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FRESH FORCES ONLY SLOW DOWN DRIVE

HUNS USE GAS ON THE OCEAN

Sub Releases Poison On Water

SIX LIGHTHOUSE MEN AFFECTED

Smith Island Station Is Target--Ship Attacks U-Boat

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Using poison gas a German submarine attacked the coastguard station and lighthouse on Smith island, off the North Carolina coast, Saturday night, the navy department announced tonight. Six men were overcome by the gas.

The gas was released from oil spread over the surface of the water by the submarine, the navy department announcement said. Three large areas of oil, each larger than an acre, grounded near the island. The gas, which appeared similar to mustard gas, used in fighting on the western front, was effective about 40 minutes. None of the men overcome by the fumes died.

Navy Announcement.

The announcement reads as follows:

"The navy department has received a despatch from the commandant of the sixth naval division, Charles, S. C., stating that an attack with gas was attempted on the North Carolina coast about 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon, with the result of temporarily putting out of business the coastguard station and the lighthouse personnel.

The report goes on to say:

"About 40 minutes after the attack three large oil spots, each over one acre in extent, were observed passing by Smith island to the north. The oil, from which the gas was undoubtedly generated, must have been released from a submarine in the vicinity of the entrance to the channel with the hope that it would come in with the tide, but the tide fortunately set along the island.

"Report was made to Col. Chase, coast artilery corps, by Capt. Williard of the Smith island coast guard after the effects of the gas were noted. Six men were gassed. No deaths. The gas had the effect of mustard gas and was effective about 35 or 40 minutes. The color of the gas has not yet been ascertained and its effect on trees and shrubbery has not yet been determined. The entire matter will be investigated and report made.

"The incident was reported by Col. Chase to the naval district commander. Smith island is off the mouth of the Cape Fear river, near the entrance to the channel of Wilmington."

Destroyer Attacks Sub.

The German submarine operating off the Virginia coast was attacked by an American destroyer, which used 17 depth bombs in an effort to get the raider. The submarine did not reappear and oil was noticed on the surface.

The date of the attack was not given in the report received today by the navy department.

The submarine was sighted at a distance and the destroyer dashed at full speed toward her. The submarine submerged. Circling about the spot the destroyer launched fifteen depth bombs. When oil was notice on the surfect the destroyer put over two additional depth charges.

Boost Sea Insurance.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Marine underwriters today advanced war risks on sailing vessels, both for coastwise and transocean routes because of the continued activity of submarines in coastal waters. Rates jumped to 3 per cent and in some cases to 4 per cent for sailings between American ports, while transocean rates were advanced to per cent by some underwriters.

TORONTO PAYS $652,000 FOR SOLDIERS' INSURANCE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Aug. 12.—According to a report of the insurance commissioner issued on Saturday, the city has paid $652,000 in soldiers insurance to date this year. Claims in the course of settlement amount to $279,000, making a total of $931,000. The total number of soldiers covered by the insurance since the commencement of the war is 43,863; of these 3429 have been killed, leaving the present liability of the city at $6,534,000. The total insurance paid since the beginning of the war is $3,342,000.

Kemp Pays Tribute to 'Our' Boys For Valor

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Aug. 12.—The following cable was received today by the department of public information from Sir Edward Kemp, minister of overseas military forces:

"Official reports received today emphasize the prominent part played by the Canadian corps in the present offensive. The extent of the advance and capture of prisoners and war materials are greater than anticipated in earlier reports.

"All objectives were reachedand and held. These gratifying results were obtained with very moderate casualties."

Sir Edward Kemp has despatched the following telegram to the Canadian corps commander, Lieut.-Gen. Sir Arthur Currie:

"My heartiest congratulations to yourself, the corps and others attached to Canadian units, including cavalry and motor brigades, on the greatest success in the history of the Canadian forces. Canadians have more than maintained their past splendid records and Canada will be prouder than ever of them and their glorious achievements."

BERLIN STATES DRIVE FAILED

Semi-Official Statement Insists That All Is Well for Germany—"Slight Losses."

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 12.—The German semi-official news agency in a despatch to Berlin, forwarded here, says of the allied offensive in Picardy:

"On the third day of the offensive the French launched a frontal attack on the German front between Montdidier and Matz. As there was only a temporary defense the attackers, advancing after a strong artillery preparation, accompanied by the tanks, met only our rearguards, whose machine guns caused the enemy such severe losse that the attacks everywhere were arrested. After the most sanguinary repulse of the French assaults our rearguard line was able, with slight losse, to withdraw many [illegible] material, to [illegible] the enemy and withdraw.

"North of the Avre the Franco-British troops made the strongest efforts southward to take the new German formations in the rear and to the northward to roll up the Germans along the Avre front, but they failed."

ORGANIZE FIRST U. S. FIELD ARMY

Will Be Nucleus of Separate American Force in France—Appoint Officers.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 12.—(By the Associated Press)—The first American field army has been organized. It is under the direct command of Gen. Pershing of the American forces. The corps commanders thus far announced are: Major-Gen. Liggett, Major-Gen. Bullard, Major-Gen. Bundy, Major-Gen. Reed and Major-Gen. Wright.

The creation of the first field army is the first step toward the corodination of all the American forces in France.

This does not mean the immediate withdrawal from the British and French commands of all American units and it is probable that divisions will be used on the French and British fronts for weeks yet.

SAY U-BOAT SANK SCORE OF SHIPS

Mate of Andrew St. Croix Watched Seven Schooners Go Down—Estimates Many Men Adrift

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Aug. 12.—The number of fishing vessels destroyed by a German submarine in its raid on the fleet off Georges banks last Saturday night was nearer a score than the nine already reported, according to men from one of the vessels brought here today. This is the belief of Andrew St. Croix, mate of the schooner Kate Palmer, who says that from the crosstrees of his vessel he saw the sinking of seven other schooners by bombs and that before the submarine came into view he had counted 11 other explosions at intervals of 15 minutes or half an hour. According to the mate, there were from 25 to 30 sword fishing vessels operating on the banks and he believed that the greater number of these were sunk. As each of them carried at least two dory crews, he estimated that at least 40 boatloads

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FOE IS HARASSED BY ALLIES' BOMBS

French Squadrons Drop Explosives Everywhere—17 Tons on One Town Alone.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PARIS, Aug. 12.—An official statement on aviation says:

"During the day of Aug. 11 our bombing squadrons carried out succesful expeditions over the enemy lines. Concentration centres, road crossings, bridges and railroads were copiously drenched with bombs.

"Marching columns were subjected to machine gun fire. The important centre of communication, Porquericourt, received for its part 17 tons of explosives during the day.

"Numerous transports have been bottled up. A total of 57 tons were dropped, of which 22 tons fell during the night on the regions of Ham, Noyon, Guiscard and Tergnier.

"The same day 15 airplanes and four captive balloons were downed and 21 machine guns were put out of action by our pilots, operating in collaboration with American crews."

British Statement.

LONDON, Aug. 12—An official communication dealing with aviation issued tonight says:

"Fifty tons of bombs were dropped by our airmen on Aug. 11 and the following night. The two chief objectives, both day and night, were the Somme crossings and certain railway junctions of military importance.

"Courtrai station and its sidings were heavily bombed by some of our squadrons in broad daylight, from a low height, without loss to us. Many direct hits were observed.

"At night the stations at Peronne and Cambrai were attacked with good effect. All our night bombing machines returned safely.

"Enemy aircraft, flying in large formations were active on the battle front. Twenty-nine hostile machines were destroyed in air fighting during the day and 24 others were driven down out of control. Four hostile balloons were shot down in flames. Five of our machines are missing.

"The observation work for our artillery carried out by airplanes and balloons was steadily continued. On the night of Aug. 10-11 a Gotha machine was brought down by our anti-aircraft fire in addition to those already mentioned."

"On the afternoon of July 11, in addition to the bombing previously reported, a few bombs were dropped on the triangle of railways at Metz.

"On the night of Aug. 11-12 our machines attacked two hostile airdromes and various other ground targets with bombs and machine gunfire. On the 12th instant one of our squadrons, despite unfavorable weather conditions, successfuly attacked the airplane and chemical works at Frankfort.

Return Safely.

"Bursts were observed well in the centre of the objectives. Large numbers of enemy airplanes attacked and kept up a running fight for about 20 miles. Two enemy airplanes were destroyed. All our machines returned safely.

"Another of our squadrons attacked the hostile airdrome at Pagenau with excellent results. This squadron, just after crossing the lines, met large numbers of enemy airplanes and at once decided to give battle. As the result of the fighting, four enemy machines were destroyed and one other plane was driven down out of control. Two of our machines are missing.

"The squadron reformed after this fight and proceeded to bomb its objective. A direct hit was obtained on a large hut in the airdrome and a bomb fell among four machines on the ground and destroyed them."

BOARD BUYS MANY SHELLS

Contracts Amount to $1,200,000,000

SPENDS 15 PER CENT IN CANADA

Dominion Contributes Big Share to War's Demand

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Aug. 12.—On what a gigantic scale are the operations in Canada of the imperial munitions board is indicated in an official statement that the total value of contracts for shells, raw materials and supplies of various kinds up to May 31 last was $1,200,000,000. No less than $1,000,000,000 had been paid on account of these orders by the board up to the same date.

Of this enormous expenditure shells accounted for $664,300,000.

The total number of shells produced in Canada to the end of May being 59,390,000. These shells rangs in calibre from those of the 18-pounder and the 4.5 howitzer, which form the "barkers" 'of the field artillery, to the 9.5 howitzer for back of the front line, where the heavies hold forth in their deadly duels with the Huns.

Canada Gets 15 Per Cent.

Fifteen per cent of the total expenditures of the British ministry of munitions during 1917 was spent in Canada, constituting a very substantial proportion when it is remembered on what an enormous scale is the manufacturing of munitions in Great Britain itself and how heavy has been her outlay in the United States.

In the report issued by the imperial war cabinet for 1917 the following statement is made:

"Canada's contribution during the last year has been very striking. Fifteen per cent of the total expenditure of the ministry of munitions in the last six months of the year was incurred in that country.

"She has manufactured nearly every type of shell from the 18-pounder to the 9.2-inch. In the case of the 18-pounder, no less than 55 per cent of the output of sharpnel shells in the last six months came from Canada and most of these were complete rounds of ammunition which went direct to France.

"Canada also contributed 42 per cent of the total 4.5 shells, 27 per cent of the 8-inch shells and 16 per cent of the 9.2-inch.

"In addition, Canada has supplied shell forgings, ammunition components, acetone, T-N-T, aluminum, nickel, airplane parts, agricultural machinery and timber, besides quantities of railway materials, including no less than 450 miles of rails torn up from Canadian railways which were shipped direct to France."

The number of factories engaged in Canada in the production of munitions is 450. Of these 150 factories are occupied in machining the steel shells and assembling componet parts which are supplied to them by the board, while 300 factories are producing component parts which are forwarded to the machining plants, to be made into the complete shell.

From 56,000 to 80,000 tons of steel and from 1,500,000 tons to 2,000,000 of forgings are handled monthly by the imperial munitions board. To July 31 approximately 2,100,000 tons of steel had been received and distributed by the steel department of the board, resulting in the shipment of machining to plants or exporting of 75,000,000 forgings for shells of sizes ranging from 18-pounder shrapnel to 9.2.

The imperial munitions board has also arranged contracts in Canada on behalf of the United States government whereby Canadian manufacturers will undertake the machining of approximately 11,000,000 shells and the manufaccture of 13,000,000 forgings.

FIGHTING ONLY MODERATE, SAYS ITALIAN OFFICIAL

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

ROME, Aug. 12.—The war office statement issued today says:

"Along the whole front the fighting activity has been moderate. North of the Col del Rosso our patrols forced the enemy to retire from advanced position.

"Five hostile airplanes were downed by us.

"In Albania Saturday we forced the enemy to evacuate the Jagidna bridgehead and to pass to the right bank of the river. Northwest of Berat, Sunday, we repulsed hostile parties."

MAY ESTABLISH EASTERN FRONT, WASHINGTON

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The possibility of an establishment of an eastern front that will be a serious menace at least to the Germans, is being considered by officials here, it became known today in connection with the making public of the full text of the proclamation of the supreme government of the northern territory. The signers of the proclamation are members of the constituent assembly, representing the provinces of Novgorod, Archangel, Vologda, Viatka, Kazan and Samara, a chain of provinces extending from the Arctic to the region of the Don Cossacks in the south.

FRITZ FEARS BOYS FROM CANADA

R. L. Richardson of Winnipeg Tribune Sends Message of Cheer from the Canadians

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Aug. 12.—(Canadian Press Despatch from Reuter's, Limited.)—The Canadian Press editors visiting London under the auspices of the ministry of information were today entertained to luncheon by the London Press club. Writing on the tide of victory now flowing in the allies' favor on the western front, R. L. Richardson of the Winnipeg Tribune says:

"Firstly, the Canadian press party was struck with the coincidence that the tide of success for the allies on the battlefront had turned with their arrival on the scene. "Some mascots," as Col. George Ham would say.

Secondly, it must have been a great relief to our brave Canadian boys to plunge forward into the fray. I talked to scores and scores of the best and bravest and their one complaint was the monotony of lying on their arms and waiting for long weeks and months for the order to advance that never seemed as though it would come. It was not the fighting and the carnage that our boys dreaded, it was the monotony of weary waiting. And how well they have done, how nobly they have fought and are fighting.

Every Canadian at home must be thrilled with pride as we are over here. The Germans fear them worse than the devil.

