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HUNS FLEE FROM NORTHERN BELGIUM

MANY RUMORS ABOUT PEACE

Is Shadow of Great Events

NO OFFICAL REPLY YET

Say Report of Kaissr Abdicating Was Unfounded

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Tonight's news of Germany is everywhere regarded as the shadow of great events being cast before them. News despatches this afternoon under an Amsterdam date line said the Nieuwe Rotterdamsche Courant had issued a special edition in which the report was published that Germany had capitulated and Emperor William had abdicated. Another despatch, under London date line, quoted Reuter's Limited as reporting that the German reply to the president's most recent note was expected to be communicated immediately and that it was likely to constitute a general acceptance of the conditions outlined by the president as a precedent to peace. Reports also were received in London, despatches said, through diplomatic channels from Holland that the German reply probably would be sent today and that it would be an acceptance of President Wilson's terms with some stipulation to the effect that the interest of the German people must be respected.

Withdrew Statement.

Later the Nieuwe Rotterdamsche Courant withdrew its statement reporting the capitulation and abdication of the kaiser, while the British official press bureau announced it had been officially informed that such rumors had no foundation in fact.

There is in Washington no official word that the kaiser has abdicated, or that he has been overthrown or that Germany is ready to accept all of President Wilson's terms.

Officials and diplomats, cautious and conservative by nature and practise, regard with incredulity that one or all of *these things have happened.* They all hope they have; they all know that one or all of them are inevitable.

The official opinion in the capital tonight that the coming of these things is timed only by the unknown degree to which the German military power has been broken. There may be more information on that point in the chancelleries of the allies than there is in Washington.

Kaiserism Must Go.

When President Wilson's reply to the German peace proffer went forth Monday night, it was predicted here that if it did not bring a complete and unconditional surrender of the military autocracy, the German people themselves would force one. President Wilson's words were a plain invitation to the German people to take such a step and an ultimatum that there would be no peace with kaiserism.

The coming hours will show how the leaven has worked; the intimations in today's despatches from London, Paris and Holland suggest the progress of the ferment.

Most significant of all is regarded the report from Holland by way of London that Germany will immediately reply to President Wilson accepting all his terms and asking only guarantees for the interest of Germany and the German people.

When the German reply to President Wilson's note comes this government's only course is to forward to the co-belligerents. Guarantees for the interests of Germany and the German people, which may be asked, will not intervene as an obstacle if guarantees are sought in sincere terms. If they are put forth as another vehicle for a quibble, an opportunity of diplomatic evasion and trickery, or a negotiated peace they will meet only one reply.

If they mean guarantees for the integrity and sovereignty of the German who is rightfully German, always taking in the determinations of the human beings concerned, no obstacle is foreseen. If they mean guarantees for the right of the German people to live their lives under a peaceful government, which does not menace the life of the world, President Wilson's utterances on the subject, officials believe, have given the answer.

Guarantees for the interest of Germany, involving only Germans, it was pointed out, are quite apart from the self-determination of the oppressed nationalities in Austria, for which President Wilson has pledged the *peace to secure opportunity for an* autonomous development.

There always is the possibility that

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NEWSPAPERS MUST CUT DOWN SIZE AT ONCE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 16.—Eminently satisfactory results attended the conference held today by R. A. Pringle, controller of newsprint, with the publishers of daily newspapers from all part of the Dominion, having for its object the curtailment of the amount of newsprint used in the Dominion.

It became apparent during the morning sitting that the controller as well as the publishers, were of the opinion that the higher price now prevailing for newsprint would cause an economic adjustment of the problem of conservation and that there would be no need for the issuance of any drastic order by him.

In view of this general feeling, Mr. Pringle suggested that the publishers should confer in the afternoon before resumption of the formal conference.

The suggestion was adopted, with the result that the publishers adopted unanimously a resolution containing a promise to voluntarily reduce the consumption of paper as compared with last year and including a number of regulations designed to save paper. Should the publishers fail in their undertaking at the end of three months another conference will be called and regulations be enacted for a percentage of reduction. The controller expressed his pleasure at the happy termination of the conference and promised to make a report to the government at once in order that the new regulations may be embodied in an order in council.

The resolution adopted by the publishers was as follows:

"Whereas, war conditions compel general conservation of newsprint throughout North America; and whereas, the war industries board of the United States in order to reduce the consumption of newsprint in the United States has issued certain orders enforcing specific economies; and

"Whereas, while Canadian newspapers have been more conservative in the use of newsprint than United States newspapers and having practically no Sunday editions have never published as high an average of reading matter space, and while they have been compelled by general war conditions already to effect economies more drastic than those made compulsory in the United States, but, nevertheless are willing, in a spirit of war effort to curtail further in order to assist in conservation of newsprint;

"Therefore be it resolved that the Canadian newspapers assure the paper controller for Canada that substantial conservation of newsprint as compared with the consumption of the year previous to October, 1918 will be voluntarily accomplished within the next three months and recommends the paper controller in order to assist the publishers in this effort shall put into force and effect the following regulation for the period of the war and three months thereafter:

"Exceptions: Employees of newspapers who are employed directly at the home office of a newspaper, as wholesale distributors to newsboys, news agents and newsstands, may return unsold copies, provided such unsold copies have not been in the possession of retail dealers.

HUN REICHSTAG HAS MORE SAY

Council Must Consent Before War Can Be Declared in Empire's Name—Exception.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 16.—Germany's federal council has accepted the proposed amendment to the legislation, Article 2, making it read:

"The consent of the federal council and the reichstag is required for a declaration of war in the empire's name, except in a case where imperial territory has already been invaded or its coasts attacked."

Section 3 of Article 2 is amended to read:

"Treaties of peace and treaties with foreign states which deal with affairs coming under the competitence of the imperial law-giving bodies require the consent of the federal council and the reichstag."

VIENNA'S REPORT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VIENNA, Oct. 16.—The Austrian official communication issued today says:

"At Sasso Rosso an Italian thrust was frustrated.

"In Serbia and Albania our movements and measures are progressing without interference on the part of the enemy."

BOND SALES PICK UP IN THE STATES

Wednesday's Sales Largest of All—Officials Look for Billion During Last Hours.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—The largest single day's subscription—$315,000,000—reported to the treasury department tonight, raised hopes that the optimism of the 12 district Liberty loan campaign managers may be justified and the fourth war loan prove an unqualified success.

Tonight the total subscriptions had mounted to $3,269,001,500. To reach the six billion mark $900,000,000 a day must be subscribed.

Of this they do not expect that big rates will appear in official reports, at least until Saturday. They believe a billion or more will be counted up after the campaign has closed Saturday night from the flood of last minute subscriptions.

NEW HUN ORDER.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 16.—Emperor William has issued a decree saying that martial law in Germany can only be administered by an agreement between the civil and military authorities, according to a report received here.

The total number of prisoners in the Kingston penitentiary during the year was 120 males and eight females.

OVER MILLION MEN FROM INDIA

Colony's Answer to British Call to Arms Has Been One of Great Credit.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Oct. 16.—(British Wireless Service)—General Allenby's great victories in Palestine and Syria in which India has played a prominent part, make the time opportune to place on record the answer of India to the call to arms issued by the British Empire.

Indian troops have borne their share of the war in France, Mesopotamia, Egypt, the Dardanelles, at Saloniki, East Africa and in central Asia. Up to July 31, 1918, India had contributed no fewer than 1,199,199 men to the British army. The first Indian war loaned reached the sum of £40,000,000 sterling and the second loan reached even a greater amount.

India has sent to the various theatres of war more than 1500 miles of railroad track, 256 engines and 4500 cars.

LENINE IS HIT IN SHOULDER BY BULLET

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 16—Another attempt has been made on the life of Nikolai Lenine, the Bolsheviki premier, according to the Leipzig Abend Zeitung general Anzieger's Kiev correspondent. Lenine received a bullet in the shoulder from a revolver in the hands of M. Dwanitzke, of the information bureau of the Soviet, Dwanitzke was arrested.

GERMAN REICHSTAG TO MEET ON FRIDAY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BASEL, Switzerland, Oct. 16.—(Delayed.)—The German reichstag will meet on Friday to discuss President Wilson's note, according to the German press.

Casualties

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 16.—Canadian casualties:

Infantry

Wounded—R. Bell, Nelson, B. C.

Gassed—Lance-Corp. C. Webb New Westminster, B. C.; W. Fleet, New Westminster, B. C.

Engineers

Killed in Action—T. Stapleton, Blucher, Sask.

Died of Wounds—Corp. R. Dickinson, Vancouver.

Artillery

Wounded—R. V. Malcolm, Vancouver.

A resolution passed by the South Waterloo Trades and Labor council is being forwarded to the fuel controllers in Galt, Preston and Hespler, asking that the cellars of all houses be inspected.

ALLIES OCCUPY CITY OF TRIPOLI

British Achieve Further Successes in Palestine—Now 85 Miles North of Damascus

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Oct. 16.—British cavalry has occupied Tripoli, 45 miles north of the Beirut and Homs, about 85 miles north of Damascus, according to an official statement on operations in Palestine issued tonight.

The text of the communication says:

"On the occupation of Beirut by our troops Oct. 8, 60 Turkish officers and 600 men of other ranks were made prisoners. Ballbek was entered by our armored car batteries Oct. 9, and it was ascertained that a force of about 500 Turks had surrendered to the local inhabitants.

Our advanced cavalry and armored cars also occupied Tripoli Sunday and Homs Tuesday without opposition, the latter town having been reported by our air service as evacuated and in flames Oct. 12.

Turkish cavalry detachments retiring through Homs have been located at El Rasten, 11 miles north. Satisfactory conditions prevail in the recently occupied territory.

AUSTRIAN EMPEROR WILL NOT LET WEKERLE QUIT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 16—The Austrian emperor has declined to accept the resignation of the cabinet of Premier Wekerle. The emperor said he had full confidence in the cabinet.

'FRISCO RIVETERS CLAIM LATEST WORLD'S RECORD

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 16.—A riveting gang employed in the Union plant of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding corporation, drove 12,579 ½-inch rivets in eight hours here today. This was said to be a world's record. The riveting was done under the inspection of a naval constructor.

In the first hour 1504 rivets were driven. According to records compiled the number of rivets driven in each hour of the seven remaining hours were: 1877, 155, 1408, 1621, 1588, 1536 and 1490.

103,233 WORKING DAYS LOST BY MONTH'S STRIKES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 16.—The time lost on account of industrial disputes during September was greater than during the preceding month and much greater than during September, 1917, states the Labor Gazette. There were in existence during the month 30 strikes, affecting 7511 persons and involving a time loss of 103,233 working days.

SAYS OPTIMISM IS DANGEROUS

U. S. Minister to Sweden Suggests Germany May Yet Be Prepared to Fight On.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—A warning of the danger of taking too optimistic a view regarding Germany's supposed weakness was sounded today by Ira Nelson Norris, United States minister to Sweden, in a speech before the Chicago chamber of commerce.

"Our legation at Stockholm is only about six hours from Germany, and, therefore, we have means of knowing conditions as they exist, economically and otherwise in various parts of Germany," he said. "The Germans, for instance, are receiving great quantities of oil from Poland, Galicia and Rumania. They had more oil in Germany when I left than they knew what to do with.

"Germany has been accustomed to buying her meat in the form of cattle from Sweden. Often she bought 6000 head of cattle in a week. Then she stopped these purchases in Sweden and bought elsewhere. The reason she gave was that the cattle of Denmark, where she then bought, were fatter and in better condition. I ask you if the Germans were starving why they should not buy all the meat they could get? I think that shows the economic situation better than anything else.

"In Russia, when I left, there were still 150,000 German prisoners who had been in Siberia for a long time. They were gradually sneaking out and joining the lines. There were more Austrian prisoners, who numbered nearly 2,000,000. I mention this because one often reads that the fighting power, the man power of Germany, is depleted. If that were true, how is it that Germany can send 50,000 and 100,000 men into Finland merely to watch the frontiers in the Russian situation?"

DESTROY MILITARISM IS AIM, SAYS ASQUITH

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Oct. 16.—Ex-Premier Asquith, in a speech today referred to President Wilson's latest note in reply to the peace proposals of Germany, saying:

"The reply which President Wilson gave to Germany is exactly what was required. It is terse, dignified and outspoken and goes to the root of the matter. It leaves no loophole of escape."

"We cannot imperil the ascendancy we have gained on sea and land or give breathing time to an enemy who could not be trusted to observe either the rules of honor or humanity."

Mr. Asquith said the main objective of the allies was to destroy Prussian militarism. "There is no one in the civilized world who does not feel that the doom of war is sealed," he added.

Mr. Asquith declared that the overtures of the enemy came from people who know in their heart of hearts that they would have to give up the game. The reply must come from the German people themselves. He said there was no one better qualified than President Wilson to be the spokesman for the common cause.

HUN OFFICERS FEEL BEATEN

Liberated Civilians in Laon Sector Say Foemen Are Discouraged—Position Is Serious.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN THE LAON AREA, Oct. 16.—(By the Associated Press.)—The first news that reached the inhabitants of Laon of the radical change in the military situation came from German officers who had, after the victories of the allies, already ceased to agree with the Berlin military critics, whose articles *proclaiming Germany unbeaten* are now being circulated by wireless. With an utter lack of caution which the hearer took as a betrayal of despair these officers opened their minds and bared their hearts in the presence of people who had felt their oppression for four years.

Before a man in whose house they were billeted and who understood the German language, German officers declared:

"The central empires are no longer able to stand out against the whole world. Hard times are in store for the fatherland unless peace is obtained promptly."

Without a word of regret for oppression of the people whose roofs had sheltered them, they talked with unconcealed anguish of the policy that their own people must also feel the hardships of invasion.

These direct confessions of defeat, contradicting the reports of the Berlin writers that the German retreat was purely a tactical retirement, are supported by material facts not open to contact.

The Germans had about 180 divisions on this front on March 1, to which were added about 23 divisions relieved from the Russian front. The German force was maintained in the neighborhood of 205 divisions from April to September through drafts on the reserve depots. The wastage began to tell after the battles of July and August.

On Sept. 15 the Germans had on this front 200 divisions, including Austrian reinforcements, shortening their lines, however, enabled them to constitute a reserve of divisions. The battles of September and the first days of October reduced their reserves to about 30 divisions, about half of which had recently been retired from the front to be reconstructed. Twenty divisions had disappeared entirely by Oct .10 through progressive dissolutions that have been confirmed from trustworthy sources. On that date the enemy had scarcely a dozen divisions in reserve that might be called fresh.

Strategically the Germans have lost with the vast extent of territory they had occupied the immense advantage of their position in the interior arc of a circle that enabled them to transfer troops rapidly from one sector to another while the allies were abliged to take the longer route around the circumference.

