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ALSACE-LORRAINE MUST BE FRENCH

Paris, Sept. 7.—France will not compromise on the recovery of Alsace-Lorraine, Premier Ribot said yesterday in an address delivered in connection with the celebration of the anniversary of the Battle of the Marne.

SCENE OF TRIUMPH REVISITED BY JOFFRE

He and Other Leaders Went to Battleground of the Marne. Fere Champenoise, France, Sept. 7.—Marshal Joffre yesterday reviewed a scene of his triumph of three years ago, when he turned back the Germans at the Marne.

SIR JOHN EATON NEW QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—Hon. Col. Sir John Eaton will succeed Major-General D. A. Macdonald, C. M. G., as Quartermaster-General of the Canadian forces.

GERMANS CONTINUE ATTACKING HOSPITALS

Bombed French Centre Over Six Hours; Killed German Soldiers. Grand Headquarters of the French Army in France, Sept. 6.—Via London, Sept. 7.—(By the Associated Press).

CLEVER WORK BY CANADIANS IN LENS

How Troop From British Columbia Took a Row of Houses. Canadian Headquarters in France, Sept. 6, via London, Sept. 7.—(By the Canadian Overseas Correspondent).

HUNGARIANS DESIRE FOOD FOR OWN USE

Copenhagen, Sept. 7.—Hungary, which has acquired a reputation in the Central Empires as a land flowing with milk and honey, where eggs, butter and white bread are still to be obtained, has been compelled to close her gates to swarms of her allies.

EDUCATIONAL EFFORT IN NEW YORK CITY

New York, Sept. 7.—The most extensive educational campaign ever undertaken to Americanize New York city's foreign population, of whom it is estimated a half million cannot speak or read English, will be undertaken in the fall by the Mayor's committee on national defence.

TWELVE NAMED BY LAURIER TO ACT UNDER ARMY LAW

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier handed to Sir George Foster yesterday afternoon, in the absence from the House of Sir Robert Borden through temporary indisposition, the list of twelve men whom the Prime Minister asked the Opposition Leader to name as members of the board of selection appointed by joint resolution of both Houses of Parliament to select members of the local tribunals throughout Canada under the Military Service Act.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—The following British Columbia casualties have been announced: Infantry. Killed in action—Pte. J. H. Cooke, Vancouver.

STARVATION AIDED RUSSIAN REVOLUTION

Toronto, Sept. 7.—The Russian revolution was brought about because the people were on the verge of starvation, according to Sir George Bury, vice-president of the C. P. R., who was the guest of honor at the directors' luncheon at the Canadian National Exhibition here yesterday.

REICHMANN WILL BE MADE BRIG.-GENERAL

New York, Sept. 7.—An Associated Press dispatch from Washington says that the confirmation of Col. Carl Reichmann as a brigadier-general will be recommended by two of the three Senators who heard testimony on charges of disloyalty laid against him by Mrs. James Anderson, of Victoria.

CALL FOR VOTES FOR ALL CANADIAN WOMEN

Vancouver, Sept. 7.—The Vancouver Trades and Labor Council last evening passed a motion protesting against the manner in which the Dominion Government intends to extend a partial franchise to women and calling upon Sir Robert Borden to give all women of the Dominion full powers at the polls, as the men have.

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EXCITING SCENE IN SENATE AT OTTAWA DURING ARMY DEBATE. Ottawa, Sept. 7.—A scene unparalleled in the history of the Senate occurred yesterday afternoon, when Senator Choquette was named by Speaker Bolduc, and Sir James Loughheed, the Government leader, threatened to move his suspension unless he apologized to the Speaker.

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PROVISION MADE FOR TWO WOODEN SHIPS

Commons' Course Regarding Connection Between B. C. and Atlantic Coast

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—When an item for the building of two wooden ships to operate between the Atlantic coast of Canada and British Columbia through the Panama Canal was being considered in committee of the House of Commons last evening, J. H. Sinclair, Liberal, Guysboro, N.S., said the proposition to build two wooden ships was not a policy at all.

Hon. Frank Cochrane said nobody called it a policy but Mr. Sinclair. Nobody, however, would benefit more by the building of those two ships than Nova Scotia would.

