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# FOCH'S MEN WIN IN BELGIAN FLANDERS

## BATTLES TO TIME REPLY

### *Politics Will Prompt Answer*

### *WILSON'S NOTE NOW IN BERLIN*

### *Washington Hears of Trouble in Germany*

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—International political conditions in Germany and possibly in Austria-Hungary, as well as the military situation, are expected to determine the nature and time of the German reply to President Wilson's communication of yesterday. The president's note probably already has reached Berlin through the Swiss foreign office.

Reports reaching Washington today through official sources by way of neutral countries not only indicate the existence of almost chaotic conditions in the central powers, but also said it was Field Marshal Von Hindenburg himself who was responsible for the German government accepting President's Wilson's peace terms and seeking an immediate armistice.

**Hindenburg's Plan.**

It was that at a recent meeting of the military leaders and the heads of parties in the reichstag, Von Hendenburg boldly declared that Germany must have peace at once on the best terms it could get. He said the armies no longer had the necessary munitions and materials to continue the struggle, nor was there any source of supply, as far as he was aware.

**Maximilian Opposed.**

In the light of this situation, the field marshal said he felt the time had come to try first for an armistice, and then for peace and he urged that this could be put in the light of a concession to the demands of socialists and pacificists in Germany. Prince Maximilian, the chancellor, is reported to have strongly opposed such a course but the imperial order was given to Hindenburg's plans and the request for peace followed.

No indication has been given as to when replies will be made by President Wilson to the powers for peace. It is understood that there is no ground for the apprehension which has arisen in Austria that the president would refuse to reply to Premier Burian's appeal because of the autocratic character of the Austrian government. It was said that this might well figure in a final peace proposal but could not operate to prevent the consideration of an armistice which Austria seeks.

The same is true of the Turkish appeal.

**London Papers Uphold Wilson**

LONDON, Oct. 15.—The London evening newspaper comment on President Wilson's reply to Germany is generally favorable.

The Standard, under the head "The Right Note," says that the note "has removed certain false impressions which were possible in regard to his questions to Germany." The newspaper regrets that President Wilson did not refer to punishment for U-boat crimes and the burning of towns.

The Globe finds there is no ambiguity about President Wilson's stern reply and is "afraid the Germans will not like the manner in which President Wilson received their request."

The Westminster Gazette gives first place to President Wilson's demand for "the destruction of every arbitrary power."

The Manchester Guardian says that Germany has surrendered, and though much remains to be defined and settled, the great central fact stands established, which means a speedy end of the war.

The newspaper considers President Wilson not likely to accept the chancellor's reply as to the exact meaning of the German note and says that problem would vastly be eased by the Kaiser's abdication.

On the question of an armistice, the Guardian thinks the immediate and vital question for President Wilson to consider in consultation with the allies, and especially in consultation with Marshal Foch is the security of the withdrawal of the hostile armies and the enemy does not utilize the interval to build up afresh his means of resistance and suggests the temporary occupation of Essen as the best security against a piling up of munitions, the evacuation of the whole of Alsace-Lorraine and the surrender of the German U-boat fleet.

"These military terms may appear severe, but it is best to make it plain from the beginning that an armistice means without doubt a peace, equitable as President Wilson has defined and sure as we all mean to assure it. We shall not exact vengeance. We shall not impose needless humiliation. We shall certainly require of Germany to do whatever is necessary for

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**MAKE THEM SURRENDER, DECLARES ROOSEVELT**

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—The two immediate duties before the United States, Col. Theodore Roosevelt, tonight told the Liederkranz club of New York, are to carry on the war "until we win the peace of overwhelming victory," and to insist on absolute Americanism in the citizenship of the United States.

No peace not based on the unconditional surrender of Germany and her vassal allies should be accepted, he declared. On the other hand, he asserted that it was a "gross infamy" and disloyal to the true spirit of Americanism to discriminate against any American because of foreign birth or ancestry.

Col. Roosevelt paid high tribute to men of German blood who have fought for American ideals, and continued:

"If I had been allowed to raise the divisions for service in France which congress authorized me to raise, I should have made a point of having the largest possible proportion of men of German origin among my troops, and I should have been glad to have served under a major-general such as Kuhn.

## ITALIANS TAKE DURAZZO CITY

**Prisoners and Supplies Taken in Successful Attack Which Wins Former Austrian Naval Base.**

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

ROME, Oct. 15.—Italian forces in Albania, after storming the Austro-Hungarian positions on the heights in front of Durazzo, penetrated the city yesterday morning taking prisoners and capturing war materials, the Italian war office announced today. The statement says:

"In Albania, Durazzo is in our possession.

"After having forced, on the afternoon of Oct. 13, the enemy's defense on the heights of Paljamaj and Sasso Blanco, Italian troops on the morning of Oct. 14, penetrated the city, capturing prisoners and material.

**Vienna Admits Loss.**

VIENNA, Oct. 15.—The occupation of Durazzo by the Italians is admitted in the official statement issued by the war office tonight. The statement says:

"Durazzo has been evacuated and is occupied by the Italians. The troops in Albania and Serbia are moving without contact with the enemy."

**Serbians Advancing.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Advancing northward from Nish Serbian troops on a wide front have captured the heights dominating the banks of the southern Moravia, taking 44 field guns, a Serbian official statement received here today said.

In the capture of Nish a large amount of war material was seized. Serbian detachments operating in the Kriva-Palauka region report, a statement says, that contrary to the stipulations of the armistice, the fourth Bulgarian division carried off into Bulgaria approximately 2700 sheep, 4000 horses, 1300 oxen, 1020 mules and 1500 wagons.

The statement says a Bulgarian captain ordered the storehouse of grain at Stratain to be burned and the cattle belonging to the population taken to Bulgaria. The Serbian cavalry in an advance in the direction of Kurshumlia and Prokopia, have taken numerous prisoners from three new German divisions and a number of 4.5 centimetre howitzers and two field guns.

**French Troops Win.**

PARIS, Oct. 15.—An official report says:

"In the eastern theatre on Oct. 13, Serbian troops, supported by the allies, continued to liberate their territory. Greek forces are taking part in the operations. The Serbians continue the occupation of eastern Macedonia, evacuated by the Bulgarians.

"During a brilliant action in which they took Prizerand and Movietza, the French troops captured a certain number of prisoners. They captured hospitals where there were numerous sick and wounded, among whom was the Austrian administrator-general of Albania. They have, besides, captured important stores and a somewhat considerable amount of railway equipment.

**SITTING OF GERMAN REICHSTAG POSTPONED**

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BASEL, Switzerland, Oct. 15.—Advices from Berlin say that the president of the reichstag has postponed the sitting of the reichstag, which was to have begun tomorrow, reserving to himself the right to summon the executive body at a later date.

**GERMAN SOCIALISTS ENDORSE MAX AS LEADER**

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BASEL, Oct. 15.—According to Berlin despatches received here, the German Socialists have decided in view of the general political situation not to oppose Prince Maximilian of Baden retaining his post of imperial chancellor.

## BELIEVE 1000 DIED IN FIRE

### *725 Bodies Recovered So Far*

### *WIND AGAIN FANS BLAZE*

### *More Towns Threatened in Minnesota North*

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

DULUTH, Minn., Oct. 15.—Five trains, loaded with rescuers and fire fighters, with full heads of steam in their engines, were standing in the outskirts of Duluth tonight, awaiting word of the progress made against forest fires which broke out afresh in this district late today.

Advices stated that McGrath, White Pine and Saloni, Minn., 60 miles southwest of here, were threatened with destruction by fire, a change of wind having given the flames a new lease of life. In addition to the towns mentioned, Wahkon and Pillager, Minn., were said to be threatened by peat fires, but so far as is known their danger is not great.

**Find 725 Victims.**

Reports from the burned district tonight were to the effect that the bodies of 725 fire victims have been recovered, with much of the devastated section still to be explored. Officials continued to estimate the number of dead at close to 1000. Coincident with the announcement that state officials will hold a rehabilitation conference at Moose Lake tomorrow, more refugees who have been quartered here have started back for their homes. Nearly all expressed the intention of rebuilding their farmsteads. The first steps to be taken, it was said, will be to provide funds under a recent amendment to the state legislation, permitting of loaning of state funds to farmers for long terms.

General relief measures, it was said, are to be inaugurated under the jurisdiction of the state public safety commission, the state calamity board and relief committee, the governor and the adjutant general.

The new fires at McGrath and White Pine virtually have been brought under control, according to reports brought here today.

**McGrath Town Burns in Minnesota.**

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 15.—Reports received at the adjutant-general's office tonight stated that the town of McGrath, in Aitken county, was burning.

Lawler and Aitken further north are threatened, according to reports which add that a high wind has sprung up in that section.

**Port Arthur Gives $500.**

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Oct. 15.—Port Arthur city council voted $500 to the Minnesota fire sufferers.

## COLEMAN IS NOW VICE-PRESIDENT

**Former Nelson Superintendent Reaches Second Rung of C. P. R. Ladder by New Appointment.**

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Oct. 15.—E. W. Beatty, the new president of the Canadian Pacific, announced in a circular two important appointments, A. D. McTier, as vice-president in charge of lines east of Port Arthur, with offices in Montreal, and D. C. Coleman as vice-president in charge of lines west of Port Arthur, with offices in Winnipeg.

Both Mr. McTier and Mr. Coleman will report to Grant Hall, vice-president of the company, at Montreal.

A. D. McTier was born in Scotland in 1867, entering the service of the Canadian Pacific railway in 1887, commencing as a stenographer in the baggage department he became assistant to the superintendent of dining cars. From 1896 to 1899 he was general baggage agent; from 1899 he held the position of general fuel agent, when he was appointed assistant to the vice-president. In December, 1902, he was appointed general manager of eastern lines.

D. C. Coleman was born at Carleton Place, Ont., in 1879, joining the Canadian Pacific railway as a clerk in the assistant engineer's office at Fort William in 1899, Rising rapidly, he was appointed superintendent at Nelson, B. C., in 1907 and in 1908 was made superintendent of car service for western lines. In April, 1912, he was appointed general superintendent of the Manitoba division at Winnipeg. In 1913 he became general superintendent at Calgary, and in 1915 assistant general manager western lines, Winnipeg.

EDMONTON, Oct. 15.—A verdict of not guilty was found by the jury today in the case of Mrs. Eliza Swain, charged with the murder of her husband. The jury was out half an hour.

**G. N. R. OIL DOCK AT SEATTLE ARE BURNING**

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 16.—The Great Northern Railroad company's oil dock at Smith Cove, caught fire late last night and at an early hour this morning was reported would be a total loss. An enormous quantity of oil stored on the dock set afire, sent a burning stream into the water, endangering a huge Japanese liner. The loss was unofficially estimated at several million dollars.

## PROVINCE BOYS REACH ENGLAND

**Chief Press Censor at Ottawa Announces Safe Arrival of British Columbia Troops.**

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 15.—It is announced through the chief press censor's office that the following troops have arrived in England:

Infantry draft 153 1st depot battalion, western Ontario regiment, London, Ont. Infantry draft 1677 1st battalion, British Columbia, Victoria. Infantry draft 158, 2nd battalion, British Columbia regiment, Victoria. Infantry draft 175 1st battalion, eastern Ontario regiment, Kingston, Ont. Infantry draft 162 1st battalion, Nova Scotia regiment, Aldershot. Draft 163 1st battalion, New Brunswick regiment. Infantry draft 1st battalion, Alberta regiment. Infantry draft 121 2nd eastern Ontario regiment, Ottawa. Infantry draft 159 2nd battalion 2nd Quebec regiment, Montreal. Canadian railway troops, draft 157, Niagara, Ont. Canadian railway troops draft 169, Niagara, Ont. Canadian railway troops, draft 174, St. John, N. B. Canadian railway troops, draft 173, Toronto, Ont. Engineers draft 158, Brockville, Ont. Engineers draft 1722, Brockville, Ont. A. S. C. draft 170, Peawa, Ont. Medical drafts from London, Ont.; Toronto, Montreal, Halifax and Calgary.

Newfoundland draft—Clearing section from Halifax, B. E. F. recruits.

Serbian draft—Details.

A total of 2639.

## LABOR LEADER PROTESTS ORDER

**Tom Moore, Ottawa, Objects to Anti-Striking Enactment As Put Through in Council**

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 15.—President Tom Moore in his statement protesting against the government's order regarding strikes, declares:

"The times are far too critical and civilization has yet too much at stake to trifle and experiment with men's passions as the government seems now to be doing.

"Under a flimsy excuse of war necessity the government should not exploit men's determination to win the war by inflicting such measures as the one referred to, and thus sowing seeds of a future industrial war which make the period of reconstruction all the more difficult."

**Right to Strike.**

In his prelude Mr. Moore says the right to strike is the foundation of industrial liberty and goes on to say that the workers on the whole have used this right judiciously. He points out that the labor department of the government has continuously published statements showing that Canada has been and still is freer from strikes than any other of the allied countries at war.

Mr. Moore goes on to say: "The good will of a nation's workers can be obtained by fair treatment, but cannot be forced by order in council, and without that good will in industry a worker is valueless. England tried a similar measure, but found it advisable to restore full freedom to her workers. It would be interesting to know who were the instigators and advisers of the government in this latest measure.

"With the government refusing arbitration to their employees in the recent case of the postal employees, the present demands of the Montreal harbor employees, department of marine employees at Quebec, Sorel and other similar cases, it is indeed a strange contradiction to issue an order compelling arbitration with private employers."