"DOUG" SELLS MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF BONDS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 16—Douglas Fairbanks came over from Washington today in an airplane as "first class mail" to sell $1,000,000 worth of Liberty bonds to match a subscription for the same amount by Bernard Baruch, chairman of the war industries board. He got the million from Pliny Fisk, of the firm of Harvey Fisk & Sons.

TEUTONS IN PERIL OF BEING CAUGHT ON NORTH SEA COAST

Allied Armies Sweep Forward Making Big Salient Which Threatens Retreating Boches --Thourout Is Reported Surrounded--More Towns Captured Along Lines in France

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FLANDERS, Oct. 16.—Reuter's.—During last night in the moonlight the allies continued tirelessly to follow up their splendid successes in Belgium. At 9 a.m. today Belgian cavalry patrols were reported to be within a kilometre of Thielt. Previously cavalry had been reported to be working toward Thourout.

The allies were said to be more than halfway through Wynenraele wood and the infantry to have reached a point near Lichtervelde, where they were said to be advancing all along the northern outskirts of Courtrai and through the centre of Iseghem.

Rapid Progress.

Last night the Franco-Belgian infantry were on the general line of Bos-cheeweter, Edenwalle, Zwoarteget and Haentze ,thence to a point 100 yards east of the Thourout-Roulers road and to the Wynendaele station by Beve to the south of Iseghem, the Lendelede station, Hulste and Bavinchove to Harlebecke.

This morning the capture of Bos-*cheeweter and Edenwalle seemed* to have been confirmed and French troops were reported to be along the railway west of Lichtenvelde. Ingelmunster apparently has been occupied and the Courtrai railway reached east of Cappelicl St. Catherine. The British were reported to be across the Lys east of Comines, with their posts established beyond La Bassee Vivelle.

Yesterday the Germans attacked from Iseghem and forced the Belgian line back to Moschmelens, but a counterattack drove them to and beyond their starting point. Prisoners and guns continue to be gathered in, but there has been no time to count the *latest captures.*

Between Lens and Armentieres, the Germans continue to fall back and the British are drawing near Lille. During the night they crossed the Haute Deule canal, 2000 yards east of Pont-a-Vendin, and their strong patrols have maintained harassing touch with the enemy.

The British are reported as holding Pont Sault, Provin and Santes-les-Haubourdin and today were pushing toward Annocullin. Hanvardy Chateau is in possession of the British. The weather is fine but misty.

No Stopping Now.

WITH THE ALLIED ARMIES IN BELGIUM, Oct. 16.—There are many signs that the Germans are planning a further withdrawal in the face of the steady pressure of the allies. Great streams of enemy traffic began moving last night and continued today on the roads around Courtrai and Harlebeke and on the railway running northeast.

Trench mortars and direct machine gun fire are seriously hampering the enemy transport in its attempt to get the material away through the mud. The German withdrawal continues in the Lille sector, but slowly.

In the southern battle area there has been fighting of a minor character. More civilians have been rescued from towns, *especially from Haussey.*

The British have established a bridgehead south of the Lys near Werqicqzout. After fighting all night and smashing forward for a gain of 7000 yards, one British corps continued *its advance until it had reached the* banks of the Lys south of Courtrai. Another corps established itself between Heule and Courtrai.

The village of Heetjen was captured after severe fighting in which the Ger*mans suffered tremendous losses.*

Retreat on Large Scale.

WITH THE ALLIED ARMIES IN BELGIUM, Oct. 16.—(4:30 p. m.)—The Germans have started a retreat on a *large scale from north Belgium.* French cavalry is approaching Thielt, seven miles from the banks of the Ghent-Bruges canal. The canal itself is only 10 miles from the border of Holland. So fast is the enemy retreating that the *French, British and Bel*gians have lost touch entirely with the enemy.

The Belgians advancing astride the Thourout-Bruges and Thourout-Ostend roads have defeated the Germans who are retreating rapidly.

Vital Victory.

This undoubtedly is one of the war's greatest and most vital victories for the gallant little Belgian army, ably assisted by crack French and British troops, now has driven the despoilers of its country from a large section which the Germans have occupied since the early days of the war, and has gained positions of such importance that the Germans may have to abandon the entire coast of Belgium.

Moreover, the sweeping advance of the allied infantry, preceded by a fan of French cavalry advancing rapidly, has left the entire area in which are the important cities of Lille and the great mining and manufacturing district of Toucoing, Roubain and Tournai in a salient which is growing deeper every hour and which the enemy cannot hope to hold.

French Horse is Fast.

The French cavalry, which is on the crest of the allied advance, has done marvelous work. Today it galloped forward more than 10 kilometres, frequenty carrying out charges with all the dash usually associated with cavalry upon isolated posts of enemy machine gunners which vainly attempted to hold up its advance. Some of the gunners, taken prisoner, said they were totally unable to understand why the war was going on and why they were called upon to continue fighting. One of these said:

"We *have offered all the terms in* the world for peace; nobody seems willing to accept them."

Resistance where it has been offered by the enemy has been in force, for in these places it obviously has been the purpose of the commander of the fleeing Germans to gain time in which to remove their materials. Stubborn fighting has been reported, especially from the region of Thorout. The battle here has been from street to street and from house to house and large numbers of the enemy have been killed. Large numbers of forces have swept around the city in order to cut the roads at the rear and also assist in *bottling up the enemy trying to hold* the city.

Guns in Windows.

The Germans had placed machine guns in the windows of houses and in cellars and fired murderous streams of bullets into the advancing Belgians, but were unable to stop them. The Belgians fought with a dogged determination such as only troops fighting to regain their outraged country could display. Nothing could stop them.

The British, following the retreating Germans and overcoming the rearguards, are reported as reaching Quesnoy and as having captured Linzelles, along the Lys. The Belgians at the time this despatch was filed were reported to have passed Keim and to have reached positions on the other side of Cachton and Ardoye.

Northeast of Courtrai, Baviachio was stormed and taken and the Belgians were still going.

Outflanking Salient.

The Linzelles position is most valuable, for the place being northwest of Turcoing, the allied troops are gradually outflanking the entire Lille salient from which there are further signs that the enemy is withdrawing. As a matter of fact his troops in this salient are in an extremely precarious position. They must get out rapidly or face disastrous consequences. One thousand more prisoners and many more cannon have been captured

The Germans at many points, more especially in the northern part of the *battle area,* seem to be surrendering freely. Many more civilians have been rescued from the towns and districts carried and little processions of these are straggling rearward out of range of the guns and out of the way of the fighting troops.

Quite a number of civilians also have been rescued from Roulers and its environs. Today these men, women and children are again walking on the free soil of France. Flanders is mud from one end to the other and this condition makes movement difficult for the allied troops. The ooze and soft ground makes it doubly difficult for the enemy to move back.

Outside Courtrai the infantry has progressed about three miles and here have been compelled to fight their way forward, for the Germans had orders to hold on to the last and they did so. Not many of those who had been stationed with machine guns to try to hold up the advance of the allied troops managed to escape. Virtually all were killed, wounded or are prisoners.

At the Thielt positions, the enemy cavalry has begun to come into a country where the ground and roads

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MANY RUMORS ABOUT PEACE

(Continued from Page One)

the conditions that President Wilson has laid down as a basis for a peace already have come about in Germany. Diplomats noticed that Chancellor Maximilian sent a note and that when President Wilson answered with an inquiry it was Foreign Minister Solff who replied, and that Solf spoke of a new government which had been formed in Germany. It would not be without precedent if the peace party in Germany actually was in possession of an imperial rescript or other secret act renouncing the power of the kaiser and his party when the reply to President Wilson's inquiry was sent. It would not be without precedent if the negotiation was begun with a maneuver for the best possible terms and holding back the last card—the downfall of kaiserism.

Foch to Be Dictator

If the conditions for an armistice are accepted, the arrangements will be made not by a mixed commission but by Marshal Foch and the co-belligerent commanders. These will be the means of taking from Germany every agency with which she could break her word if she would; the occupation by allied forces of such places as Strassburg, Metz and Coblenz; turning over to the allies of her fleet and submarine bases; with the recall of her submarines, which today's despatches hinted she was ready to do, and the surrender of munitions of war, undoubtedly so the agencies by which others might be produced, and probably the employment of the great war machine plants of Germany to repair the industrial damage done in Belgium and France. Seeing is believing, one official declared tonight, and there will be no scraps of paper. In a military sense, Germany would be treated as an individual prisoner of war—disarmed and guarded. Allied forces placed in strategic positions could then, by invasion of Germany, if necessary, enforce any terms. The allied war council, in which President Wilson holds one vote, has agreed upon these conditions as guarantees for the supremacy of the allied armies.

It can be stated with official authority that should Germany agree to such an armistice, the downfall of military oligarchy could be arranged easily at the peace conference without danger of accepting a "negotiated peace."

Allied forces would be in a postion to enforce the decisions of the peace council.

Is Germany Crushed?

The chief question in the minds of public men tonight is: Is the German military power really so broken as to be ready to accept the allies' terms?

Throughout the American capitol there is an air of calmness. The public are reading the bulletins at the windows and buying Liberty bonds at the curbs.

412 CASES OF 'FLU' NOW IN VANCOUVER

Total of 14 Deaths in Coast City—Further Precautions Are Being Taken.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 16.—Influenza cases here increased to 412 today. There have been 14 deaths reported since the epidemic started.

34 More Cases in Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 16.—Thirty-four new cases of Spanish influenza were reported to the Winnipeg health authorities today, bringing the total number of known victims up to 184, three deaths from the malady being reported dring the day. No new cases were reported among the military men stationed here.

Quarantine Camp

TORONTO, Oct. 16.—Exhibition camp has been placed under quarantine by the military authorities and all troops confined to their barracks. This step was taken as a precaution against the outbreak of influenza following the return of the soldiers from Niagara yesterday.

"The general situation is improving," stated Col. Irving, D.S.O., chief medical officer at military headquarters. Discharges from hospitals are greater than the admissions.

100,000 Cases in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Health Commissioner Copeland estimated tonight that there are at the outside 100,000 cases of Spanish influenza in New York.

The present death rate in New York is the highest recorded in the annals of the city. For the last week it has been three times more than normal.

151 Yesterday in Capital .

VICTORIA, B. C Oct. 16.—There were 151 new cases of Spanish influenza reported here today, the total now reaching 520.

An inquest was opened at Niagara Falls, Ont., by Coroner McGarry into the deaths of Henry and Joseph Marsh and two Russians, who were killed by fumes of alcohol, while cleaning out a wine vat at the Stamford Park Winery company's plant.

Henry Bruere has been appointed director of the U. S. employment service for the state of New York.

STATES CENSUS REVEALS WASTE

Millions of Pounds of Fruit Is Rotting in California, Says Industry League

SAN FRANCISCO.—Millions of pounds of the choicest kinds of fruit—food that might feed our European allies as well as our own troops—are going to waste in the state of California today. Such is the state of affairs as disclosed by a census of the state's industrial conditions now nearly completed by the Home Industry league of California.

"Tens of thousands of dollars' worth of the choicest tomatoes are lying rotting on the ground of the ranches in this neighborhood today," is a sample of one report out of six received by the league through its canvass of the industrial situation of the state. This report came from a local board of trade. The report concludes: "Leal people have subscribed $7500 for stock in any company which will come to the neighborhood and start a vegetable cannery to take care of the thousands and thousands of dollars' worth of tomatoes and other vegetables which today are useless to the growers for lack of a cannery or transportation facilities."

Among the kinds of fruits and vegetables which the census shows to be going to waste on the ranches are peaches, apples, berries, olives, nuts, oranges, lemons, figs and dates.

Many of the communities in which these foods are going to waste state that "there is plenty of good labor available if we only had a local packing house of a cannery.

In a large number of the communities heard from here is no organized board of trade or other commercial clearing house of that nature, and the information has been received over the signatures of the editors of local newspapers.

Numbers of the replies make lively appeals for "government aid" in the immediate establishment of factories, canneries or other establishments for the making of apple butter, cider (bottled), vinegar, sugar from beets, sugar from grapes, tomato canneries, catsup bottlers, olive oil bottlers, peach and pear canneries, cherry preserves, dried fruit and vegetable plants, nut packers, candied fruit works, marmalade factories, lemon extract bottlers, orange and grape juice bottlers.

Other sections report that farming implements cannot be bought anywhere in sufficient quantities to take care of the bumper crops, while in other sections the existing fruit and vegetable canneries are compelled to limit their possible outputs by the inabiltiy to secure baskets and boxes to take care of the output. Fully a dozen communities deplore the lack of box and basket factories, while six places report the need for factories to manufacture small implements of farming.

There are today in California 44 separate fish canneries. Each is packing upwards of 50 tons, yet while each is packing to its capacity, thousands of tons of fish go daily to the fertilizers.

With feed so high that milk and meat are going up in prices, many communities report that if only the government or private capitalists will establish alfalfa "meal" mills they would be doing the whole country a favor, as well as make money on their investments. From several sections come appeals for more cotton mills to take care of the crops now going to waste.

Nearly every one of the communities who cry for canneries and packing plants report themselves as ready to back new enterprises with special civic inducements and to subscribe for large blocks of stock in the new companies.

The census of the Home Industry league is still in progress and when completed it will be placed at the disposal of the state council of defense to be made available free to the public.

POULTRY THAT IS FINISHED PAYS BEST

Even with the present high price of feed no one can afford to sell birds and especially cockerels, in a thin condition, says an experimental farm note. The good prices received for poultry meat more than pays for the extra feed and if there ever was a time when birds should be finished, it is now.

As a war measure the marketing of thin chickens should be prohibited The most expensive part of the bird to produce and that, which is of the least value for food is the frame. The cheapest weight for the feed fed is the flesh as it is all edible, the necessity of putting this flesh on is evident.

The most profitable weight at which to finish cockerels is when they weigh about four pounds, but even earlier birds may be fed with profit, as several experiments conducted at the experimental form this summer prove.

CATARRH LEADS TO CONSUMPTION

Catarrh is as much a blood disease as scrofula or rheumatism. It may be relieved, but it cannot be removed by simply local treatment. It causes headache and dizziness, impairs the taste, smell and hearing, affects the voice, deranges the digestion and breaks down the general health. It weakens the delicate lung tissues and leads to consumption.

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GERMANY WILL PAY FOR EXACTIONS; CECIL

MONTREAL.—During the sitting of the parliament, Aug. 6, 1918, Lord Robert Cecil has recalled that in war contributions alone, Germany has extorted from Belgium more than two billion francs, since November, 1914, till the beginning of 1918. "Besides," added Lord Robert Cecil, "heavy fines have been imposed upon industrial firms and individuals. These numerous exactions will be certainly accounted for in the peace negotiations."

Belgium has suffered materially in other things than war contributions and fines. How many buildings ruined, how many factories spoiled of their working implements, even of their industrial secrets, how much metal requisitioned, how many woods cut down, how many horses, cows, oxen and mules seized.