Second to None

There is nothing in the entire allied fighting line that excels them, if, indeed, it equals them. I rarely neglected to put the question to each one I talked with: "Would you like to get back home?"

"Sure," was the immediate and emphatic reply. Then, after a pause and a sigh, "But not until we have completed this job; not until Fritz is beaten and has been taught the lesson he so much needs."

I would say to Canadian fathers, mothers, sisters and brothers: Don't worry unnecessarily about your dear ones at the front. They are, generally speaking, happy and cheerful and inspired by a brave and holy zeal for the cause of liberty for which they have enlisted and they are reflecting glory not only upon themselves but upon you. They are happy in the belief that their country is behind them and will welcome them home and will give them "a square deal" when they return. My message to Canada is to begin now in earnest to prepare for the assimilative and reconstructive period when the boys come back.

Let me add that the colonies, and Canada especially, have done much to inspire and maintain unswerving confidence in our cause and determination to unflinchingly hold fast until real victory is attained.

Premier Borden is rendering more effective service here to the Empire in its great struggle than he could do if he were in Canada.

VIENNA'S STATEMENT.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VIENNA, via London, Aug. 12.—The official statement from headquartrs today says:

"Flying over Feltre and the Seven Comunis, Italian airplanes attacked from low heights recognizable hospitals. Patients and other persons were killed."

VICTORIA CITY FATHERS NEGOTIATE FOR RAILWAY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 12.—With a view to entering into negotiations for the purchase of all the holdings of the British Columbia Electric railway company on Vancouver island, the mayor and council will meet George Kidd, general manager, and A. T. Goward, local manager of the company, at a conference to be held on Tuesday of next week. No details of any proposals to be advanced have been announced.

BRITISH AND FRENCH TAKE VANTAGE POSITIONS FROM REINFORCED BOCHE ARMIES

ADDITIONAL GAINS ARE MADE BY FOCH'S MEN ALL ALONG BATTLELINE IN PICARDY—IMPORTANT TOWN OF GURY IS CAPTURED BY POILUS—FIERCE FIGHTING AROUND CHAULNES—SPASMODIC FIRING ON SOISSONS-REIMS FRONT

(By the Associated Press.)

Although the Germans are employing fresh forces of reserves in efforts to hold back the allied troops who are pressing them from the region of the Somme to the Oise, the British, French and American armies continue to make progress.

Monday witnessed gains of ground at various points along the battlefront of high importance for the further prosecution of the endeavors of the allies to drive out the Germans from the old Amiens-Montdidier sector.

In Bray-sur-Somme.

After an extremely bitter contest the Americans and British have gained a foothold in the important little town of Bray-sur-Somme, on the northern bank of the Somme. A short distance across the river to the south the British have taken Proyart and midway on the line have pressed to the east of Fouquescourt in a maneuver which has resulted in the further outflanking of Chaulnes from the south and of Roye from the north.

The French in the rolling country immediately north of the Oise river have captured Gury, a position of great strategic value, lying southwest of Lassigny and at several other points southward to the region of the Oise have advanced their line further toward Noyon.

Reports Conservatives.

In Monday's fighting hundreds of additional Germans were made prisoner and the enemy lost heavily in men killed and wounded.

Unofficial reports give the number of Germans captured during the present offensive as in the neighborhood of 40,000.

The Germans at last accounts were still throwing reinforcements to the east of the road running through Chaulnes, Roye and Noyon, the passage of which by the allies would seriously menace all the German forces inside the pocket formed by the Somme on the north and east and the Oise on the south. Not only are the allies endeavoring to press their advantage south by frontal attacks, but they have drawn up to their back lines guns of medium and heavy calibre and with these they are shelling the areas held by the Germans, even as far back as Bethancourt, which lies on the Somme 7½ miles east of Chaulnes. Meantime allied airplanes continue to bomb German positions and to use machine guns from low altitudes on troop formations.

Important Advances

Seemingly the advances by the French troops on the southern part of the line cannot but have an extremely important effect on the present battle. The hill positions they have gained not alone dominate the Oise valley running northwestward to Noyon, but around Lassigny also give them a sweep of the plains south of Roye.

Aside from the Amiens-Montdidier sector little fighting has taken place on any of the fronts. Along the Vesle, the Germans again have delivered violent counterattacks against the Americans and French who are holding ground on the north bank of the stream. As on previous occasions when the enemy attempted to dislodge the allied troops, the counterattacks failed.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 12.—During the lull in the battle there are further indications that the line is hardening. Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria seems to have brought in more fresh troops and while the allied forces are pausing of their own accord, the enemy, within the area of his new battle front with the Somme at his back, is having a most uncomfortable time.

Guns Pound Chaulnes.

The British guns are hammering Chaulnes while cannot of larger calibre are coming up all the time and drenching the enemy rear with steel. They are also pounding away at the bridges across the Somme at Bethancourt.

The shelling of the bridges here is a serious matter for the enemy, as bombs from the air are being dropped by British airplanes from a low altitude on bridges in the Perrone district. This bombing has been going on day and night since the battle began, forcing the Germans to divert their transport so that the general movement was southeast. Now his bridges to the southeast are under heavy fire.

With the comparatively small force of Americans there has been no real heavy fighting today. They are still holding their line and their patrols have been sent out now and then feeling out the foreground.

At many places along the new front, especially just south of the Somme, the Germans are occupying the old line dugouts built by the French more than two years ago. The Germans have concentrated some artillery at many places and today are sending in more shells than on any day since the battle began. Lihons which came into British hands yesterday when Field Marshal Haig's men stormed the place after having been driven out in a counterattack, was being heavily shelled today.

A party of cavalry, charging down the Roye road ran into the crossfire of large German pillboxes, studded with machine guns just this side of Roye and received a check, but the Germans who happened to get the opportunity to do this execution paid the supreme penalty later.

Resistance Stiffens.

Today the resistance of the enemy has been stiffening, but his troops appear to be nervous and apprehensive of what the future holds out for them and what the allies intend to do. In order to feel out the allied force it is said that further heavy counterattacks may be launched by the enemy.

Stories of the air fighting over the battle lines are amazing. One observer coming into his station, shot down four machines. In the same fighting a Britisher chased one enemy machine to earth and was swooping down to finish him off when the man climbed out of his machine and held up his hands in token of surrender.

"So I didn't kill him," the Britisher said, "but on my way home I met a group of enemy machines and got a bullet in me, but managed to land inside our lines." The report of this incident ends with the statement that the pilot died in a hospital shortly after relating his story.

A British two-seater shot down two enemy machines during a battle royal in the air. The pilot was badly hit and fell across his controls. The observer, however leaned forward and secured his camrade's body and managed to get control of the machine. He brought it to earth where it crashed but both the occupants escaped death.

Another pilot during the course of a fight, started for home wounded. When 10 feet above ground inside his own lines, he collapsed from loss of blood.

Airmen's Valor.

There are dozens of thrilling tales of how machine after machine skimmed close to the ground, fired point blank into bodies of enemy troops, killing a great many, in spite of the fire from the ground, and how they wiped out the crews of enemy machine guns holding up the allied advance. They also attacked the poorly constructed German tanks before they ever had a chance to get into action.

Prisoners from fresh Prussian and Bavarian divisions have been captured in the last few hours. The morale of these men is extremely low. A great many of them expressed the opinion that Germany, twice badly defeated in recent weeks and perhaps having further defeats in store for her, is on the downgrade and headed for defeat.

French families, who for months have been refugees from their homes in this district, are now returning whenever possible. Many, of course, will find their homes, but others, which were within range of the German guns before the allied offensives, were knocked to pieces by shellfire.

French Bagged 2000 Sunday.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 12.—(Reuter's)—In yesterday's fighting the French added 2000 prisoners and more than 30 guns to their captures.

There was stiff fighting today, Crown Prince Rupprecht having hurried up part of his diminishing reserves

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BRITISH AND FRENCH TAKE VANTAGE POINTS

(Continued from Page One.)

to try to check the retirement of the army of Generals von Marwitz and Hutier. The greatly increased weight of the enemy's artillery and machine gun fire was proof of the rapid strengthening of his reinforcement."

Capture Proyart Village.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Allied troops fighting today in the region between the Somme and the Oise made further progress east of Foquescourt and on the south bank of the Somme and also captured the village of Proyart, south of Bray, according to Field Marshal Haig's communication, issued this evening. Hundreds of Germans were made prisoners and the Germans also suffered heavy casualties. The text of the communication follows:

"In succesful attacks today in the neighborhood of the Roye road, east of Foquescourt and on the south bank of the Somme our line has been advanced in each of these localities and some prisoners have been taken.

"South of the Somme our troops captured the village of Proyart after sharp fighting in which the enemy lost heavily in prisoners and men killed. The fighting is continuing in this neighborhood.

"On the right of the British front the French have taken Lesloges.

"On the remainder of the British front there is nothing to report."

The contrast between the number of prisoners taken and the allied casualties is remarkable; for instance, the casualties of the entire allied forces were considerably less than the prisoners taken.

When it is understood that this battle has not been waged for the purpose of taking prisoners, the casualties inflicted on the Germans must have reached a large figure.

Desperate Fighting.

PARIS, Aug. 12—There has been desperate hand to hand fighting during the last two days on the Chaulnes-Roye-Lassigny-Noyon front. The Germans are defending the ground inch by inch, intent on saving the bulk of the armies of Gen. von der Marwitz and Gen. von Hutier, which are retreating in the direction of Nestes and Ham.

The allied pressure has not been diminished but the Germans have brought up rservces which had been intended for offensive purposes and have thrown them into the defensive action, temporarily delaying the progress of the allies.

Solid occupation by the infantry and artillery in Chaulnes and Roye would be a critical situation for the Germans in their retreat.

Lull Over Battle Lines.

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 12.—(Reuter's)—There was a lull over the battlefield this morning. On the front of the French first and third armies the enemy was endeavoring to establish himself on the line of Roye-Lassigny and the French were in contact with him along the greater part of this line, which runs two miles in front of Roye and three miles in front of Lassigny.

The line extends from Andrechy close to the Amiens-Roye road, through Danicourt and Tilloloy and to Guery. The enemy's reserves are now taking part in the battle which is over ground that was covered by the German offensives in March and May of this year. The first three days of allied advance is slowing down and the enemy's fresh divisions replace the broken regiments that met the first shock. The army of Gen. von Hutier with his left resting on the massif of Thiescourt and on the Oise, is safely well placed for a defensive battle except for the threat of a further advance by the British along the Amiens-Roye road.

Light elements of cavalry and cyclists have already penetrated both points, but permanent occupation by the allies and their control of the roads leading to Nesles and Ham have not been obtained. The objectives undoubtedly will have to be taken by storm.

Believe Ridge Captured.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—The massif of Lassigny, three miles northeast of Gury, was expected to be in the posession of the allies,according to military opinion, today, based on tse latest news from the front. It was stated that the allies virtually were on the crest of the high ground and firing into the German's rear.

It has been aserctained that there is an Austrian division on the western front, but it has not been brought into action.

Try to Check Advance.

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 12.—The increasing difficulties attending their retreat are driving the Germans to desperate sacrifices in their efforts to check the allies' advance around the positions the Germans hold on Thiescourt plateau. Their losses are extremely heavy and their dead lie all over the field. They are found in shell holes and nooks where they vainly sought protection from the French fire. Among them are some survivors who are found in every possible hiding place.

Privations were endured by the Germans in the front line recently. This was evidenced by a letter found since the offensive began. It was from an officer, who informed his relatives in Germany that the French artillery had been furnishing the only meat available by killing horses.

Another officer wrote with pride and statisfaction that he was able to send along with his message of love and hope a sack of wheat he had just gleaned from an adjoining field.

A German wireless operator was found at the bottom of a well after the French had advanced over the enemy positions. As evidence of the haste with which the enemy withdrew, it may be said that the entire mail of one regiment made up for transmission to Germany was captured.

Berlin Official.

BERLIN, Aug. 12.—"On the battlefront between the Ancre and the Avre the day has been quieter," says the German official communication issued this evening. The text reads:

"Between the Avre and the Oise enemy attacks failed."

Day Report.

The war office statement issued today says:

"Between the Yser and the Ancre partial enemy thrusts frequently broke down before our lines.

"North of the Lys we beat back a strong British attack.

"The enemy in the early morning launched violent attacks north of the Somme and between the Somme and Lihon he was repulsed."

"They were repulsed chiefly by our fire and sometimes by our counter-attack In the fighting around Lihon, the enemy advanced beyond that place toward the east. Our counter-attack threw him back to the northern and eastern edges of the village.

"There have been violent partial engagements between Lihon and the Avre. Southwest of Chaulnes we attacked the enemy and took Hallu. On both sides of the Amiens-Roye road we repulsed enemy attacks.

Between the Avre and the Oise rivers strong enemy attacks continued until nightfall. They were completely repulsed.

"The French suffered especially heavy losses near Tilloloy. By advancing theirartillery, which followed closely after their tanks, they tried to effect a break through here. Our infantry and artillery shot the enemy to pieces before our lines.

"Fifteen enemy airplanes and four captive balloons were shot down yesterday. On July 5, 18 enemy airplanes were shot down by our airmen on the German front and 69 by our anti-aircraft guns. Thirty-six evaptive balloons were shot down. Two hundred and thirty-nine of these airplanes are in our possession and the others were seeen to fall inside the enemy"s position. We lost 129 airplanes and 63 captive balloons in battle during the am period."

French Take Gury.