**Labor's Work.**

Further on, Mr. Moore relates what labor has done in cooperation with the government with regard to war appeals and war organization and reviews the recent order which he says infringed on the right of labor men. He goes on to say: "And with the war past its crisis and prospects brighter than ever for full victory, what is to be the next?

"Labor's loyalty is to be proven by the unequalled patience it is experiencing, but the government should regard the signs of coming of a real industrial storm and remove some of these obvious injustices before it is too late."

**WEST AND EAST JOIN AGAIN IN SIBERIA**

VLADIVOSTOK, Oct. 15.—The coalition of the Omak and Horvath governments signifies the political amalgamation of western and eastern Siberia, at the earliest convention of Pan-Siberian constituent assembly and the reestablishment of the anti-German front.

## BUY BONDS URGES WHITE

### *Finance Minister at Vancouver*

### *VICTORY LOAN IS A SOLDIER*

### *Quota for British Columbia Set at $21,000,000*

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 15.—Sir Thomas White tonight brought to the Pacific coast his message urging support of the 191 Victory loan.

"Every Victory loan is a field soldier fighting against the kaiser," he said. "Before the war broke out no loan for as much as $5,000,000 had ever been floated in Canada, yet tonight I am asking the people of Canada to subscribe $500,000,000 and I am going to get it—and this from a scattered nation of 8,000,000 people who already have subscribed $700,000,000 in war bonds."

**Loud Applause**

The Canadian minister of finance addressed a large gathering in the horse show building, over which W. H. Malkin, chairman of the provincial Victory loan organization presided. Sir Thomas spoke for more than an hour in an earnest, thoughtful vein and he was generously applauded. He emphasized the importance of the 1918 Victory loan from the standpoint of patriotism, as a matter of backing up and ensuring Canada's military effort and as the means of continuing the nation's prosperity.

Sir Thomas pointed out that the 1918 loan was of the utmost importance to Canada. "Its purpose," he said, "is to enable Canada to carry on the war, to which we have set our hands and from which we will not withdraw until a final and conclusive victory has been attained." He spoke of what the Canadians at the front and Canadians at home had done. To this date Canada had expended on the war about $1,000,000,000, with a daily expenditure at present of $1,000,000.

**Province Quota $21,000,000**

Sir Thomas said that British Columbia's quota of the 1918 loan was $21,000,000. "I know you will get at least $25,000,000. The loan was to back up Canada's military effort. The patriotic phase was the most important phase but there was, too, its business aspect. Success of the loan was absolutely essential to continued prosperity in Canada and on this prosperity rested the nation's war effort. He pointed out how the proceeds of the last Victory loan had been expended in the purchase for Great Britain of supplies of all kinds in Canada and in the maintenance of shipbuilding plants, ammunition factories, steel plants and other essential war industries, while Great Britain balanced the account by providing for Canada's military expenditures in England and France. At present the statement of account showed more than $100,000,000 in Canada's favor. "That means," he said, "that we have been able to pay all our military expenses and provide more than $100,000,000 for the assistance of the mother country."

**Give Cash, Get Credit**

The minister of finance gave great credit to the Canadian people for their war effort. "Give me the cash and I'll give you the credit," he said. He pointed out that Canada's effort had not been as great, proportionately, as that of Great Britain and France. "Think," he said, "of the wondrous effort of that august mother country of ours overseas, the very backbone of defense against Hun aggression. She has poured out her blood and her treasure. She has 900,000 dead. This is a war over two ideals and it must go on until one or the other is finally established and the other is utterly and irrevocably overthrown. Any cessation before such an ending is reached would not be a peace, it would be a truce, an armistice. Germany today is ready for an armistice, but Wilson, that great president, says: 'You want an armistice? then see Foch.' The battle of Damascus had been fought and Turkey, like St. Paul, has seen a great fight. Turkey has collapsed. Bulgaria has surrendered unconditionally—a phrase which I like and which will be a great term for General Foch, I think. There is the ring of victory. These are great days and the Victory loan of 1918 will be a Victory loan indeed."

**CAPTURE A GENERAL**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—A despatch from France today says that a former Albanian and Austrian general has been taken by the French troops in a hospital in Serbia, where he was being treated for wounds.

WASHIGTON, Oct. 15.—Wilson & Co., Chicago packers, were cleared today of charges alleging sale of unfit meat to the army, which have been pending before the federal trade commission since last march.

**LUXEMBOURG WANTS PROTECTION, REPORT**

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 15.—According to the Bremen Weser Zeitung, the Luxembourg chamber of deputies has unanimously adopted an order of the day, begging President Wilson to protect Luxembourg's rights. The order demanded that the government should obtain the evacuation of the country asd the liberation of all the nationals at Luxembourg condemned by the German military courts.

## HOLD VERDUN LINES, FOE ORDER

**General von der Marwitz Suggests Fate of Fatherland Depends on Holding Back Yanks.**

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES NORTHWEST OF VERDUN, Oct. 15.—How great is the importance attached by the Germans to holding back the Americans is shown in a recent order of Gen. von der Marwitz, commander in chief of the fifth army, which has reached American intelligence officers.

"It is on the unconquerable resistance of the Verdun front," reads the order, "that depends the fate of a great part of the western front, perhaps even of our nation. The fatherland must rest assured that every commander and every man realizes the greatness of his mission and that he will do his duty to the very end.

"If they do this the enemy's attack will, as heretofore, break against our firm will to hold."

With the American army already across the Kriemilhelde-Steelung line it might be expected that the Germans will fall back rapidly to their third line of defense from Stenay to Sedan, but because of the vital necessity of preventing the allies from cutting the lines of communication before the greater part of the German forces are able to extricate themselves, it is assumed that they will increase rather than decrease their resistance.

It is not believed, however, that the Germans will be able to offer the same sort of resistance, but on the other hand, will adopt a more open form of warfare such as they did north of the river Marne, concentrating here and there forces in places best suited to delaying a general advance into a compressed area.

When the British forced their way through the second defenses near Cambrai, it is pointed out, the Germans rapidly fell back to their third defenses but the strategical reasons for their continued resistance in the open at that part of the sector are not to be compared to those in front of the Americans.

Added evidence has been secured that instead of reducing his opposition, the German commander is continuing to bring up fresh divisions and to throw them after those already broken by the Americans. Gen. von der Marwitz explained to his command in his order that the Americans were about to attack on the Verdun front "to try to push toward Longuay."

"The object of this attack," the order continued, "is to cut the Longuay-Sedan line, the most important artery of the army of the west. Moreover it is the enemy's intention to render it impossible for us to exploit the Briey basin, on which depends in large part our steel production."

## 100 MORE CASES AT VICTORIA

**Influenza Continues to Spread Over Capital City and Many Other Towns**

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 15.—Victoria's total Spanish influenza cases is now 370 over 100 having been reported today.

**312 at Vancouver**

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 15.—Spanish influenza cases here tonight number 312 cases. There have been eight deaths since the outbreak of the disease here.

**Six Cases Near Edmonton.**

EDMONTON, Oct. 15.—Not a single case of Spanish influenza has developed in Edmonton. Six cases are reported at Legal, a village 20 miles north of here.

**Indians Have It.**

PORT ARTHUR, Oct. 15.—Spanish influenza has struck the Nipigon Indian reserve. There have been five deaths and many cases. The reserve has been quarantined.

W. J. Kennard of Toronto died here today from influenza. There have been three deaths from the epidemic here. The number of cases is from 10 to 20.

**44 More Cases in 'Peg.**

WINNIPEG, Oct. 15.—Forty-four cases of Spanish influenza were reported to the local health officer today, bringing the known number of citizens suffering from the malady up to 150. One death was reported dur-

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## DRIVE WEDGE IN FOE LINE

### *Strike Between Ghent and Bruges*

### *HUNS ARE IN DIRE PERIL*

### *Allies Take Courtrai--Poilus Now Hold Roulers*

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

**LONDON, Oct. 15.—The British second army fighting in Flanders has reached La Chat on the Courtrai-Ingelmunster road and has captured the villages of Gulleghem and Heule. The British have advanced to the outskirts of Courtrai. This announcement was made shortly before midnight by the war office, which also corroborated the Belgian and French successes in Flanders.**

PARIS, Oct. 15.—Marshal Foch's troops are driving a formidable wedge between the German bases of Bruges and Ghent, in Belgium, and Lille in France. The effective manner in which King Albert carried out his attack Monday has further widened the line, which threatens to split the German forces unless the enemy falls back speedily on a wide front.

The British army of Gen. Plumer on the right wing of the allied advance now is only three miles from the important railway junction of Courtrai. Once the allies master the line Wervicq-Menin-Courtrai, which probably will be only a matter of a few hours, the German situation at Lille will be most perilous and that at Ghent not much better.

The Fresch capture of Roulers is a serious loss to the Germans. Although the Belgian railway system is dense enough to provide an alternative route to a certain extent, the allied entrance into Roulers, on the first day of the offensive is bound to affect the German communication system most unfavorably.

**Menin Now Behind Lines.**

LONDON, Oct.15.—In the fighting in Flanders, the British have captured Menin, a railway centre of great importance, about four miles northwest of Tourcoing.

**Eight Divisions Defeated.**

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, Oct. 15.—Reuter's—Since Sunday morning, eight of the German front line divisions in Flanders have been flung back broken and confused, while probably all or most of the divisions held in reserve behind them received heavy gruelling. This apparently has not been a battle of limited objectives, but rather a drive and where towns resisted at all strongly the line has pushed on, closing again beyond and leaving clearing up parties to finish the work.

**7000 Germans Bagged.**

HAVRE, Oct. 15.—French and Belgian troops in Flanders have captured 7000 Germans and taken 80 guns, according to the official communication issued by the Belgian war office tonight. Belgian and French cavalry is advancing on Lichtervelde, between Thourout and Roulers, having crossed the road. The Courtrai-Ingelmanster railway line has been reached by the French and Belgians. The text follows:

"On the whole front the Franco-Belgians continue to advance. On the left the Belgians have progressed several kilometres to the north of the line of Handzaeme-Courtemarck, reached yesterday. In the centre the French have taken the plateau of Hooglede, Gits and Gitsberg.

"French cavalry has crossed the Roulers Thourout road and is advancing toward Lichtervelde. The Franco-Belgian troops have captured Winckelocck and Lendelede and reached the Courtrai-Ingelmunster railway. The French and Belgians have taken 7000 prisoners and 80 guns."

**Advance in Champagne.**

PARIS, Oct. 15.—The French troops north of Laon and in the Champagne have made further important advances against the Germans, according to the official communication issued tonight. The Grandpre-Vouzieres rod in Champagne west of Grandpre is now in the hands of the French. Eight hundred prisoners were taken in the day's fighting.

The full text of the official statement issued by the war office tonight follows:

"Local operations enabled us to better our positions on the left bank of the Oise in the region of Mont d'Origny. South of the Serre we occupied Monceau-Les-Leups. We have reached one kilometre south of Assis-Sur-Serre.

"With the cooperation of Italian troops we took and passed Sissons more to the east, in spite of stubborn resistance by the enemy. We have greatly progressed on the north bank of the Aisne. We have advanced our lines past the villages of La Malmai-

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# BATTLES TO TIME REPLY

expiation and reparation and the safety of the world."

### Churchill Pleased

MANCHESTER, England, Oct. 15.—Winston Spencer Churchill, British minister of munitions, in a speech here today, said that President Wilson's stern and formidable answer to Germany is wholeheartedly endorsed by all the allied countries. Mr. Churchill says the answer has tended to prolong the conflict, but there would be no relaxation of the allied war effort.

### La Liberte Endorses

PARIS, Oct. 15.—La Liberte says that the clearness of President Wilson's reply to Germany is such that the allies will rejoice because it fulfils the desires of all.

## ONE HUNDRED MORE CASES AT VICTORIA

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ing the day. Eleven new cases have developed among the quarantined soldiers at Osborne barracks while one suspected case has been located at Broadway barracks. There are 79 cases among the military.

### Need Doctors.

REGINA, Sask., Oct. 15.—Dr. Seymour, public health commissioner, has asked the Canadian Press to make an appeal on his behalf to all physicians and nurses who can accept work in connection with the outbreak of Spanish influenza to communicate with his office. There are a number of points in his district where physicians and nurses are urgently needed.


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# DRIVE WEDGE IN FOE LINE

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son, Lor, Lethor, and St. Germainmont. In the region of Asfeld we have crossed the Aisne at several points north of Blazy.

### Thourout Captured.

WITH THE ALLIED FORCES IN BELGIUM, Oct. 15.—Thourout, which has been taken was an important strategic point and transportation centre. Upon it hinged a large part of the German transportation system.

The fighting continued throughout the night and at various places severe resistance was encountered but at most points the British, French and Belgians pressed forward. In this region the battle may be as much against the weather and mud as against the Germans. But while the sticky ground hinders the allies the enemy is more handicapped.

The Belgian-French line now runs from Handzaeme to Peereboom to Borne to Thourout, from the Cortemarck road to Helle, to Leer' osch, to Drievwegan, to Gitsberg, to Beveren, to Zuidhoek, east of the Roulers-Lys canal to Iseghem, to Boschmolens and the allied forces are in the outskirts of Lendelede.

The British troops holding the Comines bridgehead have been fired upon heavily and have withdrawn a few hundred yards for the moment. Of the prisoners captured by the allied armies in Flanders more than 6000 were taken by the Belgians.

### Take Several Villages.

LONDON, Oct. 15.—Northeast of Lens the British have advanced in the region of Hauburdin and to the south have crossed the Haute Deule canal, south of Pont-a-Vendin, and taken several villages, according to the communication from Field Marshal Haig issued tonight. The text of the communication follows:

"We have crossed the Haute Deule canal, on both sides of Pont-a-Vendin and have captured Estevelles, Meurchin and Bauvin. Farther north our troops made progress in the region of Hauburdin.