FEAR OF REJECTION MAKES RECRUIT CRY

CAMP KEARNY, Cal.—A large and healthy looking recruit, whose shoulders were bowed by years of word which required him to bend over, was passing through the physical examination room here. He reached the tuberculosis board, was examined by one medical officer and found doubtful, examined by two others, and passed and went to the general surgical examiners. He grew more nervous at every step. One of the examiners took hold of his shoulders and pressed them, trying to straighten the man up.

"What's the matter, man," said the examiner, "can't you straighten those shoulders us?"

There was nothing which exercise would not correct wrong with the man but he started to cry and tears came into his eyes, "Doctor,' he said, "for God sake don't throw me out of here; I want to fight." He was passed.

RECRUITS MEET ARMY "DON'TS" IN VARIOUS WAYS

CAMP KEARNY, Cal.—Recruits sent here for training meet in widely varying ways the restrictions imposed by the military authorities upon activities to which they have grown accustomed in civil life. One day recently an Italian recruit from San Francisco, whose brief life in camp had been one long series of "don'ts" from his superiors, went to a canteen for a cigarette. The canteen was closed temporarily. An officer approaching the recruit asked him what was the matter. "The canteen is closed," said the officer.

"Can't I get a smoke?" the man asked.

"No," said the officer.

"Oh, well," said the recruit, "Uncle Sam he don't want soldier to drink; he don't want soldier to leave camp; now he don't want soldier to smoke." The man shrugged his shoulders. "I guess, if I help lick those Germans, I can do it without smoke."

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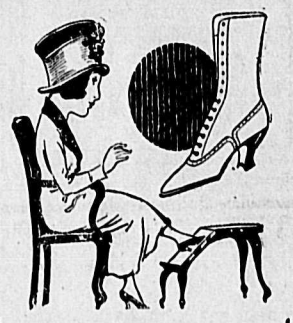

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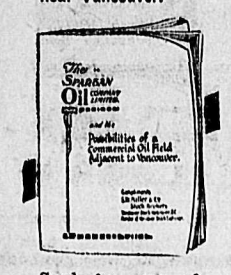

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BURIAN THOUGHT ALLIES WOULD FALL FOR NOTE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 16.—Baron Burian, Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, speaking to the foreign affairs committee of the Hungarian delegation, presumably before President Wilson sent his second reply to Germany, said:

"The peace note sent by the central powers to President Wilson opens the prospects that at a not far distant date we shall reach a cessation of hostilities and enter negotiations for the conclusion of a general, lasting and just peace."

Burian added that the assent of Austria and Germany to evacuation has been established and that he certainly was not too optimistic in supposing, in view of this situation, "We are standing immediately before a cessation of hostilities and shall shortly enter into negotiations with the entente."

PROVINCES WANT OWN IMMIGRATION POLICY

REGINA, Oct. 16.—The essence of the discussion at the conference today of provincial representatives of British Columbia, Alberta, Manitoba and Saskatchewan with Hon. J. A. Calder, relative to the immigration policy of Canada and the provinces was the decision that each province should evolve its own policy to be carried out with the financial assistance of the federal government. The federal government will carry out all propaganda work outside of Canada.

Col. C. A. Hagadorn, of Elmira, N. Y., commanding Camp Grant, Ill., committed suicide.

Mining and Markets

PEACE SHARES ARE IN FAVOR

Trading Is Active in Anti-War Stocks During Day at New York.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—On an enormous volume of business today's stock market witnessed another series of upward movements in issues, mostly of the peace group, while recognized war shares remained heavy or at least backward.

In addition to the resumption of activity in oils and Marine at higher levels, motors and their accessories developed unwonted prominence and metals and gas shares were in process of further accumulation.

Wilson Packing, Virginia-Carolina Chemical, General Electric, American Tobacco, Sears-Roebuck and Woolworth embraced the stronger specialties.

Rails started a belated advance with Union Pacific's 2-point gain and Canadian Pacific's sharp rally of 2½ points, grangers, coalers and the southern division rising 10 to 11½ points.

Among the striking features were Mexican Petroleum, Royal Dutch and Pan-American Petroleum preferred at gross advances of 6 to 9 points, Marine preferred 4½, Studebaker 5, United States Rubber 5½, Goodrich 5, American Ice 5, and Ohio Gas 4½. These were reduced 1 to 3 points at the end. United States Steel lost a small fraction, related issues forfeiting 1 to 2 points.

Bonds, notably Liberty issues, were irregular. Old United States bonds unchanged on call.

LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 16.—Hogs: Receipts, 18,000; market on good hogs steady; packing grades weak to 15 cents lower. Butchers, 18.15 to 18.75; light, 17.75 to 18.70; packing, 16.60 to 17.75; rough, 16.25 to 16.50; pigs, good to choice, 15.50 to 16.25.

Cattle: Receipts, 14,000; beef steers mostly steady, stronger on choice grades; butcher stock, canners and cutters steady. Beef cattle, good, choice and prime, 14.25 to 19.40; common and medium, 9 to 14.25; butcher stock, cows and heifers, 6.50 to 13; canners and cutters, 5 to 6.50; inferior, common and medium, 7 to 9.75; veal calves, good and choice, 15.75 to 16.50; western range beef steers, 13.25 to 17; cows and heifers, 8 to 12.2".

Sheep: Receipts, 22,000; fat lambs, 25 cents higher; sheep strong; feeder trade slow, generally steady. Lambs, choice and prime, 15.50 to 16; medium and good, 13.50 to 15.50; culls, 8 to 12; ewes, choice and prime, 10 to 10.50; medium and good, 8.50 to 10; culls, 3.50 to 7.

Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 16.—Livestock receipts at the Union stockyards today totaled 4800 cattle, 346 hogs and 442 sheep and lambs.

Butcher steers, 6.50 to 13; heifers, 5.50 to 9.25; cows, 4 to 9.25; bulls, 5.50 to 7.25; oxen, 4.50 to 8.50; stockers and feeders, 5.50 to 9.75; veal calves, 5.50 to 10.

Sheep and lambs, 8.50 to 15.50.

Hogs: Selects, 18; sows and heavies, 12 to 14; stags, 12; lights, 15.50 to 16.50.

PRICES SHOW DECLINE DURING PAST MONTH

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 16.—The average cost of the weekly budget of staple foods decreased slightly in the past month, according to figures compiled by the labor department. The September figures were $13.31 as compared with $13.41 in August, 1918 and $7.83 in September, 1914. In prices there were decreases in several groups, the most important decline being in grains—barley, oats, corn and flax all showing decreases.

Fruits and vegetables also showed a decline. Advances in prices were shown in dairy products, miscellaneous foods, textiles, hides and leather, implements, fuel and lighting, paints and oils and furs. Meat and house furnishings remained firm during the month.

CORN PRICES COLLAPSE ON CHICAGO MARKET

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 16.—Corn prices underwent a serious collapse today under renewal of liquidation and short selling in a market almost bare of support. Closing quotations were heavy at the bottom level of the day, 5⅝ to 7¼ cents down, with November at $1.17⅝ to $1.18 and December at $1.14½ to $1.14⅞.

Oats fell 1⅝ to 2¼ cents net. The outcome in provisions ranged from 50 cents decline to $1 advance.

BUTTER QUIET.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Oct .16.—Butter was quiet. Eggs very firm.

Cheese: Finest easterns, 24½ to 25.
Butter: Choicest creamery, 49 to 50.
Eggs: Selected, 54; No. 1 stock, 49.
Potatoes: Per bag, carlots, $1.90.

SILVER AT NEW YORK IS 101 1-8

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

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Silver, $1.01⅛; at London, 49½.

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

Spelter firm; East St. Louis delivery, spot, 8.62½ to 8.75. At London: Spot, £54; futures, £50.

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

TRADING ON STOCK EXCHANGE IS DULL

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Oct. 16.—Trading on the Canada stock exchange today was even duller and more featureless than on Tuesday. Steel of Canada yielded a point with the close at the lowest. Dominion Iron sold off in broker lots to 59½. Prices were for the day at 49 for Brazilian, 65 for Cement and 17 for Spanish River.

Changes included an advance of 3⅛ in Penman's preferred, which sold at 85, a new high record for the year. Macdonald was off a small fraction at 22½ and Forgings a small fraction to 208⅞. The second war loan was a shade firmer at 96⅛ and a shade weaker at 96. Sales: Shares, 1999; bonds, $22,500.

TRADING IS QUIET ON TORONTO MARKET

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Oct. 16.—Barcelona and Canada Permanent were the only issues in which transactions reached the 100-share mark today on the Toronto exchange. Barcelona held all day however, within the narrow range of ⅛ point, selling between 14¼ and 14¼, and closed at the latter figure.

Brazilian showed signs of pressure today, opening ½ point off at 49½ and losing another ¼ at the close. Canada Permanent was in demand at 167. Colonial Loan was also firm at 65. Canadian General Electric was firm at 104. Steel of Canada was heavier selling at 64⅝.

UNLOAD FIRST CARGO OF CORN AT PORT ARTHUR

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Oct. 16.—The first cargo of corn ever brought by steamer to the head of the lakes is being unloaded today from the steamer Parkes Foster. This shipment, the arrival of which has opened up a new avenue of trade for the head of the lakes, is consigned to the Canada Starch company at Fort William. The corn was loaded at Chicago and is from this year's crop.

LLOYD'S RATES.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Oct. 16.—Canadian Press despatch from Reuter's, Limited.—Lloyd's today charged 40 guineas per cent for payment of total loss in the event of peace being declared on or before Dec. 31, and 60 guineas per cent if declared on or before March 31, 1919.

ROME REPORTS FREQUENT LOCAL ENCOUNTERS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

ROME, Oct. 16.—The official statement issued today reads:

"There has been considerable local fighting from Lake Garda to the Brenta valley. Our artillery has carried out effective bombardment in the Lagrina valley and the Arsa valley. Patrol encounters favorable to us have been fought at Concalaghi and in the Arsa valley.

"On the Asiago plateau reconnoitering parties entered an enemey advanced post and returned without loss."

STEAMERS START OUT ON LAST TRIP OF SEASON

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

DAWSON, Y. T., Oct. 16.—The two last steamers from Dawson for the year sailed at midnight loaded to capacity with outgoing gold miners and their families. Four steamers from the lower Yukon have passed here during the week carrying 500 persons from the lower Yukon camps. All boats from Dawson that have been sailing during the last month have full passenger lists. The exodus by steamer for the year came to an end tonight.

There is no ice in the river at present, but there is snow on the hills and the river waters are so low that the boats frequently ground.

In another week there will not be a wheel turning in the Yukon.

SOON WILL PROCLAIM CZECHO-SLOVAK REPUBLIC

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Oct. 16.—A despatch to the Central News from Amsterdam, says that in Prague, the streets from the suburbs to the city proper are occupied by troops armed with hand grenades and machine guns, in consequence of a threat by the Czechs to call a general strike throughout Bohemia.

The despatch stated that pamphlets have been circulated declaring that a Czech republic will be proclaimed shortly.

RESOURCES FOR WEST PROVINCES

Premiers in Conference Ask Federal Government to Return Natural Wealth Rights.

REGINA, Sask., Oct. 16.—Western provinces will press for the return of their natural resources. This decision was reached at a conference of the western premiers held here today when the following telegram signed by Hon. W. M. Martin was sent to Premier Borden:

"Representatives of the governments of British Columbia, Alberta, Manitoba and Saskatchewan, assembled in Regina in conference on the land settlement and other matters of national and provincial importance respectfully request that a date be fixed prior to November 15 next for a conference on the question of the transfer of natural resources, school lands and school land funds."

JOE MARTIN IS BACK AGAIN

Member in British House Looks for an Election in January or February

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 16.—Joe Martin, M.P. for St. Pancras in the British house of commons, is back again in Canada. He registered at the Chateau Laurier last night on his way through to Vancouver, where he will look into some business matters. He is not in favor of any policy of imperial preference. To him it is most injudicious to talk of such a thing at a time when the Americans are "saving us from perdition." He believes a policy of protection would result in smashing the countries of the Empire.

He is also against any league of nations with Germany excluded. It would not be a league unless all the big powers were members, he said. Of the situation in the old country he had little to say beyond expressing the belief that there would be an election either in January or February next. He predicts a "pretty good chance" for the Labor party in the next political battle.

MATHESON OF WINNIPEG STERLING BANK DIRECTOR

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Oct. 16.—W. A. Matheson of Winnipeg was today elected director of the Sterling Bank of Canada. Mr. Matheson is a well known western financier. He is general manager of the Lake of the Woods Milling company, president of the Sunset Manufacturing company and is connected prominently with other institutions.

HUN PAPERS DISAPPOINTED BY WILSON'S REPLY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BERNE, Switzerland, Oct. 16.—German newspapers received here generally reflect considerable disappointment over President Wilson's latest note. The liberal newspapers express the fear that President Wilson's new conditions may fortify the conservatives, and pan-Germans in a policy of desperate resistance.

NO RELAXATION OF WAR EFFORTS, URGES CHURCHILL

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Oct. 16.—(Canadian Press Despatch from Reuter's.)—Speaking at Manchester, Right Hon. Winston Spencer Churchill said there must be no relaxation of war efforts. (Cheers.) President Wilson's firm and formidable reply to Germany would be wholeheartedly endorsed by the allies. He emphasized the necessity of adequate guarantees before the allies consented to release the pressure of their victorious armies.

YANKS FIGHT AGAINST BOLSHEVIKI ON DVINA

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

ARCHANGEL, Oct. 16. — Allied forces, including Americans, are engaged in repulsing heavy Bolsheviki attacks on both sides of the Dvina 150 miles north of Kotlass.

The Americans and Russians have advanced in the direction of Welsk, northwest of Vologda.

THREE HILLS

There is a hill in England,
Green fields and a school I know,
Where the balls fly fast in summer,
And the whispering elm trees grow,
A little hill, a hard hill,
And the playing fields below.

There is a hill in Flanders,
Heaped with a thousand slain,
Where the shells fly night and noontide
And the ghosts that died in vain—
A little hills, a hard hill,
To the souls that died in pain.

There is a hill in Jewry,
Three crosses pierce the sky,
On the midmost He is dying
To save all those who die—
A little hill, a kind hill
To souls in jeopardy.

—By Edward Owen.

Harrow, December, 1915.

Public worship in the Protestant churches in Montreal was suspended on Sunday following a message from Bishop Farthing to his clergy and a similar notice issued by the Montreal Protestant Ministerial association.

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KING ALEXANDER OF GREECE VISITING THE BRITISH SECTOR ON THE MACEDONIAN FRONT. HIS MAJESTY WATCHES AREOPLANES FLYING PAST.