Hon. J. D. Reid declared that he knew all about the negotiations leading up to the decision to build these two ships. British Columbia had declared that it had large quantities of produce for which it could find markets in the Maritime Provinces, while there were many products in the Maritime Provinces which British Columbia desired to purchase. Such inter-provincial trade, however, was impossible on account of the high railway freight rates. He had suggested a line of steamships running through the Panama Canal between British Columbia and the Maritime Provinces. Dr. Reid had told them, and he believed he had proved to be a true prophet, that if they just had a little patience this Government would do two things for them. It would give them transportation by vessel between the Atlantic and the Pacific and a Government-owned and operated transcontinental railway on which the Government would control the rates.

A. K. Maclean—They will live to call you a false prophet.

Dr. Reid—My honorable friend appears to fear that the Canadian Northern bill will not go through. I say it will go through, and he will have a

railway owned and operated by the people.

The item for the two wooden ships carried.

On the orders of the day A. K. Maclean asked the Minister of Trade and Commerce if he had succeeded in securing any abatement of the prohibition of the importation of apples into the United Kingdom.

Sir George Foster replied that he was unable to hold out any hope as yet that the embargo would be lifted. He expected to be in a position to make a statement to the House of Commons on the question in a few days.

GERMANY STAKING ALL ON U BOATS BUT WILL FAIL

London, Sept. 7.—Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.—In conversation with a representative of Reuter's, a British naval authority, speaking of the submarine menace said it must be remembered that Germany was staking everything on her U boat warfare. Therefore signs of its being intensified were not surprising.

"There are indications," he said, "of larger submarines, approximately of the cruiser type, being turned out." However, Germany has no prospect of success within the time she is likely to have at her disposal, for with Germany there must be a time limit.

"In combatting the submarine we are being greatly and increasingly helped by the United States and Japan. As regards to offensive measures and anti-submarine, admirably precise figures cannot be given, but the outlook is hopeful."

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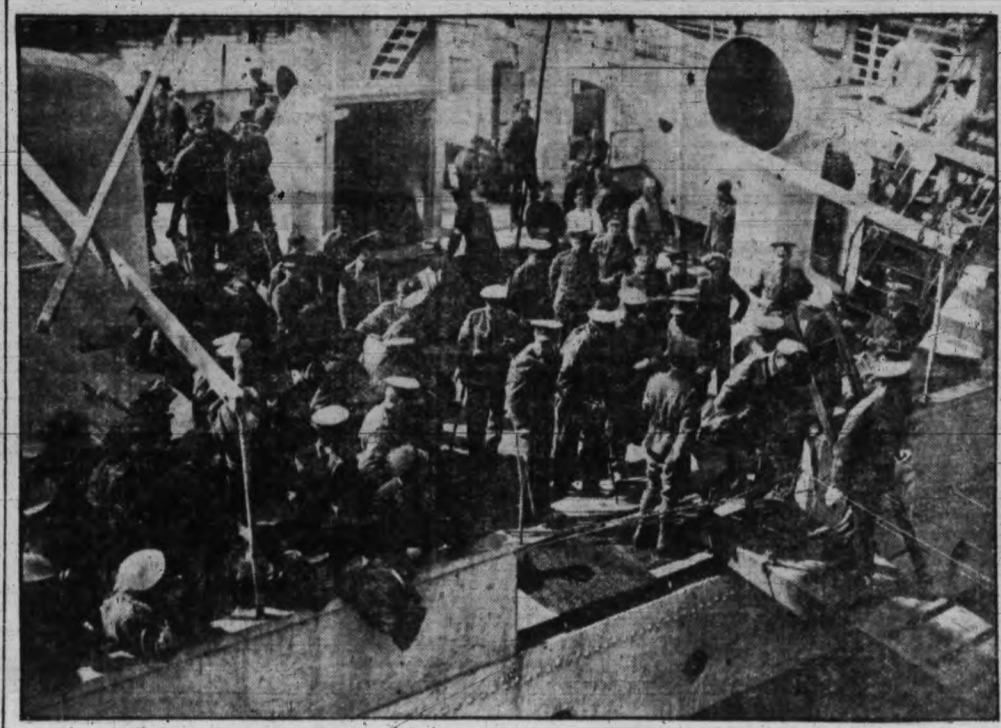
BANK CLEARINGS.

Edmonton, Sept. 7.—The bank clearings here this week were \$2,201,455; last year \$1,627,720.

Moose Jaw, Sept. 7.—The bank clearings here for the week were \$387,254.

Saskatoon, Sept. 7.—The bank clearings here for the past week were \$1,429,474.

