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Traveling Montenegrins Are Killed and Robbed Says Official Statement

London, Feb. 8.—The following statement has been issued by the Montenegrin consul-general here: "Complete anarchy reigns in Albania, which is continuously being..."

EIGHT BRAVE MEN

FOILED GERMAN FORCE

Handful of Belgians Held Point on Line Until Reinforcements Came

Northern France, Feb. 8.—Every day, along hundreds of miles of trenches, men are doing splendid deeds of courage that will never be made public, for this is the war of the unknown heroes."

A patrol of eight Belgians, with a machine gun, saw a small column of Germans advancing to storm the trenches at the weak point. In moments like that a man must act quickly, and he must not always do the most obvious thing.

SOLDIERS CHOOSE

THEIR OWN SONGS

Many of Those Sung by Men in British Ranks Have Old Traditions

London, Feb. 8.—On the "way to Tipperary" the war began, and on the "way to Tipperary" it will end, for the tune has got too good a start to be ever caught up with by any successor: "Tipperary" is not a classic, but it is as good as a "Lillibulero," for which its author, Lord Wharston, claimed that he had wasted King James out of a kingdom with it, and which went on being whistled for another thirty years through all the fighting in Flanders."

The army's songs, then, the army will choose for itself. As well try to impose on them a new version of the national anthem as to teach them folk songs. It is not that all want "Tipperary," or to stick to it and nothing else. It all like to be alike to begin with, which is one of the reasons men enlist as well as the reason for popular songs, there arrives a time when men like disaffection. After the war it will be no least to say one was with the army, but fathers will tell their sons: "I was one of the London Scottish," or "I was a battalion of the Suffolks," or "I was the Welsh regiment," or "My corps was one of the Soccer Brigade" (professional footballers).

Now in the army that has made its traditions, with "men that fought at Minden," the regiments have tunes of which they are as proud as the names of the battles in their colors. Some of the tunes are known to every one. "Tis my delight on a shiny night" belongs by right to the Lincolnshires. The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry alone can march past to "One and All," and one should expect "Dye ken John Peel" to belong to the regiment of the border that bred him.

One may wonder why the West Yorkshires go past to the song of "Ca ira! Ca ira! Les aristocrates la lanterne!" The answer is a hundred years old. The regiment picked it up at the camp of Famars from a regiment that was singing the revolutionary chant, and the story goes that Colonel Doyle led them to an assault shouting "Come on, lads; we'll beat them to their own tune!"

The Campbells are Coming," was the quickest of the old Seventy-fourth, which was played by one of its pipers who was among the first to scale the walls of Badajoz. It is the tune also traditionally associated with the Relief of Lucknow. The regiment is proud of its tune. Yet custom not less than tradition endears a tune to soldiers who have heard it "from Birr to Bareilly, from Leeds to Lahore." Or how would one explain the attraction which "I'm ninety-five, I'm ninety-five, And to keep single I'll contrive" should have for the Rifle Brigade, or why the West Surrey regiment should sing "We'll sing the martial spirit, you toun" stirring to the martial spirit.

Evidently the tune's the thing that offends goes. The cavalry regiments have, as a rule, no official march past, but "Annie Laurie" is immensely popular with most of them. Perhaps it is the reminiscent melancholy of the air. "The bonniest lad that e'er I saw, Bonnie laddie, Highland laddie," is a favorite with the Scots Guards and all the Highland regiments; and nobody who has heard it played as they marched to it will ask why. With the exception of the sounding "March, march, Eskdale and Liddesdale, All the blue bonnets are over the border," which belongs to the King's Own Borderers, it is the most exhilarating of marching tunes.

But the list of regimental tunes is almost inexhaustible. The East Yorkshires march past to "Yorkshire Lass"; the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment) have "Bonnie English Rose." The Royal North Lancashires have naturally appropriated "Lancashire Lads"; the South Staffordshires "Lasses and Lads" with equal fervor. The Welsh regiment marches to "Ap shenkin." The Durham Light Infantry has "The Light Barque;" the Highland Light Infantry "Whistle over the lave o' it" (in English, "Whistle over the rest of it") and the Royal Marine Light Infantry "A Life on the Ocean Wave."

