositions, which can only be carried on by business men in a practical business way." Well, gentlemen, that was five years ago, and since then we have carried on some forestry in British Columbia, and I think people generally have a better notion of what forestry is. I'll tell you some of the forms forestry has taken here.

Take selling lumber—that is forestry. Go through these enormous timberlands of ours and size up the situation. What do you find? You find this: four-fifths of the annual growth, four-fifths of the annual forest income, that nature asks us every year to turn into dollars, is wasted. We don't use it. We take our mere 30 million dollars from the woods and leave the other four-fifths of one's lumbering prosperity behind. Why Just because the markets for British Columbia lumber are insufficient. What's the remedy? Obviously bigger markets and more of them. Get these markets and this appalling waste of raw material will be stopped. Market extension, gentlemen, means true forest conservation; and that's one reason why increasing the markets for British Columbia lumber is true forestry and why the forest service carries on its market work, cooperating with our lumbermen in every way it can. I guess you are familiar enough with the methods we employ—they are the usual publicity methods, advertisements in papers and periodicals, exhibits and all that sort of thing. But the essential part of the work is the punch its got, and the punch is delivered by active, persistent, skillful, personal work by the man on the job.

Must Protect Markets.

You must know, gentlemen, that it isn't merely a question of financing new markets for British Columbia lumber to be sold in; it's a question of protecting the markets we've already got. What would the province be if any serious proportion of its existing lumber business were wiped out? It couldn't happen, you'll say; people have got to buy lumber, it's a staple article like wheat. Well, they've been carrying on a searching investigation into the lumber trade of the United States and this is what they've found as a result—just one fifth of the entire lumber market that existed eight years ago has been wiped out. Wiped out by substitutes; steel, concrete, bricks, patent roofing, asphalt pavement; wiped out in some cases because the substitute was the better article but in far too many cases simply because the makers of substitutes used modern selling methods and the lumbering industry did not. There's no better selling method than giving good service to the consumer; helping him to use your material and to get the best value out of it. That's the method we've adopted in this business forestry, or forestry business, of ours. Many a sale of British Columbia lumber has been made this year to prairie farmers who have been supplied by us with building plans, and bills of material showing them how easily and well they can build barns or sheds or chicken houses with British Columbia lumber. And, just as we have done in this case, we hope to cooperate with our lumbermen and get all the best selling methods carried out in this community effort to increase the sale of British Columbia lumber.

In short, gentlemen, persistent market work—provided it has a punch in it—is one of the most practical methods of forest conservation there is. We are not the only people on the beach in this market work—our American friends are putting over some progressive ideas. For instance, in the interest of forestry they've allowed the export mills of the Pacific coast to form a selling combine, the Sherman law notwithstanding; and they are sending five lumber commissioners to strengthen their grip upon European and other markets. It is interesting to note that these five have been selected from candidates who have been first put through a series of severe practical examinations, a new idea in foreign commercial service and a great change from the time honored method of giving foreign commercial jobs to good Americans with a pull.

Protection of Timber Also.

Now take another side of forestry—the protection of standing timber. Lots of people think this just means fighting forest fires, but that's not the point at all. Forest protection, gentlemen, means two distinct things. Firstly it means educating public opinion. Just as a breakfast food company keeps banging away with advertisements in newspapers, inside street cars and on fences until no conscientious family can sit down to an ordinary breakfast without a guilty feeling that they're neglecting their duty if they don't eat "fruit skins" or popped wheat or some other patent breakfast food—just as public opinion is educated by the commercial advertiser so it is in the business of the forester to educate public opinion to be careful with fire in the woods. People used to think it was a "josh"; these scare-head posters on country roads, these articles in newspapers, these paper cups for campers with "be careful with fire" stamped on them; these pocket whetstones we have given away to lumberjacks and pre-emptors and all sorts of men who work or camp in the woods. But this publicity campaign has proved itself; people are becoming more careful each year, we notice our fires are caught sooner and cost us less money on an average; the whole cost of all the publicity work responsible for this change has not amounted to the expenditure you may have to make in fighting a single serious fire.

Now this work of education is carried on to prevent fires from ever starting as far as possible. The second part of forest protection, gentlemen, is simply this, good organization, supervision; the training of the man on the job to use good judgment in handling fires when they start. Good judgment is the one thing needed. There is no line of work in which it is so fatally easy to waste large sums of money as in fighting forest fires. It's emergency work, it needs cool judgment and experience. You can easily waste more money on some fire fighting effort than what you save is worth. But mark one thing, you've got to realize what is worth saving. I remember an official report of an eastern Canadian government once congratulated the country because the bad fires of the year had done no damage, "only young growth being destroyed," as the report said. Now, that is absurd; if you're going to adopt a general principle of letting the young growth burn, good night to the lumbering industry of British Columbia before this century is over. But let me repeat again—forestry means the putting of such matters as the fighting of forest fires on a business basis.

