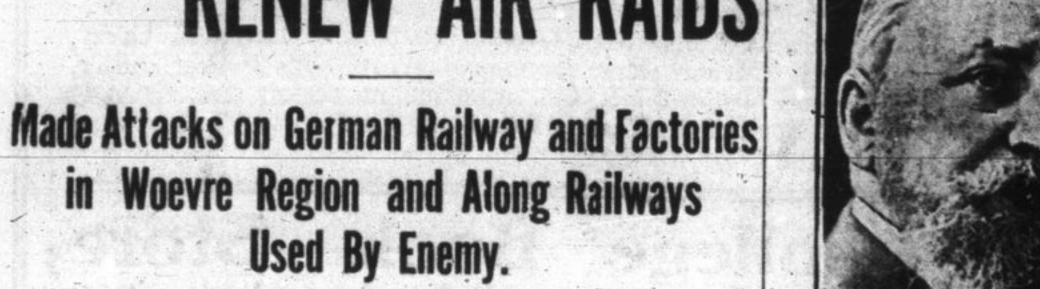
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FRENCH AVIATORS

ONTARIO, FRIDAY, AUGUST 27, 1915

BALKAN KINGS NEARLY READY TO ENTER WAR.



German Trenches Captured at Landersbach and Sondernach, Consolidating French Positions in That Region---**Enemy Started an Offensive in the Argonne** But it Was Speedily Halted.

(Special to the Whig.) Paris, Aug. 27.-French aviators renewed their raiding operations last night and early to-day, attacking German railway stations and factoalong the railways used by the enemy to carry supplies to the armies of

the Crown Prince and those fighting before Metz. Among the more important points under attack were the railway stations at St. Baussant, Essey, and Divoiry, and the big gas plant at At Muelheim, the railway station, electric light plant and their build-

ings were bombarded. German trenches were captured at Landersbach, in Alsace, and trench portions on the crest of Sondernach. The new gains consolidate the French positions in this region and make them more difficult of at-

In the Argonne, the Germans launched an offensive last night before Auberive, but their advance was speedily halted. In the regions of Arras and Roye and between the Oise and the Aisne, violent cannonading continued throughout last night

# FRANCE WILL NOT HEAR OF ANY PEACE DISCUSSION

(Special to the Whig.) Paris, Aug. 27.-That France is not willing to talk peace was indicated by Premier Viviani in a stirring speech in the Chamber of Deputies

"Put the question of peace before the country and it would be blown to nothing," the premier asserted. 'In the higher interest of the country by which we are judged, we must justify the union of government and parliament," said the premier.

"The home services of the War Department have accomplished their task. In other quarters errors have been made, but parliament has lent cordial co-operation and the errors have been repaired. "Let us bnish pessimism and depressing anxiety. France, by the grace of all her children's efforts, her public servants, prompted by neces-

sary criticism, is equal to the task of fulfilling her destiny. "Not until heroic Belgium has been freed, not until we have re-taken Alsace and Lorraine, could there be mischievous division among us. "We must destroy the legend that the republic of France, having borne for forty-five years a horrible wound, did not make provision for

"France has created an army fulfilling the most modern conceptions She has instilled the love of justice, the love of right and upon the day the war began the children of France united in support of this high ideal without which there would have been only armies of mercenaries.'

At this the deputies cheered the premier wildly. When the demonstration died down the premier continued: "Yes, the German press has said that France was divided. there are divergencies of opinion. These are the essence of free gov-But it would be a fatal division if there were in this country a fraction of the people who even thought of a premature peace."

Premier Viviani concluded his remarks by saying:

The entire Chamber applauded the premier. It was voted that his address be posted on the billboards throughout France. After Premier Viviani had concluded the Chamber voted the credits asked by the Government by 539 to 1.