PARIS, Aug. 12—French troops have captured the town of Gury, about 8½ miles south of Roye, according to the French official communication issued tonight. Two counterattacks against the positions held by the French and Americans on the Vesle river near Fismes have been repulsed.

The text of the communication follows:

"Between the Avre and the Oise our troops have captured the village of Gury. We made some progress north of Roye-sur-Matz and Chevincourt.

"On the Vesle front we have repulsed two violent counterattacks against our positions on the north bank of the stream in the region of Fismes."

Tank Crews Work Hard.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 12.—Many tank crews have been working for 24 and even 36 hours continuously, closed tightly within the chambers in which the engines were running and into which the fumes of the guns filtered.

The allies are pausing with the knowledge that they have relieved the pressure on Amiens and taken from the Germans hundreds of square miles on land on much of which there are ripe crops.

The Germans, with their backs to the river, are apparently holding the high ground southwest of Etineheim, which town is firmly in the hand of the allies this morning, in spite of enemy resistance at this point. After a quiet night the Americans were holding a section of the line at Braye, north of the Somme. Just south of the river the Germans seem to have strong forces in Cateaux wood. While Herlville and Chaulnes are considered to be in enemy territory, Australian patrols seem to have been operating there.

Spasmodic Firing.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE VESLE FRONT, Aug. 12.—(Reuter's)—The Germans are shelling the Vesle front spasmodically, their heavy guns apparently being concentrated in turn on certain targets. St. Thibaut, Mont Notre Dame and Fismes have been chiefly chosen.

A real attempt to feel out the allied strength has taken the form of an attack at Fismette, a little village northeast of Fismes. This, however, was a failure, as the American shooting was so good that not a single man was able to enter the village and the assaulting troops retired, leaving a fresh sprinkling of dead on the battle field, which already has been fatal to so many Germans.

Fight Around Chaulnes.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—The British are finding their hardest fighting in the district close around Chaulnes, where the Germans are making a desperate effort to keep the allies back in order to retain the use of the important lateral railways and highways out of Chaulnes. Allied artillery and airplanes are doing their utmost to make the use of these communications unpleasant for the Germans.

MISS HORSWILL WEDS BRUBAKER

Quiet Wedding Takes Place at Horswill Home— Will Reside in San Francisco

A simple wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Horswill, Nelson avenue, Fairview, when Mary Louise, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horswill, became the bride of Albert James Brubaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Brubaker of Ashland, O.

The bride entered the drawing room on the arm of her father, to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March, played by Miss Helene Mohr. The ceremony was performed under an arch of sweet peas and roses. The bride was given away by her father and was unattended.

She was charmingly gowned in a traveling costume of navy serge with a waist of white georgette and satin embroidered with beads. Her hat was of battleship grey faille silk ribbon. She wore a corsage bouquet of white roses and ferns.

During the signing of the register, Miss Mohr played selections from Rachmoninoff.

After a dainty buffet breakfast, the happy couple left on the Kettle Valley train amid showers of rice and confetti. They will make short visits in Vancouver, Victoria and Seattle before leaving for San Francisco, where they will reside in future. They will be at home after Sept. 30 at Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco.

CALGARY MEETING HEARS CROTHERS

Misunderstand Minister's Statement and Cry Out In Disapproval—Pass Resolution.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CALGARY, Alta., Aug. 13.—By the statement that the postal employees were not justified in disorganizing the business of the country on such a trifling pretext, that in so doing they were fighting against the interest of the allies and were unworthy of their brothers who were risking their lives for their country and then threatening the strict enforcement of the Industrial Disputes act in case any such strike should occur again without giving both sides the proper chance to arbitrate, Hon. Thomas Crothers stirred up a veritable hornets' nest at the Trades and Labor temple last night. Both men and women took exception to his statements and attitude, disputing his figures, plying him with questions, some of which he refused to answer, interspersing his speech with interjections, laughter and sneers and demanding answers to their questions.

Calls Order.

Alexander Ross, M.L.A., who acted as chairman, had to call for order many times. A great cry of disapproval went up when Mr. Crothers, in speaking of the power of the government to appoint a board of conciliation, said "when parliament, who are their masters and our masters, had appointed a civil service commission to attend to this business, the government could not appoint another board to do the same thing." Cries of "our servant, not our master" went up and later in the evening speakers referred to it, bringing forth the reply from Mr. Crothers that he meant that parliament was master of the government.

The hardest question Mr. Crothers was asked to answer was the following:

"Inasmuch as you stated that the civil service commission was given the whole authority to appoint men to positions, to fix their salary and to discharge them, it automatically becomes the employer of the civil servants. Now, how can an employer arbitrate with an employee as to his pay?"

All the answer Mr. Crothers would vouchsafe was that parliament had appointed the civil service commission to do this work and, therefore, could not appoint another.

At the close of the meeting the following resolution was unanmiously passed:

"That, this mass meeting of trades unionists held in Calgary, Aug. 12, strongly condemns the position of Mr. Crothers, minister of labor, for the flagrant abuse of his position as a cabinet minister in touring the country making statements which would appear to be nothing more or less than an attempt to prejudice the case of the postal employees and divert public opinion ebfore the civil service commission has even commenced its investigation agreed upon."

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Canadians Are Recipients of Congratulations From All Sides for Gallant Work.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WITH THE CANADIAN FORCES IN THE FIELD, Aug. 12.—(By J. F. B. Livesay, Canadian Press Correspondent.)—(9 p. m.)—During the past two days the Canadian corps has had the honor to receive several distinguished visitors who have congratulated it on its splendid work. Among those have been Sir Douglas Haig and Premier Clemenceau.

Sir Douglas rode along the Canadian battlefront, stopping to speak to officers and men at Canadian headquarters. He complimented Sir Arthur Currie, not only on the achievement of the corps, but also on the wonderful spirit animating the men, battle-weary after three days of savage fighting, yet whose only desire was to be let loose again on the Boche. The Canadian advanced line has been practically static since Saturday evening.

Withstand Attacks.

Yesterday the enemy, having brought up fresh troops, made a strong counterattack upon our sector but the Canadian infantry was too much for him and he retired precipitately, leaving many dead upon the field. It is, however, a fundamental error and an injustice to our men to describe the enemy as of weakened morale, or to say that his rank and file surrendered freely. They surrendered in large droves on Thursday because our barrage was behind them and our cold steel upon them, while they lacked entirely any adequate artillery support. These long lines of prisoners, swinging sullenly over dusty roads to our rear by no means exhibit an army played out. In fact, they are freshly and well clothed. Certainly they are a somewhat hetereogeneous lot, fair-haired men of the north, darker races of southern Germany, Jews, and what appear to be some Slavs. But in equipment and everything that goes to make the physical soldier, they are equal to the best. The obscure story of the soul is another matter. They had the look of beaten men. It is not permissible as yet to tabulate the long list of prisoners, guns, heavy and light, and the miscellaneous booty that fell to the Canadians; but it is safe to say that these figures, when published, will satisfy the most sanguine expectations of the Canadian people.

More Than Amiens Relieved

The battle, planned for a limited front, has a far repercussion. Beleaguered Amiens has been definitely relieved, but with it, too, are relieved Montdidier and a great slice of country to the south. The advance of our gallant allies north from the line of the Matz river is of great significance. It leaves the enemy in the bag, the string of whose mouth has fast been tightening. Immediately in front of us is the old battlefield of the Somme, pitted with ancient trenches, which provide splendid hiding places for enemy machine gunners. Obviously a direct frontal attack here, at the moment, might prove costly and the object of our leaders is to conserve manhood so far as is compatible with successful warfare.

PARIS, Aug. 12.—A report from the army of the east, Aug. 11, reads: "Calm has prevailed on the whole front. French aviators have bombarded enemy encampments to the northeast of Monastir and to the east of Zers."

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Mining and Markets

SILVER AT NEW YORK IS 99 5-8

No Change in Lead Prices on Eastern Market—Copper and Spelter at London.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 12—Silver, 99⅝; at London, 48 13-16.

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

Spelter firm; East St. Louis delivery, spot, 8.37 to 8.52. At London: Spot, £54 futures, £50.

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

MONTREAL PRODUCE.

MONTREAL, Aug. 12.—Eggs, butter and cheese unchanged.

Cheese: Finest easterns, 22½ to 23.

Butter: Choicest creamery, 43½ to 44.

Eggs: Selected, 51 to 52; No. 1 stock, 47 to 48; No. 2 stock, 45 to 46.

Potatoes: Per bag, carlots, $2.10 to $2.25.

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IRREGULARITY FEATURES MART

Stocks Are Sluggish on Wall Street—Some Advances Are Being Made.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Stocks were the conspicuous feature of today's sluggish and irregular market, moving up to best prices for several months, presumably in anticipation of a speedy settlement of the question and earnings and dividends. Grangers and transcontinentals were most active, St. Paul common and preferred advancing 2¼ and 3¼ respectively. C.P.R. caused a scramble of short covering on its extreme gain of 3 points; Union Pacific rose 2; Great Northern, 1½ and Northern Pacific and Southern Pacific 1 each.

Reading did not move with other coalers during the morning, but hardened later on the steady inquiry for Erie, Baltimore & Ohio, Chesapeake & Ohio, Pittsburg Coal and Pittsburg & West Virginia. United States Steel made a trivial gain at the outset but reacted abruptly lates, closing at a loss of 1½ points. Shippings and oils also failed to fulfil last Saturday's promise of improvement and coppers were again inclined to sag on very moderate offerings; also both Baldwin Locomotive and Harvester, while industrials were inactive at irregular changes. General oMtors enlivened the final dealings at an advance of 5 points. Sales, 435,000 shares.

Investment bonds and industrials firm, Anglo-French 5s leading the latter group. Liberty 3½s were at the new high of 100.06. Sales aggregated $5,450,000. Old United States bonds unchanged on call.

Closing Quotations.

Smelters	78¾
Anaconda	66⅝
C. P. R.	155½
Nickel	30
Utah	81½
U. S. Steel	111¼
U. S. Steel preferred	110½

CORN MAKES SHARP ADVANCE.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 12.—Pessimistic crop reports from Nebraska and Missouri together with complaints of excessive heat in the southwest had much to do today with bringing about sharp advances in the price of corn. The market closed strong 3 to 3½ cents higher, with September at $1.62⅛ to ⅜ and October at $1.63¼ to ⅜. Oats gained ½ to ⅞ cent. Provisions ranged from 15c decline to an advance of 12 cents.

"I hear that your employer is laying off all his pretty stenographers."

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STOCKS ARE IRREGULAR

Utica Eases off a Fraction—Rambler Reaches 6¾—Standard Not Quoted.

On the Spokane market yesterday stocks were slightly irregular, Utica easing off ½ point from 5½ to 5, while Rambler made a slight gain of ¼ when it reached 6¾. Standard was not quoted. The market.

Spokane Stock Quotations.
(Reported by D. St. Denis.)

	Bid	Asked
McGillivray	$ .30	$ ...
Cork-Province	.02¼	.
Rambler	.06¾	.09
Utica	.05	.07

New York Curb Closing.

	Bid	Asked
Canada Copper	$1.87½	$1.93¾
Ray Hercules	4.25	4.37½
Okmulgee	3.00	3.25
Standard	.31¾	.37½
Utica	.05	.07

New York Exchange.

	High	Low	Close
Anaconda	66¾	66½	66½
C. P. R.	156¾	154	155
Chino	39⅝	39⅜	39⅝
Granby	81	81	81
Inspiration	52⅝	52	52¼
Miami	28⅛	28	28⅛
Ray Con.	24⅛	24	24
U. S Steel	112⅞	111¼	111¼

Sales: Anaconda, 1800; C.P.R., 3000; Chino, 300; Granby, 200; Inspiration, 3500; Ray Con., 200; U. S. Steel, 121,800; total sales, 145,800.

STOCKS ARE STRONG AND ACTIVE AT MONTREAL

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Aug. 12.—The week opened with another strong and active market for Canadian securities. Transactions in Steel of Canada alone amounted to nearly 35 per cent of the total business of the day. While Steel of Canada's new high for the year of 69, scored on an advance of 1¾ points, was the principal feature, a number of other issues attained the same distinction. These included Brompton at 58; Canadian Converters at 68½; Canadian Locomotive at 64⅛; Lake of the Woods at 145; Laurentide at 175½; Maple Leaf at 116½; Tooke Bros. at 24, and Wabasho Cotton at 54. Most of the advances in these cases were of the fractional order, a notable exception, however, being furnished by a 9 point gain by Lake of the Woods, following steady advances in bids recently, without sales resulting.

Earnings and dividen prospects were evidently the basis of the heavy demand for Steel of Canada. Scotia Steel, 1½ higher at 69¼, and Dominion Iron, ¼ higher at 62¾, were sympathetically strong, but with activity on a much smaller scale. Prices receded fractionally from the best in some stocks before the end of the afternoon. Bonds dull, but there was a fair investment inquiry for bank issues Sales: Shares, 9944; bonds, $7200.

WINNIPEG GRAIN.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Aug. 12.—Oats: October, 83½.

Flax: October, $4.13.

The new model, with its belted outside blouse, outstanding hem, narrow skirt and pointed shoes gives one a fantastic impression of the costumes in the Arabian Nights as illustrated by Dulac.

LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 12.—Hogs: Receipts, 34,000; closing 10 to 25 cents lower than Saturday's average, most decline on packing grades. Butchers, 19.25 to 19.90; light, 19.40 to 20; packing, 18.10 to 19; rough, 17.60 to 18.10; bulk of sales, 18.25 to 19.90; pigs, good and choice, 18 to 18.50.