A Scene at an East Coast Port



A view showing a party of returned soldiers debarking from a transport at one of the ports on the Atlantic coast of Canada. At the ports used the Military Hospitals Commission has provided accommodations for the men, its temporary charges at the coast after a transport arrives. As quickly as possible the men are sorted and sent inland or to the Pacific Coast to the permanent military hospitals.

LADY BLANCHE CAVENDISH PLANS VISIT TO COAST

Winnipeg, Sept. 7.—Lady Blanche Cavendish, daughter of the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General of Canada, and a small party, passed through the city Wednesday en route to the coast.

Love blinds some men, and it makes lots of others too nearsighted for military service.

FRANCHISE MEASURE CALLED VOTE-GETTER

Toronto Trades and Labor Council Condemns Borden Party's Bill

Toronto, Sept. 7.—The proposed franchise act offered by the Borden Government in Parliament was discussed and condemned last night by the Toronto Trades and Labor Council. The act was termed "a vote-getter," and it was said "the Borden Government is trying to legislate itself back into power by legislation and not by the vote of the people."

Secretary T. A. Stevenson, who proposed the resolution, spoke of the "strong legislative" and undemocratic procedure. The Borden party intended to disenfranchise citizens whom it called aliens, he said.

The resolution as finally passed reads as follows:

"That this district council go on record as opposed to the proposed franchise act as published in the press, recognizing that it is merely a measure of party politics, just as in the past political parties have been guilty of crowding the same people on the voters' list without proper qualifications. The bill, so far as we can understand, aims to cut these same people off the lists."

NEED NOT RETURN WHEAT AND FLOUR

Buenos Ayres, Sept. 7.—The Foreign Minister has notified the British Minister that it will be unnecessary for Great Britain to return to the Argentine Government 180 tons of wheat and 30,000 tons of flour shipped to England after the food embargo. Great Britain had promised to return the wheat and flour if Argentine required it. The present stocks here make unnecessary the return.

WAR REVENUE BILL IN UNITED STATES

Washington, Sept. 7.—With the final vote on the income tax section of the war revenue bill set for late this afternoon, Senate high tax advocates to-day made their last stand at wealth conscription. They had lost their fight to secure higher war profits taxes and concentrated their efforts to-day on attempts to raise the levies on big incomes.

It was expected that the final vote this afternoon would result in retention of the Finance Committee's income tax provisions, designed to bring in about \$82,000,000—\$482,300,000 from individuals and \$360,000,000 from corporations.

COTTON IN RUSSIA.

Moscow, Sept. 7.—At the congress of cotton interests convoked by the Ministry of Agriculture, the central Asian growers declared that owing to the bad grain harvests and the difficulty in obtaining breadstuffs from outside, the cotton growing area was decreasing seriously. As they are threatened with starvation the growers will be obliged still more to extend the grain areas, with injurious results to the textile and explosives industries. Seventy per cent. of the home cotton goes to the army, leaving only 30 for textiles.

VEREGIN'S ATTITUDE.

Nelson, Sept. 7.—Peter Veregin, leader of the Doukhobor Society, declared here last night that he was opposed to conscription as far as the Doukhobors were concerned. The Doukhobors left Russia and came to Canada to avoid military service, he said, and they were still opposed to it. Doukhobors are exempted under the conscription bill, in common with other conscientious objectors. They would be exempt in any event as Doukhobors as long as they remained members of communities not naturalized.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS DEATH IN MONTREAL

Montreal, Sept. 7.—Mystery shrouds the death in the Montreal General Hospital yesterday of a man who gave his name as Frank Hansen when admitted as a patient on August 1 suffering from severe wounds in the head and two bullets in his back. He was taken from St. Lambert, where he was found in a semi-conscious condition beside the tracks of the Montreal & Southern Railway, but nothing seems to be known about him. He did not give the hospital authorities any information except his name.

AMERICANS REVIEWED BY FRENCH PRESIDENT

American Training Camp in France, Sept. 6.—Delayed—By the Associated Press.—Wearing their British trench helmets and looking very grim and warlike, the American troops passed in review before President Poincaré, head of the French Republic, to-day. They were massed in great solid squares and marching quickly to spirited American music. Presented a spectacle of unusual martial splendor. President Poincaré, addressing the troops later, said he had witnessed their demonstration with great emotion and felt that events were ever bringing the French and American people closer and closer together.

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THE ELECTION ACT.

Amendment of the clause in the "War-Time Election Act" discriminating against many patriotic, public-spirited Canadian women enfranchised by provincial legislation would ensure a fairly smooth passage for the measure through Parliament.