# PEACE NEGOTIATIONS SAID TO BE UNDER WA

(Special to the Whig.) London, Aug. 27 .- Unquestionably it can be said that the first informai peace negotiations are now, in fact, under way. Instead of being conducted through intermediaries, they are taking the form of public statements delivered by responsible Ministers of England and Germany Each nation is cautiously sounding the other, and after the first extravagances have been brushed aside, a common basis for consenting to an armistice may reveal itself as suddenly as the warclouds gathered last sum-

# ALLIES' GREAT AIR RAIDS MAY PRESAGE BIG DRIVE

the accoplane factories of France the entire 500 miles of the front in and Britain have been working at the west was embraced in aerial exceedingly high pressure, turning raids officially reported by the out machines for army service. Al. French to-day. In one of the raids most every ship arriving from Ameri- the number of machines mentioned ca also brings aeroplanes to be used as taking part is 62, the largest numat the front by the Allies. The re. ber acting together during the war. suit of this great increase in the number of available aeroplanes is seen in the frequent air raids upon a large | The increasing number of British scale now launched from the French submarines in the Baltic is causing and British lines. German muni- much anxiety to the German Admirtion factories, important, railway alty. German trawlers are being junctions, military camps, bivoncas equipped with guns for protection and railway stations over a wide against the underwater craft. area of country are now subjected to Sheik-Ul-Islam, chief priest of the terrific bembardments from above, Mohammedans, has declared a holy andria Bay some time ago he was un- ing. the effect of which can not fail to war against Italy. shake the morale of the Germans, as | Ezio Garibaldi, grandson of the well as inflict material damage upon famous Italian patriot, has been danthe places visited. ' The record of gerously wounded in the face. He the past two days shows aerial offen received his wound during a charge. fore attempted. It is not improbable from the eastern front state that the issued a statement declaring the

London, Aug. 27 .- For some time along the front in the west. Almost



On the left is Premier Radoslavoff of Bulgaria, next King Ferdinand of Bulgaria, and on the right King Ferdinand of Rumania. The two Ferdinands are distantly related. The King of Rumania is a Hohenzollern, Catholic branch, and is perhaps a tenth cousin of the Kaiser. The King of Bulgaria is a Saxe-Coburg, a second ries. The air attacks were made principally in the Woevre region and or third cousin of George V.

many with yesterday's party. While

on the way to Holland a German offi-

cer who was passing noticed the

the Sergeant was immediately taken

son given being that if he returned

to England he might instruct re-

cruits. Corporal Cowan was treat-

ed in the same way. This new rule

Inspiring Message to Women

of France.

Port. al, who is now nursing wound-

ed soldiers in a London hospital,

a may we French women give way to

RUSSIA MAKES CONCESSIONS

Residence Restrictions Abolished Ex-

pecting In Petrograd and Moscow

women of France:

Paris, Aug. 27. Queen Amelie of

# Win For Government Germany however grievous his

London, Aug. 27.—Cable des- sort of work. The pretext given is patches reporting the statement yes- that he may possibly be employed in terday of Count Von Bernstorff, England for clerical duties or train-German Ambassador at Washington, to Secretary Lansing, that the German submarine commanders had been ordered to attack no more merchantmen without wagnings, are dis- further military service, left Gerplayed prominently to-day in Lon-

The Westminister Gazette says: "If Count Von Bernstor" is speaking Sergeant's stripes on his sleeve and with full authority, the American Government can claim to have won off the train and sent back, the rea-

# GERMANS THREATEN

The Russian Base At Vilna, Petrograd Reports.

is stated to be the reason for holding Petrograd, Aug. 27.—General von party of wounded who were await Eichhorn's drive toward Vilna is re- ed in Holland, but never arrived. garded as the German answer to the threatened offensive by the Russians in the region of the middle Niemen KNAVERY AND BIG GUNS between Kovno and Grodno, where the Russian official communication ndicates a concentration of considerable forces of Russians on the left bank of the Niemen.