There are an equal number with tunes that seem appropriate to those who do not know how or when they were adopted, but there is in truth a reason for them all, and always an interesting reason.

THREE OFFICERS DEAD AND FIVE WOUNDED

London, Feb. 8.—The following casualty list has been given out at the headquarters of the expeditionary force: Killed—Northland, Lieut. Viscount T. U. C., Coldstream Guards; Shapter, Lieut. L. H., Suffolk regiment. Died of Wounds—Stevenson, Second Lieut. E. D., Seaforth Highlanders. Wounded—Currie, Lieut. D. R., Royal Scots (Lothian regiment); Douglas, Capt. J. H. M., Sherwood Foresters; O'Brien, Second Lieut. J. J., Leinster regiment; Stacke, Lieut. H. Fitz M., Westmoreshire regiment; Stewart, Lieut. J. A., Royal Munster Fusiliers.

PARIS, FEB. 8.—RESUMPTION OF

Austrian attacks on all Montenegrin positions along the banks of the Drina, in the mountains near Dorado, are reported in a dispatch to the Havas agency from Cetinje. It is stated that the Austrian fire was silenced by the Montenegrin artillery.

FOOD SPECULATION FORBIDDEN.

Warsaw, Feb. 8.—Military orders have been issued prohibiting speculation in food or other necessities of life under penalty of court-martial. Since this regulation went into effect, artificially advanced prices have fallen 25 per cent.

BREAD HIGHER IN SEATTLE.

Seattle, Feb. 8.—The Seattle master bakers' association announced that it has decided, owing to the high cost of flour, to raise the price of bread from 5 cents a loaf to 6 cents, and from 10 cents for a large loaf to 12 cents.

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MEANWHILE THE GERMANS PRESSED ON

never giving up their approach had been seen. In solid formation they marched along the road till they were within 200 yards of the farmhouse with its hidden heroes. Thus near they were allowed to come, for in the fight of the few with the many every shot of the former must tell.

GERMANS SURPRISED.

Suddenly, to the consternation of the grey-coated Germans, a rifle shot rang out from the lonely farm that had seemed so silent. A man in the front rank fell with a surprised grunt. Then the Belgian gun took up the song of death and led the terrible chorus. The Germans pressed on bravely, their officers urging them forward with hoarse cries, but there came a time when discipline had to bow to death, and the first rush was stayed. Behind their rough shelter the Belgians fired steadily. They knew that every shot must tell, and they aimed coolly, as men who face a target for a prize. The German advance guard, with which they were now in action, outnumbered them by at least twenty to one, but this fact only put the more heart into them.

UNEQUAL FIGHT.

For two hours the unequal fight raged, and still the Belgians picked off individual Germans or melted down any threatening rush with a machine gun spray of flame and death. But the end of the gallant little fort in the farmhouse was near. When it became evident that to storm this mere heap of bricks, with its garrison of heroes, would cost too dear, the Germans sent word back to a battery. Presently shells began to fall around. The first two went wide, a third burst against a wall and killed one of the gallant Belgians, and then a fourth fell right in their midst. The Germans raised so much of a cheer as they had heart for, and jumped to their feet. But they were too late; the men of the farmhouse fort had snatched safety for their fellows out of a most critical moment, and reinforcements had now been rushed to the Belgian position.

As the Germans came on they were met by a terrible volley, and a party of Belgian infantry greeted them with fixed bayonets. There was a short, desperate struggle, but in a few moments the German attack was a thing of the past. Their hope of rushing a small body of men against the weak place to follow had been shattered. Now there was breathing time, and the Belgians entered the ruined farmhouse. Three of the brave defenders were dead, and the five who lived were desperately wounded. They were carried back to the Belgian lines, and now lie in a base hospital, all with a good chance of striking another blow at the enemy. Ask the five heroes of the farm as they lie in their hospital cots, and they will say, "It was nothing; we happened to be there—that is all." And it is because in every crisis men of their type happen to be there that the task of beating back the Germans is carried on with such courage and hope.