Under that clause some of the most devoted champions of women suffrage, including leaders of the movement for many years, will be disfranchised because they do not happen to be the wives, sisters or daughters of soldiers.

These women will not be permitted to vote, while among the beneficiaries of the Act will be the wives, daughters and sisters of the host of political officers who have not been to the front and who have no intention of going there.

As to the disfranchisement of enemy aliens, that is, aliens in sympathy with the enemy's cause, there cannot be but one opinion. At the same time, care must be taken to protect the rights of those citizens born in enemy countries who are serving Canada at the front or in war-work at home.

THE LIMIT OF DESPERATION.

The deliberate bombardment of hospitals behind the Allied lines by German aircraft is the extremity of madness. In its indiscriminate ferocity it reminds us of a wild beast in a cage biting at the bars and even at itself in its blind fury.

One of the hospitals bombed was maintained by contingents from Har-

vard and St. Louis. It is not hard to picture the impression the news of the outrage will have upon the American people. It will inflame public sentiment from ocean to ocean and rouse to the highest point the determination of the country to continue the war until the madmen responsible for these crimes are driven from the earth.

When the Prussian High Command considers it necessary to bomb military hospitals at the risk of killing wounded German soldiers we may conclude that its situation has become doubly desperate.

GERMANY'S "NINE MILLIONS."

In one of his recent chapters on his experiences in Germany formed United States Ambassador Gerard stated that Germany had "nine million effectives." This statement is so much at variance with the information at the disposal of military commentators who have access to the facts in the possession of the British and French intelligence services that we anticipated some criticism of it.

There was published the other day from the pen of a distinguished diplomatic neutral, as he was then (who had lived at the centre of things in Berlin for many months), I mean Mr. Gerard, the statement that the German Empire possessed (I think he meant in the spring of this year), at the present moment, "Nine million effectives." This statement was quoted widely, and I am afraid, believed. Well, that is the sort of statement which even an elementary public training in military estimates would render innocuous, but which a public ignorance of military estimates may render very dangerous.

Obviously if Germany had "nine million effectives" the Teutonic alliance would have a large numerical superiority over their foes, for at that rate, Austria would have about seven million, and Turkey and Bulgaria about three millions. In that case Germany not only would not be on the defensive in the West, but would be the attacking side.

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ANOTHER WAR LOAN.

An Ottawa dispatch yesterday announced that the fourth Canadian domestic loan would be floated in November. The amount required will be \$100,000,000 and the rate will net, the subscribers six per cent.

In a late issue The Monetary Times points out that as the third loan has been entirely placed with the ultimate investor only recently, the market for the next loan will be restricted. We cannot count on much help from the United States, which is busy subscribing for its own gigantic loans.

Thus the people of Canada will have to absorb practically the whole issue. It will be their patriotic duty to do so. It is imperatively necessary that sufficient funds shall be raised to support the country's efforts in the war.

To ensure the success of its fourth domestic loan, however, the Government must set up a nation-wide organization and conduct a campaign of education on the most comprehensive lines. It must exert itself in this direction as it never has exerted itself before.

WHERE GOMPER'S STANDS.

"Minneapolis, Sept. 5.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, late to-day pledged the united support of organized labor to the Government in its prosecution of the war, assailed peace propagandists and denounced the futile activities of those who would split labor's ranks on the question of war."

We commend Mr. Gompers' remarks to the attention of certain so-called labor leaders in Canada who have been talking rilly about a general strike when compulsory military service is enforced. The American Federation of Labor is probably the most powerful organization of its kind in the world.

While the system of saluting may be a desirable thing in the interests of discipline, it is quite conceivable that circumstances might arise in which it can be carried too far. For instance, it undoubtedly is pretty hard on a war-worn private back from the trenches to have to salute one of the hundreds of political officers in England who have not been to the front and have no intention of going to the front.

There will be far flying in Germany in a few weeks. Not long ago the Reichstag majority gave the Government a month in which to abolish its censorship of war discussion and threatened that if this were not done it would "adopt its own course," which means that it would hold up the war credits. The Government's answer so far is a revision of the censorship

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WIN-THE-WAR LEAGUE IS NOW ORGANIZED

Committee of 100 Members to Take in Hand Business of Movement

INTERESTING MEETING WAS HELD LAST NIGHT

Ex-Mayor Morley Was Howled Down; Said No Use Preaching to Converted

At a meeting called for the purpose in the large room of the Belmont House last night, the Win-the-War League of Victoria came into being as an organized body.