In moving in the direction of Vilna Queen Amelie, of Portugal, Sends he Germans are threatening the Russian bases of operation. There is a pronounced movement of the inhabitants from Dvinsk, where the railroad offices are being besieged day and night. The archieves and the hospitals have been removed, stores closed and stocks shipped

### \*\*\*\*\* CABINET COMMITTEE.

Lord Kitchener has given 4 ed by courage, will not triumph over · evidence before the committee, · knavery, even though it is backed \* as have other ministers, mem- + by big guns. It is an honor to + bers and officials, and it is + French women that, by our quiet hoped that the committee will higrief, we have paved the way to vicfinish its labors before the & tory. Later, when normal life has meeting of Parliament in the & been resumed, we can take up our load of human woe, and then only middle of September.

## WARM IN THE WEST.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* tears.

No Danger From Frost-Labor Supply Exceeds Demand.

(Special to the Whig.) Winnipeg, Aug. 27.-Comparatively high temperatures prevailed throughout the West to-day. There s no danger from frost anywhere. Harvesting is proceeding at a very satisfactory rate in all districts. The manager of the Government Petrograd and Moscow. Labor Bureau at Saskatoon, states that the supply of labor exceeds the demand and at many points a num-

Ontario Young Woman Met Her Death At San Francisco.

St. Catharines, Ont., Aug. 27 .-Mina McGraw, the twenty-year-old daughter of D. McGraw, Port Dalwhile attending the Exposition. She

Bryan Not To Visit Islands. able to get to the river.

Again Denied. (Special to the Whig.)

Gulf of Riga, was a "fake."

### MUST STAY IN GERMANY Disabled Men Might Instruct Recruits If Released. Martial Law Rotterdam, Aug. 27.-I learn no British prisoner holding non-commissioned rank is now allowed to leave!

wounds if there is the slightest chance of his being able to do any Paris, Aug. 27.-Martial law will be abolished everywhere in France outside of the zonesof military activities after September 1st. The deing new men. cision of the Government is interpret-Sergeant Board of the Roya! Fusi ed as a sign of confidence in official liers, who has a shattered shoulder circles that the interior administraand is absolutely incapacitated for tion of France will not be disturbed

again by military operations. Police officials, whose prerogatives have been somewhat confused during the period of military rule, sho great satisfaction at the removal and at the possibility of pursuing reconstructive measures.

### BERLIN WAR REPORTS Say That Three French Air Raiders Were Destroyed.

back the greater number of the last Berlin, Aug. 27.-German avia-

CANNOT WIN THE WAR

Bielostok, it was officially announc- P.'s action.

## COALITION IN RUSSIA.

sends the following message to the Conference Being Held "Women of Franc, we have no Members Of Duma.

right to weep. It is our honor to Petrograd, via London, Aug. 27. suffer allently pending the day when Daily conferences are being held by good of the cause. national victory will avenge all our members of the various parties in sufferings. Our duty is to hide our the Duma and the Council of the Em-(Special to the Whig.) • woe and see in our distress only the pire with a view to the formation of London, Aug. 27.—A com- sublime will of God, who renders a coalition Ministry, the possibility When Face Sprayed With Solution mittee of the Cabinet, consist- heroic every death in this war. To of which has been under lively dis-+ ing of Lord Crewe, Lerd Cur- doubt victory for a single instant, cussion of late in the corridors of + zon, Winston Churchill, Austin + to contemplate the crushing of our the Duma. The names of Michael Chamber ain and Arthur Hen- + nation, would be cowardice and Vladimirovitch Rodzianko, the Prederson, is holding an inquiry blasphemy. It is not possible that sident of the Duma, and of Nikola A. \* as to advisability and feasi- \* France will not emerge victorious. Khomvakoff, former president of 4 It is not possible that right, sustain- that body, are being mentioned in connection with the Premiership. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

## DEFENDS LYNCHING.

Governor Cole Blease of South & Owing to the fact that the Euro-+ Chief Executives in Dealing + facture of that chemical. • the lynching of men in the • from the residents near the plants trictions upon Jewish residences in & lynching. Russian cities, except the cities of +