DUKE WILL INSPECT TROOPS AT WINNIPEG

Ottawa, Feb. 8.—His royal highness the governor-general will visit Winnipeg to inspect the second contingent before it leaves for the front, and, according to present expectations, will arrive at the western metropolis on February 15. He will be accompanied by Colonel Stanton, his military secretary, and by two aides.

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EFFECT OF THE WAR ON BRITISH TRADE

London, Feb. 8.—The effect of the war on British trade again is apparent in the figures given out by the board of trade for January. These show that in that month imports decreased by \$3,020,000, and that exports decreased by \$97,780,000. Food imports increased \$36,250,000, but this was offset by the decline in manufactured articles and raw materials in which cotton showed a decrease of \$17,500,000. In exports the decrease of coal amounted to \$8,750,000, and in manufactured articles the decrease was \$85,000,000. Of this last mentioned amount, \$30,000,000 is found in cotton textiles.

FOR ITALIAN VOLUNTEERS.

Genoa, Feb. 8.—Ricciotti Garibaldi, who has lost two sons on the French side in the present war, passed through here on his way to Paris and London to consult with the French and British authorities in the matter of the standing of Italian volunteers in the armies of the allies.

UNITED STATES' PROTEST STILL BEING CONSIDERED

Washington, Feb. 8.—Publication in the press of the text of the German official memorandum on zones of safety produced a profound impression on officials and diplomats in the national capital, who are still awaiting the official text. President Wilson and his cabinet have come to no decision as to whether or not there will be any protest from the United States government.

REPORTED TO HAVE MADE NIGHT ATTACKS AT PASS

Venice, Feb. 7.—A telegram from Budapest says the Russians appear to have changed their tactics. Contrary to their usual custom they are now making night attacks, it is stated. They made three desperate attempts one night to force the Austro-Hungarian line and break through the Pass in the Carpathians. The Russians have collected very large forces with the object of breaking up the Austrian offensive. Very severe fighting is in progress but the operations are impeded by snow.

EARTH HOLDS GERMS.

Lille, France, Feb. 7.—The German army surgeons have held a conference here relative to tetanus which has become prevalent among the wounded. Papers were read to show that the earth in this region is infected with the tetanus germs and that even the slightest contact of wounds with the earth is dangerous.

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Foreign Office Issues Statement About Merchant Ships' Use of Neutral Flag

London, Feb. 8.—The use of the American flag by the British steamer Lusitania, of the Cunard Line, in its voyage across the Irish Sea, has aroused great interest, and although it did not mention this instance specifically, the British foreign office issued a statement last night dealing with such usage in a general way. It argues that the only effect in the case of a merchantman flying a neutral flag would be to compel a belligerent ship to investigate the nationality of the vessel and the character of her cargo before capturing her. It is pointed out in this statement also that by the Merchant Shipping Act of 1884, foreign vessels are permitted to use the British colors for the purpose of escaping capture.

From stories told by passengers on the Lusitania it would appear that the captain of the liner received his instructions to hoist the Stars and Stripes from the British admiralty. Already he had been warned of the presence in these waters of German submarines.

A Birmingham magistrate, Joseph Sturge, who was returning from a trip to the United States aboard the Lusitania, said that the voyage had been uneventful until the steamer arrived off the Irish coast on Friday morning. "Then on an intimation from the admiralty," Mr. Sturge said, "we hoisted the American flag, which caused some sensation among the passengers. We proceeded under the American colors but the British flag was re-hoisted at Liverpool."

Officials here hold strongly to the view that in the use of a neutral flag, British ships bearing neutral passengers, particularly Americans, are fully justified in taking whatever measures are deemed necessary to save life.

London, Feb. 8.—Commenting editorially on the use of a neutral flag by British merchantmen, the Daily Express says that while such action may be legally consistent, it nevertheless will disturb British public opinion.

"In our case above all others," says the Daily Express, "such tactics will seem inexpedient and even humiliating to the British mind. Since when has the Union Jack become a color to be hauled down timidly, or an inadequate protection on all seas? The whole affair leaves a very disagreeable taste in the mouth of England.