The One Desire. There was a fair attendance, made up equally of both sexes, with a number of returned soldiers here and there.

No sooner had the business of the evening got off to a start when one of the returned soldiers in the audience rose to inquire why the mover of the resolutions at the Royal Victoria Theatre had been Norman Yarrow.

Mr. Jackson turned us down on our main resolution and what I would like to know is why he has not championed the cause of the returned soldier in the House, because he has not done so.

Absence of a Big Man. One of the tragedies of Canada's war work in the opinion of Mr. Higgins was to be found in the melancholy fact that during the three most strenuous years of her existence there had been no big man rise with sufficient courage to insist upon the mobilization of all Canada's wealth and resources for consecration to the one great end of winning the war.

The Disabled Soldier. Mr. Higgins could see breakers ahead unless prompt action was taken by the Government in the provision of proper support for the dependents of the soldier and for the soldier himself.

defence of the flag from a salary position of a hundred dollars a month returned with a disability handicapping him perhaps sixty or seventy per cent.

Mr. Perry then traced the birth of the win-the-war movement and expressed his belief that before long its activities would be rewarded by the regeneration of Canada.

At this stage ex-Mayor Morley suggested that it was a pity that such excellent speeches should be more or less wasted on a small and already converted audience.

The fourth clause in the resolution passed at the Royal Victoria Theatre was by no means suitable to R. G. Dugman, who appeared before the meeting in his private capacity and not as President of the Great War Veterans' Association.

My own belief is that a farmer does come under the Employers' Liability Act, and I should very much like to prove my point.

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In a recent issue you published a list of articles which may no longer be exported from Great Britain. On this list appears vegetable seeds.

B. C. has one of the best climates in the world for raising and curing seeds, especially those of the leguminous or pod-bearing plants.

NOBODY KNOWS what may be the result of a neglected cut. Many a serious case of blood-poisoning has resulted from just such a small injury.

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of taxation, and that such form the terms of another resolution. A Pointed Question. It was pointed out to Mr. McDiarmid that the meeting had to discuss set resolutions and was not inclined to depart from that.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR. Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication should be sent to the Editor.

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT. To the Editor:—I would be glad if you would give publicity to these facts, and hope that some of your readers, or some insurance company, will tell me the true facts of the case.

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COMPLETE DENIAL OF VERACITY OF ALLEGATIONS MADE

Mrs. Stalker's and Father's Affidavits Give Second Phase of Guardianship Case

A complete denial of the truth of the allegations against her character contained in the affidavits of Martha Kenny and her daughter, Nora Kenny, is given in the sworn statement of Mrs. Edith Stalker, filed yesterday afternoon in the Supreme Court by her counsel, A. D. MacFarlane.

The affidavits filed by Mrs. Stalker and her father, R. Boulton, are in reply to those of Mrs. Martha Kenny and Nora Florence Kenny, relative to an application made by Mrs. Kenny to be appointed guardian of the children of the late Lieut. R. A. Stalker.

Married in England. In her affidavit Mrs. Stalker says that her home was originally in Liverpool, her father, R. Boulton, at the time residing in London.

The affidavit then declares that Mrs. Kenny and her daughters are of the Catholic Church and that her grandchildren were baptized into that faith.

Mrs. Stalker's statement then points out that her husband was ordered to the front in December of 1916 and that he was killed at Vimy Ridge in April.

Not Suitable Residence. The block in Prince Rupert where all had resided until this time was not considered a suitable residence for the children by Mrs. Stalker.

The affidavit continues by saying that two men, Gibbons and Doyle, friends of Mrs. Kenny's daughters, Nora and Ruth, were allowed to visit them in the Davis house.

Information has reached Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fleming, of 945 Fowl Bay Road, telling of the manner in which their son, Pte. Charles Harold Fleming, met his death at Courcellette.

Mr. Fleming was wounded in the charge we made, and I happened to see him fall. This was at 12.30 noon on the 26th.

Too Many Operations

The Right Medicine in Many Cases Does Better than the Surgeon's Knife. Tribute to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Doctor Said Operation or Death—But Medicine Cured. Des Moines, Iowa.—"My husband says I would have been in my grave today had it not been for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Richmond, Ind.—"For two years I was so sick and weak from female troubles that when going up stairs I had to go very slowly with my hands on the steps, then sit down at the top to rest.

Of course there are many serious cases that only a surgical operation will relieve. We freely acknowledge this, but the above letters, and many others like them, amply prove that many operations are recommended when medicine in many cases is all that is needed.