Cattle: Receipts, 17,000; native and western steers steady to shade higher; no choice fed heifers here. Butcher cattle strong to 15 cents higher; calves steady to 25 cents lower; beef cattle, good, choice and prime, 17 to 18.80; common and medium, 10 to 17; butcher stock, sows and heifers, 7 to 14.25; canners and cutters, 6 to 7; stockers and feeders, good, choice and fancy, 10 to 13; inferior, common and medium, 7.50 to 10; veal calves good and choice 16.50 to 17.

Sheep: Receipts, 15,000; strong to 25 cents up; top native lambs, 17.75; westerns, 18.50; feeders, 17.65; range wethers, 14.60; lambs, choice and prime, 17.75 to 18.60; medium and good, 17 to 17.75; culls, 12 to 14; ewes, choice and prime, 13.25 to 13.90; medium and good, 11.50 to 13.25; culls, 4.50 to 9.50.

Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 12.—Livestock receipts at the Union stockyards today totaled 2800 cattle 107 calves, 990 hogs and 135 sheep. Heavy butcher steers strong; all other grades 25 to 50 cents easier; oxen in good demand for top quality stuff; heavy feeders steady; light feeders and stockers slow with the common kind selling as canners; vealers, sheep and lambs steady. Hog prices remained the same as Saturday's close.

Butcher steers, 8.50 to 15; with a few toppers at 16; heifers, 6.75 to 10.75; cows, 4.50 to 9.50; bulls, 5.25 to 7.75; oxen, 5.50 to 13; stockers and feeders, 6.50 to 11; vealers, 6.50 to 13; sheep and lambs, 10 to 17.50.

Hogs: Selects, 20.25; heavies, 17.25; sows and stags, 15.25; lights, 19.25.

OFFER FREE TRIP TO NELSON CITY

Merchants to Carry Out Plan During Chautauqua Week—Make Preliminary Announcement.

Twenty-five of the leading merchants in Nelson have concluded arrangements under which visitors who come to Nelson for shopping expeditions and to attend Chautauqua next week will have their fares to and from Nelson paid.

In other words, they have arranged a plan to enable the people of the surrounding district of Kootenay and Boundary to secure a free trip to Nelson.

Some time ago a similar plan was carried out at Calgary and it proved a great success. It was taken advantage of by thousands of people in Alberta. That a similar "shopipng and amusement week" in Nelson will be equally successful on a proportionate scale is the belief of the merchants who have got together in the plan of which a preliminary announcement is made this morning.

A detailed statement of the arrangements which have been made is being prepared and will be published Wednesday morning.

Lieut. Donald S. Gregory, secretary of the Great War Veterans' association, has been recommended for appointment as police magistrate at Windsor.

GERMANY TELLS OF ALLIED DRIVE

But News Says Little of Actual Facts About Ground Lost

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 12.—Presenting a picture of the Anglo-French plan of attack between the Ancre and the Avre, the German semi-official news agency, in a despatch to Berlin, says it was the intention of the allies to overrun the German defensive system along the front which was only weakly defended. It says that there had been no time to construct permanent defenses and that claims upon transport material has been too heavy to permit the carrying out of the work along the line. The despatch reads:

"Under protection of short but extremely intense bombardment, the entente armies tried to cut lanes through the German infantry and artillery lines by tank squadrons. Then the cavalry, supported by tanks, was to be sent through the infantry lines in order to reach, on the first day, a high road between Peronne and Roye.

Held Places Till Surrounded

"Failure of this plan was due in the first place to the heroic resistance of trench garrisons, which, at many points, held their positions until surrounded on all sides.

"Signal rockets were invisible in the thick fog and while the gunners continued to put down a barrage fire before them, they suddenly found tanks upon their flank and rear, whose machine gun fire played terrible havoc in their ranks.

"Quick as lightning, gun after gun would be slewed around and would blaze into the tanks at short range, while other guns would continue to let down barrage fire to impede the bringing up of English reserves. In other batteries the last surviving officers kept up machine gun fire for hours, even succeeding in fighting their way through to the German lines.

"The English and French began the second day's offensive with tank attacks, but, weakened by the losses of the previous day, they did not display the same vigor. Caught in the fire of German batteries, the shells of which raised black fountains around their tanks, their attack wavered. Several tanks were hit and burst into flames. Others turned tail. The infantry did not follow up properly and the attacks stopped dead.

Afternoon Attack

"Only in the afternoon were the British, with the help of fresh troops, able to renew the attack. On the entire front, from Morlancourt to the Avre, waves advanced, headed once more by strong tank divisions. Airmen flew overhead, attempting to smother the German ranks with a hail of machine gun bullets.

"A smart parrying counterattack by German infantry followed. The fight swayed this way and that, but finally the British, despite the strong forces employed, were unable to make headway on the bank of the Somme and along the great Roman high road.

"Further south the Franco-British assault against the line from Rosieres to Arvillers succeeded in gaining ground on terrain which was extremely unsuited for defense. So eventually tht battle ground on both banks of the Somme, which furious British attacks could not capture, was given up voluntarily."

GERMANS BAR JEWS; EDITOR SCORES MINISTER FOR ACTION

THE HAGUE, Aug. 12.—Announceme of the decision of the Prussian foreign minister that Jewish laborers will not be admitted to Germany from the east has caused great resentment in all Jewish circles, especially in Austria, according to the Jewish correspondence bureau. The Vienna Morgen Zeitung, a Jewish paper, says this decision is of far reaching importance to the Austrian Jew. It adds:

"The Jews were supporters of the Austro-German alliance, but must now alter their opinion regarding Austria's foreign policy. Germany does not permit Jews to cross her eastern frontier. Russia, on the other hand, has abolished all laws placing limitations on Jews. It is clear which side enlists our sympathy. Germany is the only European stated which wishes to drive out the Jews."

WOULD DISCOURAGE BORROWING TO LEND

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Aug. 12.—The committee on national expenditure, in a report just issued, expresses regret at the continuance of the anomaly under which the government is borrowing from the United States to lend to the allies, in spite of the last budget statement of the chancellor of the exchequer, in which he said he was making a suggestion to the American government which he hoped would obviate it.

SIMPLE TRUTH FEATURES ITALIAN AIRMEN'S MISSILE

ROME, Aug. 12.—Among the messages dropped into Vienna by Gabriel D'Anunzio, the author, in his recent flight with an Italian aerial squadron over the Austrian capital, was one in which the American effort was emphasized.

"The whole world," reads this message, "is against you, while your government, after its defeat of last June, is hopeless of victory. Today more than 1,000,000 Americans are fighting in France and America is building twice as many ships as the submarines are sinking."

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"WITH VERY MODERATE CASUALTIES."

The announcement by Sir Edward Kemp, overseas minister of militia, that the Canadian army in the big drive of the past few days sustained very moderate casualties is splendid news. The Canadian troops took a leading part, the despatches have shown, in the offensive which resulted in the capture of around 40,000 prisoners, hundreds of guns and thousands of tons of supplies. "All objectives were achieved and held," states the overseas minister.

While it is upon the infantry that the brunt of battle still falls, the mechanical devices of warfare are more and more contributing to the success of offensive movements. Artillery plays a greater part than ever before and the limits of its possibilities are not in sight. Power-propelled engines of war are almost at the beginning of their development, while the airplane is developing daily a more decisive factor in offensive and defensive fighting. To the perfection of the artillery, the tanks and "whippets" and the work of the airmen must be attributed in a large measure the fact that the Canadian casualties can be described as "very moderate."

AN INTERESTING QUERY.

Bonar Law points out that in the entente are nations aggregating 1,200,000,000 in population as against 150,000,000 in the Central Empires. But the point is that the Germans have armies at the decisive places considerably superior in numbers to the armies of the entente. What is the use of counting in the entente, for military purposes, nations that do not count?—Mail and Empire.

Well, just so—especially when one won't use them, remarks the Ottawa Journal.

Suppose, now, that the Germans had owned India and its 400,000,000 people when this war broke out. What do you think the Germans would have done How many million soldiers do you guess that the Germans would have conscripted there? And how long would the war have lasted on land?

VETERANS FAVOR Y. M. C. A.

The committee, authorized by the executive committee of the Great War Veterans' association, Ontario provincial branch, to discuss the alleged grievances regarding the Y. M. C. A. advanced by members at the Hamilton conventionh has, among other things, reported:

"It is quite possible that a Canadian soldier has been ministered to by the British Y.M.C.A. and has taken it for granted that it was the Canadian Y.M.C.A. The policy of the two associations is different. Hence the misunderstanding.

"Your committee is of the opinion that whilst certain individual criticisms have been justified in view of the circumstances detailed, the work done by the Y.M.C.A. is beneficial to the soldier. The extent of its work can only be measured if it were possible to imagine the Y.M.C.A. or any other institution doing similar work as being non-existent for some weeks. The absence of them would, by force of contrast, bring to light the essential value of their work among the Canadian soldiers."

The Y.M.C.A. overseas is doing its part to help win the war.

Come to Chautauqua next week.

The Hun is stiffening his resistance, but he is still very much on the defensive.

Have you noticed that all the German offensives that have been started on the western front have ended in entente offensives? Rather significant, isn't it?

The downfall of Kuhlmann and the elevation of Hintze is said to be a great triumph for German militarists. The Toronto Mail and Empire notes that most of the triumphs nowadays are staged at home.

Austrian newspapers are talking about the "inevitable defeat" of the central powers. And the Austrian censor has let it pass. Does this mean that Austria is preparing to break away from its boss? It undoubtedly would like to.

The New York state attorney general states that he can show by affidavits that William Randolph Hearst on one or more occasions had Count von Bernstorff and Bolo Pasha to dinner at his home. That's not surprising. It has been clear for a long time that Hearst did not get his inspirations from any entente source.

Nelson will again be host next week to its friends from the surrounding district and under a plan which is being announced by a number of merchants they can travel to the city for a joint shopping and amusement expedition and have their fares both ways paid. No doubt hundreds of persons in Kooteany and Boundary will take this opportunity of seeing the Chautauqua program or part of it.

WHAT THE PRESS IS SAYING

Hidden Meaning

The prevalence of mosquitoes at the band concert last night would have made very appropriate the tune, "Every Little Movement Has a Meaning All Its Own."—Galt Reporter.

Good Sense

The layman is unable to say whether that habeas corpus decision just handed down by the supreme court is good law, but it strikes the most of the uninitiated that it is good sense.—Peterboro Review.

TOLD IN RYHME

THE BOY IN FRANCE.

When the evenin' lamps are lighted
And we all sit warm and close,
While father reads his paper
And mother mends the hose,
Us children gather round the fire
And watch the flames that dance,
We don't say much, for we're thinkin'
Of the boy that's gone to France.

There's the books he used to study,
And his old cap hangin' there,
That's the place he used to sit,
And the very self-same chair.
Father sighs and wipes his glasses
There are tears in mother's glance,
For you see that we're all longin'
For the boy way off in France.

And then, when it is bedtime,
Mother puts her work away,
And father folds his paper and says,
"Children, let us pray."
So we kneel around the table,
Mighty glad to get the chance,
For you just bet we're prayin'
For the boy 'way off in France.

COLD STORAGE

In a London 'bus a man in civilian garb rose and offered his seat to a woman.

"I never accept favors from slackers," she said witheringly.

"Madam," he replied blandly, "I was all through Gallipoli, and if we'd had as much powder as you have on your face we'd have got to Constantinople in no time."

Surgeon (before the operation)—"Worrying? Tut, tut! Why, it won't amount to anything."

The Tightwad (with a sigh of relief)—Thank you, doctor. I knew you'd be reasonable.

Willis—"Did you plant a garden this year?"

Gillis—"Yes. Then the fellow next door decided to keep chickens."

"What did you do?"

"I bought a lot on the other side of him and I'm going to raise chicken hawks."

"So our engagement is all over?" he said moodily.

"I am afraid it is, darling." There was a note of triumph in her voice. ""You see," she explained, "I told it to my dearest girl friend as a great secret." Then indeed did he realize that it was all over.

Little Girl (before statue in museum)—Mamma, who's this?

Attendant (after a pause)—That's Mercury, the messenger of the gods. You have read about him, no doubt.

Mother—Of course she has. But, do you know, my little girl has such a very poor memory for Scripture.

Having read our little screed on "Work" the other day, F. J. B. sends us the following highbrow definition: "Work is the compulsory expenditure of psychological or muscular potency in activities devoid of immediate pleasurability, but characterized by financial advantageousness."

One of the Mourners—Well, they gave O'Brien an iligant funeral. Shure, it would have been a proud day for him if he'd lived to see it."

Dr. Isabelle Gray of St. Louis, who is said to be the first woman admitted to army service with the status of an officer, has been assigned to the base hospital at Camp Grant and has the standing of a first lieutenant.

Pte. Michael Carroll died at Hamilton after drinking shellac.

Kaffir Boys Close Chautauqua

Unusual Attraction Has Attracted Widest Attention in England and the United States

To Chautauqua direct from the darkest of the interior jungles of Africa, resplendent in the glamorous trappings of native regalia, come Balmer's Wonderful Singing Kaffir Boys. These ebony-hued youngsters, with their sparkling eyes, shiny teeth and beaming faces, are marvelous singers, famous the world over for the remarkable richness and clarity of their voices. Besides singing, the Kaffir Boy choir give native dances and ceremonies. They sing songs in native and English tongue. The most unique of all Chautauqua offerings, the Kaffirs at Chautauqua, New York, divided honors with ex-President Roosevelt in drawing the greatest audiences of the season. Their appearance on the closing night of Chautauqua will be the biggest event of the week.