"On the remainder of the British front south of the river Lys, there is nothing to report."

### Resist Yanks Stubbornly.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY NORTHWEST OF VERDUN, Oct. 15.—8:30 p.m.—In the face of the most stubborn resistance imaginable, the Americans advanced again today and widened the breach in the Kreimhilde line.

The Germans heavily shelled the centre and left centre of the American line and desperate counterattacks were carried out. These counterattacks failed.

### Surround Grandpre

(By the Associated Press.)

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY NORTHWEST OF VERDUN, Oct. 15, 10 p.m.—An attack by the left wing of the American forces began early this morning east of the Aire river. By noon the troops had crossed the river and were soon half a kilometre northeast of Grandpre, although there is no indication that Grandpre has yet been taken.

BERLIN, Oct. 15.—West of the Meuse, where the Americans are in the fighting line, partial engagements are resulting in victory for the Germans, according to the official statement issued from general headquarters tonight. The allied attacks on the Flanders front continue.

The text of the communication follows:

"On the fighting front in Flanders the enemy continued his attacks. He was able to attain territorial advantages to a limited extent.

### Roulers Falls.

The text of today's communciation follows:

"In Flanders the enemy has resumed his attacks on a wide front between Zarren and the Lys. He succeeded in pressing beyond our foremost positions. Toward noon the fighting came to a standstill on the line of Cortemarck and eastward to Roulers, which fell into the enemy's hands after stiff fighting and southwest of Iseghem and northeast of Menin. Menin and Wervicq held against strong attacks. Attempts of the enemy to cross the Lys near Comines were frustrated. As a result of renewed attacks in the afternoon Handzaeme and Cortemarck were lost. Strong attacks led by tanks before Gitz broke down. Between Iseghem and Menin, the enemy was able to gain only a little more ground in the afternoon.

"There was a successful forefield engagement west of Lille and the Haute Deule canal. On the Selle sector, north of Haussy and near St. Souplet, partial enemy attacks broke down. In a dense morning mist the enemy advanced over the Oise and temporarily gained a footing on the heights south of Macquigny and north of Origny. An extensive counterattack drove him from the heights back on to the Oise."

"Violent partial engagements before our new front north of Laon and in the southwest of Grandpre occurred. Between the Aire and the Meuse the Americans attacked with strong forces. The fighting centred mainly east of the Aire and astride the Charpentry-Bantheville road. The attacks which sometimes were renewed four times broke down except for local gains in the territory before Romagne. Minor engagements have taken place north and northwest of the Meuse."

EDMONTON, Sask., Oct. 15—Monica J. Nest, a 15-year-old mother who, in the criminal court, confessed to the killing of her infant child, was sentenced to 23 months imprisonment at Fort Saskatchewan.

LONDON, Oct. 15.—The independent air forces today bombed the Frescaty airdrome and blew up a zeppelin shed, according to an official announcement made here tonight.

## SAYS KAISER AFRAID TO FACE PEACE DISCUSSION

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHRISTIANIA, Oct., 14.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.—"It is my sad conviction that the war will not end quickly and that Germany is so deeply sunk in perils of all kinds that she does not venture to put her cards on the table."

These are the words of a newspaper correspondent, Gustaf Sjoesten, who has just returned to Gothenburg after spending 15 years in Germany. His experiences are being published under the title "Uncensored Descriptions."

# LIBERTY LOAN GOING SLOWLY

Officials Do Not Like Way Subscriptions Are Coming in—Situation Disappointing.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15—Only $156,000,000 of new Liberty loan subscriptions were reported today, according to advices from the whole nation gathered by the treasury department. The total subscription so far is $2,954,870,650, still short of the $3,000,000,000, the "half way figure."

In view of the expectation that the fruits of Liberty day contributions last Saturday would be fully reflected *in today's reports, treasury officials* declared the outlook grave.

"Those in charge of the Liberty loan campaign made no concealment of the fact that the situation was very disappointing," said the official review of the loan's progress. "With only four days of the loan period remaining the country now faces the task of raising in excess of $3,000,000,000, or more than $700,000,000 a day."

Early morning messages to headquarters stimulated hope, not borne out by tonight's figures, that President Wilson's rejection of the German proposal for an immediate armistice would create a wave of enthusiasm which would sweep a multitude of subscriptions on its crest. Tomorrow's figures will be watched carfully for evidence of this situation reported in scores of telegrams from field workers.

Considering the chance that subscribers are delaying payment of the first 10 per cent installment and that *consequently* their pledges do not show in the official figures, campaign managers today urged that bond buyers pay down their 10 per cent installment immediately. This will have the effect of relieving banks of the tremendous task of tabulating these payments in the rush of the last hours this week and will show the nation on Saturday, the *final day, precisely how* big a job is cut out for it that day. There is the belief also, among some managers, that too many people are waiting until late in the week before increasing their subscriptions or entering new pledges. By doing this, it was pointed out, they will serve to create unnecessarily long lines of prospective buyers at bank windows, or to take the time of workers which would be devoted to stirring out the persons who may have escaped earlier solicitations.

Consequently "Buy now," promises to be a companion to "double the third" as a campaign slogan for the remainder of the week .

## FRANCE MUST HAVE REPARATION, SAYS PICHON

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PARIS, Oct. 15.—During a discussion in the senate tonight of the damage suffered by northern France without military justification, Stephen Pichon, French foreign minister, reiterated the government's resolution to exact full compensation and reparation.

"Furthermore," the ministed said, "this warning has just been given in decisive form by President Wilson in his admirable reply to the proposals for an armistice from Berlin.

"The president of the United States, in whose resolutions we have always had entire confidence, has signified that he refuses, like ourselves, to negotiate an armistice with a state whose armies continue to dishonor themselves by acts of desolation, devastation and savagery."

## MAXIMILIAN REFUTES PAN-GERMAN CHARGE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BASEL, SWITZERLAND, Oct. 15.—Prince Maximilian of Baden, the German chancellor, according to advices received here has made a statement *to the party leaders in the reichstag* concerning his famous letter to Prince Alexander of Hohenlohe, which showed that Prince Maximilian was reactionary in his political attitude and was a firm supporter of the reigning family and the pan-Germans.

Prince Maximilian is quoted as having told party leaders that the ideas he held now were not of recent formation. He said he had repeatedly expressed himself in 1917 and 1918 in favor of a categorical declaration on the subject of Belgium, a league of nations, Prussian electoral reform and carrying out of the Brest-Litovsk treaty.

## DUCHESS OF MARLBOROUGH ELECTED TO LONDON COUNCIL

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Oct. 15.—The Duchess of Marlborough, formerly Miss Consuello Vanderbilt of New York, was elected a member of the London county council to represent Southwark, a working class district in London.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 15.—Ernest Behagen and Thornstein Bjornsson, charged with the manslaughter of Arseli Makion, Sept. 30, were dismissed by Magistrate Macdonald in the city police court this morning.

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## BRITISH CASUALTIES IN 39 WEEKS AGGREGATE 700,000

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—British casualties during the first 39 weeks of 1918 aggregated 700,000, according to a cablegram received by the British bureau of information here today. This does not include losses in the heavy fighting of the past two weeks.

The message stated that during the period between Jan. 1 and Oct. 1, the lowest casualty list for any single week was 4126 and the highest more than 40,000.

## SULTAN HOPES WAR WILL HAVE HAPPY END

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BASEL, Oct .15.—At the opening of the Turkish parliament, the sultan in his speech from the throne recalled the difficult situation in which Turkey had been placed by the action of Bulgaria, according to a despatch received here. The government, he said, in *common with its allies, had sought to* give the people an honorable peace, but had taken necessary steps for the defense of the country.

The sultan hoped the war would have a happy ending and invoked the aid of Allah to preserve Turkey from ruin and internecine strife.

The chamber elected Hali Bey, former foreign minister, president. Riza Pasha was chosen president of the senate.

## PRINCESS ADELAIDE IS STILL ON THE ROCKS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VICTORIA, B.C., Oct. 15.—The second attempt to pull the Princess Adelaide off the rocks at Georgina Point, Mayne island, on which she stranded in a dense fog Sunday, was made this afternoon at high tide, but the vessel is still ashore in spite of the efforts of the tugs Nanoose, Dola and Qualicum, the salvage steamer Tees and the use of a large number of kedge anchors.

The tide will rise several inches higher tomorrow and another attempt will be made. In the meantime, the ship will be further lightered by the removal of more of her ballast and the emptying of her chain lockers.

## NEW COMMISSION ON TEXTILES NOT LIKELY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 15.—The minister of labor this morning said there is no likelihood of a new commission being appointed to investigate the cost of textiles, boots, and shoes, etc., in Canada. An investigation into the cost of these articles will be conducted under the direction of the minister, and, if necessary to secure evidence, throughout the Dominion. The minister will authorize the necessary officers to do this work.

## EXTENSIVE RED CROSS FESTIVAL AT EL PASO

EL PASO, Tex.—Along the Avenue of the Allies and Liberty Lane, two streets facing Cleveland Square, the local chapter of the Red Cross will have its annual festival of the allies for the benefit of the Red Cross war fund.

Booths representing America, France, England and her colonies, Japan China, Italy and the other allies are being built along the Avenue of the Allies and are to be in charge of local civic organizations. Liberty Lane will include the dancing concessions, the Boy Scout circus, the pet stock show and "jitney row," where everything to be sold for 5 cents will be displayed. On the lawn of the square will be arranged a Japanese tea garden with cabaret in connection, to be reached by a wishing bridge. A military minstrel show, Grecian outdoor theatre and navy league booths will also be located on the lawn, while the Y. M. C. A. will have a hostess house in the square similar to those at the army camps.

*Red Cross row will show the various* activities, local, national and international, of the organization. Booths, showing the work of the canning, salvage, home service, prisoners of war and bandage departments will be built and will be in charge of the committees directing this work. The Junior Red Cross will also have booths.

The concessions will include a Mexican restaurant, a negro log cabin where waffles and coffee will be served, doll booths, a country grocery store, flower booths and other refreshments. Girls in costumes of the allied countries will sell flowers, cigarettes and will be in charge of the allied booths. The festival will be under the direction of Dr. W. L. Brown, president of the local Red Cross Chapter, with Mrs. John G. Barada as chairman of the executive committee.

## WAR DONATIONS MUST HAVE APPROVAL OF COUNCIL

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—The state council of defense of California through Director Charles C. Moore, has issued a statement to the public urging them not to be indiscriminate in their donations in the matter of war *donations but to ascertain if the parties* or associations asking aid have the approval of the council. The statement says:

"The state council cannot prevent citizens, in the fullness of their zeal, from giving of their means for any purposes that have failed to receive the endorsement of the state council. There is need for greater public knowledge of abuses existing in the past and of the necessity for investigation of every claim for recognition in the name of war activity.

"By authority of the executive committee, the public is, therefore, again advised of the efforts of the state council to conserve the giving power of the people. We now call upon all citizens throughout California to insist in future that any claim on them for public contributions in the name of war activity have the express approval of the state council of defense.

"The state council of defense was founded to supplement and support in every way in its power the work of the army and navy and presumes no interference in their military functions. But any approach to the public by individuals, in or out of uniform, for support in donations of money or materials brings such individuals and their purposes within the purview of the state council, excepting only Liberty *bonds and war saving stamps.*"

## ITALIAN BORN YANKS MAKING GOOD AT FRONT

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Letters from Italo-American soldiers have come into the Red Cross office in Washington and into a number of other government *offices. They show that the Ital*ian boys in Gen. Pershing's forces are fighting with the greatest zeal, and are more than satisfied with the army of which they form a part.

One of them writes: "We have had good food and beds. Now that we are here, I am ready to take vengeance for the blood of the thousands of brothers who have already fallen in this righteous cause and for the glory of American arms. The part where we landed is fine, the people are very courteous and respectful. We hope when we reach the battlefront to kill all those infamous Germans and to make mincemeat of their villainous kaiser. And we are going courageously to bring about a great final victory."

It is evident from much of the correspondence that the foreign born soldiers in our forces are doing their duty in a spirit of the deepest seriousness. Perhaps they have not the same sly sense of humor which causes the Yank or the British Tommy to jest about the vital things of life and pretend that it is all a great adventure and a grand lark.

Another Italian boy, with a strain of Greek blood in him, writes as follows: "Don't worry about me. From now on I shall imitate my ancestors, the Spartans. Either I shall return with glory and honor, or I shall not return

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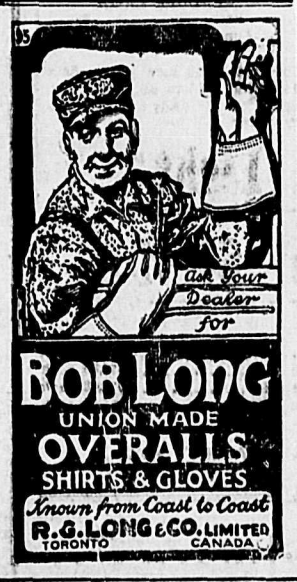




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## CHRISTMAS ROLL CALL FOR U. S. RED CROSS

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—A Christmas roll call of the whole American people for membership in the American Red Cross will be taken during the week of Dec. 16 to 23.

There will be no quotas fixed for the new call, according to Henry P. Davison, chairman of the war council, American Red Cross, who telegraphed the following message to A. B. C. Dohrman, acting manager of the Pacific division:

"The American Red Cross wants again to give the world notice not only that America can fight but that to the last man, woman and child we stand for mercy, honor and good faith among nations.