Knights of Columbus Hut Fund Drive

T. J. Scanlan, campaign manager of the recent Hut Fund Drive, has handed in his final report, together with reports from Mr. George Brown, who audited the books of duplicate receipts returned, and Mr. L. B. de Veber, in whose name the money was deposited in the bank. The total amount collected was $3273.00 and was received from the following places:

Nakusp	$ 74.70
Glenbank	11.25
Brouse	9.90
Burton City	7.15
East Arrow Park	7.75
West Demars	17.00
Edgewood	35.45
Grahams Landing	11.50
Summit Lake	30.55
Silverton, New Denver and Roseberry	250.50
Hewitt and other mines, by Mrs. Philpott	188.50
Kaslo	120.00
Kaslo Red Cross	5.00
Riondel	5.00
Ainsworth	22.00
Castlegar	73.50
Proctor	30.00
Salmo	30.00
Hall	20.00
Ymir	7.50
South Slocan	51.85
Molly Gibson Mine	50.00
North Shore Road	77.35
Dominion Copper Co. employees, Copper Mountain	77.00
Tierney's Camps and Princeton	261.65
Chinese residents of Nelson	110.00
City of Nelson	1687.90
Total	$3273.00

I have audited the duplicates of receipts given by the various collectors and find they total $3273.00

(Signed) GEO. A. BROWN.

There has been deposited to my credit, in the Bank of Montreal here, in trust for the Knights of Columbus Hut Fund, the sum of $3273.00. This amount has been forwarded by me to D. J. McDonnell, the state treasurer, of Rossland. This is the entire amount collected, the Nelson Council of the Knights of Columbus having paid all the expenses in connection with the drive.

(Signed) Le B. De VEBER.

The local council, Knights of Columbus, take this opportunity of thanking all those who assisted them in their late campaign. What was especially pleasing to the committee was the pleasant way the different collectors were received by everyone. We wish, in a special way, to thank those gentlemen and ladies in the different districts around Nelson who gave their time to the work and succeeded in making the drive the great success it was.

T. J. SCANLAN,
Manager of the Campaign.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1918.

NOT SO EASY TO RETREAT FROM BELGIUM.

News of the rapidity with which the retreat of the Germans is taking place from Belgium suggests the possibility of the enemy forces being unable to escape quickly enough through the narrow opening between Holland and the mountain ridge which passes through Luxemburg.

tI is virtually through the neck of a bottle that the Huns must retreat from Belgium, and unless their rearguard actions delay the allied advance sufficienty the enemy will be confronted with the loss of large numbers of prisoners or with the alternative of violating Dutch neutrality.

There was a time when Germany would not have hesitated to treat Holland as it treated Belgium, but at the present stage of the war the government at Berlin may not care to add another to its already long list of enemies, the more particularly as it is through Holland that Germany expects after the war to regain its world trade.

NOT MUCH FARTHER AHEAD.

Those of the Germans who desire a democratic government are likely to go into any transports of joy over the amendment to the Prussian constitution which purports to throw into the hands of the people's representatives the power to declare war.

The section in the amended constitution which pretends to thus transfer this power from the kaiser to the people declares that the consent of the federal council and the reichstag is required for a declaration of war in the empire's name. So far, so good, but there is a joker. The amendment goes on to provide that the consent of the reichstag is not necessary when German territory has already been invaded or its coasts attacked.

Germans inclined to desired a democratic control of their country's destinies insofar as preventing wars are concerned will remember, when they read this joker, that German chancellors have among their many excuses for starting the world war asserted that Germany was attacked by the Russians, by the French and even by the Belgians before it lifted a hand in defense. They will also remember that the evidence in the case shows that it was Germany and Germany alone among all the powers which refused to support the efforts of Grey, on behalf of Britain, Pichon on behalf of France and Sazonoff on behalf of Russia to prevent the world war by bringing about a friendly settlement between Austria and Serbia. They will also remember that it was Germany which struck the first blow against Russia, against France and against Belgium and that in eastern Europe it was Austria which fired the first shot.

PEACE TALK AND THE UNITED STATES LOAN.

The United States Fourth Liberty loan is going slowly and reports indicate that the country to the south is facing the possibility of the last day of its war bond drive showing subscriptions far below the amount required. This is a grave situation. The United States is not short of money nor are the Americans intentionally showing a lack of patriotism.

It is the peace talk fever that has gripped the United States. This does not mean that the Americans want the war to end now. But it is the undercurrent that is telling American citizens that the war is nearly over that has unknowingly dampened the success of the fourth loan. The cry that Germany is crumbling is the most dangerous of cries. Just now when the foe is staggering is the time to deliver the knock-out blow. Now is the time for the Americans to oversubscribe their loan. Now is the time to offer so many silver bullets for that last battle that Germany will fall with a thump.

To let Canadian or American war loans fail would be worth a good many army corps to Germany.

JUST TWO SMALL LUMPS—WHY?

As the good citizen uses his daily allowance of sugar and as the housewife doles out stingy spoonfuls in her kitchen probably the most popular question of the moment is why? Yet in this way Canada expects to save 100,000 tons of sugar in one year.

The shortage is due to supply and demand. In Java immense quantities of sugar are held up by the shortage of tonnage and the supply exceeds the demand.

As for prices, in Java sugar is cheapest of almost all places. It sells there for $2.32 for 100 pounds. In Italy this commodity is worth $26.30 at present prices. Even in England it is sold at somewhere around $13 a hundredweight. And so far as price is concerned Canada with its May price around $8 wholesale was far from the top of the list as compared with many other countries.

But the enemy is much worse off than the allies in Europe. Even in the Ukraine where it would be expected to get many thousands of tons of beet sugar the price is $144 per 100 pounds.

The real patriot is the person who does what it is said should be done for the good of the country.

Lloyd's is now betting six to four against the war being over by Dec. 31 and it probably won't lose any money.

The government cost of living figures show a decrease for the past month. Truly something must be about to happen.

Don't let Germany's peace camouflage fool you into helping the Huns by refraining from buying Victory bonds. Victory is within our grasp but it can't be won without money.

It may be said without fear of contradiction that Joe Martin's view on war questions and after the war questions are worth just as much as Joe Martin's view on any other public question.

About the best thing to do with all peace talk at the present moment is to label it "camouflage" and tuck it away in the place that will be left vacant by the roll of bills that can buy Victory bonds.

An average yield of 16½ bushels of fall wheat for all Canada, as estimated by the Dominion bureau of statistics, is not half as bad as the pessimistic reports from the prairie first indicated. The average yield of fall wheat for the last 10 years has been 23 bushels.

CORRESPONDENCE

SHALL WE TOLERATE THE CRIMINAL IN THE JURY BOX?

To the Editor of The Daily News:

Sir,—With reference to the armistice and conference suggested by Germany, it seems to me an outrageous and preposterous thing to entertain even for a moment the possibility of allowing any representative of Germany to sit at the council which will eventually meet to discuss the terms of peace. What President Wilson's 14 points are I do not know and am not interested enough to find out. Nor can I understand how the "league of nations" proposition, in which Germany seemingly is to become a partner, is one which ought to be brought up at the present time—or, for that matter, at any other time. The plain man of the street can only see one war aim and that is to compass Germany's absolute surrender. Any other, or further proposition, until that is accomplished simply confuses the issue and is likely to lead to deplorable results. When the peace conference is held, Germany should stand in the criminal's dock. The allied belligerents are quite capable of arranging how she shall be punished without consulting her about it. To talk about a repentant Germany at present is also an outrageous thing. There is "no such animal."

JAMES BLACK.

Trail, B. C., Oct. 15, 1918.

WHAT THE PRESS IS SAYING

His Hands Full

General von Boehm, retreat specialist, is finding plenty of patients.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Make 'Em Short

We respectfully call the attention of prospective correspondents to the regrettable fact that newsprint is now 69 doubloons the ton. Write them short.—Ottawa Citizen.

COLD STORAGE

"That girl who turned me down is a regular dog in the manger."

"How so?"

"She will neither accept my affection nor return it."

Johnny—Ma, I wish you'd buy a brass jardiniere.

Mother—What for?

Johnny—When I play soldier, I'd like to surprise the fellers with the right kind of trench bonnet.

"THE FIGHTING TRAIL"

"He's dead!" Drant muttered curtly.

Von Bleck sat mutely in his chair. He said not a word while Drant made the explanation, but his heavy brows were drawn close together in a frown that signified that he was anything but pleased.

Suddenly, as Von Bleck was peering through the half light at his companions, the three men started to their feet with a jump. Outside in the distance could be plainly heard the hoofbeats of two horses. They were approaching the hut at a gallop, but they were still perhaps a quarter of a mile away. Von Bleck and Drant looked at each other; in the minds of all was a single thought. Gwyn and Nan were returning, possibly with assistance, to get the chart. It was impossible to tell, from the sound of the approaching horses, how many of them there were. The three in the cabin knew that they would be caught if they did not act immediately. They would have to think quick, and move quicker. Drant was the first to awaken to the situation. He ran into the kitchen and returned a moment later with a can of kerosene oil. Von Bleck watched him almost with dread as he poured the fluid over the floor and furniture and then went into an adjoining room to which the body of Cordoba had been removed, to sprinkle oil about in there. His motive was obvious—he intended to burn the hacienda to the ground. Although Von Bleck and Rawls knew this much, they did not read all of Drant's dastardly thoughts. When he had poured the kerosene profusely about and emptied the can, he lit it with a candle which had been serving as an illumination. Then, with a wave of his hand he motioned them toward the kitchen. Von Bleck and Rawls followed him out.

The hoof beats by this time had grown louder and more distinct. Just as Drant drew the bolt of the door that separated the living room from the kitchen, they stopped suddenly. In another moment the living room door swung open and Gwyn rushed in, followed by Nan. They were alone. A glance at the flames which were now leaping high and the odor of the kerosene revealed the truth to them immediately. Gwyn shouting over his shoulder to Nan, rushed toward the door. He turned the knob and pulled. Then his face ghastly white in the light of the flickering flames, he turned to Nan.

"It's locked!" he exclaimed, his voice choking, as if he feared to utter the wards. "They have been here and started the fire—and they have locked us in. It's a trick. We can't get out."

Gwyn's words were true. Von Bleck, Rawls and Drant had bolted the kitchen door after they had gone through it. They had run outside by the rear entrance as Nan and Gwyn had entered and locked the door through which they had come from the outside. The windows of the hacienda were barred with stout iron imbedded in the sills. This had been a precaution taken by Cordoba when he had flown to the house from Chihuahua. Nan and Gwyn were prisoners in the burning building. Already the heavy smoke caused by the burning oil was filling the little living room. They could feel it filling their throats and lungs. Suddenly Nan was racing frantically about the room beating the flames with a rug and while Gwyn was frantically trying to bend the window bars apart, the leering, hard countenance of Von Bleck stared at him from the outside. In the rakish glare of the fire as it shone through the panes it looked hideous. Von Bleck broke the glass with his fist.

"You might as well give in," Von Bleck announced. "You can't get out until the side burns away and you'll suffocate before then. All we want is the chart—the half you have—and we'll open the door and be your friends What do you say?"

"All I can," replied Gwyn, is that if you want this map you'd better find a more practical way to obtain it. It is in my pocket and it will stay there—if it burns. And then it will be more impossible for you to get it then than it ever was." He turned and left the window.

Von Bleck's face remained at the window for perhaps a minute longer and then disappeared. The agent of the central powers realized that what Gwyn said was true. If he burned to death in the flames, the chart would burn as well.

Meanwhile Nan had thought of a plan. Taking Gwyn by the arm, and glancing out of the window to assure herself that Von Bleck or his companions were not watching, she led him to the trap door through which Cordoba had brought the cases of cinnabar from the cave. With nervous haste made even quicker by the fact that the room was filled with smoke, almost to the point of suffocation, they opened the door in the floor. Gwyn helped Nan through the opening and then lowered himself from view, closing the door after him.

Von Bleck raised his head from his hands and gazed meditatively through the open door. For hours, it seemed, he had been sitting before the hard board table in the mountain abode of Drant and Cut-Deep Rawls, with his head resting in his open palm. He had been staring blankly at the rough wood that served as a table top, and his fingers drummed nervously against his forehead.

Now, as he raised his head and a breath of cool air swpt through the door, he braced himself. He arose, brushed back his ruffled black hair and strode out to the trail.

For nearly half an hour he wandered aimlessly down the trail, without raising his eyes. Suddenly he started at the sound of a voice. He looked up and glared with an expression of mingled fear and astonishment. Not 15 feet away, seated upon two horses, were the two he had thought dead—burned to death in the hacienda of Don Carlos de Cordoba! His first impise was to turn and run, but the futility of that occurred to him almost as quickly as the thought. He forced a smile and regained his bearing. In a moment he was again the cool, calculating, wary Von Bleck that had borne successfully the responsibility of the central powers upon his shoulders.

Gwyn dismounted and approached him.

"I'll trouble you to come with me," he said, calmly. "I could cause your immediate arrest and conviction on the charge of attempted murder, but I have better use for you."

Von Bleck made no reply. He turned and followed quietly as Gwyn again mounted and rode slowly along the trail in the direction from which he had just come. Nan walked her horse behind, so that the agent of the central powers was between her and Gwyn.

For several minutes they traveled thus, until Gwyn finally drew to a halt beside a clearing. A barn, dilapidated and dirty, stood a few feet in from the road. Into this Gwyn led Nan and Von Bleck, There were no signs of life about the place, and an old box, standing on end, was its only furnishing. Gwyn moved it to the side of a post that ran to the roof and motioned to Von Bleck to sit on it. Then, without speaking a word, he poceeded to tie his captive to the post with a rope he had taken from his saddle. Then, with a stick he made a tourniquet of a piece of rope and drew it tighter and tighter about Von Bleck's arm until the latter winced with pain.

"There will be no bush-beating," Gwyn announced firmly. "Tell me where the other half of the chart is or I'll break your arm. You are a sensible enough person, Von Bleck, to know when you are beaten. You have the country and the law against you. You can't go on acting like a cheap outlaw and keep on getting away with it. The cards are against you and you might as well give in. Where is the other part of the map?"

"Cut-Deep Rawls has it," he said slowly. "He will be at the hotel in Lost Mine some time today. I was to meet him there."