RAIDING OF BRUGES; BOMBERS AT WORK

(By Capt. Paul Bewsher, D.C.C., R.A.F.)

Bruges, the most important German naval base in Belgium, has been attacked so often by British airmen that it is now perhaps the best defended place against night bombing on the western front.

The pilot and observer of a British light bombing machine proceeding to Bruges have usually no difficulty in finding their way, as a haze of light from the searchlights can be seen 20 or 30 miles off. As they draw nearer they see a maze of 15 or 16 searchlights moving restlessly over the town, looking for some machine whose engine has been heard. Suddenly, they see the red flash of a bursting bomb and then another and another. At once chains of brilliant, emerald-colored balls of fire pour upwards in ceaseless lines, filling the sky with green bubbles of light. The machine is not picked up, however, and gradually the lights and shell fire die away.

Ten Thousand Feet Over Nothing.

Now they are drawing nearer, and the observer crawls through a little door into the nose of the machine, examines his bomb handle, and adjusts the bomb dropping sight. As he kneels, 10,000 feet over nothing, he is so absorbed in watching the ground that his surrounding seem to him perfectly normal; he is entirely at his ease.

Below he sees the black line of the canal which he is using as a guide. He turns the pilot to the left with a wave of his hand and then again to the right and stops him with an unlifted arm.

Ahead he can see the dark mass of the town, and to the left the long bassins of the docks. Far to the left lies the dark line of the Belgian coast, and over Ostend and Zeebrugge move the sentinel searchlights. Bruges lies dark and dim, snatching a brief rest from its tumultuous night.

The observer waves his hand and the roar of the engines dies away into silence as the machines dives towards its target. He unstraps his bomb handle and leans far over the front, looking down to the shining water of the dock, absorbed in following the course of the little metal bar of the sight. It touches the docks and crosses them. With a quick gesture he guides the pilot to the left, and the bar sweeps round and crosses the section of the quay he wishes to attack.

When the Bomb Falls.

He checks the pilot, and hold his bomb lever in readiness. Hundreds of Germans stand waiting at their guns, and machine guns and searchlights and green ball machines. The organized hate of a community lies below the observer, but he thinks of nothing save the passage of the metal bar across the black mass between the two shining strips of water.

Suddenly his "sight" registers the range. He pushes the lever forward slowly, pulls it back again, and again pushes it forward, and again and again. From behind there comes the click and clatter of 14 dropping bombs.

He shouts to the pilot to turn, and one huge wing climbs towards the stars as the machine sweeps round and away from the welter of shells and searchlights that the explosion of the bombs will bring.

Gazing downward, the observer sees at the edge of the quay a red spurt of flame which slowly dies away. Two others follow, in the water where lie the destroyers and submarines, and then more and more burst on the sheds in the middle. A white sheet of flame bursts from one shed, and fading slowly leaves a red glare. An ammunition store has been blown up. The other bombs burst across the wharves and crowded bassins, leaving huge clouds of white smoke where they have wrought destruction.

Inferno Opens—Too Late!

Simultaneously with the bursting of the first bomb, hundreds of green balls some streaming in swaying curves from the ground, and pour upwards past the wings on both sides. Like a handful of ribbons the searchlights have been thrown up, and fill the sky with wands of light which weave a strange pattern all around the machine. Gun fire flashes round the town, and close to the machine now bursts the clamorous barrage.

It is an- awe-inspiring din, but through it the observer has heard the thud of the bursting bombs below. He scrambles back to the pilot and laughs. Searchlights sweep to and fro, over them, under them, and on either side; ceaselessly the fantastic strings of green balls bubble upwards and the flash of the shells seem to fill the whole sky.

The machine roars on homeward through a maelstrom of flame and fire. The attack has been pressed home, and in the docks of Bruges the ammunition sheds are shattered and in flames, the water is pouring into the battered sides of the submarines. The airmen fly home, well content with their consciousness of duty well done, and leave far behind the searchlights still vainly scouring every quarter of the heavens—too late!

GERMANS DO NOT FEEL SO OPTIMISTIC NOW

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 12.—Morale in Germany has suffered severely from the recent defeats. Several critics are dumb and the people are gloomily suggesting that the army may be compelled to fall back a long way all along the line, according to information from German critics received here today.

Some of the evening papers admit that the allies have given the Germans a serious check, but explained the withdrawal is due to unfavorable weather, a heavy mist giving the allies an initial advantage. Others assert the British and French successes will not endure and that they are not of any permanent importance.

GERMAN AIRSHIP IS DOWNED NEAR HOLLAND

LONDON, Aug. 12.—British aircraft accompanying a naval reconnoitering expedition off the west Friesian coast of Holland, yesterday morning brought down a German airship in flames north of Ameland. Six of the motorboats which were engaged in this expedition have failed to return.

ANNA HELD, FAMOUS ACTRESS, PASSES AWAY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Aug 12.—Anna Held, the actress, died here today after an illness of several months. Miss Held had been ill since April of the rare ailment known as myloma, disintegration of spinal marrow, and her condition was reported several times as critical. She rallied repeatedly, however, and, until attacked by pneumonia a few weeks ago, was regarded as on the road to recovery. Her physicians said that only her remarkable will power had prevented her from succumbing long before.

BRITISH AIRMEN DOWN ZEPPELIN IN FLAMES

LONDON, Aug. 12.—British airmen today brought down a German zeppelin in flames off the English east coast, according to advices to the Star. The machine was one of the largest and newest of this type of aircraft.

The zeppelin was first observed at daybreak today. Royal Air force machines rose to attack it and were able to get close to the airship before they were observed. After a few minutes of fighting the zeppelin was hit and fell into the sea.

TWO AIRDROMES AND MROE PRISONERS TAKEN

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 12.—Two enemy airdromes and more prisoners have been captured by the allies. The prisoners are from fresh Prussian and Bavarian divisions and have zeen taken during the past few hours.

Nelson and District Loyalty League

In addition to investigating and dealing with cases of reported disloyal or unpatriotic acts, the League will be pleased to receive and thoroughly investigate any statements alleging the improper disposition of monies subscribed for patriotic purposes, if full particulars of the making of such statements are sent in writing to the secretary, P. O. Box 841, Nelson, B. C.

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BAD WEATHER DOES NOT HALT AIRMEN'S WORK

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Official communications issued by the air ministry tonight dealing with bombing and raiding operations says that despite the unfavorable weather, British planes successfully attacked an airplane and chemical works at Frankfort. Our squadrons attacked the railways at Metz and an airdrome at Hagenu, Alsace.

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MAJOR STUBBS RETURNS HOME

Kaslo Soldier Had Been in Service Four Years—Local and Personal Items

(Special to The Daily News.)

KASLO, B. C., Aug. 12.—Major J. H. Stubbs returned home Thursday night after four years active service.

A party of young persons in charge of Mrs. W. H. Burgess are camping at Beauty Beach.

Mrs. S. H. Green and Mrs. Passage and family are camping at Mirror Lake.

B. Hersey, chief of police of Cranbrook, is spending a week in town with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hendricks of Wallace, Ida., and baby are visiting Mr. Hendrick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hendricks. Walter Hendricks volunteered to enlist in the British-Canadian mechanical transport at the Spokane Canadian recruiting agency. He will return to Wallace this week and expects to go east soon. Mrs. Hendricks will remain here for some time. Fred Hendricks, a younger brother, and formerly teller at the Bank of British North America here, also enlisted and is now preparing to go overseas.

Miss Olga Tapanila is to be school teacher at Perrys Siding.

ROSSLAND NOTES

(Special to The Daily News.)

ROSSLAND, B. C., Aug. 12.—V. S. Newton arrived in the city Saturday night from Vancouver and has taken up his duties in the Bank of Montreal.

Mrs. H. Cherrington and two children returned home Sunday from spending a month visiting at the coast.

Mrs. E. Jewell returned Sunday from spending a fortnight in Spokane.

Mrs. J. A. McLeod and son Allan returned Sunday afternoon from a two months' visit with Mrs. McLeod's mother, Mrs. J. Petrie.

The Misses Laura and Alice Jewell returned Sunday from a visit to Spokane.

Fred Wilson left this evening for Vancouver.

Miss Helen Grigor will entertain a number of her friends Wednesday evening before leaving for the coast to attend normal school.

Miss Elizabeth and Rachel Newman left this morning to spend a fortnight at the coast.

Mrs. E. Paull and two children left this morning for Valley, Wash., where they will visit Mrs. Paul's mother, Mrs. Stinson.

G. A. Lafferty has returned from a business trip to Nelson.

Mrs. H. McQade and son, Hugh, left Saturday evening on an auto trip to Moose Jaw. Mrs. McAlpin and two children, who have been visiting Mrs. McAlpin's mother, Mrs. McQade, accompanied them to Moose Jaw. From there they will take the train for their home in Toronto. Mrs. McQade will spend several months visiting friends at Verden, Man., before returning to Rossland.

Customs Officer D. B. Stephens left this morning on a business trip to Grand Forks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ternan and two children and Mrs. Jennie Anderson are expected home this week from Penticton.

GRAY CREEK NOTES.

(Special to The Daily News.)

GRAY CREEK, B.C., Aug. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Williams of Calgary are spending a month's holiday here.

Mrs. Pickles and Mrs. King of Winnipeg are visiting here, the guests of Mrs. S. Birkbeck.

Miss Rose May, who has been spending a few weeks holiday here, has returned to her home at Taghum.

Mrs. Robert Nesbit has left for Vancouver to join her husband.

Norman Anderson, who has been working at Silverton, has returned to his ranch.

250 WHALES ASHORE ON NOVA SCOTIA BEACH

AMHERST, N. S., Aug. 12.—A school of 250 whales is ashore at River John, Pictou county. The mammals were driven in by motor boats and were left on the beach by the outgoing tide. Hundreds of people have come from all parts of Nova Scotia to witness the sight. The whales run from 10 to 35 feet in length.

Lemon Juice For Freckles

Girls! Make beauty lotion at home for a few cents. Try it!

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into th face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.

CHASED RABBIT; FELL: NOW DEAD

August Lofstedt, Kaslo Farmer, Dies as Result of Injuries Sustained on Ranch.

(Special to The Daily News.)

KASLO, B.C., Aug. 12.—August Lofstedt, district farmer, died at the Victoria hospital Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. He leaves a widow. Mr. Lofstedt was trying to catch a rabbit Tuesday when he fell and sustained internal injuries. He lived on his ranch two miles from town.

HALCYON NOTES.

(Special to The Daily News.)

HALCYON, B. C., Aug. 12.—Rev. F. H. Graham of Nelson, Rev. Frances Hughes of Proctor, and Charles Montgomery, Edgewood, who are on a launch trip on Arrow lakes, stopped here on Sunday afternoon. Divine service was held in the women's parlor of the hotel in the evening, when a collection of $120 was taken up for the Red Cross. The party left for Arrowhead and Beaton this morning.

J. B. McGaghran, with a party of Red Cross. The party left for Arrowhead.

G. W. Taylor, Penticton, was here for the weekend.

86 WAS HIGH POINT FOR MERCURY AT WANETA

(Special to The Daily News.)

WANETA, B. C., Aug. 12.—The average day temperature for the month of July was 86 degrees; the night temperature, 50 degrees. The hottest day the mercury rose to 103 degrees, while on the night of July 4-5 it registerd 38 degrees. There were several thunder storms and nearly three inches of rain fell during the month.

SAY U-BOAT SANK SCORE OF SHIPS

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of men were set adrift on the banks as a result of the raid.

Two Crews Lost

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Aug. 12.—Two submarines raided the fleet of fishing schooners on the George"s bank Saturday and the crews of the schooners Old Time and Cruiser were probably lost when their boats were sunk by gunfire without warning, according to the crew of the fishing schooner Mary Sennet, who were landed here tosight. The Sennet was also sunk by gunfire and shells were fired at the boats when they were piling away, the fishermen said.

The Sennet, Old Time and Cruiser were fishing in the same neighborhood when the Sennet's lookout noticed two submarines several miles away. As the underwater boats apparently were paying no attention to the fishermen at the time, the Sennet's crew continued fishing after putting water and provisions in the boats as a precautionary measure.

Struck Without Warning.

As they kept an eye on the strangers, thinking they might be American boats, one of the submarines submerged and the other took a wide circle around the little group of three fishermen. The first intimation the fishermen had that the submarines were hostile was when a shell suddenly crashed into the side of the Old Time. She heeled over and sunk so quickly that the Sennet's crew were certain the men could not have escaped. At any rate they saw nothing of them.

The Old Time had hardly disappeared whena shell dropped alongside the Cruiser, immediately followed by another shot which exploded on the water line. The little craft crumbled up and went down before the crew had a chance to jump for their lives.

The Mary Sennet's men did not wait for a similar end. They threw over their dories and tumbled into them just as a shot crashed into her. She was heavily loaded and sank like a stone. But the Germans apparently were not satisfied. They sent four shells at the small boats pulling away, but all the shots went wild.

50,000 REFUGEES FROM TURKEY HAVE TYPHUS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—More than 50,000 refugees from Turkey have been stricken with typhus, in the Island of Mitylene, according to a cablegram received by George Russos, Greek minister at Washington, and forwarded to the Relief Committee for Greeks in Asia Minor here today.

The message from the governor of Mitylene said the epidemic has attained the proportions of a scourge, which the authorities have been unable to repress because of "the total lack of linen."