"At the close of the Christmas membership campaign of 1917, there were 22,000,000 Americans enrolled in the American Red Cross. There are also 8,000,000 members in the Junior Red Cross. This year both as a Christmas observancce and as a renewal of the nation-wide pledge of loyalty the American Red Cross will again put before everyone the duty of standing by the flag; for the American Red Cross, in this great fight for peace, represents the whole spirit of what we are fighting for.

"This will not be a call for money. It will be a summons to Americans everywhere to line up for the American ideal. We cannot all fight, but this one thing everybody can do. The American Red Cross membership fee is $1. Half of this remains with the local chapter to be used for expenses and for relief of our soldiers and their families; the other half goes to the national treasury.

"There will be no allotment of quotas to a community. The quota in every district will be the limit of its adult population. When the roll-call comes every American, old or young, will be called on to register and add the weight of his name to the Red Cross message. Let us answer with one voice to the work of President Wilson when he said, 'I summon you to the comradeship.'"

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## MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR PTE HURLEY OF TRAIL

(Special to The Daily News.)

TRAIL, B.C., Oct. 15.—A memorial service was held in St. Francis Xavier church Sunday evening for the late Pte. William Hurley. The members of the Great War Veterans' association attended in a body.

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# Kootenay and Boundary

## READY FOR LOAN DRIVE AT TRAIL

### Organization Meeting Is Held and Committees Are Appointed—Short Addresses Heard.

(Special to The Daily News.)

TRAIL, B.C., Oct. 15.—The Victory loan campaign in Trail launched on Friday evening at a public mass meeting held in the Liberty theatre. Mayor Morin acted as chairman of the meeting and gave a full account of the objects required. Further remarks were made by J. H. Schofield, M.P.P., D. Daloise and J. A .McKinnon, who expressed the conviction that Trail would once more prove itself by going "over the top" and make the drive a great success.

The following general committee was then appointed with power to add to its numbers, it being suggested that a number of ladies be asked to cooperate:

Tadanac—J. J. Warren, S. G. Blaylock, T. W .Bingay, J. Buchanan, G. R. Thompson, Fred Lee, J. L. McLachlan, H. B. Fuller, R. H. Devitt, F. C. Townshend, G. McGuire, C. Davison, C. C. Clarke, H. Whittemore, C. Robertson, R. C. Vaughn.

City—J. H. Schofield, M.P.P., Harry Wright, R. C. Crowe, T. A. Robley, Walter Oddy, James Williamson, L. F. Tyson, H. E. Wade, G. Monkhouse, G. Shaw, A. J. Martin, J. Craig, J. D. Anderson, F. W. Brown, J. Walker, G. McKay, W .Morton, H. Woodburn, T. Beasly, W. E. B. Moneypenny, R. S. Day, W. Miller, H. Stone, W. Evans, Chas. Dodimead, R. D .McDonald, Rev. M. W. Lees, Percy Dunkerly, H. Reuman, W. Weir, F. E. Dockerill, Noble Binns, G. W. Weir, Dr. Thom, Dr. Nay, B. A. Stimmel, J. McKenzie, W. B. Willcox, C. H. Marlott, R. G. S. Anthony, Alex Hector.

Trail East and East Trail—C. Newman, B. Haywood, T. Willcox, Eli Ford, J. McDowell, J. Williams, W. Beattie, C. Tyson, G. McLeod, D. Ruell, O. F. Ambur, A. E. Clarke, D. Clapp, E. J. Fowler.

Gulch—A. Vannucchi, D. Priore, D. Daloise, M. Lauriente, T. Lauriente, V. Bianco, J. Buckna E. Hesketh, C. Shields, J. Georgetti, M. Phillips, H. Hankin, J. A. Wadsworth, Rev. Jas. Black, B. Girrinazzi.

Columbia Heights—C. Milligan, A. Kerr, C. J. Minton, T. Brown, A. Anstad, J. Forrect, George Hindle, H. Bell, S. Gulledge, E. G. Payne, J. White, J. J. Fingland, C. Caldicott, G. Reading.

J. A. Wadsworth was secretary pro tem. The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

The Presbyterian church was filled to the doors Friday evening when an address was given by Lieut. Joan Arnoldi, on the work of the Canadian Field Comforts commission. After the meeting a reception was given to Lieut. Arnoldi by the Daughters of the Empire at the G.W.V.A. clubrooms.

Mrs. Frank Dodge is visiting in Spokane.

Miss Helen Degagne is confined to her home by illness.

## BAYNES LAKE MEMBERS OF I. O. D. E. HOLD MEETING

(Special to The Daily News.)

BAYNES LAKE, B.C., Oct. 15.—The East Kootenay chapter of the I.O.D.E. met in Adolph's hall, Baynes Lake, Thursday, Sept. 25. The secretary's report showed a balance of $82.41 for the chapter and a balance of $122.90 for the Red Cross.

On the occasion of Dr. and Mrs. Saunders' return from overseas a special reception for returned soldiers was held in Ross' hall, Waldo, Sept .19. A very pleasant evening was spent. Cakes to the value of $12 were auctioned off at the close of the evening. The chapter decided to give the money to the Canadian Red Cross.

An afternoon at Mrs. Frank Adolph's house was devoted to sewing Red Cross supplies. Much enthusiasm was shown by those present and a considerable amount of work accomplished. There was a collection of $3.50 which was given to the Red Cross.

## BENTON SIDING NOTES.

(Special to The Daily News.)

BENTON SIDING, B.C., Oct. 15.—Mrs. B. Feeney, Miss Edith Grutchfield and Miss Lizzie McLaughlin motored over to the box social at Fruitvale Friday.

Mrs. H. P. Graham visited friends at Salmo Friday.

Miss Lillie Lindblad returned on Tuesday from a weekend visit to her home in Nelson.

Mrs. L. H. Wood visited Fruitvale Tuesday.

New Brunswick potato crop is estimated at 8,650,000 bushels, as compared with but 5,000,000 bushels last year.


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## SETTLE DETAILS FERNIE DISPUTE

### Nearly Thirty Development Places Are Designated as Necessary to Mining Operations.

(Special to The Daily News.)

FERNIE, B. C., Oct. 15.—J. O. Jones, advisor to W. H. Armstrong, director of coal mine operations, and Robert Livett, international representative of the U. M. W. A., after spending the past 10 days in the city in connection with the settlement of the single shift strike, departed last evening after having concluded their duties for the present. Immediately upon the mines being reopened last Tuesday they accompanied by the management of the company, made a minute inspection of the working places in the mines, which the company contended under the recent settlement were necessary development places and therefore not restricted to single shift operations. Over 30 of these places were in dispute, but through the mediatory efforts of Mr. Jones nearly all of these places were properly designated by unanimous consent, the remaining few, however, upon which a mutual agreement could not be reached were referred to Mr. Armstrong for decision. Meanwhile they are being operated on the single shift system.

## SOCIAL AFFAIRS ARE HELD IN SMELTER CITY

(Special to The Daily News.)

TRAIL, B.C., Oct. 15.—Mrs. J. A. Hill and Mrs. I. Macdonald gave a whist drive on Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Macdonald. The women's prizes were won by Mrs. A. J. Martin and Mrs. Milne, while the gentlemen's were won by P. Burkman and W. Briggeman. Refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening spent in playing various games. Those present were Mr. and Mrs .Israel Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rumendahl, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Burkman, Mr. and Mrs. James Hill, Mrs. Neilson, Miss Mary Neilson, Mrs. W. C. Lawley, Miss Annie Lawley, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martin, Mrs. Arthur J. Martin, Miss Eleanor Martin and William Briggeman.

The harvest festival of the Salvation army was held on Sunday afternoon. The children brought in prettily arranged baskets of fruit and the judge, Mrs. J. B. Thom awarded the first prize to Lena Franks, while Winnie Routledge was a close second. The fruit was taken to the Trail hospital at the close of the service.

Among those who motored to Nelson to spend Tranksgiving day were Miss Gladys Rogers, Miss Gladys Gregory, R. C. Crowe, J. K. Batchelder and D. McDonald.

## HOTEL MANAGER FINED $1000

### George A. Spencer Pays Heavy Assessment for Having Liquor on Premises at Corbin.

(Special to The Daily News.)

FERNIE, B. C., Oct. 15.—George A. Spencer, manager of the Flathead Hotel company at Corbin, was fined $1000 on a charge of having liquor in other than a private dwelling.

Provincial Constable Shipman stated in court that he found five bottles of Scotch whiskey in the barroom of the hotel.

John Reid, postmaster, and Samuel Colville were fined $50 on similar charges.

## GREENWOOD ELECTS ITS VICTORY DRIVE EXECUTIVE

(Special to The Daily News.)

GREENWOOD, B. C., Oct. 15.—The following citizens were elected as the executive for the Victory loan drive: Mayor T. M. Gully, chairman; B. E. Crane, vice-chairman; G. B. Taylor, secretary; G. D. Walters, Charles King, D. H. Oxan, R. T. Lowery and P. H. Meurrach.

The Greenwood district includes: Greenwood, Anaconda, Eholt, Holtern, Boundary Falls, and the Mother Lode, Emma and Jewel mines.

## WILLOW POINT INSTITUTE CHOOSES MRS. RUTHERFORD

(Special to The Daily News.)

WILLOW POINT, B. C., Oct. 10.—The monthly meeting of the Willow Point Womens institute was held in the institute room on Thursday, Oct. 10. In the absence of both the president and vice-president through illness, the chair was taken by Mrs. J. J. Campbell. Mrs. Middleton presented her Red Cross report, showing ccash of $21.90 and the receipt of 10 pairs of socks and two face rags.

The secretary was instructed to write to Mr. Scott to express the regret of the members on his resignation from the post of superintendent of institutes.

A resolution was passed endorsing Mrs. Rutherford as a member of the advisory board.

After the general business of the meeting was concluded Mrs. Rutherford gave an interesting and practical demonstration of basket making, first of all exhibiting several specimens of Indian baskets, and then showing the memberss how to make two different kinds of baskets of reed and raffia. A vote of thanks was accorded to Mrs. Rutherford.

Tea was served by Mrs. Macdonell.

"Miss Flapp is always talking about the duty of those at home to make sacrifices for the country. Is she making any herself?"

"Oh, yes. She gave away her pet canary to conserve the sugar supply."

## SCHOOL REPORT OF ROSSLAND

### Honor Rolls and Attendance of McLean and Cook Avenue Schools for Month.

The honor rolls for the McLean and Cook avenue schools for the month of September as as follows:

**McLean School.**

Division 2, intermediate fourth—Florence Braden, Margaret McKeen, Armand Cotnoir, Stanley Wallis Harold Ellis. Junior fourth: Helmi Linna, Mary Gilmour, Beulah Drew, Louise Green, Adelaide Atkinson, Esther Peters, Sanfrid Heidler, Stephen Atkinson.

Division 3, junior fourth—Leonard Churchill, Allan Fors, Harry Jay, Billy Henderson, Violet Swanson. Senior third: Cordelia Trevarrow, Mary Wilmott, Frank Singer, Alice Nichols, Arthur Chamberlain.

Division 4, senior third—Jafes Driscoll, Lizzie Robertson, Laina Hendrickson, Sylvia Bean, Thomas Supple. High intermediate third: Olive Groutage, Harry Churchill, Edward Tomich, Katharine Rosso, Millicent Wall.

Division 5, high intermediate third—Basil Molinare, Ina Osterbland, Flarinde Martello, Richard Sampson, Clarice Smith. Low intermediate third: Dora Millett, Doreen Cherrington, Eva Morrow, Mary Armstrong, Edith Hawkins.

Division 6, junior third—Helen Eddy, Dinna Molinare, Phyllis Allen, Evelyn White, Frances Leface.

Division 7, senior second—Leah Rowe, Alfred Tibe, Florence Cook, Edward, Sodja, Nellie Rosso. Junior third: Dolly Evans, Marjorie Caunt, Gladys Chesham, Waldemar Holm, Elsie Servold.

Division 8—Geraldine Murray, Eric Nord, Eileen Freney, Matthew Trewhella, Billy Ward. Senior second. Jennie Wright, Catherine Urquhart Ida Wallis, Irene Ganntz, Ernest Mitchell.

Division 9, second reader—Robert Anderson, Kenneth Wilkes, Thelma Pitts, Gwelson Groutage, Maude Armishaw. First reader: Marion Reid Daphne Sampson, Mabel Gilbert, Lois Wall, Richard Coelle.

Division 10, second primes—Lennart Johnson, Victor Speno, Edward Couture, Ernest Oliva, Dorothy Stevens, Frances Leface. High first primer: Ronald Sampson, Maggie Bandiere, Frang Lefevre, Adeline Colistre, Grace Ward. Low first primer: Gladys aMlcolm, Severina Domatis, George Couture, Will Galloway.

Division 11, beginners—Roy Mackenzie, Joy Kem, Nita Solomon, John Mitrhell, Hawthorne Dunn, Betty Gilmour, Dagmar Johnson.

Cook avenue school, primer classes—Doris Chesham, Ruby Fors, Jack Hanna, Ella Rosso, Marcella Jarvis.

The following is the report of the attendance at the McLean and Cook avenue schools for the month of September:

**McLean School.**

| | Enrolled | Perfect At |
|---|---|---|
| Division 1 ..... | 32 | 14 |
| Division 2 ..... | 42 | 26 |
| Division 3 ..... | 38 | 20 |
| Division 4 ..... | 37 | 23 |
| Division 5 ..... | 36 | 18 |
| Division 6 ..... | 49 | 41 |
| Division 7 ..... | 37 | 15 |
| Division 8 ..... | 45 | 23 |
| Division 9 ..... | 43 | 24 |
| Division 10 ..... | 48 | 29 |
| Division 11 ..... | 58 | 34 |
| Cook Ave. school | 44 | 19 |
| Totals ..... | 509 | 280 |

Divisions 3, 4 and 7 occupy rooms at the Cook avenue school until the new school is completed. Mrs. Embleton's classes will remain at Cook avenue school.