# ber of men are unable to find work. ENEMY MAKES NEW MOVE

London, Aug. 27 .- A new attempt to cut off the retreat of the Rus- members of the family settled in sians from the Bug river sector is in progress of development by the New York. It has lately been found was motoring and in passing a hay German army under Gen. von Eichorn, which captured the Kovno for that one of these was a French destress. This force is now making rapid strides toward Vilna, and the ob- cent, and that the other was of. side and was struck by a pole on the vious intention, after occupying that important junction on the Petro- Dutch stock. The descendants, who Turk's. Phone 705. grad-Warsaw railway, is to continue the drive to Minsk, which lies north are here in the city represent four

Military observers here do not believe the operation will be a suc-Watertown, N.Y., Aug. 27.—For cess, but they are watching it with the greatest interest. The Russian mer Secretary of State William Jen- rear-guards so far have proved strong enough to prevent any except a nings Bryan is not expected to visit slow and very expensive advance by the Austro German forces, and from the Thousand Islands this summer. the point east of the Nieman now reached by Gen. von Eichorn to the Although he was expected at Alex- Minsk region would require at least three weeks of marching and fight-

Grand Duke Not to Be Caught, Petrograd, Aug. 27.—It was stated at the War Office that Bielostok & former French minister of for- \* SLICED BACON IN GLASS could no longer be held by the Russians and that the rearguard troops left + eign affairs. The Emperor + SLICED DRIED BEEF IN GLASS Berlin, Aug. 27.—For the second in that city when the main Russian forces and civilian inhabitants withsive movements on a scale never be. Despatches to Vienna newspapers time the German Admiralty to-day drew to the eastward had been ordered to evacuate. that the attention paid to railway Russians are now employing many Russian Admiralty claim that the far superior on the Bielsk-Bielostok front, had hoped to force the Grand on until complete victory is actracks, junctions and stations is indi- Japanese guns and great quantities battle cruiser Moltke and other Ger. Duke Nicholas into a decisive conflict about Bielostok, but he withdrew | 4 hieved." cative that important troops movem- of Japanese ammunition against the man ships had been destroyed in the his forces there and also at Ossowetz, keeping them free for field opera-

The Nationalization of the Coal Mines and a Form of Conscription to Force Shirkers Into the Army.

The Miners Are in a State of Unrest And Are Insisting That the Award of President Runciman, of the Government Board of Frade Must Be Altered or There Will Be Trouble.

(Special to the Whig.) London, Aug. 27.—The nationalization of the coal mines of Wales and some form of conscription to force the "shirkers" into the army, are important questions now under serious consideration by the English cabinet, it was learned to-day. The Ministry is keeping in close touch with the situation at Cardiff, where another general strike of 200,000 miners threatens to close the nation's shell factories.

Reports to the Government indicated a general unrest throughout the coal region, and declared every miner in this district probably will quit work unless the arbitration award made by President Runciman, of the Government Board of Trade, is altered. The Government will not tolerate the closing of the Welsh collieries at the present critical stage of the war. In the event of the two sides being unable to agree, the Govin France ernment will take over the Welsh mines and operate them for the remain-

### Have Destroyed German Boats.

(Special to the Whig.) London, Aug. 27 .- For the first time since the German submarine campaign was inaugurated, the Admiralty has confirmed reports that a large number of U-boats have been destroyed, news having been previously kept secret for fear that it might be of aid to Germany.

### Violated Bulgarian Territory.

(Special to the Whig.) Amsterdam, Aug. 27 .- One hundred tons of fine machinery used in the manufacture of shells have been carried from the Austrian frontier across Serbia and Bulgaria to Turkey in Zeppelins, which travelled by night to escape detection-by the Bulgarian patrols, and protests against the violation of Bulgarian territory.