The relief committee announced that a campaign to provide bandages and clothing for the sufferers already is under way.

PROHIBITS SALE OF LIQUOR ON U. S. OWNED RAILWAYS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12—The sale of liquor in railroad stations or on railroad trains was forbidden by Director General McAdoo today in an order effective immediately and applying to all lines under government control.

August Cleanup Sale AT MEAGHER'S

THE LOWEST PRICES QUOTED ON 1918 WARM WEATHER MERCHANDISE ARE NOW IN FORCE. EVERYTHING SEASONABLE IS INCLUDED. QUALITIES ARE DEPENDABLE, STYLES ARE FAULTLESS AND ASSORTMENTS GOOD. NOT ONE ELEMENT IS LACKING TO MAKE THIS THE MOST IMPORTANT AUGUST CLEAN-UP IN OUR HISTORY.

Fine Georgette Blouses

AT $8.95

Beautiful Blouses, this season's styles. Flesh, Rose, Maize, Nigger and White. Some trimmed with clusters of fine tucks, others with embroidered fronts. Sizes to 44. Values to $14.00. SALE PRICE $8.95

Fine Voile Dresses

TO CLEAR AT $16.95

Best quality English Voile Dresses in Pretty Plaids, Stripes or Plain Colors. Made in the very latest styles and beautifully trimmed. Sizes 16 to 40. Values to $25.00. AUGUST CLEAN-UP SALE PRICE.. $16.95

High-Class Silk Dresses

AT $24.95 EACH

Extremely Smart Dresses of Taffeta, Satin or Crepe-de-Chene. A splendid range of colors and fashions to select from. All model dresses. Sizes 16 to 42. Values to $40.00. AUGUST CLEAN-UP SALE PRICE.. $24.95

Girls' Middies

AT 98c EACH

Good Quality Middy Cloth is used in these garments, sizes 6 to 14 years. All smartly made in a variety of styles. Values to $1.50. AUGUST CLEAN-UP SALE PRICE..... 98c

Children's Dresses

AT 98c EACH

Good Gingham or Crepe Dresses, sizes to eight years. Made in a variety of styles and colors. Values to $1.50. AUGUST CLEAN-UP SALE PRICE..... 98c

High-Class Silk Sweaters

TO GO IN THIS CLEAN-UP SALE AT $19.95

This is your opportunity to get that Sweater at much less than you were willing to pay. We have just eighteen of these Sweaters in the lot and the showing includes some of the best values shown this season. They come in pretty shades of Rose, Copenhagen, Canary, Pink, Gold, Cardinal. A few Sleeveless Sweaters in the lot. Values to $32.50. AUGUST SALE PRICE.... $19.95

Ladies' White Skirts

AT $1.19 EACH

Sizes to 25-inch waist only. If your size is here you can secure a bargain. Smartly tailored, of good Repp and showing correct width. Values to $2.50. SALE PRICE..... $1.19

Novelty Skirtings

AT 79v A YARD

Plaids, Stripes and Plain Colors, such as Rose, Copenhagen, Pink, etc. Fine Gabardines and Beach Cloths. Full 38 inches wide. Good value at $1.00 a yard. SALE PRICE 79c

Women's Wash Dresses

TO CLEAR AT $6.25 EACH

Good Beach Cloth or Pique Dresses, in Plain Colors and Novelty Plaids. Sizes 16 to 40. Values to $12.50. AUGUST CLEAN-UP SALE PRICE... $6.25

Middy Skirts

AT 98c EACH

Kilted Skirts of Good Suiting, made with waist attached. Plain White or Striped Patterns. Sizes to 10 years. Values to $1.50. AUGUST CLEAN-UP SALE PRICE 98c

Cleanup Sale of Millinery at Half Price

ALL PATTERN HATS, TRIMMED HATS AND UNTRIMMED HATS—THIS SEASON'S BEST MODELS—TO CLEAR AT HALF PRICE

MEAGHER & CO.

THE STORE FOR STYLE THE STORE FOR QUALITY

OLD ROMANCE WAKES FOR SALVAGE SARGE

"Funny thing," began a sergeant of a certain salvage unit near the front, "the things you'll run into when you're sorting over this junk.

"Look at this pile of wounded guys' clothes, sent up from the field hospital. It was in just sucha pile as that that I got one of the surprises of my life.

"I was poking it over to see how much of it could be saved and how much could be scrapped, when out of a pocket rolled a picture—the picture of a girl. Hell. I'm human, and I picked it up to look at it. And I'm a son of a gun if it wasn't a girl I used to go with steady some 10 years ago!

"Seeing I was on the scent, and to make sure I picked up the blouse and looked in the pockets. I found another picture, and on it the information that she was a Mrs. Somebody or other now and that the guy who'd been wounded was the Mr. of the family.

"Well, I picked out the two pictures, got the fellow's address from a letter in his pocket and went on working. But as soon as I can get anything like timeoff from this junkman's job I am going to try to bum a ride down to the hospital and see if he wants anything done for him. He must have been a pretty decent scout or she wouldn't have married him. . . Yes, she thought pretty wel of me; oh, I hate myself, I do!

"All the same, doesn't it beat the devil? I hadn't heard from her in a good eight years—no news of any kind—and then the first bit of info I get is from her picture in the middle of a pile of torn up O. D. and scrapped guns 'way up in the north of France!

"It's a funny little old world, now, isn't it?"

HUNS BRING CAMOUFLAGE TO POINT OF PERFECTION

A British air officer writing from the western front says that the Germans have brought camouflage to a state of artistic perfection that is almost incredible. "The most expert and highly experienced airmen are often deceived even when flying low," he writes. As a first step the German military authorities sought suggestions from the most distinguished German artists in color. As a next step every available man was turned into the business of carrying out the artists' idea. Miles of canvass painted to look lige roads were constructed, under which regiments could march without being seen. Paper encampments were improvised and aerodromes, woods, villages and factories of a purely fictitious character were set up merely to distract observers and to cover the movements of troops and guns. Nothing on so vast a scale has ever been attempted before."

INTENSE PATRIOT HELD BY COURT NOT A LUNATIC

NEW YORK—Timothy Crowley, a brother of Deputy Police Commissioner Ellen O'Grady, who alienists had declared was insane on one subject, intense patriotism, was declared sane by a jury in the county court, Brooklyn, before Judge McDermott.

Crowley will be put on trial on a charge of felonious assult later. He is accused of shooting Frank H. Van Name in Fulton street on May 9. According to Crowley, Van Name uttered disparaging remarks about the country. Crowley says he upbraided him, and when Van Name put his hand to his back pocket Crowley shot him twice. He declared he committed the assault in self-defense and because he thought Van Name was an enemy of the country.

GERMAN HORSE THIEVES AGITATE HUN NEWSPAPERS

AMSTERDAM.—The German newspapers are much agitated over an epidemic of horse stealing in Berlin. In a single week recently horses valued at $25,000 were stolen in Berlin, most of them while standing in the streets in daylight. The animals are sold in the provinces where they fetch fancy prices, or are used for clandestine butchering in Berlin.

A pair of fine race horses revently disappeared during a race meeting at the Grunewald course.

HAYWARD LEAVES TO JOIN FLYING CORPS

P. J. Hayward, who has been foreman of the Hewitt mill at Silverton, will leave for Toronto this morning, where he has enlisted in the Royal Flying corps as a mechanic.

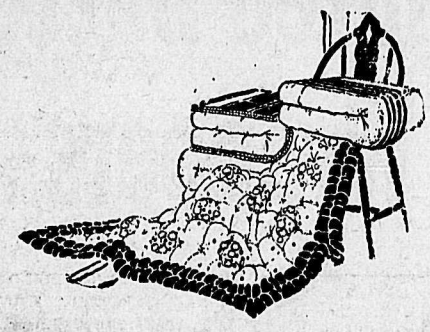
Mr. Showgoes—I see you've forsaken the spoken drama for the movies.

Violet Mossystone—Yes, I have worked very hard to perfect my art and felt I was entitled to the pleasure of seeing my really exquisite work from the front.

Mrs. Henry P. Davison, wife of the chief of the Red Cross, has given her costly home on 51st street, New York city, to the Young Womens Christian association for the period of the war as a hostess house.

Philadelphia bakers have agreed to use only rye flour in the making of bread.

August Clearing Sale



We strongly advise the purchase of Bedding for the Fall and Winter Now

A number of provident housekeepers are anticipating this winter's bedding needs and taking advantage of present prices. There is no question but that the price of cotton and woolen goods will greatly advance this fall. Those who buy now can select from complete stocks and at moderate prices.

BUY YOUR BEDDING NOW

HERE ARE A FEW MENTIONED IN OUR AUGUST CLEARANCE SALE

COMFORTERS—Cotton Filled; Sateen Chintz Coverings; All Double Size. Each, $4.00, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.50

BLANKETS, WHITE— Per Pair $6.50

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BEDSPREADS— Each ..... $1.00, $2.50 AND UP

RAG RUGS
Colors Pink, Blue, Mauve and Grey

RAG RUGS— Size 24 x 36 ..... $1.15

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PICTURES, NICELY FRAMED— Each, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00

A Close Out Sale

Several Odd Chairs and Rockers

Some very nice Mahogany Chairs for the parlor and some Heavy Solid Quartered Oak and Leather Upholstered Chairs. Prices mentioned as regular are all pre-war prices, with our August Special Values. One Dozen of them in our Show Window Now. Take a good look and see the merits of each chair. No one needs to be without High Grade Furniture at these prices.

TWO EARLY ENGLISH CHAIRS— Regular $28.00 each. Now $15.00

ONE EARLY ENGLISH CHAIR— Regular $25.00. Now $18.50

ONE EARLY ENGLISH ROCKER— Regular $22.50. Now $17.50

ONE FUMED OAK CANE SEAT AND BACK— Regular $12.50. Now $7.50

ONE MAHOGANY CANE SEAT AND BACK— Regular $12.00. Now $9.50

ONE PAIR MAHOGANY CHAIRS AND ROCKER—Silk Upholstered, Spring Seats. Regular $37.50. Per Pair $24.00

ONE MAHOGANY ROCKER— Regular $12.50. Now $8.50

ONE MAHOGANY ROCKER— Regular $10.00. Now $5.00

ONE FUMED WICKER CHAIR— Regular $17.50. Now $12.50

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Notice to Trail Subscribers TO The Daily News

The Daily News has made arrangements under which subscribers may secure their copies of the paper each morning, soon after the arrival of the stage from Columbia Gardens at

Margeson's Drug Store

where they should call instead of at the postoffice.

All subscribers' papers will be sent to this store in future.

"Keep the home fires from burning" —till Dec. 1.—Exchange.

Alvin E. Perkins

PIANO TUNER

Owing to illness in his family has been delayed in reaching Nelson, but writes that he exexpects to reach the district shortly, when he will be glad to serve all his patrons.

For Sale
10-Acre Ranch

Fenced; about five acres cleared, and over 200 fruit trees, many of them bearing the last two years; most of them will bear next year. One house, 12x36; barn and chicken house; 1½ miles from Nelson postoffice on good road. For particulars and price apply P. Nipou, city, or P. O. Box 48, Nelson, B. C.

Australia house of representatives authorized a loan of £80,000,000 at 5 per cent, subject to taxation.

Kipling's "Dirge of the Nurses" was read at the close of Calgary memorial service to all those nurses who have lost their lives at the front.

CHANGE OF WATER CAUSED DIARRHOEA

People moving from one place to another are very much subject to diarrhoea on account of the change of water, change of climate, change of diet, etc., and what at first appears to be but a slight looseness of the bowels should never be neglected or some serious bowel complaint will be sure to follow.

The safest and quickest cure for diarrhoea, dysentery, colic, cholera infantum, cholera morbus, pains in the stomach, seasickness and all looseness of the bowels is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

Mr. T. T. Allard, Parry Sound, Ont., writes: 'In the fall of 1914 I was working on the new 'Chiclet Gum' factory, on Carlaw Ave., in Toronto, when I had a violent attack of diarrhoea, owing, I think, to the change of water. One of the foremen advised me to get a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, which I did, with the result that I hadn't taken it all before I was completely cured."

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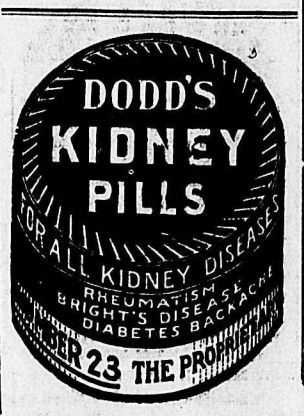


News of Sport

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	12	12	0
Chicago	1	7	2

Batteries: Hill and Schmidt; Martin, Hendrix, Napier and O'Farrell.

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	1	7	2
St. Louis	3	7	3

Batteries: Schneider and Wingo; Tuero and Gonzales.

Boston-New York; rain.

Philadelphia-Brooklyn; rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
New York	2	4	0
Boston	1	3	2

Batteries: Robinson and Walters; Ruth and Mayer.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	2	2	2
Cleveland	11	14	0

Batteries: Mitchell, Danforth and Schalk; Devormer, Martin and O'Neill.

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	1	6	0
Philadelphia	1	4	1

Batteries: Matteson, Ayres and Ainsmith; R. Johnson and McAvoy; called end ninth, rain.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Buffalo	4	9	1
Toronto	1	10	3

Batteries: Helfrich and Bengough; Lewis and Fisher; 11 inings.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Buffalo	0	4	1
Toronto	3	6	1

Batteries: Helfrich, Thomas and Bengough; Heck and Fisher.