The Lord Nelson shield for the best attendance was won by Miss Fraser's division at the Cook avenue school.

Charles Mauer, 69, was burned to death in his barn, 12 concession, Brant township. After saving the cattle he reentered the barn to save the pigs and never returned.

Rev. R. M. Hamilton of the First Presbypterian church, Brockville, goes over to Great Britain at the request of the Dominion alliance to advocate prohibition.

## BRIDEGROOM OF 73 MARRIES WOMAN OF 30

NEW YORK.—No relatives of Thomas Stokes, 73 years old, millionaire of Brookhaven, L.I., were present when he and Miss Lilyan Marie Louise Kuennemann, 30 years old, were married by Clarence W. Coleman, justice of the peace in the town hall, Patchogue, L.I.

Even Mr .Stokes' negro valet, George Alston, who had been with him for 15 years, disappeared after the ceremony and was quoted as saying he had "quit."

And two ministers—Rev. Frederick A. Allen of the Brookhaven Presbyterian church and Rev. Joseph P. Smyth of Bellport—admitted that they had refused to perform the ceremony.

But none of these trifling circumstances appeared to worrk Mr. Stokes, nor to detract from the joyous heartiness of the kiss he bestowed upon the new Mrs. Stokes, nor the kiss he also bestowed upon Miss Dessie D. Bostwick, one of the witnesses. The other witness, Capt. William H. Valentine of the Patchogue police department, went unkissed.

Mr. Stokes, who wore a "soft sporting hat and a soft sporting coat" and moved with great vigor, helped his bride into an auto and drove to the Edgewater Inn, where it was said the newly married pair would begin their honeymoon.

## PLANS BIG HOME FOR SUBMARINE MEN

BOSTON, Mass.—Boston will soon have one of the largest dormitories along the Atlantic seaboard for the accommodation of submarine crews. Mayor Peters had a call recently from Lieut. M. Griswold, U.S.N. and the ceding by the city to the government of a Charlestown plot of 191,800 square feet, to be used as the site of the buildings, was discussed.

The plot talked of is in Chelsea street, within sight of the Charlestown navy yard and across the street from the Bunker Hill Yacht club. The assessors rate its value at $92,500. As a playground, for which purpose it has been used for several seasons, it has not been a success, hence the mayor's readiness to dispose of it.

Its 450 foot frontage on the south channel makes it an admirable location for the purpose the government has in view. Not another foot of space is available within the navy yard limits. The mayor assure the navy representative that the work of constructing temporary buildings on the site could be pushed ahead at once. Permanent structures will not be erected, it is understood, until the government decides whether it will lease or purchase the property.


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## "HOOVER" KITCHEN WILL TEST HOUSEWIVES RECIPES

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M.—The federal food administration for New Mexico has in its headquarters in Albuquerque a "Hoover" kitchen that is unique. It is in fact a practical laboratory where all kinds of recipes for preparing foods are tested to determine which are suitable in view of the administration's desire to save food. If the recipes tested in the kitchen are found to be practical they are published. The kitchen will test any recipes that housewives of the state send it.

A donation of $10,000 to the London Times fund for the British Red Cross society has been given by the New Zealand branch of the Salvation Army.

Even the grape crop in the Niagara district will not be large a waste as it might have been in consequence of prohibition, since the crop is only 60 per cent of last year.


**WRIGLEYS**

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## THE WHOLE GANG MUST GO

Here and there mention is made of the abdication of the kaiser as if that would remove all barriers in the way of making a safe peacce with Germany. But it might not do anything of the kind.

The kaiser is only the outward and visible sign of German militaristic autocracy. He is not the heart, or the backbone, of the criminal league within Germany which the allies are fighting.

Wilhelm II. might abdicate and leave the militarists as nearly as firmly enthroned as ever. It is not inconceivable that they might force him to abdicate as a means of enabling them to retain their power. In other words, they might make his imperial majesty the "goat," throwing him as a sacrifice to the world sentiment against militaristic ambition to dominate the world by force of arms.

Something more, much more, than the abdication of the kaiser is necessary. The whole kaiser-junker-militaristic government of Germany must go. Let the whole foul nest be cleaned out.

President Wilson recognizes this fact clearly in his reference to the necessity for a housecleaning in German ruling circles which he makes in his reply to Prince Maximilian.

## SOMETHING MORE THAN AN ACCIDENT

It has been suggested that one reason for the German peace maneuvers at the present time is that they coincide with the Victory loan campaign in Canada and the Liberty loan campaign in the United States.

While the desire of the German autocrats and militarists to save their own positions is no doubt the main governing reason, it would not be surprising if the fact that in Canada and the United States big loan campaigns were in progress had something to do with the choice of the present time for the launching of the enemy's insidious peace scheme.

But Germany will find that it cannot make the people of either Canada or the United States refuse to invest by the crying of peace where there is no peace. The armies of the allies will not cease to fight until Germany has lifted its hands in token of surrender to the allies' terms and the people at home will not cease to support with funds their brave boys overseas until the need for subscribing to war loans has empletely disappeared.

The Victory loan will go ahead. The people will subscribe. They will not be diverted from their purpose by the machinations of the enemy, who would like nothing better at this time than to have it go abroad that Canada and the United States refused to support their war loans and that, therefore, the people of these countries wanted to quit.

## THE FOREST FIRE DANGER AGAIN

From the burned areas of Wisconsin and Minnesota comes a warning of the great power of destruction which is to be found in fires in large wooded districts. Not only has millions of dollars' worth of property been turned into useless waste, but over 300 lives have been lost in the blaze which a few days ago swept large sections of these two middle western states.

The great danger in the interior of British Columbia of a forest fire arises from carelessness on the part of hunters who in times past have left camp fires before the last spark has been extinguished with resultant outbreaks of fire which have destroyed timber in some instances worth as much as was recently burned in the United States.

No one can be too careful at any time with fire and it is always well to remember that the only safe fire in the woods is a dead fire.

The kaiser is finding that the allies will not dance to the tune of his peace notes. They have their own idea of harmony.

London press comment again relieves any fear that Wilson has done anything but just the right thing at the right time.

Once they spoke of the "Russian steamroller." Now the allied advance could be more accurately described as the "Franco-British-American tank."

Two more units from British Columbia have arrived in England on their way to France, where they will uphold the reputation already established by British Columbians as real fighters from the western land.

Now that the allied gains are of such enormous dimensions Berlin has apparently come to the conclusion that the only thing to do is to tell the German people of at least some of the reverses on the western front.

Friends in Nelson will receive the official announcement of the appointment of D. C. Coleman of the Canadian Pacific railway as vice-president with gratification. During his tenure of office as superintendent at Nelson Mr. Coleman gained the reputation of being energetic and capable, as he has proved to be since his promotion from this district.

The Manchester Guardian suggests that the allies should occupy Essen in order to obtain security against Germany piling up arms if an armistice were granted. Yes, and while in possession of Essen the allied soldiers might with advantage treat the munition plants as the Huns have treated the industrial plants of Belgium and northern France. Germany must not be permitted to employ its Essen war factories after the war.

## WHAT THE PRESS IS SAYING

### Eureka.

Stefansson says one of the islands he found in the north is the size of Ireland. That answers the question: What shall we do with the Sinn Feiners?—New York Herald.

### Shot At—and Missed.

One of the great arguments for universal military training is that another Russian has fired two shots at Trotzky—and missed him.—Ottawa Citizen.

## COLD STORAGE

"Can't you play something else than that everlasting march from 'Lohengrin' at my wedding?" asks the several-times grass widow, who is arranging for another of her matrimonial events.

"Certainly madam," responded the courteous organist. And as the bridal cortege wends its way down the aisle, the church shakes to the thundering forth of that popular classic "Over and Over Again."

"I wish Charles was not so generous to his family."

"How do you mean?"

"Well, he spends a lot of money, as well as I can find out, on some ante or other and when I missed his watch and asked him where it was he said his uncle had it."

Old Goldrocks' chauffeur had joined the army and he had decided that now he would enlist the service of a woman driver for his car. When a young woman appeared in answer to his advertisement she was asked for a reference.

"Well, sir, I haven't one now, but I could get one in a month or two," she said.

"Yes, but why the delay?" asked Goldrocks.

"It's like this, sir. My last employer is in the hospital at present."

## TOLD IN RHYME

### BUY BONDS.

This bit of verse comes from ex-Pte. J. Johnson, one of the Balfour boys, who has in rhyme set out the need of subscribing to the coming Victory loan:

Hark ye, citizens of Canada,
Hark to the clarion call,
'Tis yours to help, yours to decide
Whether we stand or fall.

Our gallant sons have fought and bled,
Over there on Flanders field,
If we would avenge our noble dead,
Let us make the foemen yield.

The battle still rages fiercely on,
With little chance to chance,
'Tis shot and shell and heroic deeds
That are driving the foe from France.

But our boys will lose their fighting power
If they don't get our support,
Let us put our shoulder to the wheel
And help them take the fort.

History will tell how Calais was saved,
Will record each glorious deed,
Then let them know we're standing by
To give them what they need.

Let them know that their loved ones,
Are cared for with right good will,
And whatever the cost of victory,
We will gladly pay the bill.

Victory is now within our reach,
Then we'll make old William groan,
The surest way toward this end
Is to help the Victory loan.

Then roll up now for your Victory bonds,
Your country needs the tin
For shot and shell for our gallant boys
May blast their way to Berlin.

## KINDLY SAY PLEASE

One of the best stories of General Smith-Dorrien, who is to take the Gibraltar command, is that which he used to tell against himself of an incident during the South African war. An orderly arrived at his quarters one day with important despatches, which he delivered with a verbal message—this in language that was rather unconventional judged by his rank. Smith-Dorrien read the despatches and dismissed the man with a reply that he would be ready to move in two hours. "And," he added, "say 'please' the next time you speak to me." The orderly delivered Smith-Dorrien's reply to Kitchener. "What did he say?" he was asked. "He said he would be ready to move in two hours," the soldier answered; "and you would kindly say 'please' the next time you speak to him.'

# Mining and Markets

## STOCKS WAVER AT NEW YORK

### Irregular Course Is Taken by Issues on Eastern Market—War Stocks Rise

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Judging from the uncertain and irregular course of today's stock market speculative interests were less inclined to jump at hasty conclusions regarding the result of pending developments in the war situation. With the exception of oils, in which fluctuations were most bewildering, shares favored in the preceding session, notable rails, shippings, tobaccos and high priced specialties, were under constant pressure.

United States Steel, which promised yesterday to get into its stride on the upswing, was among the erratic leaders, reacting 2¼ points from its best and closing at a loss of ¼ point. Marine preferred was under the influence of realizing sales, reacting 2 points after an early show of activity and strength, while standard rails, especially Pacifics, forfeited 1 to 2¼ points. Coppers and leathers were consistently firm to strong. The demand for metals centered about American Smelting, Anaconda and Utah. Hide and leather preferred made an additional gain of 3 points, but fell away later.

War stocks reflected the changed attitude of traders, some of the more distinctive issues of that division rising 1 to 4 points with industral alcohol and the food shares.

Mexican Petroleum was the most diverting feature rallying almost 11 points from its minimum of the first hour, and finishing at an advance of 5¼ points. Studebaker gained 6 points.

Railroad and industrial issues were strong features of the broader bond market, the Liberty group showing variable tendencies, while internationals were neglected. Old United States bonds unchanged on call.

## LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 15.—Hogs: Receipts, 27,000; market on butcher and light hogs, 10 to 25 cents higher; packing grades steady to strong. Butchers, 18.40 to 18.75; light, 17.75 to 18.65; packing, 16.85 to 18.10; roughs, 16.50 to 16.75; pigs, good to choice, 15.50 to 16.75.

Cattle: Receipts, 20,000; beef and butcher cattle unevenly steady to 25 cents lower; steers with weight selling upward from $13 holding up best; stockers and feeders neglected. Beef cattle, good and prime, 14.25 to 19.25; common and medium, 9 to 14.25; butcher stock, cows and heifers, 6.50 to 13; stockers and feeders, good, choice and fancy, 10.25 to 13.25; inferior, common and medium, 7 to 10.25; veal calves, good and choice, 15.75 to 16.75; western range steers, 13.25 to 17, cows and heifers, 8 to 12.25.

Sheep: Receipts, 31,000; fat sheep steady; others and lambs weak to unevenly lower; many fat lambs selling 25 to 40 cents down. Lambs, choice and prime, 15.25 to 15.75; medium, and good, 13.25 to 1[illegible].25; culls, 7.50 to 12; ewes, choice and prime, 10 to 10.25; medium and good, 8.75 to 10; culls, 3.50 to 7.

## EXCHANGE IS QUIET DURING DAY AT MONTREAL

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Oct. 15.—The unusual listlessness after a holiday and the erratic course of prices at New York were both factors in the quiet market for Canadian stocks here today.

Brazilian was prominent in the early advance, selling at 50½. By noon the price was off to 50 and a further reaction of ½ point was registered in the afternoon, with the close at the lowest.

Power sold firm at 86 but closed easier at 85¾. Steel of Canada was offered at 65½ at the close.

Other stocks to strengthen moderately included Forgings ½ higher at 209; Dominion Steel at 60½; Ames-Holden preferred 1½ higher at 69½; Wabasho Cotton 1higher at 52.