"We do not presume to question or criticize the admiralty, but our confidence in the admiralty and the navy is such that we are bound to regret profoundly a resort to subterfuge which, while it in no way excuses German policy, may give the enemy and neutral nations an opportunity to sneer, which we are least inclined to tolerate."

**SAYS HE PUT TO DEATH EIGHT INMATES OF HOME**

Yonkers, N. Y., Feb. 8.—Investigation of Fred Mors' story that he put to death eight aged and infirm inmates of the German Old Fellows' home here because they were old and a nuisance has extended to physicians who are said to have signed the death certificates in some of the cases. Adam Banerter, superintendent of the home, and three porters are under arrest as material witnesses. Mors is in Bellevue hospital, New York city, under the surveillance of alienists.

According to the story told by Mors when he walked into the district attorney's office in New York several days ago, five inmates were killed with an anaesthetic and three with other drugs.

**INSURRECTION NOT FEARED IN PHILIPPINES**

Manila, Feb. 8.—Insular officials here characterize as groundless the fears of an insurrection at Cebu, which led to the patrolling of the streets. No arrests have been made and no documents seized. Rumors of impending troubles are declared to have been founded upon baseless reports.

Private dispatches received at Manila on February 6 reported that patrols of constabulary had checked what was believed to be an insurrectionary movement, but that there had been no disorders.

**WILL NOT SELL CARGO TO RELIEF COMMISSION**

London, Feb. 8.—The owners of the cargo of the American steamer Wilhelmina, on the way from New York to Hamburg with food supplies for Germany, have intimated to the commission for the relief of Belgium that its offer for the purchase of the cargo will not be considered.

**BRITISH COLUMBIA FISH AND LUMBER IN DEMAND**

Ottawa, Feb. 8.—That war conditions have resulted in a large demand for the fish and lumber products of British Columbia, is the news contained in a report just received by the department of trade and commerce from Harrison Watson, Canadian trade commissioner in London.

**DACIA AT NORFOLK**

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 8.—The steamer Dacia, transferred recently from German to American registry, and now on her way to Rotterdam with a cotton cargo from Galveston, arrived here yesterday for coal before proceeding across the Atlantic.

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**SPAIN WILL BUY ARMS IN THE UNITED STATES**

Madrid, Feb. 8.—Senor Oviedo, director of the government armament works, and Lieut.-Colonel Rivera, of the artillery have started on an official mission to the United States to purchase arms from American manufacturers. It has been confirmed officially that the Spanish government soon will purchase several aeroplanes from American firms.

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To the Editor, I spent several hours yesterday reading and digesting the sixteen-and-a-quarter columns almost a book-length novel of defence of himself and of the government of which he is a member...

Table with columns for various locations (Penticton, Nelson, Calgary, etc.) and temperature data (Max, Min).

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SHORTHAND. ROYAL SHORTHAND AND BUSINESS SCHOOL, 205 E. Deben-Bone Bldg.

PAWNSHOPS. AARONSON'S LOAN OFFICE moved to 1218 Government street.

ROCK BLASTING. ROCK BLASTING—J. Paul, 1984 Quadra.

TRUCK AND DRAY. VICTORIA TRUCK & DRAY CO. LTD. Office and stables, 76 Broughton St.

TURKISH BATHS. VICTORIA TURKISH BATHS, 531 Yates street (entrance in lane).

WATCHMAKERS AND JEWELERS. JEVES & TELFER have removed to 1319 Douglas street.

MISCELLANEOUS. BACK TO THE LAND—I can locate you on good pre-emption, transportation and reclaiming district.

EXCHANGE. McLAUGHLIN CAR, perfect condition; model '27; small 5-seater wanted in trade.

ROOMS AND BOARD. TO BANK CLERKS, ETC.—English family will take four or five gentlemen as paying guests.

MONEY TO LOAN. WE HAVE the following idle balances for loan on improved city property.

SITUATIONS WANTED—(Male). YOUNG MAN wants work; board and small remuneration.

WANTED—ACREAGE. ACREAGE WANTED—10 to 20 acres, improved or unimproved, near city line.