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30,000 PRISONERS IN ITALIANS' HANDS

Present Effort of Austrians Greatest of Which They Are Capable

Udine, Italy, Sept. 7.—About 30,000 prisoners have been taken to date by the Italian forces in their present offensive, while the total losses of the Austrians are estimated at 120,000.

HOW MEASURE WOULD AFFECT VOTING TOTAL

Estimates Based on Borden Party's Proposals for Next Election

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—Regarding the effect of the Borden party's War-Time Election Bill in determining the number of electors who will mark their ballots at the approaching election, it is impossible to give very definite figures at the present time.

SELECTION BOARD FOR NEW ARMY LAW

Formal Motion of Appointment Moved by Sir George Foster

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—Sir George Foster in the Commons this afternoon moved the formal motion appointing the board of election which is to select one member of each of the local tribunals to consider applications for exemption under the Military Service Act.

LEVER OF CREDITS UNDER THE JUNKERS

Centre Party in Reichstag Grows Bolder Regarding Parliamentary Reform

London, Sept. 7.—The Clerical Centre party in the German Reichstag, it is understood from reliable German sources, in order to prevent the initiative in the movement for parliamentary reform from falling into the hands of the Socialists, will back up firmly the declaration that Matthias Erzberger, the party leader, intends making before the Reichstag main committee, says Reuters' Amsterdam correspondent.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIANS PUT AT ABOUT 23,000 MEN

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—Advices which have been received in Ottawa confirm the report of Lieut.-General Sir Arthur Currie that the successful Canadian operations in France were not accomplished without heavy casualties.

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FINANCIAL NEWS

MONTRÉAL STOCKS

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.) Montreal, Sept. 7.—The local market for the most part continued dull and uninteresting. There were one or two strong spots, however, which gave the market a healthy appearance.

NEW YORK MARKET STILL UNSETTLED

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.) New York, Sept. 7.—There was an all round improvement in prices here in the early afternoon in which the tobacco stocks led. The steel issues and some of the railroads got above the previous close.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.) Chicago, Sept. 6.—The Government report which came out at the close of today's market, was as follows: Oats, condition, 904; month ago, 872; year ago, 787.

NEW YORK CURE

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.) Bid. Ask. Canada Copper 22 22 1/2 Standard Silver Lead 1 1/2

TO-DAY'S TRADING ON WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Sept. 7.—The demand for cash wheat continued active here today for all grades. Cash oats also was in good demand, but offerings were small and price spreads unchanged.

NEW YORK BOND MARKET

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.) Bid. Ask. U. K. five, 1918 97 1/2 U. K. 5-year, 1921 98 1/2

METAL MARKET

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.) Open High Low Last Dec. 20.00 20.00 20.10 20.25

HUNGARY MANAGES TO WIDEN GAP IN THE DUAL EMPIRE

Zurich, Sept. 7.—A report that the Hungarian Minister of the Interior intends to expel foreign residents from Budapest, including Viennese, who are unable to furnish reasons for remaining there, has caused intense irritation in Vienna.

GERMAN REPLY TO PROPOSAL OF POPE

Copenhagen, Sept. 7.—The new German committee, composed of seven members of the Reichstag and an equal number from the Bundesrat, formed for the purpose of bringing the Government into closer touch with the legislative bodies, probably will meet before September 12 to consider the German reply to Pope Benedict's peace proposals.

CARPENTIER COMING TO UNITED STATES

Paris, Sept. 7.—Georges Carpentier, the French pugilist and at present an aviator in the French army, according to The Herald, is going to the United States as an aviator instructor and will be stationed at Dayton, Ohio.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

Table with columns for American League and National League, listing games, scores, and key players.

CALDER AND OTHERS ARRIVE IN WINNIPEG; MAKE NO STATEMENT

Winnipeg, Sept. 7.—The arrival in this city today of Hon. James A. Calder and Hon. George Bell of Regina, and Hon. C. W. Cross, of Edmonton, has once more centred attention on possible political developments.

PRICE FOR WHEAT CROP THIS SEASON NOT SETTLED YET

Winnipeg, Sept. 7.—The Board of Grain Supervisors has not yet decided on a basic price for the 1917 Canadian wheat crop. It is said that an announcement need not be looked for until next week.

ACTS OF VIOLENCE IN SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, Sept. 7.—Eleven men were badly beaten, nine of whom were removed to hospitals, and five were arrested here early today in another outbreak of street rioting and acts of violence such as have almost daily marked the strike of 1,750 platform men of the United Railroads for recognition of their union, higher wages and shorter hours, since the walkout more than three weeks ago.