Mildly weaker stocks included Car preferred, Dominion Bridge, Spanish River common and Cement at recessions of ½ to 1 point.

Bonds were relatively more active than stocks. Dominion Textile "A" series sold 2 higher at 98 and Steel of Canada 1⅛ higher at 94⅛. Sales: Shares, 2346; bonds, $65,200.

## WALLACE, IDAHO COMPANY PAYS 75 CENTS DIVIDEND

A dividend of 75 cents a share, totaling $348,742, has been declared by the Consolidated Interstate-Callahan Mining company, Wallace, Idaho. This disbursement will increase the total of payments this year to $813,732 and the grand total to $7,091,097. Dividends declared in March and June were for 50 cents a share.

The company is producing 100 tons of concentrates daily from tailings. The dump has become so responsive that a call on the mine has not been found necessary. It is said that this permits of a highly economical underground operation and the centralization of effort on development. The tailings are raised from the dump to the mill with drag line buckets.

Rev. R. C. Horner, desposed bishop of the Holiness movement, has retaken himself to the United States, where he has founded a new religion under the name of the Standard church of America.

In Haldimand township two little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Finley Simpson, aged three and one and a half years, while alone, lost their lives in a fire that consumed their parents' home with its contents.

## SILVER AT NEW YORK IS 101 1-8

### Spelter Dull at East St. Louis—No Change in Lead Prices—Copper at London.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Silver, $1.01⅛; at London, 49½.

Lead: St. Louis, 7.75; New York, 8.05; Montreal, 9.86; London, £29 10s.

Spelter dull; East St. Louis delivery, spot offered at 8.65. Spelter at London: Spot, £54; futures, £50.

Copper at London: Spot and futures, £122; electrolytic, £137.

## LONDON MARKET IS QUIET BUT FIRM

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Oct. 15.—President Wilson's reply to Germany's peace note had little effect on the market and the stock exchange today, which continued quiet but confident. There was profit taking on consuls but steady support was given other gilt-edged securities. There was increased business in the shipping shares, Marconia and industrials.

Munitions shares were easy as a result of fears of decreased profits. Money was in good demand and discounts were steady.

The sales in war bonds last week amounted to £32,000,000.

## CORN PRICES RISE.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 15.—Sharp new advances in the corn market today resulted largely from President Wilson's note to Germany. Latest quotations, although unsettled, were 2¾ to 4¾ cents net higher, with November at $1.24¼ to ⅜ and December at $1.21⅝ to ¾. Oats gained ⅜ to ⅞ cents and provisions 15 cents to $1.

## STANDARD MAKES $16,137 IN JUNE

### Silverton Company's Surplus Increased to $203,112, According to Statement Issued.

Net profits in June of the Standard Silver-Lead Mining company, operating at Silverton, were $16,137, according to figures just made public. The company's surplus at the close of the month was increased to $203,112. These figures offset the report for May when there was a loss of $6272. The change from loss to profit is explained by the receipt of $41,917 on operating account in June, as compared with $21,720 in the previous month, the items of June including $35,809 from zinc sales and $3059 in final settlement for sales in April.

## AT THE THEATRES

### Rex Beach Story in Picture.

The universal appeal of Rex Beach's many novels have made of them when picturized, perhaps the most popular group of pictures the screen has ever known. Starting with "The Spoilers" and its enormous popularity, then "The Barrier," "The Auction Block," down to "The Ne'er Do Well, all of Beach's stories have proven tremendously successful.

On account of the flattering reception given "The Ne'er Do Well" on its first showing at advanced prices the management of the Gem theatre feels confident that the second showing of this great picture today and tomorrow at regular prices will prove very popular with its patrons.

## CELEBRATE ALASKA'S BIRTHDAY AS LIBERTY BOND DAY

JUNEAU, Alaska.—Alaska day, Oct. 18, this year the fifty-first birthday of the northern American territory, probably will be celebrated as Liberty bond day.

A bond drive will be conducted on Alaska day in all the native school of southeastern Alaska. Schools in other parts of the territory will also hold drives on the holiday, it is expected.

Alaska day is the anniversary of American occupation. Fifty-one years ago, Oct. 18, 1867, the Russian flag was lowered and the American flag raised at the Russian government headquarters at Sitka, then the capital.


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## GERMAN ORGANIZATION OVERRATED.

One hears much expansive admiration of the German genius for organization, but it comes for the most part from those who have never had actual experience of German organization. Perhaps it is because there is so much of it; because it is so colossal. It is in many ways efficient, no doubt; they get certain things done, but then, so do the French, who seem to have so little organization and are so clever in improvisation. But the vast, elephantine deliberation of the German organization would drive an American captain of industry mad in a fortnight. It is heavy, cumbersome; its complicated machinery rumbles on, remorselessly, and once set in motion there is no way of stopping it, of turning it aside, of adapting it to sudden exigencies. It is blindly impersonal, inhuman, taking no account of persons or of the personal equation. Wherever it touches human beings, it consists of a multitude of regulations, of "Verbotens." Instead of a few simple guide posts to point the way through a wilderness the Germans would put up myriad signboards telling the traveler where not to go; instead of barking a few trees to blaze the trail they would hack all the trees in the forest except those along the way they wished to indicate.—Brand Whitlock in Everybody's Magazine.

Seven prominent residents of Port Stanley were brought before County Police Magistrate Hunt at St. Thomas on Saturday and fined $10 each and costs on charges of gambling or being frequenters of a gambling resort in that village.


*There's Pleasure in Owning a "Birks"*

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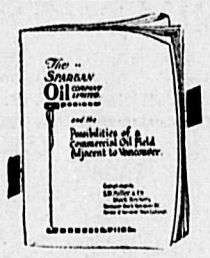

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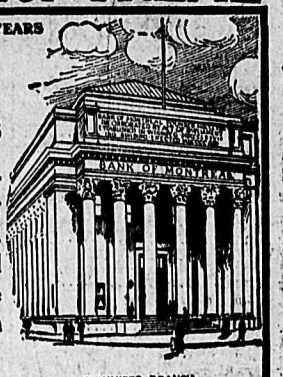

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMITTEE APPOINTED FOR THE PURPOSE OF INQUIRY INTO THE MATTER OF TREATMENT RATES CHARGED BY CONSOLIDATED MINING & SMELTING COMPANY OF CANADA, LIMITED, AT ITS TRAIL SMELTER WILL HOLD A SESSION AT BOARD OF TRADE ROOMS, NELSON, ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1918, AT 11 a.m. AND, IF NECESSARY, ON OTHER DAYS TO BE ARRANGED FOR THE PURPOSE OF RECEIVING FROM SHIPPERS OF ORE TO TRAIL OR OTHERS DIRECTLY CONCERNED, ANY RELEVANT STATEMENTS OF FACTS, AND HEARING EVIDENCE IN CONNECTION THEREWITH. IN THE MEANTIME, COMMUNICATIONS MAY BE ADDRESSED TO JAMES ANDERSON, SECRETARY, KASLO, B.C.

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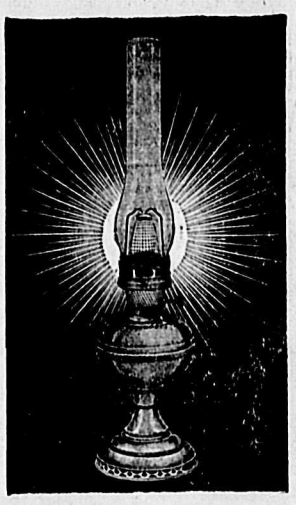

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Advertisers are reminded that it is contrary to the provisions of the postal laws to have letters addressed to initials only; therefore any advertiser desirous of concealing his or her identity may use a box at this office without any extra charge if replies are called for; if replies are to be mailed to advertisers, allow 10 cents extra in addition to price of advertisement to pay postage.

The News reserves the right to refuse any copy submitted of publication.

**10 MALE HELP WANTED.**

**NELSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—W. Parker, 309 Baker St., Phone 283.** WANTED—Loggers, $4.00; polemakers, 2c foot, no fee; edgerman; singlejack miners; carpenters; woodsmen; trimmer; grader; 4-horse teamster; flunkey; blacksmith; tiemakers, 20c; axe men, $5.25.

WANTED—Tiemakers. McEachern's camp, Edgewood, B.C. Price 16 cents per tie. (505)

**WANTED—15 pole and postmakers for camp near Revelstoke. The Lindsley Brothers Co., McCulloch Block, Nelson.** (488)

WANTED—One six-horse teamster. Kootenay Shingle Co., Ltd., Salmo, B.C. (416)

WANTED—Polemakers, 2c foot. Baskin & Stedman, apply Parker Employment office. (419)

WANTED—Young man for office; experienced, quick and reliable. Apply Rosebery-Surprise Mining Co., Sandon. (470)

**13 SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE**

ACCOUNTANT—Experienced in lumber and general business desires position. Employed till Nov. 1st. Best references. Apply box 467, Daily News (467)

**29 LOST AND FOUND.**

LOST—Fox terrier pup, white with black spots. Return to R. B. Hay; reward. (491)

**43 HOTELS.**

A SOLDIER'S FRIEND is Dad Odell at the Province Hotel, Grand Forks. (399)

## Want to Sell Livestock ?

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**18 ARTICLES FOR SALE**

FOR SALE CHEAP—1 33-calibre Winchester rifle, like new; 1 Nelson 6-hole range, like new; 1 dresser and washstand, oak finish; 1 large Cole air tight heater for wood; 1 dining room suite, 5 oak chairs, 1 oak square table; 1 divanette, genuine leather, in good shape; 1 1900 gravity washing machine and wringer. Write box 496, Daily News office. (496)

VICTROLA and records, $95, snap. Box 466, Daily News. (466)

**33 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.**

FRUIT RANCHERS—We will give a four year contract for strawberries and raspberries; any amount up to 200 acres, at good prices. McDonald Jam Co. (382)

**11 FEMALE HELP WANTED.**

WANTED—Girl for general housework in family of three; good wages. Apply P.O. box 974, Nelson. (490)

WANTED—Woman for country hotel, permanent. Write J. W. Whitehead, Castlegar, B.C. (245)

PATRIOTIC, steady, well paid employment at home, in war or peace time—Knit socks for us on the fast, simple Auto Knitter. Particulars today, 3c stamp. Auto Knitter Company, Dept. C82, 607 College, Toronto. (495)

**35 FOR RENT.**

TRAIL HOTEL FOR RENT—The Aldridge, most modern hotel in Trail. Complete heating system; running water in all rooms. Splendid opportunity for man and wife who will give it personal attention. Apply W. K. Esling, Trail. (469)

**26 MACHINERY FOR SALE.**

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A large welding plant, consisting of 3 large 200-ft. oxygen cylinders; 1 large 200-ft acetylene cylinder; 1 small 100-ft. acetylene cylinder; 2 cutting and welding torches with tips for large or small work; 1 welding table; 1 large vice; 2 sets guages registering up to 3000 lbs. pres.; large quantity of welding rods; fire brick, charcoal, tools, etc. Will take motor car in trade. The cylinders alone worth today over $400.00. Owner spent over $1000 in plant. Will take $600.00 cash or will trade. What have you to offer? Answer Chas. R. Walker, care McLean & Herb, box 143, Vernon street, Nelson, B.C. (500)

**19 POULTRY AND EGGS.**

FOR SALE—Prize winning, Black Minorca cockerels; prices reasonable. Apply box 415, Nelson. (474)

**20 LIVESTOCK FOR SALE**

FOR SALE—Several good milch cows, some to freshen November and December. Wm. Schad, Bull River, B.C. (508)

FOR SALE—2½ year old Yorkshire boar; also 2 year old sow, with litter of ten fine pigs; sow gentle; pedigree. H. Richardson, Crawford Bay. (487)

FOR SALE—Four grade Yorkshire sows, five months, about 100 lbs.; sired by Agassiz Prince; $80 or $22 each. V. Smith, Gray Creek. (492)

FOR SALE — Registered pedigree Yorkshire boar, aged 12 months; young Yorkshire pigs; Ayrshire pedigree bull, 3 years old, $100.00, and two Jersey-Ayrshire cows, cheap. P.O. box 1094, Nelson. (493)

FOR SALE—Good horse and complete set of driving harness, $50. Write Mrs. John H. Marshall, Harrop, B.C. (471)

TWENTY PIGS FOR SALE—Eight to ten weeks old, $7 each. J. Williamson, Trail. (360)

FOR SALE—Good serviceable horse, about 1300 lbs. Apply O. K. Bakery. (391)

FOR SALE—Five heavy horses and harness. Salmo Cedar Co., Park Siding, B.C. (392)

**SECOND HAND DEALERS.**

THE ARK pays cash for secondhand furniture, stoves; 606 Vernon; Ph. 65L.

