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But under the circumstances I determined that the Government was right, and I determined to place at its disposal whatever influence I had with my fellow-countrymen. I have loyally supported all the war measures of the Government, have appealed to all classes of my fellow-citizens to rise to the occasion and do their share, not only in contributing money, but in the ranks by doing battle for the great cause. And I am here today for the same purpose and object, to appeal to my fellow-countrymen of all origins to do their duty, and ask all who can go to take their places amongst those who are contending for the cause of civilization on the fields of France and Flanders.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier at Brome.

VACANCIES IN THE COMMONS.

The recent resignation of Mr. D. O. Lesperance, Nationalist-Conservative member of Parliament for Montmagny, Quebec, makes the fourteenth vacancy in the House of Commons. Several seats have been vacant for nearly a year. The list includes Kings, N. S., where Mr. Dewitt Foster retired following investigation of his activities in the buying of war horses; Carleton, Ont., where Mr. W. F. Garland resigned after final proof of his connection with Militia Department contracts for drugs for the soldiers; Brandon, Man., and Lisgar, Man., where Sir James Aikins and W. H. Sharpe respectively resigned to lead the forlorn hope of the Conservative party in the Manitoba provincial elections of August, 1915, and both met defeat; Bellechasse, Que., where Mr. J. O. Lavallee, Conservative, resigned to contest a seat in the recent provincial elections and was defeated; Antigonish, N. S., where Mr. William Chisholm, Liberal, resigned to enter the provincial field and won his provincial seat with a handsome majority; East Grey, Ont., rendered vacant by the appointment of Dr. Sproule (former Speaker) to the Senate. The remaining six vacancies were caused by death, the members passing thus being Col. George H. Baker, of Brome, killed at the front; Mr. B. B. Law, of Yarmouth, who lost his life in the Parliament Buildings fire; Mr. J. W. Richards, of Prince, P. E. I.; Mr. E. A. Lancaster, of Lincoln, Ont.; Mr. James Reid, of Restigouche, N. B., and Hon. Sam Baker, of East Hamilton, Ont.

The failure of the government to fill these vacancies rather looks as if the government might spring a general election before the next session. The activity of Hon. Bob Rogers, the Minister of Elections, is rather significant to say the least.

London Advertiser: German atrocities are getting to be a regular and expected part of the devil's day's work. We take the devil and his Germans for granted. From the beginning of the war the French, knowing their enemy from 1870, expected exactly what they got, and their armies, doctors and nurses set to work simply to fight a plague, not particularly abusing the invading bacilli, but coping with them calmly, scientifically and now at last, happily, with good effect. The business to which the Allies have set themselves is the extermination of the German militarist class. A defence against germs or rattlesnakes necessarily involves much sacrifice of noble men, but their death will not be in vain.

Moncton Transcript: Now that the Police Commission has been reconstructed and the vacancy created by the Legislature filled, it is hoped that the Commission will endeavor to make such arrangements as will retain the services of the present chief of police. By so doing the Commission would meet that which this journal believes to be an overwhelming public sentiment.

[The above refers to Chief Rideout, who has been offered the position of chief of police in this city.]

Buffalo Express: The most interesting point about the two addresses which Emperor William made public at the opening of the third year of the war is that the one dominant idea

which runs through both of them is that of glory. The trouble about keeping up the spirits of a nation by such appeals is that they require a constant succession of indisputable victories as a guarantee that the promised glory is really being attained. Where only victory is held to be glorious, with what can a ruler hold the loyalty of his people in defeat?

The Teutons seem to be catching it from all sides these days. While the end of the war is not yet in sight, if the Allied armies can keep up the present pace it will not be many months before the murderous Huns are crying for mercy.

All electors opposed to the methods of the present Provincial Government are invited to attend a convention to be held at the Opera House on the afternoon of Saturday next, to nominate four candidates for the Legislative Assembly.

Hamilton Herald: Having increased the price of bread when the price of flour was low, maybe the bakers will kindly lower the price of bread now that the price of flour is rising.

ON THE SIDE.

Come into the garden MOD.

Who said the Italians had no punch?

The dagoes have not been climbing those border mountains for nothing.

The Turks couldn't get into Mush because they were already in the soup.

The city Treasurer will be expecting a call from you on Monday next.

The hardest worked civic employee seems to be the man who gathers the old paper from the streets.

After the war no doubt we'll give the organ grinder the glad hand and the German band the double cross.

Most of the fish stories one hears nowadays emanate from the neighborhood of Hart's Island pool.

Some men are born great, some achieve greatness and others join the police force.

No, Mr. Simp, the anglers who spend all their spare time at the pool are not authorized to issue permits.

With the rising price of wheat and flour, the possession of plenty of dough is more and more a sign of affluence.

"Scattered showers," the weather man often predicts, but his little Sunday afternoon effort at Wilmot Park proved to be a "scattering shower" by the way the crowd put for shelter.

You must take this C. O. D.: Newfoundlanders are said to be losing a million dollars on account of a sudden change in the cod liver oil market. To those who do not like the C. L. O. this sounds fishy.

MOD—September 4?

American Aviator Killed by a Fall

Paris, Aug. 1.—Dennis Dowd, an American aviator with the French army, was killed at the Buc aerodrome on Friday by falling with his machine. The cause of the accident is unknown.

Italians Set a Good Example

Rome, Aug. 14.—If a proposition made to the ministers of war and marine by Deputy Colajanni is adopted all officers with Austro-German wives will be deprived of responsible commands.

To Ratify Anglo-Italian Agreement

Rome, Aug. 14.—Premier Roselli and Walter Runciman will confer at Turin on Tuesday. Great importance is attached to the meeting. The Anglo-Italian agreement is expected to be ratified and signed.

Ex-Premier of Victoria Dies Suddenly

London, Aug. 14.—The Right Hon. Sir George Turner, former premier and treasurer of Victoria, died suddenly yesterday in Melbourne, according to a despatch to Reuter's Telegram Co. He was born in 1851.

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Conciliation Board Starts Work Tomorrow

Toronto, Aug. 13.—The board of conciliation appointed by the Dominion Labor Department to investigate the differences between the Great North-western Telegraph Co. and its operators will commence its labors at the City Hall tomorrow morning.

The proceedings are expected to last the whole of the week.

OTTAWA NURSES WERE TURNED BACK

Ottawa, Aug. 14.—Seven Ottawa nurses sent to New York following the request of the New York City Board of Health, to the Canadian hospitals for aid in fighting the infantile paralysis plague, returned to Ottawa tonight, having been turned back at Alburgh, Vermont, by an immigration inspector, who said they could not enter the United States without having passports. An appeal was made to Washington, but an official of the department there said no action could be taken.

Miners Killed by An Explosion

London, Aug. 14.—Thirteen miners were killed early this morning by an explosion in the Ashington colliery, near Blyth. The cause of the explosion is not known.

Premier Confers With Ambassador

Paris, Aug. 14.—Count Romanones, the Spanish Premier, had a long conference Saturday with the Austrian Ambassador, says a Havas despatch from San Sebastian. On Sunday the conference was resumed and was continued longer than the previous day.

PERSONAL.

Miss Violet Stevenson, who is engaged in private nursing in New York, arrived home on Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Stevenson. Rev. Dr. Edward Wark and wife, of New York, are here the guests of Miss Helena Wark at Windsor Hall.

St. John Times: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crosby, of Main street, North End, will leave this evening for a short visit to Fredericton, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Percy Edgcombe. Master Richard Edgcombe will accompany them on their return to St. John. Sheriff O'Brien of Nelson, Northumberland county, is in the city today.

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