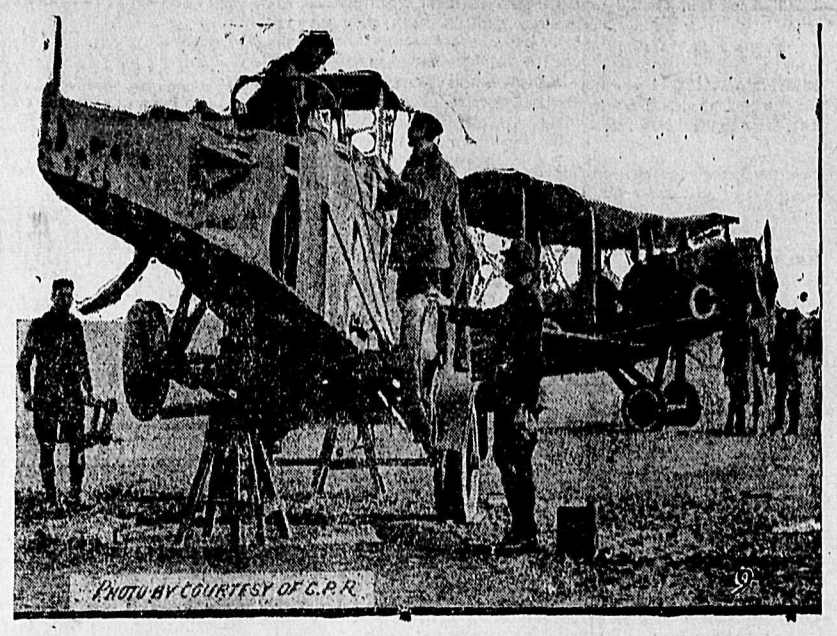
Gwyn smiled as Von Bleck spoke. He could see from the defeated look upon the central powers' agent that he was telling the truth. Taking the coveted half of the chart which he held from his pocket, he gave it to Nan with his revolver.

"I am going back to Lost Mine to get the rest of it," he said. "I'll leave this with you. I might get into a fight and lose it. I don't think you'll have any trouble with our friend here, so just keep him covered with the gun until I get back." He went out, mounted his horse and rode away toward the town.

As soon as the clatter of hoofs died to silence in the distance Von Bleck began to plead with Nan. He complained of a stinging pain in his arm, and induced her to look at his hand. The sight of it made her shudder. It was wet with blood that had been flowing from the wound made by Yaqui Joe in the fight at the hacienda. At first Nan refused to listen to his pleading, but finally, giving way to her sympathies, she loosed the rope that bound the wounded arm. Von Bleck as she did so, reeled backward against the post in apparent exhaustion. Nan watched him for a moment to see if he would recover, but, when he did not, she became frightened and rushed out for some water, which she obtained in a gourd that lay beside a well but a few feet from the barn.

She placed the gourd to Von Bleck's lips, and he sipped from it. Nan watched him with sympathy, though she knew in her heart that he did not deserve it. Suddenly, with such rapidity that she was taken absolutely by surprise, Von Bleck jumped from his seat and snatched the revolver from her hand. He had worked his hand loose after Nan had slackened the rope that bound it and untied his bonds. Leveling the gun at her he demanded in tones which made her wonder how she could have held any sympathy for him at all:

This episode of "The Fighting Trail" has been shown at the Gem theatre, Nelson. Another episode will appear at the Gem tomorrow and Saturday and a further installment will appear in The Daily News next Thursday and at the Gem Friday and Saturday.



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ON THE WESTERN FRONT—A DAMAGED MACHINE BEING REPAIRED AND ANOTHER MACHINE READY TO TAKE ITS PLACE.

ENGLISH HAVE NEW RATION BOOK.

Since the ministry of food began its work two billion forms have been printed and distributed. Out of this number only one set has had to be cancelled, the loss being less than $250.

Of the new national ration books, which will come into force shortly, 63,000,000 copies will be issued. This number includes the individual books and the supplemental books granted to agricultural laborers, munition workers and those engaged on heavy work. Over 7700 long tons of paper will be used in their manufacture, while 3000 persons will be employed in the manufacture of the books.

The new book is a great improvement on the present card system. It is of handy size, five inches by 3 1-4 and contains coupons for all the rationed foods—sugar, meat, bacon, butter and margarine—and lard, of which the food controller hopes to have sufficient to allow tyo ounces per head per week.

Printed in colors by a special process of photogravure and special ink, the delicate design of the book should prove a great deterrent to would-be forgers.

The book for the general public contains nine pages, orange color for sugar, blue for fats, red for meat and bacon, brown and blue for other foods which may be rationed, and green for reference purposes.

A special book has been prepared for children, and with supplementary ration books for workers engaged in heavy work it will be possible for a household to have eight different kinds of ration books.

With the coming into force of the new books the coupons collected by retailers will have to be forwarded to the local food office, where tests will be taken by means of weighing the coupons, and if they do not reasonably come up to the weight corresponding with the rationed food supplied prosecution will follow.

Books will have to be surrendered before leaving the country, or in event of the death of the holder of the book, must be returned to either the local food office or handed to the registrar of deaths at the time of registration.

THE UNSUNG HEROES.

The work done by birds in saving food by destroying injurious insects and weeds is almost unbelievable, but the figures given here are vouched for by those familiar with the subject.

A scarlet tanager ate 630 gypsy moth caterpillars in 18 minutes, which is at the rate of 2100 an hour.

The quail, most hunted of birds, has no bad habits and eats 145 species of insects in summer and 129 kinds of harmful weed seeds in winter.

A flicker was found to have eaten 1000 chinch bugs; a nighthawk, 600 grasshoppers; a Maryland yellow throat 3500 plant lice in 40 minutes.

The stomach of a cedar waxwing contained 100 canker worms; a snowbunting was found to have eaten 1000 pigeon weed seeds; a Bob White made a meal on 5000 seeds of the same plant, and a mourning dove ate 7500 seeds of yellow sorrel. The tree sparrow eats 975 tons of weed seeds every year.

The robin, the flicker, the thrush, all found frequently in the game bag of the hunter, subsist largely on a diet of ants, beetles, bugs, files, grasshoppers, caterpillars and spiders. The robin, between the hours of 6 a. m. and 8 p. m. consumes 150 cut worms and wire worms.

Food saving is patriotism. Prove your patriotism by helping save the birds that protect the nation's food supply.

WHAT THE WHIPPET IS

Recent cables from the battlefront have spoken of tanks and whippets being used by the allies. Everyone knows the tank to be a land battleship of the slow moving, heavily armored type, a fort ready to stand and hold out to the end, if necessary. The whippet is a smaller tank that can dash all round a battlefield and depend on alertness and speed as the main weapon. The whippet is a mobile tank, a land "destroyer" that can break up or pursue enemy infantry. It has caterpillar treads of the usual design, arranged on either side of a sort of flatcar body. On the platform of the flatcar is mounted a single turret which houses the crew and the several machine guns with which the whippet is armed. The flatcar body measures 18 feet in length, while the turret is six feet in height. The engine is placed at the rear of the gun turret in a separate enclosed armored housing.

It appears that the whippet tank can readily make 12 miles an hour, and a fully equipped Teuton infantryman may soon require a motor cycle on which to retreat. It is a British invention.

"DEATH OF WOLFE"

Sir Robert Borden recently announced the presentation to Canada, through Lord Beaverbrook, of West's famous painting, "The Death of Wolfe." The gift is made by the Due of Westminster, who, in writing to Lord Beaverbrook, says the painting has hung at Eaton Hall since the days of his great-grandfather, who purchased it from the painter.

The picture was painted in 1775, when West was painting other pictues at Eaton for Richard, Lord Grosvenor. This was the first battle picture in which the figures were represented in the uniforms of the day. Sir Joshua Reynolds, hearing that this was West's intention, implored him to abandon the idea, affirming that it was against all tradition, and the picture would lose grace and elegance. West replied that what he would lose in grace and elegance he would gain in simplicity. When Reynolds visited West's studio he subsequently expressed great admiration of the picture.

George the Third ordered a replica, which is at Hampton Court, and the Monckton family later ordered another picture on a larger scale.

THE WOUNDED BUGLE

A bugle that did its best to be a hero and was actually incapitated by gunshot wound, has returned to Ballarat, Australia. It returned with Graham Coulter, D. S. O., formerly lieutenant-colonel of the 8th. Of solid silver, it was presented in 1867 by the ladies of Ballarat to the old Ballarat Rangers. The purchase money was collected by Lieut.-Col. Greenfield, then a lieutenant. When the Rangers were disbanded it remained with the bugler till he died and some years later Lieut.-Col. (Senator) Bolton bought it from a local shopkeeper in whose window it was discovered. Bolton was O. C. of the 8th in Egypt, and it accompanied the battalion and sounded the calls. Then came Gallipoli, where it was more of a trophy than a battle clarion. With Coulter it went to France. Except at a base buglers are unheard of there, so it went silent to the battlefront, and was not rendered and more dumb when a bullet removed the mouthpiece and put it on the retired list for good. Its present job is being the nucleus of a Ballarat war museum.

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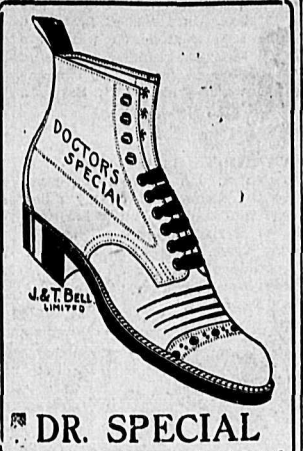

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CASCADE NOTES

(Special to The Daily News.)

CASCADE, B. C., Oct. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Bryant and family have returned from a visit to Greenwood.

W. H. Phillips and L. Sale have returned from harvest work on the prairies.

An enjoyable Red Cross benefit dance was held in Bertois hall on Saturday night.

Mrs. R. G. Ritchie and Miss A. Robinson attended the Red Cross bazaar in Grand Forks on Saturday.

Mrs. E. Desrochers and family left yesterday for their home at the coast.

George Lindsey is here on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Lindsey.

W. P. Rudkin spent the weekend at his home in Nelson.

W. S. Phillips was home for the weekend from the Rock Candy mine.

PTE. JESSE LEHMAN IS KILLED IN ACTION

Word has been received in Nelson that Pte. Jesse Lehman, who went overseas with the 225th battalion, was killed in action in the battle of Amiens. Before enlisting, Pte. Lehman lived at Crescent valley. It is believed that he had no relatives in the district.

A CHILD'S TONGUE SHOWS IF LIVER OR BOWELS ARE ACTIVE

If Cross, Feverish, Sick, Bilious, Give Fruit Laxative at Once.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

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Kootenay and Boundary

DISTRICT MAN FALLS 200 FEET

A. B. Clabon Meets Death When He Slips Over Precipice at Silver Creek

(Special to The Daily News.)

REVELSTOKE, Oct. 16.—A. B. Clabon, chairman of the Vancouver chamber of mines, who has been interested in the deal whereby the Woolsley claims have been taken over by the eastern syndicate, was instantly killed this afternoon by falling over a precipice at Silver Creek. Clabon fell a distance of more than 100 feet, alighting on a ledge of rocks, his body rebounding and being precipitated over a second embankment of 100 feet. The body has been recovered and will be sent to Vancouver.

Mr. Clabon was formerly interested in the mines at Rossland and he was a visitor in Nelson a few weeks ago.

CAPT. KERR HAS BEEN KILLED IN ACTION

(Special to The Daily News.)

WANETA, B.C., Oct. 16.—News has been received here of the death of Capt. Kerr, late owner of the Rockeby ranch, and well known in the Pend d'Oreille and surrounding districts. The report says he was killed in action Sept. 29.

FORT STEELE MAN IS WOUNDED

Son of Constable Walsh Receives Gunshot Wound in Side—Local Items

(Special to The Daily News.)

FORT STEELE, B. C., Oct. 16.—Constable Walsh received a telegram yesterday stating that his son Edward has been wounded and has been admitted t the general hospital at Etaples with a gunshot wound in the side.

Miss V. Filbert of Nelson is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Werden at the Imperial hotel.

B. W. Werden gave a Thanksgiving dance last night in the Imperial hotel.

E. Howard of Invermere is in town.

Mrs. E. Cretny of Sheep Creek is in town and is staying at the Windsor.

HOLD HARVEST FESTIVAL AT SOUTH SLOCAN

(Special to The Daily News.)

SOUTH SLOCAN, B.C., Oct. 15.—Harvest festivals were held at St. Mary's church, Bonnington on Sunday morning and at St. Matthew's church, South Slocan in the evening. The venerable archdeacon of Kootenay officiated. At each place the edifices were beautifully decorated.

The fruit and vegetables from the church at South Slocan have been forwarded to the Balfour sanitarium.

Mrs. S. J. Dedrick brought her children Arthur and Ena, home last night from the Kootenay Lake General hospital, Nelson, where they have been patients for the past six weeks with typhoid fever. The children are convalescent.

F. J. McGowan returned to Nelson yesterday and is a patient in the Kootenay Lake General hospital.

Mrs. Gerald Ashby of Greenwood has been spending a few days here the guest of Mrs. O .W .Humphry and left on Monday for Kaslo to attend the Woman's institute convention.

Mr. and Mrs. James Macaulay spent Thanksgiving day in Nelson and then went on to Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Carrie and family of Nelson spent Thanksgiving day at Shoreacres, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oliver.

Mrs. W. A. Montgomery, the Misses Ruth and Barbara Montgomery and Mrs. J. Sprack were visitors to Tarrys yesterday.

SOUTH SLOCAN KIDDIES RAISE $1.25 FOR WAR

(Special to The Daily News.)

SOUTH SLOCAN, B.C., Oct. 16—The number of children attending school for the month of September was 22. The average attendance was 20.36. The number of boys is 8 and girls 14.

The children collected $1.25 for the prisoners of war fund, which has been forwarded to the Nelson branch. The children have also sent in a number of towels and handkerchiefs for the Red Cross. Every Friday the children meet to do sewing or knitting for the Red Cross.

Chisholm Gray has left for Nelson.

HARVEST FESTIVAL AT PERRY SIDING

(Special to The Daily News.)

PERRY SIDING, B.C., Oct. 16.—Rev. H. O. Huguet gave a farewell service on Sunday last to a well filled schoolhouse. The interior of the building was prettily decorated with fruits and flowers. The occasion was the harvest festival.

The Misses A. and M. Ramsden and Miss F. Dawney were visitors at the Ashford ranch for the weekend.

PRIZE WINNERS AT NAKUSP FAIR

1918 Exhibition of District Products Is One of Most Successful Ever Held.

(Special to The Daily News.)

NAKUSP, B.C., Oct. 16.—Nakusp's fruit fair has been termed one of the most successful ever held here. The names of the winners of first and second prizes are given in order of awards as follows:

Fruit, Apples—Northern Spy, Buesnell Bros, A. N. Wisner; Wagner, J. McCormack, T. Abriel; Jonathan, J. McCormack, J. H. Stevenson; Gravenstein, J. H. Stevenson, A. N. Wisner; McIntosh Reds, J. H. Stevenson, Buesnell Bros.; Ontarios, J. McCormack, G. W. Bill; Wealthy, R. H. Baird, C. Ehl; Winter Bananas, T. Abriel, Shiell Bros.; King, Shiell Bros., H. Aalten; Yellow Newton, T. Abriel, Shiell Bros; Spitz, J .McCormack; Rome Beauty, T. Abriel; Grimes Golden, Shiell Bros., J. H. Stevenson; Ben Davis, T. Abriel, Winesap, T. Abriel; Yellow Transparent, H. Aalten; Duchess, H. Aalten; Pippin, Shiell Bros.; K. Coddling, 2 C. B. Hamling; Snow, Shiell Bros; any other variety, Shiell Bros., Thos. Abriel; collection of apples, R. H. Baird, Buesnell Bros; packed box, Buesnell Bros, C. B. Hamling; trays, Northern Spy, Buesnell Bros., R. H. Baird; Wagner, C. B. Hamling, R. H. Baird, Jonathan, C. B. Hamling, J. H. Stevenson; Wealthy, C. B. Hamling, R. H. Baird; McIntosh, Buesnell Bros., R. H. Baird.