FOR SALE—LOTS. A FEW REMARKABLY LOW PRICED HOMESITES—Oak Bay, big corner, 81, Patrick, 26, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150.

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B. C. COPPER STRIKES NINETY CENT LEVEL

Prices of Victoria Stock List Have General Strong Tendencies

Table listing various stock prices including Blackbird Syndicate, B. C. Refining Co., and others.

DAY WAS QUIET ON WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Feb. 8.—The wheat market was quiet generally and prices comparatively steady.

SINKING MARKET FOR WHEAT AT CHICAGO

Table showing wheat market data for Chicago, including prices for various grades and contracts.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Table showing cotton market data for New York, including prices for different grades.

METAL MARKETS

Table showing metal market prices for various commodities like copper and silver.

C. P. R. DIVIDEND

Montreal, Feb. 8.—The Canadian Pacific railway this afternoon declared its regular quarterly dividend of 2 1/2 per cent.

COURT TITLE AT S. AKE

New York, Feb. 8.—Walter A. Innes, of the New York Squash club, and John White, of the New York Racquet and Tennis club, have been matched to play for the professional court championship of America here on Saturday, Feb. 20.

QUEBEC'S LIEUT. GOVERNOR ILL.

Quebec, Feb. 8.—Lieut. Governor Langelle took a bad turn yesterday and it is said that he may die at any moment.

WISH TO OBSERVE

Berlin, Feb. 8.—United States military attaches are reported to have arrived at Cracow to observe army operations now in progress.

NO GOVERNMENT ORDER TO USE NEUTRAL FLAG CANADA WILL HELP TO UTMOST LIMIT

Ambassador Page Sends Report to U. S. Government on Lusitania Incident

London, Feb. 8.—Walter Hines Page, American ambassador in London, today forwarded to the state department at Washington a report on the Lusitania flag incident.

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As yet no official communications concerning the use of the American flag by a British vessel have passed between the American and the British governments.

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Naval officers recalled that the navy regulations permit a warship to fly another flag than its own, but specifically require it must be hoisted down and the ship's own flag must be hoisted before a shot is fired.

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All the authorities of international law and the manual in use at the naval college justify the use of other flags on warships.

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Chairman Stone, of the senate foreign relations committee, a White House caller today, said that in his opinion the flying of the American flag by the Lusitania was "an improper use of the flag."

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Senator Stone adds that it would be possible for congress to adopt a resolution protesting against the incident, but that he thought it a matter to be handled entirely by the executive branch of the government.

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Speaker Sproule considered that the bill was not one which could be introduced by a private member, as it relates to the trade of the country.

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Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Robert Borden spoke later. Both leaders affirmed the determination of the people of Canada to help the motherland to the utmost limits of their power in the present struggle against Germany and her allies.

SAYS ARNOLD WAS BEHIND TRANSACTIONS

Brother of Late Managing Director of Dominion Trust Speaks of Syndicate Eight

Vancouver, Feb. 8.—That the late William R. Arnold, managing director of the Dominion Trust Company, was the real personage behind the Syndicate Eight transactions, in which the Dominion Trust lost over a million dollars, and that the Syndicate Eight transactions had been carried out under a power of attorney of William Philip, of Kamloops, without the slightest knowledge of Mr. Philip that such an account as Syndicate Eight existed, was the statement made in an open council today by C. S. Arnold, brother of the late W. R. Arnold.

VANCOUVER ASKS FOR CHARTER AMENDMENTS

Power to Clean Up Haunts of Criminals is Sought by City

This morning the private bills committee of the legislature took up the Vancouver city bill, in which a number of amendments to the charter are asked. Consideration of these will occupy the next couple of days.

STILL SKIRMISHING IN SHIP BILL FIGHT

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The Canada Life Assurance Company advertisement detailing financial performance and dividends.

Vancouver asks for charter amendments advertisement regarding criminal haunts.

Obituary Record listing deaths of Elvira McMartin and Joseph Haselwood King.

Consul-General for Russia at Seattle advertisement.

Dividend declared on C.P.R. stock to-day advertisement.

Monastery damaged advertisement regarding Monte Casino.

4% advertisement for The Great West Permanent Loan Company.