VOTES FOR ALL WOMEN PLAN OF LIBERALS

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—The Liberal members of the Commons and Senate were in caucus this forenoon to consider what course they will adopt in regard to the War-Time Election Bill introduced in the House of Commons yesterday by Hon. Arthur Meighen.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—There is a long list of names on a casualty list issued today under the heading "Previously reported missing; now for official purposes presumed to have died." Of the Canadians who suffered in recent fighting the list is considerably smaller today than has been the case for a week or more.

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

Advertisement for Imperial Bank of Canada, including capital information, branch details, and live stock and grain services.

MAY WALK OUT OF HOUSE IN A BODY

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—The Ottawa Evening Journal (Conservative) states in its news columns today that a battle royal is promised in the House of Commons over the franchise bill, and adds: "The probability is that the Government will apply the closure rule if the debate is unduly prolonged and Liberal members state that if the closure rule is resorted to they will walk out of the House in a body as a protest."

RESOLUTION ADOPTED IN SOUTH WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Sept. 7.—A "get-together" meeting of South Winnipeg Liberals and Conservatives held last night adopted the following resolution: "Realizing, as we do, the critical position of Canada today, and recognizing that the paramount issue for the Canadian people at the present time is the bringing of the war to a successful issue as early a date as possible, and that in order to accomplish this end there should be conscription of men, women, money and other resources, and realizing the importance of all electors in each constituency who hold similar views uniting for the purpose of electing a man pledged to such views, we therefore recommend that the electors in South Winnipeg endeavor to agree upon a union candidate pledged to support above everything else the views above set forth."

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WORKED IN HOLLAND AMONG THE REFUGEES

Miss Estelle King Speaks of Friends' War Victims Relief Movement

Something of what is being done among the Belgian refugees in Holland by the Society of Friends' War Victims Relief Committee was told before a small gathering of very interested people at the Friends' Hall, Fern Street, last evening.

First of all she explained the purpose of the relief organization to which she belongs. Formerly the relief of non-combatant victims of the war it set out under its auspices to France, Serbia, and Russia as well as Holland.

"In the last report I had about the work among the Serbian refugees I was told there has been established a colony in Corsica where the Serbs are being taught new agricultural methods.

"The Dutch work is not quite so thrilling as that in Serbia and Russia. One did not feel that the refugees in Holland would starve if the Friends did not go to their help.

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were also examples of the patchwork needlework done by the women, showing how scraps of unbleached linen and little bits of colored prints could be utilized in the manufacture of attractive slipper or brush pockets.

Boy Scout Movement. The popularity of the Boy Scout movement among the refugees was noted. This had been introduced by the Friends, and among the girls the "Guide" movement was almost equally popular.

Moveable Homes. In the evenings, every free hour, the conservation among the refugees turned upon the question of their return to their Belgian homes.

Wrestling, pick-a-back—Sergt. Leach and Pte. Picard. The Kinestery team put forth a mighty effort in this event but were no match for the husky and agile Westerners.

Baseball Game. The great event of the day, which brought the programme to a conclusion, was the baseball-match between Sluic camp and a combined team from Kippernach and Kinestery.

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A GAY LIFE. The boys of Sluic camp have formed a Sports and Recreation Club, with an energetic committee for the purpose of relieving the monotony of camp life.

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FORESTERS INTRODUCE BALL GAME TO SCOTS

Highlanders May Yet Become Fans; Victorians Shine in Athletics

The Victoria draft of the 230th Canadian Forestry Battalion, which left home on March 22 of this year and which now constitutes No. 122 Co., Canadian Forestry Corps, stationed at Sluic Camp, Forres, in the north of Scotland, is upholding in a splendid manner the honor of its home city in the field of sport.

Winners in Sports. The names of the winners who captured the various events for the Victorians follow: Three-legged race—Sergt. Watson, late Fire Chief of Victoria, and Pte. Picard.

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PTE. DENHAM GASSED

Is Second Time Victoria Boy Has Suffered Injuries on Battlefield; Left With 89th.



PTE. JAS. F. DENHAM

Denham, of 2769 Cedar Hill Road. This is his second visit to a hospital, for he suffered a gunshot wound in the right arm on November 18 of last year.

Pte. Denham left here with the 88th Battalion, and on arrival in England transferred to the 6th, whence he was drafted to the Canadian Corps Transport Company, with whom he was serving when he was incapacitated a second time.