Pears—Bartlett, H. Aalten, F. Wensley; Flemish Beauty, R. H. Baird, J. H. Stevenson; Howell, Shiell Bros; B. d'Anjou, Shiell Bros; any other variety, H. Aalten.

Grapes—Any kind, 2, Thos. Abriel; Campbell's Early, Miss Alice Powell.

Crabs—Hyslop, F. Wensley, J. H. Stevenson; collection 3 box apples, C. B. Hamling, R. H. Baird; pyramid Wagners, C. B. Hamling, R. H. Baird; pyramid Wealthy, Thos .Abriel, C. B. Hamling; 3 trays apples, C. B. Hamling; packed box pears, R. H. Baird.

Plums—Bradshaw, H. Aalten; Lombard, H. D. Herridge, J. H. Stevenson; Yellow Egg, Smith Gardner, H. Aalten; Damson, G. W. Bill; Prunes, Shiell Bros, H. Aalten; any other variety, Smith Gardner, Buesnell Bros.; box plums, R. H. Baird.

Vegetables.

Potatoes—100 pounds, G. S. Belsham, C. B. Hamling; early, 25 pounds, H.—W. Herridge, C. B. Hamling; late, 25 pounds, H. W. Herridge, G. S. Belsham; 3 varieties, H. W. Herridge, C. B. Hamling; turnips, J. C. Wensley, H. Aalten; carrots, Buesnell Bros., J. C. Wensley; parsnips, G. S. Belsham, Mrs. Jansen; cabbage, summer, C. B. Hamling, Thos. Abriel; cabbage, winter, Mrs. Jansen, Buesnell Bros; cabbage, red, C. Ehl, Buesnell Bros.; cauliflower, Buesnell Bros., Mrs. Jansen; onions, T. Rushton, C. B. Hamling; onions, pickling, T. Rushton, C. B. Hamling; beans, J. F. Chandler, G. S. Belsham; corn, Buesnell Bros. T. Rushton; beets, long, Buesnell Bros., H. Aalten; beets, globe, Mrs. Jansen, T. Funcke; celery, Mrs. Fowler, J. F. Chandler; peas in pod, J. F. Chandler, L. H. Rawlings; beans in pod, H. Aalten, H. W. Herridge; squash, C. Ehl, Smith Gardner; pumpkins, Buesnell Bros., A. N. Wisner; vegetable marrow, C. Ehl, Buesnell Bros.; tomatoes, L. H. Rawlings, F. Wyrill; cucumbers, C. Ehl, Buesnell Bros.; Brussels sprouts, T. Abriel; kale, Mrs. Fowler, J. W. Wood; collection vegetables, Mrs. Fowler, C. B. Hamling; ranch display, J. F. Chandler, C. Ehl, H. Aalten; collection of seeds, H. Aalten, J. F. Chandler.

Field Produce — Wheat, Buesnell Bros., C. Ehl; oats, Buesnell Bros., C. B. Hamling; swedes, Buesnell Bros., C. Ehl; sugar beets, C. Ehl, H. Aalten; mangel wortel, J. F. Chandler, G. S. Belsham; clover, C. Ehl, C. B. Hamling; alfalfa, T. Abriel, T. Rushton; corn (six stems), C. Ehl, C. B. Hamling; corn (12 ears), C. Ehl, C. B. Hamling; field carrots, Buesnell Bros., C. B. Hamling.

Dairy Produce—Butter, W. H. White, T. Rushton, Mrs. J. Parks, H. Aalten; eggs, white, T. Abriel, Buesnell Bros.; eggs, brown, Mrs. Mills, T. Abriel.

Baking—War bread, Mrs. Dilley, Miss Flo Dilley; brown bread, Mrs. Dilley, Mrs. Belsham; currant buns, Mrs. R. R. Paterson, Mrs. J. W. Wood; tea biscuits, Mrs. R. R. Patterson, Mrs. Fowler; cookies, Mrs. Belsham, Mrs. Grigg; cake, Mrs. Grigg, Mrs. Fowler; apple pie, Mrs. Mills, Mrs. R. R. Patterson.

Canned Fruit—Strawberries, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson, Mrs. Rushton; raspberries, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson, Mrs. R. R. Patterson; currants, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson, Mrs. G. W. Bill; cherries, Mrs. Fowler, Mrs. Dilley; pears, Mrs. G. W. Bill, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson; peaches, Mrs. Dilley; plums, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson, Mrs. Fowler; crabs, Mrs. Rushton, Mrs. F. Wensley; collection fruits, Miss H. Peers, Mrs. Rushton; jellies, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson, Mrs. J. W. Wood; sweet pickles, Mrs. Rushton, Mrs. Dilley; mustard pickles, Mrs. Dilley, Mrs. Fowler; sauce, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson; cucumber pickles, Mrs. J. W. Wood; chow chow, Mrs. G. W. Bill; collection of jam, Mrs. T. Rushton, Mrs. Dilley; collection of vegetables, Mrs. Fowler, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson; collection of meats, Mrs. Fowler; marmalade, Mrs. H. C. Waterfield; vinegar, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson, Miss A. J. Chandler.

Needlework—Crochet lace, Miss Peers, Miss N. E. Abriel; monogram, Mrs. H. W. Herridge, Mrs. E. H. S. McLean; embroidered tea cloth, Mrs. Mills; six button holes, J. C. Wensley; embroidered underwear, Mrs. H. W. Herridge; knitted socks, Mrs. E. H. S. McLean, Mrs. F. Wensley; darning, Mrs. Fowler, Mrs. H. W. Herridge; collection of fancy work, Mrs. Fauchier; sofa cushion, Mrs. R. Islip, Mrs. E. H. S. McLean; rug, Mrs. H. W. Herridge, Mrs. E. H. S. McLean; wash dress, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson; guest towel, Miss N. E. Abriel, Mrs. H. W. Herridge; pillow slips, Mrs. Mills, Mrs. Carlson; bed spread, Mrs. E. H. S. McLean; other than mentioned, Mrs. E. H. S. McLean, Mrs. Quance, Mrs. H. W. Herridge, Miss N. E. Abriel.

Floral—Collection of annua's, Mrs. Fowler; collection of asters, Mrs. Fowler, Miss Vipond; display of asters, Mrs. Fowler, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson; display of calliopsis, C. B. Hamling; display of carnations, Mrs. L. J. Edwards, J. C. Wensley; display of dahlias, Mrs. L. J. Edwards, Miss Vipond; display of gladioli, E. Funcke; collection of geraniums, Miss Vipond, Mrs. Fowler; collection of petunias, E. Hamling; collection of pansies, Mrs. Fowler, Mrs. Rushton; display of pansies, Mrs. Fowler, Miss M. Chandler; collection of roses, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson; display of roses, Mrs. A. B. Giraud, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson; collection of sweet peas, Mrs. Fowler; display of sweet peas, Mrs. Fowler, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson; collection of nasturtions, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson, C. B. Hamling; basket of cut flowers, Mrs. Fowler, Mrs. E. H. S. McLean; bouquet, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson, Mrs. Fowler; table decoration, Mrs. Fowler, Mrs. E. H. S. McLean; ladies' spray, Miss A. J. Chandler, Miss Daisy Quance; button hole, Mrs. L. J. Edwards, Miss Daisy Quance; begonia, T. Funcke, Miss R. Hamer; begonia tuber, T. Funcke; fuschia, T. Funcke; geranium, T. Funcke; collection of geranium, T. Funcke; fern, asparagus, Mrs. T. Sellars; ferne, ordinary, T. Funcke.

Children's Work—Drawing, Hildred Gardner, Fred Wensley; sketch, Fred Wensley, Henrietta Aalten; design, girls, Henrietta Aalten, Hildred Gardner; design, boys, Donald McDougald; plasticine model, John Surina, Doris Cowan; weeds, F. Fowler; collection of vegetables, Dora Jansen, Winnie Wensley; pumpkins, F. Fowler; writing, pencil, E. Hamling, Vera Wensley; writing, ink, Winnie Wensley, Mildred Parent; arithmetic, J. Vipond; Margaret Quance, Liza Larue; other than mentioned, Daisy Quance, Inez Carlson.

Poultry.

White Wyandottes—Cock, T. Abriel; hen, G. S. Belsham; cockerel, T. Rushton, G. S. Belsham; pullet, T. Rushton, G. S. Belsham; utility pen, T. Sellers;

White Leghorn—Cockerel, T. Abriel; Mrs. Mills; pullet, Mrs. Mills.

Live Stock.

Dairy cow, R. H. Baird, J. F. Chandler, Mrs. Fowler; heifer, R. H. Baird, F. Wensley, H. Aaltem; calf, R. H. Baird, F. Wensley; general purpose horse, F. Crowell, T. Abriel; horse and buggy, F. Crowell, Mrs. J. Parkes.

WILLIAM RUTLEDGE OF GRAND FORKS IS DEAD

(Special to The Daily News.)

CASCADE, B. C., Oct. 16.—William Rutledge, who has lived at the Fife mine, near here, for several years, died yesterday in the Grand Forks hospital.

WANETA NOTES.

(Special to The Daily News.)

WANETA, B. C., Oct. 14.—Mrs. R. Irvine and family have moved to Columbia Gardens where they will reside.

Mrs. A. Hazlett is back from a visit of some months with friends in Pennsylvania.

NEW DENVER NOTES

NEW DENVER, B. C., Oct. 16.—H. J. Woolley and J. A. McPhee have taken a lease on the old Campbell Johnson group of claims just on the outskirts of the town and are putting up camp for the winter.

Pte. Alex McDougall has just returned from overseas and is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Rod McPherson. Pte. McDougall says that Canada looks good to him after an absence of two years. As he was badly wounded in France he expects to get his discharge in a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thompson, who have been living in Silverton for the past few years, have returned to town and have moved into their own residence on Sixth street.

The Bosun compressor is just about complete and they expect to turn the air on in a few days. They are making good progress with the lower No. 6 tunnel, which is in about 350 feet.

Miss Anna Wetterhuus of Alaska is visiting in New Denver and Silverton. Miss Wetterhuus is a former New Denver girl and is a sister of Mrs. W. A. Mills and Mrs. Dewes of Silverton.

Bruce Kirk who has been under the doctor's care for the last two weeks is about again.

If the poultry men of New Denver and district want to make the coming winter district poultry show a success, it is about time that someone got busy, for there is a lot of work in an undertaking of that kind.

BALFOUR BOYS HAVE BANG-UP DINNER

(Special to The Daily News.)

BALFOUR, B. C., Oct. 15.—Special Thanksgiving dinner was held at the Balfour sanitarium at which the patients were the guests of the staff. It was a rare occasion for the men to dine with the staff and they have thanked the latter for the pains taken in serving a splendid dinner. Miss Ellen Haig, dietician, and the following assisted: Miss R. Johnston, Miss A. Dugdale, Miss R. Howard, Miss Young, Miss R. Quinny and Mrs. Taylor.

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RED CROSS PUBLICATIONS HAVE BEEN ISSUED

Three important publications from a Red Cross standpoint have been issued from the central headquarters, 56 Church street, Toronto, within the past few weeks. These are the annual report of the society for the year 1917, a pamphlet entitled "What the Canadian Red Cross is Doing in the Great War," and the War Work, or official instruction book for Red Cross workers for the coming winter. These publications are being distributed to the various provincial and district branches.

Dr. Michael A. Miele and his brother Leopold, of Newark, N.J., died within 24 hours of each other.

You Can't Brush or Wash Out Dandruff

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

Do this tonight and by morning most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop at once and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft and look and feel a hundred times better.

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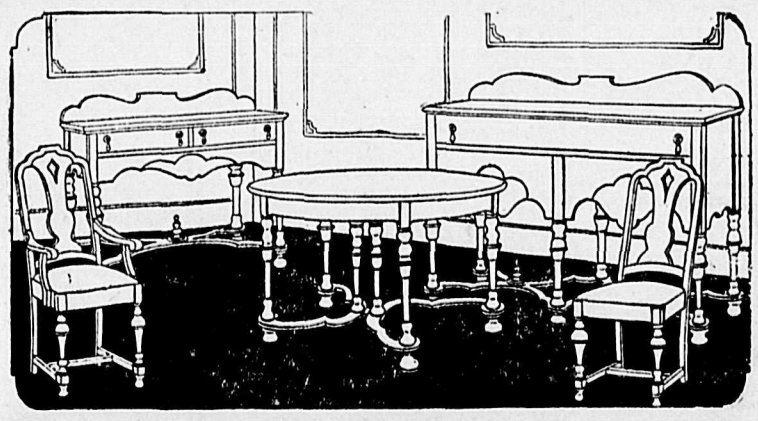

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THE GERMAN PEACE OFFENSIVE

The Germans are on the run. Fighting wieh neither plan nor purpose, they are fighting for a doomed cause. A German peace was only possible if it could have been dictated at Paris. Twice over has Paris been saved from falling into the hands of the Huns. With the present and growing strength of the allied armies, there will be no third attempt on the French capital.

For absolute victory we and our allies now have guarantees as certain and as sure as were ever yet possessed by one group of belligerents in comparison with another group. It is for that very reason that we need particularly to beware now that the "peace-offensive" has been launched at last. Already the kaiser is mobilizing the non-militaristic elements in Germany in support of the "peace offensive." It is his hope that in every allied country large sections of people will be found craven or credulous enough to see in the cant of his chancellor a promising chance to end the war.

Let Canada give her answer by a rousing response to the appeal for the 1918 Victory loan. Get ready for such response. Show the stuff that is in you. Lend as you mean to win.

MUST PRETEND THEY ARE WELL TREATED.

Warning to editors and others to accept with the proverbial grain of salt those letters from American prisoners of war in German camps which speak of the excellence of the food and general treatment of the prisoners, was issued recently by Col. Marlborough Churchill, the chief army censor. The warning took the form of the following note to editors throughout the United States:

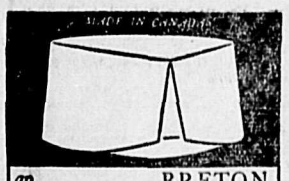
"Col. Churchill, chief of the military intelligence branch of the general staff, directs the attention of American editors to recently published letters from American prisoners of war in German camps, in which the prisoners speak of the excellence of the food and general treatment of the prisoners.