**41 MEALS.**

WHEN IN MOYIE get your meals at Mrs. Cameron's. Inquire International hotel. (323)

**2 MISCELLANEOUS—WANTED**

OLD FALSE TEETH BOUGHT—Sound or broken, vulcanite or metal; also bridgework. Post them to J. Dunstone, postoffice box 1236, Vancouver. Highest cash prices sent by return mail. (279)

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, 5c a pound; small pieces not wanted. Daily News. (329)

**37 BOATS AND AUTOMOBILES**

WANTED——Second hand Ford car; must be in good condition. Box 429, Daily News. (429)

**16 ROOM AND BOARD.**

ROOM AND BOARD — Reasonable terms; 912 Vernon. (368)

**24 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES**

FOR SALE—Meat market in Trail, B.C., known as Trail Meat Market; doing $5000 business. Has good refrigerating plant and first class tools. Reason for selling, owner drafted. Apply box 311, Trail, B.C. (420)

**42 MATRIMONY.**

MARRY—Many rich. Particulars free. F. Morrison, L 3053 W. Holden, Seattle, Wash. (293)

**14 FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT**

FURNISHED SUITE—All conveniences. Campbell' Art Studio, 715 Baker. (512)

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, $8 per month; over Poole Drug. (479)

FOR RENT—To respectable parties, clean, well furnished 3 and 4-room suites for housekeeping; 507 Silica street. (409)

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FURNISHED housekeeping rooms for rent over Horswill's grocery store; brick block; $10. Apply C. W. Appleyard, phone 444. (388)

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50c. a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size 25c. At all dealers or from Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

# NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

**CARD OF THANKS.**

Mrs. F. J. Goldsmith and family wish to thank their many friends for letters received and sympathy shown them in the loss of a loving husband and father. (510)

**CARD OF THANKS.**

Mrs. Bannister wishes to thank her many friends for floral tributes and sympathy in her bereavement. (511)

Court Ellen A.O.F. meets tonight in K.P. hall at 8 o'clock, Flower drill. (509)

The Ladies of the Maccabees whist drive, Thursday, Oct. 17, at K.P. hall. Cards at 8 o'clock. Admission 25c., war tax extra. Members are requested to meet at 7:15 sharp. (514)

The new hospital will be open on Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 and in the evening from 8 to 10, to visitors who wish to see the new building. A very special invitation is extended to mothers and children to come and see the children's ward. (513)

**BOARD TO SETTLE LIBERTY LOAN DISPUTES**

EL PASO, Tex.—A board of arbitration was appointed at the beginning of the fourth Liberty loan drive here to settle disputes between bond salesmen and prospective customers over the amounts which each person should buy. His committee alone acts as a credit board for adjusting differences as to credits. The board was formed from among the best business men of the city by Burt Orndorff, executive chairman of the fourth Liberty loan.

**LAND REGISTRY ACT.**
**(Section 24.)**

In the matter of Lot 17, Block 41, Town of Silverton, Kootenay District, Map 574A.

Proof having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 839A, to the above mentioned lot, in the name of Charles A. Gardner and bearing date of the 16th October, 1901.

I hereby give notice of my intention at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof to issue to the said Charles A. Gardner a fresh Certificate of Title in lieu of such lost certificate. Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C., this 10th day of October, 1918.

E. S. STOKES,
District Registrar of Titles

Date of first publication, Oct. 14, 1918.

**MINERAL ACT.**

**Certificate of Improvements.**
**NOTICE.**

Silver Crest Mineral Claim, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of Kootenay District. Where located: On south fork of Salmon river, about two miles east of mouth of Lost Creek, and about twelve miles from Salmo.

Take notice that I, A. H. Green, acting as agent for John Waldbeser, F.M.C. 96773-B; May Waldbeser, F.M.C. 96774-B; R. B. Bell, F.M.C. 96789-B, all of the city of Salmo, B.C., intend, sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this third day of August, A.D. 1918.

A. H. GREEN.

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# SALMON PACK IS COMMANDEERED

**War Purchasing Committee Will Determine Price to Be Paid—Temporary Rates Set.**

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 15.—Regulations were approved by the governor-general today providing for the commandeering of the British Columbia salmon pack. The price to be paid will be determined by the war purchasing committee. Until prices have been determined, the following advances on account of purchase price will be made for all salmon inspected and accepted:

Sockeye, per case, talls, $11; flats, $11.50; half flats, $12.50. Red springs, talls, $7; flats, $7.50; half flats, $8.50. Cohoes, talls, $6.50; flats, $7; half flats, $8. Pinks, talls, $6; flats, $6.50; half flats, $7.50.

Provision is made for limiting the prices at which salmon is to be sold to dealers in Canada.

# METHODISTS ELECT OFFICERS FOR YEAR

**Eastern Men Are Chosen for Various Branches of the Church's Work.**

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

HAMILTON, Ont., Oct. 15.—The election of officers was the chief business of the Methodist conference this morning. The election the steward of the Toronto book room, around which so much interest centered was not decided by the first vote. A second vote was taken and Rev. S. W. Fallis of Calgary was elected.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Book steward, Halifax, F. W. Mosher, Halifax; general secretary of Sunday schools and young people's societies, Rev. Frank Langford, Toronto; general secretary foreign missions, Rev. Jim Endicott, Toronto; secretary forward movement in missions, Rev. N. Stevens, Toronto; general secretary of evangelism and social service, Rev. T. P. Moore, Toronto; editor of the Christian Guardian, Rev. W. B. Creighton, Toronto; editor of the Wesleyan, Rev. Dr. Johnston, Truro, N.S.; editor of Sunday school periodicals, Rev. A. C. Crewes, Toronto; general secretary home missions, Rev. Chas. E. Manning, Toronto; general secretary educational services, Dr. W. Graham, Toronto.

The general trend toward coordination was reflected in the report of the Sunday schools committee which recommended that the general board of Sunday schools and Young People's societies be changed to the general board of religious education and with the change to adopt the principle of coordination and corelated religious instruction. Rev. Dr. Ernest Thomas of Vancouver, said the idea was to wed the young people's societies to the Sunday schools. The debate was adjourned before a decision was reached.

A motion to have lay delegates on the standing committee, which hitherto has consisted solely of ministers, was defeated.

**100 KILLED, 200 HURT IN RUMANIAN TRAIN WRECK**

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Oct. 15.—One hundred persons were killed and 200 injured in the derailing of the Bucharest express near Ulatra, Rumania, according to a despatch to the Central News, from Amsterdam, quoting advices from Vienna. The despatch adds that several of the coaches of the train fell into the river.

**BOTANIST HAS RECEPTION IN HONOR OF FLOWER**

CORONA, Cal.—In honor of a flower a reception more imposing than any in honor of a human for years in Corona was held at the residence of Mrs. George N. Baer, a botanist and cactus connoisseur, who issued invitations to a large number of friends to witness the opening of a rare night-blooming cereus.

As the cereus, sometimes called "The Eastern Star," although known to botanists as cereus grandiflorus, blooms only one night in the year and as this particular species is rare, the knowledge that it was to open had for weeks caused as much interest among flower lovers as the advent of a new comet does to astronomers.

Mrs. Baer watched it carefully and when indications were that the night of its blossoming had arrived, she hurriedly telephoned her invitations. The result was a throng which gathered at 8 o'clock and remained until after midnight.

On this specimen, which Mrs. Baer has carefully nurtured for years until it covers a trellis six feet high, were 10 buds and shortly after 8 o'clock on this one night, the calyx, composed of many slender, filament-like sepals, began to show signs of animation, actually, so some of those present declared, squirming and twisting. And by the time an hour and a half had passed, the sepals were carefully parted, disclosing the rare beauty of the pure white corolla, shaped something like a teacup and with a long, peculiar stamen, reminiscent of a bit of ivory filigree. Then, for a few hours, the blossom remained truly a thing of beauty, but with dawn came a quick fading.

This particular plant is a species of cactus, of which botanists have tabulated 62 varieties. They are natives of Euador and other west coast countries of South America, where they thrive in the high, dry atmosphere and, next to the orchids of the Amazon, many botanists say, they are the most gorgeous floral beauties of the western hemisphere.

Cereus grandiflorus rarely produce more thas four buds in a season, but this particular plant of Mrs. Baer's more than doubled the number, maturing 10.

Seven nurses from the Brockville General hospital are answering the call from Renfrew for aid in the influenza epidemic.


# Following Thanksgiving the Store Will Remain Open Until 6 o'Clock Today

AND WE ARE PUTTING ON SALE A FEW LINES AT VALUES WHICH SHOULD MAKE THE FIVE AND ONE-HALF HOURS EXTRA SHOPPING A SPECIAL ATTRACTION TO OUR CUSTOMERS

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BOYS' AND GIRLS' ALL-WOOL BLACK STOCKINGS—Wide and narrow ribbed. The finest value offered; sizes 6½, 7, 7½ and 8. Worth up to $1.50 per pair. All One Price, Per Pair. **79c**

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CHILDREN'S ALL-WOOL CASHMERE STOCKINGS—In Cream and Sky; sizes 5½, 6½ and 7. All One Price, Per Pair.. **39c**

**SPECIAL VALUE IN TOWELS**

COLORED STRIPED BATH TOWELS — Good absorbent quality; large useful size. Special, Per Pair ..... **89c**
As cheap as you can buy them at the factory.

**RIBBON**

An assortment of useful lengths of Narrow Colored Ribbon in Taffeta and Satin.
All Marked at Bargain Prices

"ELGIN MAID" CROCHET THREAD—In White and Colors. Four Balls for.. **25c**

**A GOOD LINE OF WOMEN'S SWEATERS**

SPECIAL VALUES OF HEAVY WEIGHT SWEATERS—In shades of Grey, White, Navy and Saxe. Special, $2.50, $4.50 and **$4.95**

**CHILDREN'S DRESSES DO NOT MISS THESE**

ONE ONLY, SMART GIRLS' DRESS—Navy, trimmed with Plaid; age 14 years. Special Value ..... **$2.95**

TWO ONLY, MIDDY STYLE GIRLS' DRESSES — Trimmed with White Braid. A Splendid Dress for **$2.95**

EXTRA QUALITY NAVY SERGE GIRLS' DRESS—Trimmed Red Soutache Braid; size 10 years. A Bargain ..... **$4.00**

ONE ONLY, NAVY SERGE GIRLS' DRESS—Size five years ..... **$2.95**

ONE ONLY, BLACK AND WHITE CHECK FLANNEL DRESS—Age 7 years. Special Value ..... **$1.95**

ONE ONLY, BLUE PLAID DRESS—With loose belt and pockets; size 8 years. Going at ..... **$3.95**

Fit your girl up with a good dress for school at these bargain prices.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A SHIPMENT OF LADIES' HAIR COMBS, INCLUDING BACK COMBS, SIDE COMBS, HAIR PINS, ALL SIZES
ALSO BAG HANDLES, MUFF WRIST RINGS
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## Down Comforters

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$8.50 Special Value Each $8.50

**Children's School Shoes**

GIRLS' "CLASSIC" HI-CUT BALMORAL SHOES—Gunmetal finish; sizes 11 to 2. Special Value ..... **$4.50**

BOYS' "SOLDIER BOY" BOOTS—Leckie made; sizes 11 to 2. A strong school shoe. Special Value, Per Pair ..... **$3.75**

**PURE SILK RIBBON**

Suitable for hair ties, in plain shades of Brown, Light Green, Dark Green, Dark Mauve, Dark Red and Dark Rose; 4½ inches wide. Exceptional Value, Per Yard **25c**

**TODAY ONLY**

SCHOOL SCRIBBLERS — Made from superior quality paper; large sized; ruled. Three for ..... **10c**

The Hudson's Bay Company


**VIOLATORS OF SUGAR LAW PUNISHED IN ARIZONA**

FLAGSTAFF, Ariz.—Violators of sugar conservation regulations have contributed numerous notches to the Arizona food administration's legal gun—and for the most part they are easily discernible notches. In a list of penalties placed upon violators, announced a short time ago, one of the lightest was a voluntary contribution on the part of the violator of $50 to the Red Cross.

The most severe recent penalty dealt by the food administration was that which deprived the Lowell branch of the concern of sugar for the period of the war. The charge against the company was that it filed an erroneous sugar statement. In connection with this case, the food administration denied sugar for the same time to the Phoenix branch of the company, as it started operation after April 1 and it is the policy of the food administration to withhold permits for the purchase of sugar from new manufacturing concerns.

It was a cafe at Phoenix that made the voluntary contribution to the Red Cross. The cafe served sugar in envelopes, but some envelopes were found, according to the food administration to contain more than the recognized allowance for one person at a meal.

A cafe in Prescott permitted sugar bowls on its tables, in violation of one of the administration's rules. The proprietors were required to place a sign in their restaurant, at their own expense. The sign reads:

"For violating the United States food administration regulations this cafe has been fined $50, which amount has been turned over to the Yavapai chapter of the Red Cross."

**BASQUE TONGUE IS OLDEST KNOWN TO THE WORLD**

MADRID—The Basques are a people of mystery, a race whose origin and early history are lost in a tangled web of tradition and myth. When the Romans came to Spain they found these fair faced people firmly entrenched in their mountain homes, from which they successfully defied the might of Rome. These provinces of northern Spain are still in their hands, the people are unchanged, their language is the same.

This language, they claim, is the first speech of the world. If their claims are true, it is not surprising other the Basque language is the hardest in the world to learn. It is said that races have adopted new tongues, for races have adopted a new tongue, as trying to master it and then only learned three words. After trying to conquer such masterpieces as Izarysaroyarareanlurrearenbarena, we are forced to admire the devil.'s lingual agility in mastering even those tnree.

Innumerable theories have been advanced as to the origin of the Basques. Some learned scientists claim they are the people of lost Atlantis, others that they are the descendants of ancient Egyptians, whose portraits are traced on many an old tomb by the Nile. But the Basques themselves say they are a race that has always been in Spain, even since the age of dinosaurs and mastodons.

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Of the 24 negro women taken on, only eight presented themselves, but they "went to it" with vigor and before 4 o'clock the district assigned to them was "as clean as a whistle."

While four of the women were already dressed in khaki trouserette uniforms, the firm now has placed an order to provide all the workers with suits of this character.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 14.—Every club in Winnipeg turned out strong today in accordance with the appeal of the Royal Canadian Golf club Dominion-wide Red Cross drive and the lowest estimate of the returns will be more than $1000.