He is 20 years of age, and prior to his enlistment was employed by The Times.

"WILL BE IN MIX-UP" WRITES CPL. WILLS

58th Battery, C. F. A., Probably Now Fighting in France

"By the time you get this we will be in France in the mix-up," writes Cpl. Archie Wills, formerly shipping editor of The Times, who went overseas more than a year ago with the 16th Brigade, C. F. A.

Cpl. Wills enclosed a copy of "The O-Pip," the racy little magazine which has reached a fourth issue prior to the departure over-Channel of the 58th Battery, to which he has been attached since the re-organization of the division last January.

Under "Things We Would Like to Know" is "Who Started This War?" The boys have gone to give their answer. May they drive the truth home in the proper quarter and come out all serene.

WRITES FROM DUG-OUT



GUNNER A. D. ANDERSON

Youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson, 545 Superior Street, a native son, proceeded overseas in June, 1915, with the 48th Battalion, transferred to the C. F. A. in England; wounded at the Battle of Somme; was invalided suffering from trench fever which developed into pneumonia; returned to his unit in France three months afterwards.

NATIVE SON WRITES OF HIS DUG-OUT LIFE

Gunner Anderson Says Fritz Will Be Beaten for Sure Next Year

The parents of Gunner A. D. Anderson received a letter this week which gives the following description of his dugout experiences:

I am down in an old German dugout about thirty feet below the surface. This dugout has been somewhat renovated by us to meet the requirements of an ideal telephone station.

The chair upon which I am now sitting was no doubt originally the property of some French peasant and very likely was purchased from a village nearby which has already figured very prominently in the history of this great war.

AT CAPE COLONY

H. W. Davies, after being without news for months, received a communication yesterday informing him of his son's transfer from the general hospital at Wynberg to Cape Colony. Pte. Stanley Davies is suffering from an illness contracted in service and his transfer was effected on June 17.

GIVES TESTIMONY TO SPLENDID WORK DONE

Soldier Writes From Hospital That His Doubts Re Red Cross Are Over

The following excerpt from a letter sent by one of the Victoria men now at the front, and who is suffering from gas poisoning, is very definite evidence of the good work which is being done by the Red Cross at the front, and should be an incentive to those at home to keep up their contributions and see the good work supported to the utmost:

"But let me tell you right here how much I wish the people in Victoria who are supporting the Red Cross would splendidly—know what splendid work the Red Cross does for us over in France and here, just when we need it most," he comments. "I used to be rather doubtful about their work, but that was due to ignorance. Now I have been through the mill, and it is simply wonderful. Every comfort, even to easy chairs (apart from the bare necessities provided by the Government) is put up by the Red Cross Funds."

"It would take too long here to go into further detail, but you can imagine some part of their work when I tell you that every nurse says that they don't know what they would do if it were not for the Red Cross. The British in London under Lady Drummond is 'carrying on' in the most wonderful way, and no one from Canada is lost sight of by them, visitors, flowers and other luxuries, papers, and arranging for sick leave, are only some of the things they look after, and one cannot speak too highly of their kindness to me, and will not lose any opportunity of saying so when I get back home. This is somewhat involved and will be hard reading, but when I think of the good work of the Red Cross I feel like a fire-brick turned on full, with a quarter-inch garden hose fastened on for an outlet."

FALLS IN ACTION

Pte. John Fair, of This City, Pays Supreme Sacrifice on European Battlefield.

Pte. John Fair was killed in action August 22, according to information contained in a telegram received by his father, David Fair, of 1515 Camosun Street, yesterday afternoon.

Pte. Fair, who was nineteen years of age, was a native of Paisley, Ontario. He came to Victoria in company with his parents fifteen years ago and was educated at the Boys' Central School.



PTE. JOHN FAIR

Following the outbreak of war he joined the 13rd Battalion, British Columbia Bantams, and went overseas with that unit in February last. Not long after his arrival in England he crossed to France, being attached to the 6th Battalion, and had been actively engaged at the front until he met his death.

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PTE. J. D. MURRAY WOUNDED

Son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Murray, of Irving Road, Suffers From Wound in Left Shoulder.

Pte. J. D. Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Murray, of 318 Irving Road, was wounded on August 22 and has been admitted to hospital suffering from the effects of a gunshot in the left shoulder.

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Advertisement for Hudson's Bay Company liquors, featuring 'Prohibition October 1 Liquors at Sacrifice Prices' and a list of various spirits and wines with prices.