"An officer of the military intelligence branch who spent two years of the war in Germany, reports that there are certain rules laid down for all prisoners in letter writing. The price they pay for the transmission of their letters is that they must state that they are well treated, also that the food is good and they are contented. The letters of the prisoners are carefully censored at the camps and any statements made contrary to the rules laid down for letter writing simply means destruction of the letter.

"It is therefore concluded that any information coming from American prisoners in Germany is absolutely unreliable and should not be published in American newspapers and magazines as in any way authentic. It is urged that all editors give the above very earnest consideration in handling prisoners' letters that may reach them in any way whatever."

THE BARREN GROUND.

Nearly 30 years ago (in June, 1889) Warburton Pike left Calgary for Edmonton, the starting point of an exploring trip to the Barren Ground—the vast desert then little known, that lies between Hudson Bay, the eastern ends of the three great lakes of the north and the Arctic sea. He covered much ground that hitherto had not been visited by a white man, mapped the country and effected his object with no assistance save that furnished by the few migratory Indian tribes which inhabited the great desert. The party lived on the game of the country. Returning Mr. Pike prepared an account of the journey which was printed at the time, but only a limited edition. It will therefore be welcome news to those interested in travel adventure that a new and popular edition of the work has been issued. Mr. Pike tells the story of his arduous trip in simple, straightforward language and with a charm of detail and a wealth of observation that makes the volume of intense interest.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TEUTONS IN PERIL ON NORTH SEA

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are harder, allowing them to operate more freely. From here to the Holland border is less than 20 miles.

Cross Oise at Cheigny.

FRENCH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, Oct. 16.—(Reuter's)—General Debeny's troops this morning crossed the Oise river at Cheigny, three miles north of its junction with the Serte river.

British Gaining.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—The British forces in the sector between Douai and Lille have made further gains all aong the front and driven their line to within about 2½ miles southwest and 3 3-4 miles west of Lille, according to Field *Marshal Haig's communication issued*

The text of the communication follows:

"We carried out a successful local tonight.

operation last night in the Selle valley, capturing the village of Haussey and more than 300 prisoners.

"On the Douai-Lille front, the enemy is continuing his withdrawal closely followed by our troops, who have reached the general line of Oignies, Catvin, Allenes-les-Maris, Maugre and Capinghem. Sharp fighting has taken place at different points between the enemy's rear guards and our advance detachments. Some prisoners have been taken.

Eight Miles in Three Days

"The British second army, under command of Gen. Plummer, cooperating with the Belgian and French forces in Flanders, in the course of the last three days has realized an advance of more than eight miles.

"During this period, despite strong opposition, this army captured the towns of Comines, Wervicq, Menin, Wulverghem, Heule and Guerne and secured the northern portion of Courtrai.

"The left bank of the Lys river now has been cleared of the enemy as far as the northeast of Halebecke.

"Today our troops crossed the Lys between Armentieres and Menin. In the villages many civilians have been found and freed from the domination of the enemy. More than 4000 prisoners and upwards of 150 guns already have been taken.

"In these successful operations the 96th division, forming a part of the command of Gen. Jacob's second corps, has again fought with great distinction. Valuable and gallant service has been rendered also by the 29th, 35th, 36th and 41st divisions as well as other divisions engaged."

Advance Along Aisne.

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, Oct. 16.—(Reuter's)—There is an unconfirmed rumor that in the fighting in Flanders, Thourout has been surrounded. It is not known whether there are still any guns in the place, but the rapidity of the advance of the allies ought to mean that the town will be found intact when it is occupied.

Nearing Lille.

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FLANDERS, Oct. 16.—Reuter's.—Between Lens and Armentieres the Germans continue to fall back and the British are drawing nearer Lille. During the night they crossed the Haute Deule canal, 2000 yards east of Pont-a-Vendin, and threw out a screen of strong patrols which have maintained harassing touch with the enemy. The British are reported to be holding Pont-Aux-Fosso, Provin and Santes-Lez- Haubourdin, and today were pushing toward Annocullin. Hanvardy Chateau is in the hands of the British. The weather is fine but misty.

Win Towns in Champagne.

PARIS, Oct. 16.—Northwest of Sissonne, in Champagne, the French have captured the town of Notre Dame d'Liease and west of Grandpre have taken the village of Talma, according to toight's official communication. The text of the bulletin follows:

"We have realized local progress, notably northwest of Sissonne, where we captured Notre Dame d'Liease, and west of Grandpre enlarged our gains in the capture of the village of Talma."

Grandpre Taken.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY NORTHWEST OF VERDUN, Oct. 16. —6 p.m.—American troops today occupied the town of Grandpre, on the north bank of the Aire river, north of the Argonne forest.

Advance Near Sea.

HAVRE, Oct. 16.—The Belgians have extended their battlefront north of the Handseeme canal, where they have made progress in the region of Schoore, five miles from the North sea, southeast of Nieuport, and generally gained ground eastward as far as Coolscamp, according to the official communication issued tonight. The town of Isighem, east of Roulers, has been captured.

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY ON THE AISNE, Oct. 16.—(2 p. m.)—Favored by bad weather and bad roads, which are slowing up the advance of the allied supply trains, the Germans appear disposed to make a stand for the time, at least, on the line from the region north of Si-onne to Rithel.

Gen. Debeny's forces have made a slight advance west of Anguilcourt, passing the Serre, and arriving before the marshes which the enemy is utilizing with the aid of a well sustained machine gun fire to stop their forward march. The German army has also increased its activity in this sector.

North of Sisonne the French troops are now along the bank of the drainage canal which constitutes the advanced defense position prepared as a secondary line of retirement, from the Hindenburg line. Further east the Germans, supported by a violent artillery fire, counterattacked the French troops under the command of Gen. Guillaumat. This reaction was of no avail. Gen. Guillaumat's men maintained their lines.

Berlin's Report.

BERLIN, Oct. 16.—The war office statement this evening follows:

"Northeast of Roulers, on the Selle sector, near Haussy, between the Aire and Meuse and on the eastern bank of the Meuse, enemy attacks failed.

"The town of Denain, 5½ miles southwest of Valenciennes, which is filled wth French refugees, lies under the constant fire of the heavy artillery.

"Yesterday the enemy shelled the Welfare centre of Liesse, eight miles from Laon, which had been carefully spared by us during the war."

Messages of cheer and exhortation by telephone may be substituted in Boston while influenza closes the churches.

ENTERTAINING EPITAPHS

In a search for the unusual, one would scarcely expect to come across it on a tombstone. But full justice can in some cases be done to a deceased in a single word.

There is a stone in Leamington cemetery dedicated to the memory of one J. T. Burgess, who before laying aside the trammels of this mundane sphere edited the Leamington Spa Courier. His career and end are adequately summed up in one word —"Resting."

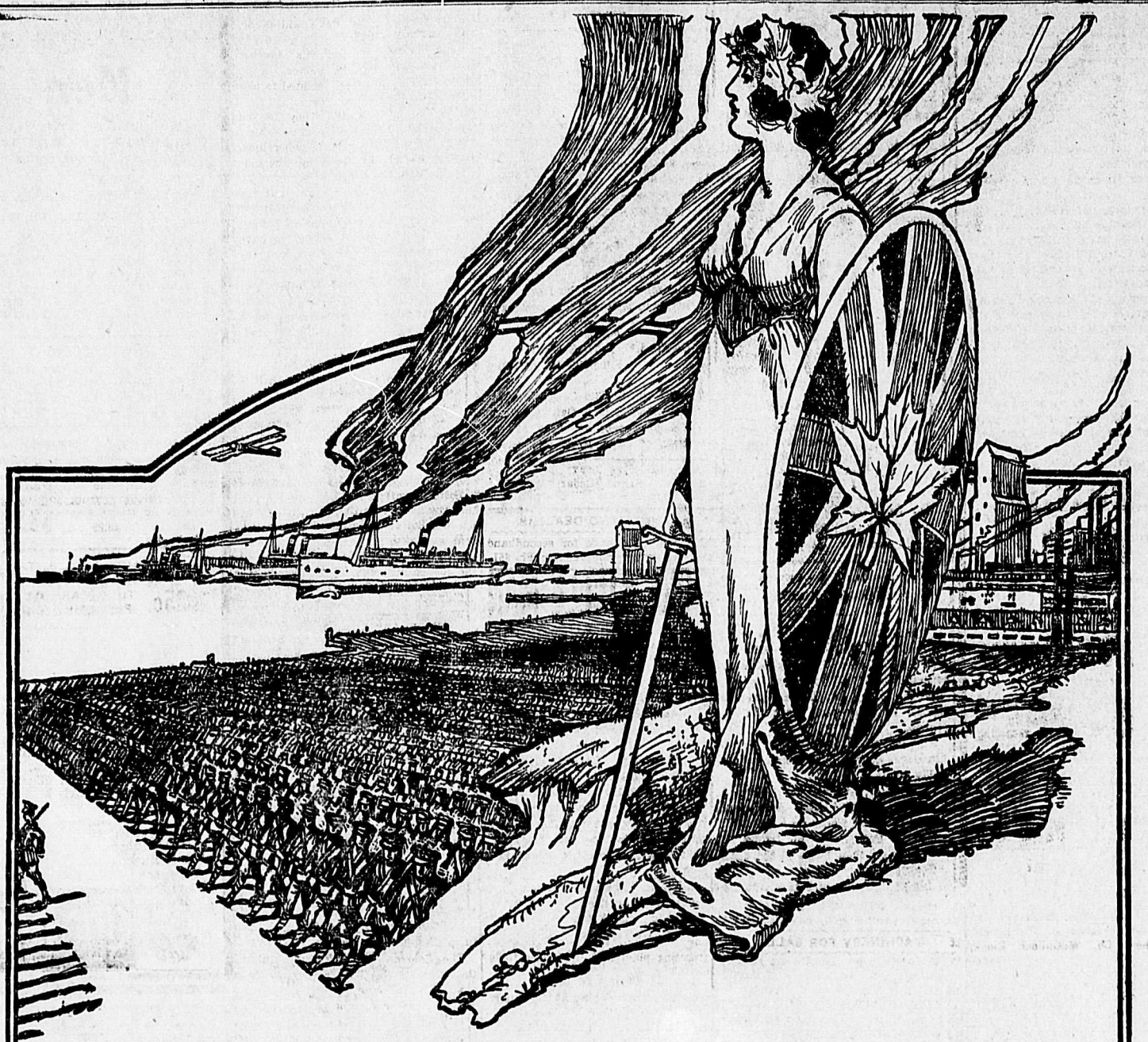
A departed auctioneer who lived in the city of Worcester had inscribed on his memorial stone as an epitaph, "Gone." Brief, economical and retrospective. In a Sussex graveyard may be seen a stone on which are chiseled after the name and date of death of the deceased just two expressive words—"He was." Surely a sermon in a nutshell.

But two of the strangest as well as the briefest epitaphs are to be found on stones in Cane Hill cemetery, Belfast. On one of them, erected to the memory of a lazy fellow by one who evidently knew him well, are the words, "Asleep (as usual)." On the other, "Left Till Called For."

A certain photographer has this inscribed over his grave, "Here I Lie, Taken from Life."

DOGS WANTED FOR WAR

The war office needs more dogs for the front, and gives us a list of the types desired. The bulldog is not one of them. John Bull's pet purebred is a peaceful, lethargic beast. But the bull terrier, not specifically named, is a fighter and a sticker. He is to be represented, but he must have mastiff blood, too, for war purposes. This type of hound was used by Sanderson, the government elephant catcher, in India as a "seizer," and it would seize anything, bear, leopard, tiger. Three such dogs, unaided, once captured a wild elephant for him.



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HOTELS.

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

18 ARTICLES FOR SALE

GOOD PIANO for sale cheap. Apply 107 Baker. (518)

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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)

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)

42 MATRIMONY.

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20 LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Yorkshire sow, to farrow shortly, $60; two pedigreed York sows, 8 weeks old, $10 each. R. M. Power, Thrums, B.C. (515)

CHOICE YOUNG PIGS FOR SALE—Nine weeks old, price $7. R. D Kennedy, Lemon creek, via Perry Siding. (516)

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)

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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)

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22 MISCELLANEOUS—WANTED

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16 ROOM AND BOARD.

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BOY OF 14 SHOOTS NEGRO PLAYMATE

Young Joseph Phelan Kills Howard Hartly, Aged 7, With Gun While Playing.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)
HALIFAX, Oct. 16.—A sensational shooting affair resulting in one death, occurred near Liverpool, N. S., yesterday when a colored boy, Howard Hartly, aged 7 or 8 years, was shot and instantly killed by a white boy, Joseph Phelan, aged 14. It is alleged that young Hartly and his brother were playing, pitching stones, when along came Phelan and wanted to join in the fun. He took his turn at pitching and said to the Hartly boy, "If you catch these stones, I'll shoot you." Hartly missed the catch, whereupon Phelan fired his gun, killing the colored boy instantly.
The coronor's verdict was that the Hartly boy came to his death by a gun in the hands of Phelan. First there was an inclination not to have the matter enter the courts, but the colored people showed such feeling that it was decided to let the law take its course, and young Phelan, who spent the night in jail, came up for a preliminary hearing today.

HOPE TO SETTLE PENDING LABOR DISPUTE SOON

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)
OTTAWA, Oct. 16.—"The statement is absolutely incorrect," said Senator Robertson, representative of labor in the cabinet, when asked if an item which appeared in certain newspapers that the Royal Northwest Mounted Police were to be used to enforce the recent legislation prohibiting strikes. The senator stated that the machinery of the justice department would be used to enforce the legislation if such a course should be necessary.
With regard to the dispute between the Canadian Pacific railway western employees and the company, Senator Robertson said that he believed the situation was improving. Members of *the cabinet now in the west were in* touch with President Beatty of the Canadian Pacific railway and it was hoped to have the dispute settled in a few days.

GERMANY MUST LOWER HOPES, SAYS COLOGNE PAPER

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)
AMSTERDAM, Oct. 16—The Cologne *Gazette, which open speaks authorita*tively, commenting on President Wilson's reply to Foreign Minister Solff. says:
"After President Wilson's note hope for peace must be lowered a few pegs."
The Cologne Volks Zeitung, takes the same stand. This newspaper declares that a cessation of Germany's U-boat warfare cannot be demanded before an armistice is concluded.
"*The Germans must lower their* hopes of an early peace of justice without humiliation," says the Cologne Volks Zeitung.

POLISH NATIONAL ARMY RECOGNIZED BY BRITISH

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)
LONDON, Oct. 16.—The British government has recognized the Polish national army as autonomous, allied and co-belligerent, according to an official announcement tonight.