Baltimore-Binghampton game played Saturday.

Rochester-Hamilton game played on Sunday.

Newark-New Jersey game postponed; rain.

GRAND CIRCUIT OPENS ON PHILADELPHIA TRACK

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 12.—Spirited racing and fast time marked the opening day of the grand circuit meeting at Belmon Driving club track today. Two of the three events resulted in split heat races and Tommy Murphy added two firsts to his winnings with Directum J. and Chilcoot, but he was distanced with Sombrino in the 2:10 pace when the black stallion cut himself while acting badly. Cox won with Bethey Hamlin.

The 2:04 pace furnished the feature. Murphy landed the first and third heats. But every one of the three was a hard drive. Baxter Lou took the second heat and led to the half in the third, but the pace was too fast and Directum J. won the heat from Hal Boy.

The 2:08 trot was a procession for Chilcoot.

Charged with obtaining an $1800 automobile and $825 worth of diamonds and other jewelry on alleged worthles checks, Margaret Kennedy is under arrest in Battle Creek, Mich., for Windsor authorities.

GET IN FOR THE FINISH

A Ball game is not won till the last man is out. The final jump wins the race. The game man and the game horse show their gameness in the final moment.

This war will be won by the gamest side. The allies have it, but it will be in the final quarter.

There is a chance for every man to get in on the finish. Farms of Canada need men and the allies need the products of Canadian farms. Get out with the harvesters and make sure of the crop.

DEPORTATION OF BELGIANS

Forced Labor Inflicted on Belgian Civilians by Brutal Masters Says Ambassador.

The minister of Belgium in Washington has prepared the following from material received from the Belgian government regarding the deportation and forced labor inflicted on Belgian civilians by order of the German government:

"The last information which has reached the Belgian government at Le Havre, France, from occupied Belgium, shows that deportation and forced labor are still being carried on especially in the military zone which comprises the two Flanders and a great part of the provinces of Hamaut, Namur and Luxemburg.

"But deportation and forced labor have at present assumed a new character. The Belgians instead of being snt to Germany as formerly, are now being sent to work in the regions behind the German front in France and Belgium. Besides, the Germans who formerly deported the Belgians under the pretext of giving work to the unemployed, now send them to the north of France and compel them to work, prtending that, invirtue of article 2 of the order issued by the German general headquarters on Oct. 3, 1916, every inhabitant of the country may be compelledto give his help in case of public calamity, even outside his residence.

Emperor's Orders.

"This modification in the policy of deportation took place in 1917. Then, as a consequence of the universal protests raised against this policy, the German emperor issued instructions to the effect that 'deportation of unemployed Belgian to Germany be discontinued until further orders.' But these instructions were carried out only partly and very slowly. Moreover, they did not apply to the thousands of civilians who have been sent behind the German front in France.

"The chiefs of several German armies intentionaly misconstrued the instructions of the German emperor. They pretended to understand that these instructions only forbade the sending of Belgian citizens to Germany but not to other regions and thus they continued sending them to the regions behind the German front in France and Belgium.

"At the same time, after the German authorities had pretended to listen to the protests of the neutrals and had stated that they would stop the deportations, they ceased to take any more men under the pretext of unemployment. But they had recoure to article 2 of the above decree of Oct. 3, 1916, which reads as follows:

"'Every inhabitant of the country is bound to give his help in case of accidents and general danger and also to rbing relief in case of public calamity with all his power, even outside his residence. If he refuses he may be compelled by force to do so.'

"It has thus been sufficient for the German authorities to decide that the regions occupied by their armies are 'in a state of public calamity' to take away from their homes, in many regions of Belgium men, women and even children 14 years of age, and compel them to work.

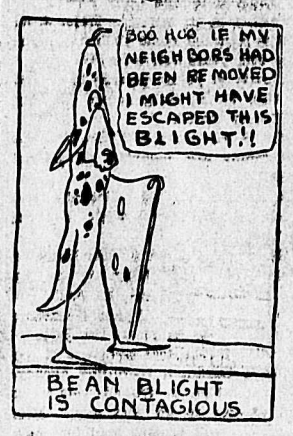
Tear Belgians Away.

"The authorities have thus continued, principally in the terirtories in the zone of the armies to tear the Belgians away from their homes in order to transport them into the regions immediately behind the German lines in France or in Belgium. There they are herded like cattle in special camps compelled to do the work of a military character or interest. Many are sent into the zone of operations and exposed to the fire of the Belgian and allied batteries. Besides they ares ubjected to bad treatment and brutality. Their complaintsd o not reach the outside world for the military zone where they are sent is strictly closed and no delegate of a neutral power is ever allowed to enter this terirtory. oNt only boys from 14 to 17 years of age, women and young girls are compelled to do hard work of military interest.

"In the camps where the Belgian deported persos arne kept the worst conditions prevail; they are exposed to all the inclemencies of the weather, badly equipped, without clothing to change, poorly houses, devoured by vermin, insufficieently and badly nourishd; compelled to do excessive labor. As punishment for their refusal these persons are subjected to blows from rifle butts; they are tied for long hours to a post, with nothing to eat the whole day, except some soup and a piece of bread in the evening; somtimes they are confined to a cell and then their daily ration is reduced to a piece of bread and water twice a day and soul only every fourth day.

"Illness, especially tuberculosis, depletes the ranks of these workers, already demoralized and weakened and whose capacity for resistance is greatly reduced. Many die, others are sent to hospitals, where they arrive only as living skeletons.

"Such is the gravity of the situation that in the opinion of physicians, it will make its devastating effects felt for several generations."



Here's a little rule may get you by
And for many slips atone:
Know less about your neighbor's biz
Than you know about your own.
—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Perhaps one reason why fools are always rushing into trouble is because they seem to know they can always call to the wise to come and help them out.

"Virtue is its own reward," quoted the Wise Guy. "Yes, the black sheep outlives the spring lamb," added the Simple Mug.—Philadelphia Record.

It won't do you much good to keep the Ten Commandments unless you keep them all at the same time.—Bighamton Press.

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Nayphe Returns to Chautauqua

Brilliant Young Athenian Brings New Lecture in Answer to Many Requests

Julius Caesar Nayphe is returning to Chautauqua this year in a new lecture. It is almost an ironclad rule on the Ellison-White Chautauqua never to repeat an attraction the following year. But Nayphe's unbounded success last season was followed by request after request from practically all towns to return him. So the brilliant young Athenian comes back to Chautauqua audiences with a new lecture.

His story of the Orient is of particular interest at this time, since the events of the war have directed attention anew to that portion of the world of which he lectures. He brings with him to Chautauqua a new and truly remarkable collection of Oriental tapestries.

Printed Butter Wrappers

According to the Dominion government regulations all farmers who sell butter either to the stores or privately, are required to have it properly covered in a wrapper on which MUST appear in prominent letters the words "DAIRY BUTTER." The fact is also emphasized that all butter in such packages must of the full net weight of sixteen ounces, and in default of same a fine of from $10 to $30 for each offense is imposed. Whey butter must be so labelled even when mixed with dairy butter and dairy butter retains its label even though it be mixed with the creamery product.

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AL PRODUCTION IN FRANCE

ecent figures of coal production in nce, an industry of which the de- ment of the Loire, in the St. nne consular district, is an im- ant producing centre, with an an- output of over 3,000,000 tons, an increase from 1,800,000 tons ovember, 1916, to 2,367,000 tons in ch, 1917, says the Scientific Amer- and a total increase in produc- and importation of from 3,400,000 in January, 1917, to over 4,000,000 tons in May. This gain was made possible by a readjustment of mine workers and a closer study of transportation problems. The movement of coal by motor lorries, in addition to other commodities by a fleet of heavy motor trucks purchased and operated by the city of St. Etienne, is a recently inaugurated service which has aided distribution and relief of congestion materially.

Invisible patches ought to be used in fixing up quarrels.—Chicago News.

WIFE RESCUES HUSBAND FROM ATTACK OF BULL

WILLOWS, Cal.—J. Ellis, well known local rancher, very probably owes his life to the prompt and courageous action of his wife in attacking and driving off an infuriated bull which had knocked the man down and was charging to gore him.

Ellis was leading the animal out of its corral, when it turned and downed him Mrs. Ellis, a few feet distant, saw her husband's plight, and, rushing in with a pitchfork, put the bull to flight.

STRETCHER BEARERS AT WORK IN FRANCE

(By Rifleman Patrick Macgill, Author of "The Great Push," etc.)

The soldiers, billeted in the attic of the little village cafe talked of stretcher bearers and their work. The rooky, a boy of 19, with only one spell of trench work in his history so far, spoke.

"I've seen some stretcher-bearers up front when we were there, and so far as I could see they did nothing," he said. "They come in with us, slipped into the best dugout and stuck there till we left. No sentry-go, no patrols, no fatigues, nothing. Jolly easy job they have."

A big man sitting near the door cleaning his rifle looked up.

"What's that you say?" he inquired.

"Says that the stretcher-bearer do nothing, Tom," somebody replied from the corner. "Thinks their job is a regular beano, with nothin' to do all day, 'cept sleep in a dugout and smoke fags."

Rookies' Opinions.

"Rookies have that opinion always," said Tom, the big man. "They think when they have their first look at things that they themselves do all the work and that nobody else does anything. It's not to be wondered at, for I myself had that opinion when I came here for the first time. But when I got my first wound out in a shell crate near Givenchy I changed my opinion. It was slushy weather, with the mud risinng to the neck almost and the rain pelin' down from the heavens. I was lyin' out there in full sight of the German lines till the stretcher-bearers came out across the open and carried me in. It was a job, too, one of the worst jobs than men could attempt. But they did it, and after that my opinion of stretcher-bearers changed. They are as fine *fellows as any in the British army.*

"And they have their work and plenty of it," Tom continued. "A stretcher-bearer is born, not made. He has his job to do, and he's cut out to do it and damn the consequences. Of course they get the best dugout when they go up the line—it is not for their own sakes, but for the sake of the wounded. When a man's hit he wants all the care that he can get, and if he's not placed in a good dugout how can he be attended to? Sometimes when there's a heavy bombardment going on men wounded in the morning have to remain in the lines till dark, for it's impossible to take them through the trench at such a time and they have to be carried over the top. And even when there's no bombardment, the wounded can very rarely be carried over the top in daylight, for the Germans are particularly fond of sniping at the wounded and do so whenever they have the opportunity.

Seldom Parade.

"Back here the stretcher-bearers seldom go out on parade with us. But that's because they're to get instruction from the doctor about the use of torniquiets, bandages and medicine, as well as helping him with the sick. They'll never learn that by forming four, and besides, they're not fighting men and are unarmed. They have their own work to do, just as we have ours. We have to kill men and they have to save men, and if they follow in a charge they must know all about saving. And as for fatigues, when they are in the trenches it's not to be thought of. They have to stay in the trench at a certain point, andthey're to be ready whenever they're called on. You've probably heard them called for when you were up there yourself, rooky."

"They were called for one," said the young fellow, "when a man in my bay cut his finger with his clasp knife when opening a tin of bully."

"That might happen," said Tom. "But it's not always for a cut on the finger they're called. Now and again a shell drops in a trench, and then there's some work to do. "Stretcher-bearers at the double!" is the shout, and they double to it. The word is passed along the trench to the dugout *where they're waiting, and if they are* out on ration fatigue what's to be done? Send out a search party to look for them while the poor fellows that are hit are dying maybe for want of attention Is that the way you'd have the war carried on, roky?"

"I haven't thought of the matter in that way," said the youngster.

"Of course you haven't," said Tom. "People never think of things in the right way till they get to know all about them."

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY DECLARES DIVIDENDS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Aug. 12.—At a meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific railway company today the following dividends were declared:

On preference stock, 2 per cent for half year ended June 30 last. On common stock 2½ per cent for quarter ended June 30 last, being at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from revenue and 3 per cent per annum from special income account. Both dividends payable Oct. 1 next to shareholders of record 1 p. m. Aug. 31.

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Selling Out—Discount dress goods, Spirella Corsets; taffetas fifty cents yard. Misses Lemieux. (9938)

ADVERTISEMENT FOR LUMBERMEN NOT OFFICIAL

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Aug. 12.—The imperial munitions board gives out the following statement:

"An article appears in Le Devoir of Aug. 8 quoting and comemnting on an advertisement appearing in l'Eclaireur of Beauceville, for lumbermen to cut airplane spruce in British Columbia. The advertisement purports to be issued on behalf of the imperial munitiosn board and holds out the prospect of exemption from military service to lumbermen engaged in this work.

"The advertisement in question was drawn up and inserted by a local agent of the board, without having been referred to the head office of the *board and as soon as it came to the* board's attention, instructions were given to withdraw it.

"The board could, of course, not undertake to deliver certificates of exemption upon the signing of agreements to enter into its service. To its employees such certificates can be granted only by the tribunals established by law."

AERIAL HOSPITALS.

The possibility of aerial hospitals for the cure of tuberculosis and other diseases is being discussed by British medical men, according to information received from Dundee, Scotland. An article has been written by a physician *on the feasibility of using air flights* in the cure of disease.

