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WE ARE READY BOTH SIDES

Transportation Paralysis Stronger Than Ever. EMPLOYERS DECLARE GUILT. LIE UPON THE KINGS. That They Can Keep Running to Prejudice.

THE GERMANS FOUGHT TO THE VERY DEATH

In the Horror There Was an Occasional Glimmer of Humor. London, Aug. 26.—Philip Gibbs, in a story sent from headquarters in France of the fighting around Thiéval, says: Many Germans defended themselves to the death.

SUSPECT BIG PLOT TO EXPLODE SHELLS

Arrest of Austrian at Walkerville May Clear Up New York Explosion. Detroit, Aug. 26.—Startling revelations that may lead to the solution of the baffling mystery of the great Black Tom island in New York Harbor about a month ago by which millions of dollars worth of allied munitions were destroyed.

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A German Submarine in the North Sea. (Special to the Whig) London, Aug. 26.—The armed boarding steamer Duke of Devonshire was sunk Thursday in the North Sea by a submarine, with the loss of twenty-four lives, the Admiralty announced this afternoon.

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BIG CABINET CHANGES COMING AT OTTAWA. Upper picture shows members who faces are soon to vanish from the Cabinet. Left to right, Hon. M. Burrell, Hon. T. W. Crothers, Hon. T. C. Casgrain, Hon. F. Cochrane, Hon. Dr. Roche. Lower picture shows new faces that may shortly be seen in the Borden Cabinet to fill the places of the ministers shown above who are reported on good authority as going to resign.

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FEAR CANADA WILL GET ALL THE POWER

Americans Want More Power Developed at Falls on U. S. Side. Niagara Falls, N. Y., Aug. 26.—Appeal for additional diversion for power purposes of Niagara Falls water was made by representatives of Western New York industries at a hearing here yesterday before Major Burgess, of the U. S. Lake Survey.

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By the Conflagration Which Raged in the North Country. THE CASEY MINE COLONY ESCAPED DEATH BY A VERY NARROW MARGIN.

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OPEN THE PULPITS TO THE WOMEN FOLK

London Clergyman Says They Would do Much Better Than Many Men. London, Aug. 26.—Rev. Percy Dearmer, one of London's most prominent clergymen, makes a novel contribution to the controversy which has been hotly raging some time past over the question: Should women preach? A great national mission is being organized by the Anglican church, and in view of the fact that so many clergymen are away doing chaplaincy work, it was suggested that women might conduct certain parts of the services, including delivering addresses.

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