OTTAWA, Oct. 16.—It is announced through the naval department that Russel W. Parker, first class stoker of North Battleford, Sask., has died in the hospital at Halifax, following an operation for appendicitis.

12 SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

EXPERIENCED stenographer desires position in Cranbrook for part of time. Appy box NO 521, Nelson Daily News. (521)

28 MISCELLANEOUS

GIRL attending business college wants to work for board. Box 517, Daily News. (517)

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Holden at Nelson, B.C.

Mankin & Huddleston, Plaintiffs, and William Olynuk, Defendant.
Under and by virtue of a Warrant *of Execution, issued out of the above* Court, dated the 11th day of October, 1918, and to me directed, I have this day seized and will offer for sale, on *Thursday*, the 17th day of October, 1918, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, at the Nelson Transfer Co.'s stables, Vernon St., Nelson, B.C., one team of heavy work horses.
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SIR THOMAS WHITE CANCELS ENGAGEMENTS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)
VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 16.—On account of the prevailing epidemic of influenza, and the opinion of the health authorities as to the advisability of public meetings, Sir Thomas White has decided to cancel all further speaking engagements on his present tour of the west and will return east almost immediately. The minister of finance made this statement to the Canadian Press this evening.

WOULD STOP TORONTO GIVING $15,000 TO FUND

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)
TORONTO, Oct. 16.—Argument was presented at Osgoode Hall in the motion by F. R. Ferguson on behalf of Albert William Herman of Toronto to restrain the city council from making ag rant of $15,000 to the Catholic army *charity on the ground that it was ir*regular, illegal and ultra vires. Mr. Ferguson contended that the organization was incorporated under the Dominion companies act, but did not come under any legislation provided by this province whereby the council would have authority to make a grant to such an institution. In defense, I. S. Fairty, appearing for the city, contended the term charity in the general *municipal acts provided the necessary* authority.

SUGGESTS KAISER'S GRANDSON FOR THRONE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)
PARIS, Oct. 16.—According to a source of information without value Emperor William can disap*pear without endangering the dynasty*, says a despatch from Geneva to the Temps. One solution being considered, it is said, is the abdication of the emperor in favor of his grandson, William, eldest son of the German crown prince, with the emperor's brother, Prence Henry, as regent.
The Journal desbats yesterday mentioned editorially the possibility of such a plan, but it condemned it as unacceptable.

A Classified Ad. will bring results

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

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)

Clan Johnstone No. 212 meets in the Oddfellows' hall tonight at 8 o'clock. (519)

A Hallowe'en dinner will be given by the St. Paul's Ladies' aid. (520)

The Woman's auxiliary of the Great War Veterans' association is giving a dance on Oct. 22 in the Eagle hall. *Everybody welcome. Tickets 50c.* (521)

Keep 31st open for sale of work and dance in Eagle hall. Patriotic purposes. (523)

Three years in Stoney Mountain penitentiary and a fine of $1000, was the penalty imposed upon Michael Charitonoff at Winnipeg, for having seditious and objectionable literature in his possession.

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MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE.

bin Fraction Mineral Claim, situate in the Slocan Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located: On Four-Mile creek near Silverton, B.C.
Take notice that J. D. Anderson, F.L.S., of Trail, B.C., acting as agent the Consolidated Mining & Smelter Company of Canada, Limited, Free ner's Certificate No. 13645-B, inds, sixty days from he 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 21st day of August, 1918
J. D. ANDERSON.

Lawrence Goyer of Belleville whilst duck shooting seized a gun by the muzzle and it exploded, with the result that his left hand was terribly mangled.

ALASKA RAILROAD EMPLOYEES KEEP BEDS

ANCHORAGE, Alaska. — Government railroad employees here will be called on again to donate for the maintenance of five beds in an American war hospital at Neuilly, France. Names of towns on the Alaska government railroad have been given the *beds. Three are named for Anchor*age, one for Matanuska and one for Turnagain Arm. Last year the railroad employees donated enough to *maintain the beds 12 months.*

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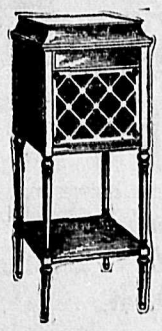

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News Job Department

NELSON, B. C. PHONE 144

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Flannelette, striped, per yd.	18½c
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AT THE THEATRES

Ambition vs. Love of Girl

A fascinating struggle between love and ambition is pictured in "The Marriage Speculation," the Greater Vitagraph Blue Ribbon feature, which will be seen in the Gem theatre on Friday and Saturday. The girl gives up a struggling sweetheart and in return for an education and place in society agrees to marry some rich man. She never forgets her first love, but bravely prepares to carry out her compact. Wallace Macdonald and Millidred Manning are co-stars in the picture, and the role of the benefactor is taken by Charles Kent.

Old Papers for Wrapping

At *The Daily News office* you can secure old newspapers for use in wrapping vegetables or other articles, at 5 cents a pound.

Wealthy Apples

No. 3; box	$1.25
No. 2; box	$1.50
GOOD MEALY POTATOES	
Per 100 pounds	$2.50
WHITE CORN FLOUR	
Per pound	10c
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THE GREAT SUPPLY HOUSE
TELEPHONE 161

FOUR MORE MEN ARRIVE HOME

Lieut, Matthew Is on Leave—Sergt. Strudwick, Pte. Langill and Pte. Gillis Invalided to Canada

Lieut. E. G. Matthew, Sergt. E. Strudwick, Pte. Fraser Langill and Pte. J. M. Gillis were men who arrived from overseas on the Crow boat last evening. Lieut. Matthews is spending leave in the city and the other men expect to report to the coast for treatment or discharge.

Lieut. Matthew is son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Matthew. He went overseas with the Princess Patricias as a private and was slightly wounded. He went back to the line and after serving for some time as a battalion bomber, was sent to England to receive a commission. After getting his lieutenancy in the infantry he transferred to the Royal Air force and was serving with that branch until he was sent to Canada for three months leave.

Sergt. Strudwick is well known in Trail and Nelson. He went overseas with the 7th battalion and was in France for over three years. He was wounded in the arm and has been invalided to Canada.

Pte. Langill enlisted in the 225th battalion along with his son Roy. Roy was killed at Lens and his father was wounded at Passchendaele and after receiving treatment in England has been sent back to Canada as medically unfit.

Pte. J. M. Gillis also enlisted with the 225th battalion and went to France to a Kootenay battalion. He was wounded in the left arm at Passchendaele and rendered unfit for further service. Pte. Gillis is well known in Nelson, having lived in the district since 1890. He was for some time employed by the Canadian Pacific railway on bridge work.

BOYS HAVE 'EATS' AT LOCAL Y.M.C.A.

Have Talk on Value of Association—Appoint Teams for Membership—Postpone Conference.

Boys of the intermediate, high school, junior and employed boys' gymnasium classes of the Y. M. C. A. met at supper last evening in the association building. After an inspiring discussion on the value of the Y. M. C. A. to the boys and the potential value of the boys to the Y. M. C. A., those present formed themselves into six teams to canvass the city and Fairview for new members for their classes.

J. Notman was elected general in charge of the campaign and his captains were appointed as follows: A. Bowness, R. B. Mottis, J. Curran, Ian Macdonald, George Dill and Howard Calvert.

The canvass will start immediately and continue throughout the remainder of the month. It will close on Hallowe'en with a social evening and reception for the new members.

The conference of older boys, which was to have been held in the city has been called off. This action was taken by the committee in charge after consultation with Dr. Isabel Arthur, health officer, who advised the postponement of the conference on account of the possibility of the spread of Spanish influenza.

SERGT. BELL IS HIT SECOND TIME

Original 54th Battalion Man Is Wounded After Returning to the Firing Line.

The name of Sergt. R. Bell of Nelson is included in last night's casualty list of wounded. Sergt. Bell enlisted at Nelson and trained at Vernon as a sergeant in the 54th battalion. He was wounded in November, 1916, and after remaining in England for some time as a machine gun instructor in a reserve battalion, returned to France and has again been wounded.

Sergt. Bell's mother lives at 911 Cedar street.

Page's Shoe Store

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Nelson's Goodyear Shoe Repairer

Send your repairs by parcel post.

WAR VETERANS HOLD MEETING

Elect W. A. Burton Secretary in Place of W. Holmes, Resigned—Consider Convalescent Hospital.

W. A. Burton was elected secretary of the Nelson district branch of the Great War Veterans' association at the regular meeting held in the club rooms last evening, in place of W. Holmes, who resigned on account of being out of the city.

The report of the Great War Veterans' Dominion convention at Ottawa was received and some discussion took place on certain enactments.

The committee in charge of the booth at the fair reported that the display of war trophies had been staged at a considerable loss to the association.

Regarding the reply received from Maj.-Gen. Leckie to a resolution sent by the local branch and endorsed by the board of trade, the veterans instructed their executive to again take up the question of a convalescent hospital in the district. Instructions were given for communciations to A. P. Proctor, medical director of the invalided soldiers' commission and also to R. F. Green, M.P.

C. G. G. McInnes, H. McDonald Alex. Smith, C. Bradshaw, G. Morris, W. Pascoe and W. McPherson were appointed a visiting committee to the Kootenay Lake General hospital. Their duration of office was set for the remainder of the year.

Mr. McInnes reported that he had visited several returned men in the hospital and that, in reply to a request for cigarettes, the local cigar dealers had contributed smokes for the boys. A motion of thanks was extended to the local cigar dealers and also one to the Automobile association for taking the patients out for rides.

A resolution was passed endorsing the application of Mr .Burton for the position of local treasurer of the Canadian Patriotic fund.

The president announced that M. S. Davys, manager of the new concentrator at Kaslo, had offered to instruct returned soldiers in order that they might hold important positions in the oil flotation process of milling and he stated that he would give the returned men positions and good wages as well as instruction. The concensus of opinion among the members was that this was a good opportunity and the secretary was instructed to communicate with several members throughout the district putting before them the possibilities.

The meeting welcomed Sergt. Strudwick and Pte. J. M. Gillis, who were at the meeting.

Arrangements were made for a rally meeting of the veterans at which it is planned to serve refreshments and urge district men to be present.

CITY TELEGRAPH OFFICE CLOSED

Great Northern and Western Union Turn Over Business to Canadian Pacific Telegraph Company.

The Great Northern and Western Union Telegraph companies closed their offices in the city yesterday. This action was taken with a view to reduction of expenses. The business will now be handled by the local Canadian Pacific telegraph offices.

William Boyes, who has been telegraph operator for the Great Northern and Western Union offices here, will leave the early part of the week to take a position in the Great Northern relay office in Spokane.

K. C. HUT CAMPAIGN TOTAL GIVEN AT $3273

T. J. Scanlan, manager of the Knights of Columbus hut drive, has issued the financial statement of the campaign results, showing that a total of $3273 was raised for the overseas work. The books and duplicate receipts were audited by G. A. Brown and the money was deposited in the name of L. B. DeVeber. Citizens of Nelson donated $1797.50. Tierney's camps at Princeton subscribed $261.65. The Silverton, Rosebery and New Denver donation of $250 was the third highest.

The committee has expressed its appreciation of the support received in Nelson and district.

Customs receipts for September at Brockville amounted to $18,000, an increase of about 75 per cent over the corresponding period last year.

soldier, was found on the Thompson farm, near Perth, with life extinct, having either accidentally or suicidally taken his life with a shotgun.

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Same in gallon tins	$3.25
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Satisfaction Guaranteed.

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Monthly Meeting, October 19, 1918.

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Social and Personal

A. Edwards was a Kaslo visitor in the city yesterday.

J. A. Killough of Castlegar arrived in the city last night.

Mrs. W. Rice of Winlaw was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. A. J. Harrison of Arrow Park arrived in the city last evening.

Harry Gamble of Cranbrook is visiting his brother, J. F. Gamble, Mill street.

Noel H. Ryley of Queens Bay arrived in the city last evening and was registered at the Madden.

R. Johnes of Slocan City arrived in the city yesterday afternoon and was a guest at the Queens.

D. O. Thomas is expected to return to the city this evening from a business trip to Ymir.

D .Brandon of Silverton was a visitor to the city last night and was a guest at the Hume.

A. McDougall of Nova Scotia was in the city last night and will leave on the Great Northern train this morning for Grand Forks.

Mrs. J. Morley, Miss B. Morley and Mrs. P. Reed and baby of Burton were visitors in the city last evening and stayed at the New Grand.

Mrs. A. W. Williamson has received word that her brother, Charles McDougall, has died in Nevada after a long illness. Mr .McDougall lived in Nelson and Cranbrook some years ago.

Mrs. J. C. Gore has received word that her son, Lieut. George Gore, who is serving in France with the Canadian artillery, has been given charge of a field battery. Lieut. Gore is well known in the city as an athlete.

Dr. W. O. Rose received a wire from Dr. M. J. Vigneux yesterday from Quebec, saying that his son Joe was better but that Mrs. Vigneux was still critically ill with Spanish influenza.

Miss Beatrice Betts is ill at Victoria with the Spanish influenza, according to information received by friends in the city. Miss Betts, who was in the local government agent's office, is in the attorney-general's department at Victoria.

THE WEATHER.

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 16.—Nelson and vicinity—Mostly cloudy and mild, with rain.

	Min.	Max.
Nelson	49	53
Victoria	48	54
Kamloops	32	44
Prince Rupert	36	54
Dawson	26	40
Winnipeg	—	50
Penticton	41	52
Grand Forks	46	55
Vancouver	44	52
Barkerville	20	46
Calgary	—	54
Port Arthur	—	46
Cranbrook	44	51

Major R. Emmett Lea, Danville, Va., died as the result of a gunshot wound received a month ago.

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Pound	3c
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Pound	3c
WHEAT SUBSTITUTES	
Barley Flour	10c
Corn Flour	10c
Rye Flour	10c
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No. 2 Josephine Street, Nelson

GRANT CUTS FOOT AT EUREKA MINE

D. G. Kurtz in First Auto Trip Brings Injured Man to Hospital.

J. D. Grant cut his foot rather seriously yesterday afternoon at the Eureka mine while chopping some timbers. He was brought to the city by D. G. Kurtz in an automobile and was taken to the Kootenay Lake General hospital where he was resting easily last evening.

Mr. Kurtz last evening made the first trip by auto to the Eureka mine. The trip was made after dark and the first part was through rain and slush while the latter part was in snow. Leaving the city at 6:20 he arrived at the mine at 8 o'clock and got back to the city shortly after 9. This was considered exceptional time on account of the conditions and especially the rough road.

ROBINSON GETS JOB AS FISH GUARDIAN

C. H. Robinson, a returned soldier of the city, has been appointed fishery guardian for the Nelson district and has assumed his new duties. Last winter, Mr. Robinson was manager of the Nelson rink and has recently been a conductor on the street railway. He has seen service in France and was returned medically unfit on account of that service. Mr. Robinson has five brothers still serving with the forces overseas.

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