Fred Barnhardt, a 16-year-old lad of Windsor, who is visiting his father in St. Thomas, was arrested for injuring a small boy while driving his automobile.

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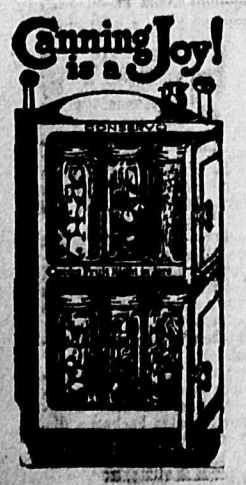

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# DANCE PROCEEDS $851.50 SO FAR

**Expect (Final Returns of Kootenay Lake Hospital Opening Affair Will Be Over $900.**

Receipts from the opening dance at the Kootenay Lake General hospital up to last night totaled $851.50 and returns from some of the ticket sellers will be handed in today.

*It is estimated that the net proceeds will run between $900 and $1000.*

### JOHN BANNISTER IS BURIED IN NELSON CEMETERY

The funeral of the late John Bannister was held on Monday morning at 10:30 to the Nelson cemetery. Rev. D. T. McClintock officiated at the service held in the undertaking parlors and a large number of friends attended to pay their last respects to Mr. Bannister. A large number of floral tributes were received.

*The pall bearers were: J. H. Lemon,* M. Gibbs, James Will, S. H. Smythe, E. A. Crease and T. M. Cairns.

# ADAM WALDIE IS KILLED AT FRONT

**Son of Fairview Residents Dies in Action—Two Brothers Are *in France***

Pte. Adam Waldie has been killed in action, according to an official cable received yesterday *by his parents,* Mr. and Mrs. R. Waldie, Fairview. Pte. Waldie left the city last February and had only been in France a short time.

Two other brothers are in France; Jack has been there for over three years and is with the C. A. M. C. William went overseas with the 225th battalion and was wounded last fall. He has returned to France, having recovered in a hospital in England. A brother, Herbert, works for the A. Macdonald company in the city.

# M'CUNE ACQUIRES THE QUEEN MINES

**Arrives in City to Plan Development of Recently Bonded Sheep Creek Property.**

A. W. McCune arrived in the city last night on business in connection with his mining interests and especially to consider development of the Queen group at Sheep creek. Mr. McCune has recently acquired this group *from Mr. Buckley and plans starting* a crosscut tunnel as the first step in developing the property.

Mr. McCune, who is accompanied by Mrs. McCune, expects to remain in the city for several days. He is a guest at the Hume.

### ENGLISH PAPER PRINTS PHOTO LIEUT.-COM. BOURKE

*A recent issue of the Daily Mirror* prints a picture of Lieut.-Commander Roland Bourke, V. C., D. S. O., and an account of his actions at the Ostend raid. Lieut. Bourke's mother, Mrs. I. Bourke, is a resident of the city.

### THE WEATHER.

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 15.—Nelson and vicinity—Continued fair and cold at night.

| | Min. | Max. |
|---|---|---|
| Nelson | 47 | 52 |
| Victoria | 44 | 56 |
| Winnipeg | 34 | 62 |
| Cranbrook | 40 | 55 |
| Vancouver | 44 | 56 |
| Winnipeg | 34 | 62 |
| Calgary | 34 | 62 |
| Grand Forks | 39 | 60 |
| Kaslo | 45 | 59 |

# FOUR MEN DEALT WITH UNDER ACT

**Two Committed to Military Custody as Defaulters—One Fined—One Deserter.**

Patrick McGee of Sandon and Bruno Protico of Alamo were committed to military custody as group one defaulters and Joe Kokoz was fined $25 and costs for not carrying requisite *proof of his standing under the Military* Service act, in the provincial police court yesterday morning. Robert Moody, who it is alleged deserted from the 211th American legion at Calgary just before its departure overseas and who was arrested here, will be taken to Calgary by two military policemen who have arrived in the city to escort him back for trial by court martial.

McGee claimed to have registered *in Saskatchewan.* W. C. *Forrester,* having made inquiries, said that the man's claim was unfounded. He is a category A man.

Protico claimed to be of Italian birth and a naturalized Canadian. He was not registered. Kokoz said he was a Serbian.

### PTE. A. JACKSON RECEIVES WOUNDS

Pte. Audrey Jackson, son of Mrs. Jackson, who died on Monday, *was admitted to a Canadian general hospital at Dannes Camieres,* France, on Oct 3, with gunshot wounds in the left arm and shoulder, *according to an official cable* received yesterday. The telegram does not state the seriousness of the wound.

Pte. Jackson enlisted with the the 102nd battalion and has been in France for over two years.

# PTE. G.W. REDPATH IS AWARDED M. M.

**Nelson Boy Is Decorated for Bravery at Amiens—No *Particulars* Received.**

Pte. George W. Redpath, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Redpath of this city, was officially notified on Sept. 7 that he had been awarded the Military Medal, according to word received by his parents. Pte. Redpath did not state the particular act of gallantry for which the award was made and Mr. and Mrs. Redpath have not yet received any particulars regarding the action, except that it was during the battle of Amiens.

Pte. Redpath enlisted in the spring of 1916 at Winnipeg, after being turned down here as medically unfit. He was accepted for the Canadian engi*neers and trained with them at Otta*wa. He went to France with the 4th division in March, 1916, and has been on service at the front ever since with *the divisional signallers.*

### SAYS GERMANS ARE FIGHTING WITH REMNANTS OF REGIMENTS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PARIS, Oct, 15.—(Havas Agency.)—Summing up the situatioa on the British front, the Echo de Paris says that Douai virtually has been taken, that Valenciennes is very much threatened as well as Demain, only a few kilometres distant.

To give an idea of the German losses in Champagne, the Petit Parisian *quotes the evidence of an enemy prisoner* who said that the 406th regiment while engaged in battle on Oct. 1 was decimated.

*Two companies in two battalions,* according to the prisoner, were reduced to 30 men, and two other supporting battalions suffered heavily from artillery and airplanes. Despite these losses, the prisoner said, the regiment was ordered to ccounter-attack.

A Classified Ad. will bring results.

Corporation of the City of Nelson

Re Voters' List, 1919

Householders, licensees and holders of agreements for sale must take a declaration as such during the month of October if they wish their names to be entered on the Municipal Voters List for 1919.

"Householder" includes any person who is a British subject, of the full age of 21 years, who has lived Nelson since Jan. 1 last and who has paid all taxes and rates due *to the municipality* which are not chargeable on land and which amount to be not less than $2, exclusive of water, electric light, gas rates and license fees for dogs.

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## *Social and Personal*

Mr. and Mrs. Cowdrill of Baltimore, Md., are visiting J. H. Argyle.

W. J. Farmer of Castlegar was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Mrs. H. Shore will leave this morning for a two weeks visit in Vancouver.

George Boyes left last evening for a holiday trip to Rossland and boundary cities.

J. McDonnell and J. S. Whitaker were among Phoenix visitors to the city last night.

J. P. Keane of Roseberry arrived in the city yesterday and was a guest at the Hume.

J. T. Andrews will leave this morning for Spokane where he will spend the winter.

W. B. Bishop was a Grand Forks visitor in the city last night. He stayed at the Hume.

Rev. F. H. Graham is visiting Kaslo and expects to return to the city on Friday morning.

Mrs. D. Dimick of Kaslo was a weekend guest in the city with Miss Mabel Erickson.

J. H. Bowman was a Rossland visitor to the city last night and was a guest at the Hume.

W. J. Farmer of Castlegar was a vis*itor in the city yesterday and returned* on the evening train.

Mrs. Dan McDonald of Crescent val*ley left yesterday morning for Creston,* where she will live in the future.

J. E. Taylor who has been visiting the city for about a week will leave this morning for his home in Calgary.

Mrs. Frank left on Monday morning for New Westminster and Victoria. She expects to be away about a month.

Mrs. J. B. Bremner and Mrs. D. Rankin were Ymir visitors to the city last evening. They stayed at the Madden.

Mr. and Mrs. Parsons of Kittos landing arrived in the city last evening and were guests at the Strathcona.

Mrs. W. P. Stark of Creston arrived in the city on the Crow boat last evening and was registered at the Queens.

Mrs. N. Wolverton has received word that her nephew, Lieut. W. N. Matthews, of Ottawa, was killed in action on the western front.

L. B. Boggs of Penticton arrived in the city yesterday from Lardo, where he has been surveying, and is leaving this morning for his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Welsh received official notice that their son, Pte. D. E. McLeod, was admitted to Fort Pitt military hospital on Oct. 6 with a gun*shot wound in the wrist.*

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Walton and daughter, Mrs. L. T. Gear, and son, Fred Walton, of Proctor, are in the city on their way to Vancouver, where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Blanchard have received word that their son, Lieut. Rance Blanchard, who was injured in an airplane accident, is in hospital at Edinburgh.

Harold and Frank Strachan, sons of Mr. and Mrs .E. K. Strachan, will leave this morning on the Great Northern train to join their father in Tacoma.

Robert, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Peebles, Baker street, who is ill at his home with inflammatory rheumatism, was reported to be slightly improved last evening.

A. A. McDonald of Phoenix, who has been in the city for some days looking over mining properties will leave this morning on the Great North*ern train for his home.*

Major H. Earle, vocational field officer of the invalided soldiers' commission, was in the city yesterday interviewing several of the local returned men. He will leave this morning for Vancouver.

About 80 persons attended a dance and whist drive held in the returned soldiers' clubrooms last evening by the Great War Veterans women's auxiliary. Twenty dollars was added to the fusds of the auixiliary.

Mrs. M. J. Vigneux is in the hospital in Quebec with a severe attack of Spanish influenza and her son, Joe, has just recovered from an attack of it, according to a wire received yesterday morning by Mrs. Sturgeon from Dr. Vigneux.

Mrs. A. S. McAulay of Silverton, while on her way home after a visit with relatives in Prince Edward Island, was taken seriously ill on the train and was removed to the hospital in Cranbrook. Mr. McAulay and three children came on to Nelson. A message received by Mr .McAulay states that Mrs. McAulay's condition is improved.

W. A. Sheppard of Moose Jaw, Sask., when taking a loaded gun by the muzzle from a motor car in which he had just returned from a hunting trip, was instantly killed.

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# COMPARES EGYPT WITH THE TIGRIS

**Capt. F. P. Armstrong Says He Prefers Transport Work on the Nile to Mesopotamia.**

Capt. F. P .Armstrong, who is serving on the Nile with the British Inland Water transport, has written to The Daily News telling of the work *of the transport in Egypt and compar*ing it with the duties on the Tigris, where he was formerly stationed. He says:

"I have been asked by some of your readers to let them know how things are on the Nile as compared with the Tigris.

"The first idea that strikes one is that Adam made a great mistake in preempting in Mesopotamia instead of *Egypt if he wanted to live the simple* life. If he wished to go without clothes he would have found here a much more suitable climate and as for food he would have had a far larger variety. In fact he would have had pretty nearly everything that has been heard of in the way of eatables except apples and these, we know, were not good for him.

**Favored Country.**

"*As to life in the present day,* I suppose Egypt is the most favored country in the world. Prices are very high but there is no scarcity and the millions of small farmers are having the time of their lives. To us who came from Mesopotamia, the change is a pleasant one except in one respect and a serious one—while our expenses have increased enormously our pay has been reduced. None of us are *very hard worked and now that the* heat is over there is little to complain of.

"Personally I may say I have enjoyed myself immensely. But then I was here first and was given exceptional chances. On arrival I was sent up the Nile in charge of four sternwheelers and ten barges. These were the first barges ever showed ahead of a boat on this old river. My reward *was a captaincy and a kind of roving* commission that took me all over the country. One of my jobs was to bring two big boats lately arrived from England from Alexandria to Cairo. We got stormbound and sought shelter in Aloukir bay in the lee of Nelson island. Next I sat on a court of inquiry at the Assonan dam and had to visit the isplan of Philae in an official capacity. Take it altogether, Cook never did any *more for any of his tourists.*

**Nile Flooding.**

"At this date the waters of the Nile are gradually covering the lands. The flood will not be quite up to the average, it is expected, but the systems of irrigation have reached such perfection that very few localities will have to do without water. The fertility of the land is wonderful, but more wonderful still is the intensive cultivation. *There is not a foot of waste land, no* fences or other obstructions and few trees except such as can pay their way. Villages are generally built on barren ground or if there is no such ground convenient, the mud hovels are crowded together between palm trees and enough pigeons are kept in the upper storeys to pay the rent.

"The upper classes of natives are very hospitable. Their entertainments are most lavish. Capt. McKinnon tells a story on himself of going to what he thought must be a fish dinner, seeing there were such quantities of fish. Having filled up on fish he had to allow courses to pass by consisting of pigeons, chickens and turkeys and a whole side of lamb, besides many dainties.

**Visits Ancient Temples.**

"We have many opportunities of visiting ancient temples and tombs .Some of them are in a wonderful state of preservation despite the thousands of years them have withstood the elements and worse still, as I wrote Mr. Graham, the Christian endeavors to deface the best carvings.

"In towns like Assiont there are beautiful residences. They are generally great big houses with 40 or 50 rooms furnished ornately but not of the style one would expect in a hot country. No verandas, no awnings, nothing but glaring white walls and large windows with the wooden 'jalonsies' so loved in the province of Quebec. But then of course the domestic life of the Moslem does not lend itself to free and easy hospitable verandas. Two or three houses I have been in were built by English officials and were of the southern style and were very cool and shady. One of these had the only fly screens on doors and windows I have seen in the country."

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