Why Not Take Stock.

Take another line—the stock taking of forest resources. A fancy line you'll say; sort of collecting data and masses of useless information and writing volumes of reports that no one reads. Now we've done a little stock taking in the last five years but it's not of that description. It has been done mostly for the simplest, immediate business reasons. Our men have gone into various forest districts and roughly mapped the places where the good timber is. We have not done it all over the province for lack of men, and time and money. But this rough mapping of valuable timber lands protects them from alienation, shows where timber sales can be made and helps in the arranging of fire prevention work. It is a side of business forestry.

Now come to forestry as a money maker for the public treasury, something that makes your taxes far lighter than they'd be otherwise; one third of every public dollar, two to two and a half million dollars of yearly revenue already and going to be a good deal more than that. That revenue has to be worked for, it won't keep coming of itself; and so forestry here in British Columbia means an organized forest service with an annual turnover about equal to the three largest of our lumbering manufacturing concerns combined. It means a considerable business in valuing and selling timber; it means inspecting logging operations to prevent repass; it means making sure that cut timber pass the proper dues.

Work of Department.

The tourist at a logging camp just sees a boom of logs. Our rangers see material that the crown is selling, something on which any one of twenty different sums of money should be collected. He has to see that these logs are clearly marked so as to show which of these twenty different sums, ranging from one cent to two or three dollars a thousand feet, must be paid on these logs.

Now I've touched on four aspects of forestry in British Columbia:

Forestry as selling British Columbia lumber.

Forestry as forest protection.

Forestry as stock taking of timber resources, and

Forestry as collecting money.

Too utilitarian you may say: how about posterity; how about taking long views to safeguard the future; how about the development of a permanent forest policy. Do not mistake my meaning—these things must never be forgotten by any public service engaged in forest management. I have merely skipped over a few topics as an after luncheon speaker should. Forestry, gentlemen, in the broad conception is merely a great form of agriculture; the harvesting of nature's successive timber crops; and we in the west, in our business of harvesting the present enormous crop, must not neglect to safeguard, in every practicable way we can, the next crop that is now growing.

Means of Training Wanted.

And here's a point for you as business men. Trained men are needed in the work of forestry. What means of training does British Columbia provide? Do you know that almost every western state deals with this question: Oregon has a forest school, California has a forest school, so has Washington, Idaho, Montana and Colorado. Logging engineering is being taught as a profession, just like civil engineering is. Do you know that British Columbia provides no training whatever, though forest industries are our most important ones? Our young men must go and study at Seattle or (if they have the money) they must go back east. With all its various equipment, the University of British Columbia has no forest school.

And, again, the foreign buyer of British Columbia lumber, the city engineer back east; architects the world over ask us, when we try to push the sale of British Columbia lumber—how strong is it, what are its qualities; what engineering tests have been made of it? And we must answer None!—and lose the business. All we can do is to distribute handbooks for engineers published by our go-ahead American competitors—like the West Coast Lumbermen's association at Seattle. It isn't good business when a firm has to send its competitors' price lists to its customers because it hasn't any of its own in print. But that is the fix we are in in selling British Columbia lumber. I think that you will agree that we need a timber testing laboratory at the provincial university.

RUSSO-ITALIAN RELATIONS SUBJECT OF ARTICLE

ROME, Italy—Writing recently in the Russian publication, Birsgevia Wiedomosti, Signor Virginio Gayda pointed out that through the war Russia and Italy had been brought into direct contact for the first time, and that a Russian opening on the Mediterranean after the war would necessitate further cooperation between the two countries in the fields of commerce and politics. Till the outbreak of hostilities, he recalled, Germany had formed the intermediary between Italian and Russian markets, so much so the Russian contracts for oranges and lemons grown in Sicily were drawn up in Hamburg. This state of things, he considered, was to be attributed among other reasons, to the difficulties encountered with regard to the lines of communication and the very limited knowledge of the respective needs of the two countries, but the necessity had now made itself felt for the organization of more regular, direct and intimate commercial relations between Russia and Italy. Signor Gayda maintains that Italy can never compete in commerce with countries controlling coal fields and financial wealth, being deprived of both, but that as Italian technical ability and workmanship are highly developed, the exportation of skilled labor can assume prime importance in the economic relations of Italy and Russia. In her stride towards modernity, he observed, Russia is preparing to construct railroads, highways, bridges and tunnels so as to open up to European markets the natural wealth of her most distant regions, and she is also preparing an industrial development

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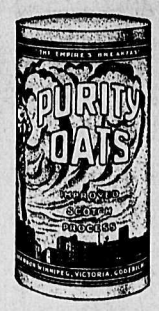

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