The physician-author calls attention to the fact that the air of high altitudes is absolutely free from germs; that the atmosphere pressure gets progressively less as one ascends. This germ-free atmosphere, he says, it just what the surgeon is constantly seeking at the cost of infinite labor, expense and care, and which he rarely attains on earth. The air, therefore, may be valuable to the surgeon, To the physician, says the author, it presents a possible cure for tuberculosis. As the air is absolutely free from germs a consumptive cannot reinfect himself by breathing it, and the diminishing pressure of the atmosphere may be of urther assistance in treatment, since at ground level the lungs are never thoroughly emptied of air, and the "dead" air left in their cavities is a factor in causing lung disease. "It is possible," says the author, "that freedom from germs, lowered atmospheric pressureand the complete sunbath obtainable in the air may lead to the creation of aerial hospitals for specially selected early cases of consumption. Personally, I look forward confidently to the day when aerial hospitals will be an ordinary equipment of every city."

THE WORKERS.

Here's to the man who labors and does it with a song. He stimulates his neighbors and helps the world along.

I like the men who do things, who hustle and achieve; the men who saw and glue things, and spin and dig and weave.

Man groans beneath his burden, beneath the chain he wears; and still the toiler's guerdon is worth the pain he bears.

For there's no satisfaction beneath the bending sky like that he man of action enjoys when night is nigh.

To look back o'er the winding and dark and rocky road and know you bore your grinding and soul-fatiguing load—

As strong men ought to bear it, through all the stress and strife—that's the reward of merit—that is the balm of life!

I like the men who do things, who plow and sow and and reap, who build and delve and hew things while dreamers are asleep.

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(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

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Social and Personal

J. W. Black of Winnipeg is visitng his brother, A. M. Black of this city.

C. F. Caldwell of Kaslo was a visitor to the city yesterday and was registered at the Hume.

J. P. Keane of Rosebery will leave this morning on the Great Northern train for Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. James I. Christie of Moose Jaw are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Annable of this city.

L. J. McAtee, E. F. Burns, J. Jordan and Martin Welsh of Spokane were visitors to the city last evening and were registered at the Hume.

V. R. Carpenter of the Chautauqua management arrived in the city last evening and is a guest at the Hume.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerbracht have returned from Trout lake, in the Lardo district where they have been spending the last two weeks camping. They were accompanied by Mr. McVey, Miss Isabel Stewart, George Benwell, Jr. and Stanley Carter.

THREE DOUKHOBOR WOMEN GO TO PRISON FARM

Three Doukhobor women, committed at Grand Forks to spend six months in jail on a charge of theft and an additional month for not registering, were taken to Okalalla prison farm last evening. The three women are members of the party of 16 who burned a barn belonging to some neighbors.

They made their departure from the provincial jail in a peaceful way and there was a lack of the singing, a contrast to their entrance to the local prison. The men will, it is expected, finish their sentence in the Nelson jail.

SUICIDE IS JURY VERDICT

Mrs. McLaughlin Drank Carbolic Acid in Hotel Room, Is Decision Made.

Isobel McLaughlan, in a fit of despondency, committed suicide by taking carbolic acid, was the verdict brought in by the coroner's jury yesterday morning at the inquest following the finding of the woman dead in the Grand Central hotel Saturday. A broken tumbler and a bottle which had contained carbolic acid were produced in court as having been found near the dead woman.

Witnesses stated that there were no marks of a struggle and it was their opinion that no one had been in the room with Mrs. McLaughlin.

Thomas McLaughlin Testifies.

Thomas McLaughlin, proprietor of the Fort Sheppard hotel, Waneta, and husband of the woman, was the first witness called. He stated that he had last seen his wife at Waneta on Aug. 3. He said she was angry and would not speak to him. He could give no cause for this, but said she frequently had similar spells.

"Tride to Suicide Before."

She had at times refused to come to dinner until coaxed and when she did come she started to cry and had said that she was going to leave. His sister had been present on some of these occasions. She had tried to take her life before, he said. She had procured a bottle of wood alcohol but he had managed to get it away from her before she drank any of it. Once she had tried to drown herself in the river but he had prevented her, he continued.

They had been married two and a half years. She was born in Pittsburg and her nearest relative was a sister in Moose Jaw. He had trouble with her and she would not listen to advice from him. He had asked her to go to a doctor when ill and she would not. When asked is she and his sister had ever had any quarrels he said they had not as they had only known each other for two weeks. She was not in the habit of taking drugs. She had a habit of smoking cigarettes which he had tried to get her to stop. Her angry fits lasted for two or three days and then she would be all right again. She had said she liked her home in Waneta and never showed any desire to leave, until the last week.

McLaughlin said he had gone to Trail on Wednesday to look for his wife and was informed that she had gone to Castlegar to look for work. Before leaving Waneta she had asked for some money and he had given her $5. She had later gone to the till and taken all the money in it. He believed this amounted to about $13.

Druggist Gives Evidence.

F. Granite, dispensing druggist at the Poole Drug store, told the jury that the woman had come to the store between 10 and 11 o'clock on Friday morning and had bought a two-ounce bottle of carbolic acid. She had appeared quite rational and he had not inquired for what purpose she purchased the poison. When asked what he thought was in the tumbler produced he said he considered it was diluted carbolic acid.

Mrs. Erickson of the Grand Central hotel, stated that she had been called by the chambermaid on Saturday morning. The chambermaid had seen the woman lying on the bed fully dressed. The door was open. Mrs. Erickson had looked in and immediately thought by the appearance of the woman's lips that she was dead. She had then telephoned for Dr. Hartin, who had pronounced the woman dead.

Mrs. Erickson had not known the guest before. She had seen a light burning in her room at about 11 o'clock the night before. The porter, in making his calls in the morning, had not noticed the door open. He had made his calls between 5 and 6 o'clock.

The bed was hardly disturbed at all. The covers had been pulled back a little and the woman was lying diagonally across the bed.

Chief Long Testifies

Chief of Police T. H. Long said that following information he had received, he went to the Grand Central hotel at about 10:30 on Saturday morning.

He identified the bottle produced at the inquest as the one found by the bedside. There was less than a teaspoonful left in the bottle. There was a broken tumbler lying on the floor which had several drops of the liquid clinging to the larger pieces. He found a quart bottle which had contained temperance beer. There was a small quantity of the near beer left in the bottle. He had also found two sacks of Bull Durham hung to the springs under the bed. The woman's satchel was also there and in it was a railway ticket from Castlegar to Trail and return. It was dated Aug. 8. Chief Long said he found no signs which would indicate that a struggle had taken place.

The jury, composed of Ald. John Bell, F. J. Boles, J. W. Holmes, A. D. Emory, W. Fotheringham and George Steele, brought in a verdict of suicide.

WILL TEAR DOWN HOTEL BUILDING

Council to Act on Chief Guthrie's Advice—Chautauqua Committee Gets Grounds Free.

A delegation from the local committee of the Chautauqua waited on the city council at its regular meeting held in the city hall last evening and was granted permission to have the use of the recreation grounds during Chautauqua week. The committee promised to leave the grounds in the present condition.

A communication was received from a Toronto advertising firm asking the city to take part in an advertising scheme. The letter was filed.

The Eagle lodge requested that work being done to its plot at the cemetery be discontinued. It was pointed out that this lodge now owed nearly $800 on its plot at the cemetery and that if work was discontinued on it the appearance of the cemetery would be spoiled as it was a large plot.

Ald. McDonald asked why this lodge was allowed to run up such a large account when it had such a large membership and apparently plenty of funds. The mayor and city clerk were instructed to interview representatives of the lodge to discuss settlement of the account and the question of returning a part of the plot to the city.

Following a request from the police commissioners the council rescinded a motion passed at last meeting to have Sergt. Alex Stewart's telephone taken out. It was pointed out that with the decrease in the force it was necessary to have telephonic communication with Sergt. Stewart's residence.

Fire Chief's Report.

Chief Guthrie of the fire department submitted his report for the month of July. Three fire alarms had been turned in during the month. He again drew the attention of the council to the fact that the old Bartlett hotel building on Josephine street was in a dangerous condition. The request to the owners to have the building removed had not been complied with. A resolution was passed to the effect that the council would have the building torn down as the owners had not taken any action. Chief Guthrie vouched the opinion that it would not stand this winter's snow and that it was dangerous for the public to pass it.

Power Plant Wage Increases.

In accordance with the wishes of the employees of the power plant the motion passed at last meeting to raise the wages of two operators was rescinded and a 10 per cent increase will be given to all the employees.

Ald. McDonald, chairman of the railway committee, stated that his committee had decided not to recommend an increase in salary for F. C. Ingram.

City Electrical Engineer Thomas was asked to give an account of the repairs required to the street railway track on Baker stret. He said that the work of fixing the track alone would amount to $315 and that it would cost $1800 to put the street in shape. He pointed out that it was impossible to start repairs without going to considerable expense and that something had to be done before the coming winter.

The council decided that the present financial condition of the city would not allow the expenditure required to put the street and track ien propr condition and that it would be necessary to fix the worst places.

OTTAWA STREET RAILWAY MEN WILL STRIKE TODAY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Aug. 13.—Members of division No. 279 Amalgamated Street Railwaymen of Ottawa decided at 1:30 o'clock this morning to go on strike at 5 o'clock this morning. An offer :by the company to go before the federal labor appeal board was refused unanimously. Hon. Senator Robertson, Mayor Fisher and Acting Premier Doherty endeavored to persuade the men to await hearing of a possible appeal, but the men turned down the proposal. At present thty are paid 26, 28 and 30 cents an hour. They are asking 46, 48 and 50 cents.

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SEASON TICKET DAY FRIDAY

Only 550 Chautauqua All-Program Admissions Are to Be Disposed of by Committee.

At an enthusiastic meeting of the local Chautauqua committee held last night it was decided to have Friday as season ticket day. There are only 50 season tickets to be sold this year. The season tickets may be had up to Saturday night and at that time will be taken off sale. A special price is made to soldiers in uniform, returned soldiers, their wives and the wives of soldiers now overseas.

Chautauqua opens in Nelson Monday, Aug. 19, and it is very probable that all the tickets will be disposed of several days in advance of the opening. The elaborate program which the Chautauqua presents this year insures a large atendance. There has been a much larger demand for tickets all over the country than the supply could satisfy. In Edmonton there was such an urgence for them that on the second day of the Chautauqua many ticket holders were offered $5 for their tickets.

People in over 250 towns in western Canada have been delighted this summer by the Chautauqua program which is given by the leading thinkers from all over the world. The best of musical talent will delight you with their patriotic music as well as their selections from the classics. The lecturers are giving messages from government, trench, training camp and home. Edward F. Trefz, a member of the United States food administration board, brings a message that the committee members state alone is worth the price of a season ticket.

Season tickets may be obtained from any of the local Chautauqua committee. F. W. Sterling has charge of the ticket sale. Tickets may also be obtained from W. E. Wasson at the city hall.

A third of the number of tickets obtainable have already been promised.

F. J. Boles is chairman of the advertising committee and not W. S. King, as stated yesterday.

ALLEGED INSANE WOMAN TAKEN TO COAST

Malicia Stoshoff, Doukhobor, who was committed for medical examination on a charge of insanity, was taken to the Westminster asylum last evening by Chief Constable J. Macdonald of the provincial police. The woman was a resident of Sunshine Bay and was considered dangerous in the community by several witnesses who testified that they had been attacked by her or had seen others made targets for rocks thrown by by her.

MRS. SKIFFINGTON IS RELEASED FROM PRISON

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Mrs. F. Sheeby Skiffington, who since her deportation from Ireland, has been detained in Holloway prison, has been released. The authorities informed her that she must not return to Ireland without permission.

Mrs. Skiffington eluded the vigilance of the police and went to Ireland Aug. 3. She was arrested in Dublin Aug. 8. Mrs. Skiffington is the widow of F. Shehy Skiffington, formerly editor of the Irish Citizen.

CZECHS WELCOME ALLIED TROOPS NOW IN RUSSIA

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Aug. 12.—British troops which were landed at Vladivostok have proceeded to the Usuri river front, where they were given an enthusiastic welcome by the Czecho-Slovak forces, with whom they are cooperating, according to an official statement issued here tonight.

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NOTHING TO SAY OF VOTE--TALLON

President of Machinists Organization at Winnipeg Declines to Speak About McAdoo Award

WINNIPEG, Aug. 12.—R. J. Tallon, president of the machinists organization for Canada, declined to give details of the result of Sunday's vote in respect to the local attitude on the McAdoo award. "We wired today to the war board for a conference," said Mr. Tallon. "This will be held in Montreal and I shall attend, together with Charles Dickie, secrttary of the division, and Frank McKenna of Vancouver, our vice-president.

"Members of our executive board may also attend. It is probable that this conference will open in Montreal next Monday and Mr. Dickie, Mr. McKenna and myself will probably proceed east on Wednesday. Mr. McKenna is expected to reach the city tomorrow. We, with other representatives of the executive board, will present the men's case and the decision arrived at with the war board will govern the attitude in respect to the sugested general strike of all the railway shop employees in Canada. All the railway shopment throughout the United States are making protests similar to our own."

MOTHER AND DAUGHTERS SUICIDE OVER MONEY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MALDEN, Mass., Aug. 12.—Mrs. John A. Perry and her three daughters, ranging in ages from 9 to 16 years, were found dead in a gas filled room at their home here Sunday. A note near the bodies indicated, according to the police, that there had been a family dispute over money matters and that the mother and daughters entered into an agreement to end their lives.

CLAIMS WILLIAM HEARST DINED WITH BERNSTORFF

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Morton E. Lewis, state attorney-general, declared in a statement last night that he could show by a series of affidavits that William Randolph Hearst, the newspaper publisher, had dined at his home, at the same time on one or more occasion with Bolo Pasha, recently executed by France for treason, and Count von Bernstorff, the former German ambassador to the United States.

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