### PATRIOTISM OF AN M.P.

Buys a Machine Gun With Money He Saved For An Auto.

tors attacked a French air base at Ottawa, Aug. 27.—A signal ex- & London, Aug. 27.—Flight Nancy on Wednesday, and destroyed ample of patriotism is shown in the & Commander Bigsworth destroyfour French air raiders in the Saar announcement that Clarence Jamie- de ed a German submarine off Osson, Conservative member for Dig- + tend, the Admiralty announc-While Austrians stormed and cap- by, N.S., took the money that he had ded yesterday afternoon. Gigstured three forts of Brest-Litovsk on been saving for the purchase of an de worth sank the U boat by bomthe western front, the German reser- automobile and bought a machine- + barding it from his aeroplane. ves stormed the north-western forts, gun for the soldiers. His example penetrating the central works at in the province of Nova Scotia has night. The enemy then gave up the resulted in the offer of no less than 100 machine-guns by individuals and German advance guards reached corporations, stimulated by the M.

ed. The Russians had evacuated Mr. Jamieson injured his leg rather severely a couple of years ago, town township, and was confined for months to his rooms in Ottawa. For the purpose of travelling through his constituen-By cy, an automobile to him would have been a necessity, and not a luxury but he has sacrificed all that for the

# EDISON IN DANGER

eyesight yesterday when his face was accidently sprayed with a solution of potash with which he was experimenting in his laboratory, at | Si.ver Lake, near Newark, N. J.

face and eyes in water and the fact that first gid was applied to him by Prouse's Drug Store ....312 Princess a physician who reached him just Valleau's Grocery ..... 208 Montreal after the accident, saved him from Boston, Aug 27.—Former + serious consequences, it was said.

Carolina in an address delivered + pean war has made the importation here yesterday before the gov- of carbolic acid from Germany im-• ernors' conference on "The • possible, Mr. Edison has erected two Funeral from his late residence on Saturday afternoon at 3.39 o'clock Duty and Responsibility of plants at Silver Lake for the manu-♦ with Prisoners," declared that ♦ Recently there has been complaint

\* South for certain crimes is a \* about the odors of the acid and Mr. Petrograd, Aug. 27.—Pending ex- + protection to civilization. He + Edison has been working constantly amination of the whole question im- + condemned the "third degree" + to find a means of abating the al- Funeral private-notice later. perial sanction has been given the + in dealing with prisoners and + leged nulsance. He was engaged decision recently reached by the + expressed the opinion that it + in that task yesterday with a vetcouncil of the empire to abolish tes. + was worse in some resects than + eran assistant, Frederick Ott, when the accident occurred.

## The Vincent Family.

Forty members of the Vincent family were in the city yesterday for Trades and Labor Council, Kingston, their 14th annual reunion in the Hotel LeRay. The family is a very old one, and has traced its line to the-13th century.

The first Vincent to come to the Phone 577. shores of this country was William Vincent, who settled in Rhode Island, in the middle of the 17th century. About the same time two 254 and 256 PRINCESS STREET. distinct lines of the family.

## ON TO VICTORY.

Paris, Aug. 27 .- An account & OX TONGUE IN GLASS of audience granted him by SLICED OX TONGUE IN GLASS

## \*\*\*\*\* \* GERMAN SUBMARINE

WAS DESTROYED

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* A quiet wedding was solemnized on August 23rd, at Morven, between Frederick Hugh Lloyd and Miss Maud Cecelia Fost, both of Ernest-

DAILY MEMORANDUM.

Vaudeville at Grand, 2,30 and 7.30 Lake Ontario Park, vaudeville, 8.15. See top of page 3, right hand corner,

## THE DAILY BRITISH WHIG Is on Sale at the Following City

Bucknell's News Depot ... 295 King St. New York, Aug. 27.-Thomas A. College Book Store .... 163 Princess Edison narrowly escaped losing his Coulter's Grocery ...... 209 Princess Gibson's Drug Store .. Market Square The haste in which he bathed his Medley's Drug Store, 250 University Paul's Cigar Store ...... 76 Princess

ELLERBECK-At Glenvale, on August 26th, 1915, Joseph D. Ellerbeck Saturday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock to Cataraq ii cemetery.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend. MONTGOMERY-At Kingston, August 27th, 1915, Eliza, wife of Robert Montgomery, at her home, 128

Whereas, it has pleased the Supreme Architect of the Universe to remove thy and esteemed members. James Lee; Whereas, the long and intimate reladischarge of his duties in this Assotelation makes it emmently befitting

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