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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.

DROWNING ACCIDENTS.

Commodore Stewart, M. P. P., of the Chatham World, who is generally recognized as a high authority on aquatic matters, in commenting on recent drowning accidents, hands out the following advice to canoeists and others who get into the water.

"The proper thing to do when one finds himself in the water with an upset craft by his side, is to stay there resignedly, up to his chin, with a hand on the craft, with perfect confidence in his ability to remain there in perfect safety, even for hours, until rescued. Men and women are drowned daily because they exhaust themselves by trying to get into swamped boats or upon planks or other floating objects. They exhaust their strength by insane efforts to get out of the water, where they are perfectly safe and much more comfortable than they would be if they succeeded, and are drowned—the uninformed reporter always explaining the disaster by saying the boat sank."

The Commodore's advice is both sound and timely. It is surprising how little it takes to support a person in the water, providing the person can keep his or her head. A paddle, a piece of board will do the trick, and a person who can get hold of an up-turned boat or canoe is in real luck. If the craft is some distance from shore, it is a great mistake for a person, unless that person be an exceptionally strong swimmer—a veritable water-dog—to abandon it and attempt to swim for it. There is the chance of taking a cramp and if the swimmer happens to be a lady, or a man accustomed to indoor work, he or she will tire very quickly. Getting thrown into the water from a boat or canoe is a pretty tough experience and the victim does not have much time to think out a plan of action. An error of judgment under such circumstances is quite excusable. The lesson to be drawn from recent drowning accidents in this province is that, bathers as well as those who go canoeing cannot exercise too much care.

The Provincial Government is at last showing some signs of returning animation. The Standard gives space to an interview with Premier Clarke, who states that great things are to be done for the roads of the province. For fear that the announcement might create suspicion in the minds of the public, it is given an endorsement by Attorney General Baxter. We are told that the government is to repair four miles of road between Musquash and Lepreau, in St. John County, and that tenders are to be called for a first class permanent road between the One Mile House and Brookville. The announcement that the roads of St. John County are to be repaired and made passable for motorists is sure to create great enthusiasm among the farmers of York and Sunbury, and increase their admiration for the do-nothing Clarke-Baxter government.

Victoria Colonist: Some of our eastern contemporaries seem to be under the impression that Sir Rider Haggard is travelling around the Empire with a cut-and-dried scheme for taking care of disbanded soldiers. Those who have the privilege of hearing him speak will have their minds quickly disabused on that score. Sir Rider is on a tour of observation and stimulation rather than of instruction. He is not telling people what they ought to do; he is finding out what they have done and what they are prepared to do. We cannot hand the job over to Sir Rider. We must get ready and do it ourselves.

Toronto Globe: The Toronto World is the most candid of candid friends. It says that the Nickel Trust "wished" Mr. Cochrane from Sudbury on Sir James Whitney. Later on they "wished" him on Mr. Borden, and when Sir James died they and Mr. Cochrane "wished" Mr. Hearst on the Conservative members of the Local House as the successor of Sir James! Seems quite a wishing competition. Ontario is getting ready to express a wish for a new Premier, and a new policy of self-government, under which the Nickel Trust will at least have to pay its fair share of taxes.

Vancouver World: The home rule issue, as Mr. Lloyd George sees it, involves the greater problem of the government of the Empire. According to the proposals of the new War Secretary, "immediately after the war an Imperial conference of representatives from all the dominions will be held to consider the future government of Ireland, including the question of the government of the Empire." At this conference the six excluded Ulster counties are to be heard in their own behalf and their right to join the rest of Ireland or to have a government of their own will be then determined.

Winnipeg Tribune: After the war? Leave the Empire alone. We have parliaments enough now to attend to all the Empire's business. Our enemy in Canada is really too much government. Less, instead of more of the kind we have had, would certainly benefit this Dominion. We refer to the restrictions and the anti-British laws against freedom in trade. Should Britain ever engage in what is very improbable, or next to impossible, an unjust war, Canada's citizens will be free to do as they please. Our contributions today are voluntary. Could we wish for better conditions?

ON THE SIDE.

Sufferin' humidity!

Anybody had their ears frozen lately—or toes frosted?

Well, anyway, this hot weather gives us an excuse for kidding the fat folks.

They named those things you drink sundaes because they're so good.

"Give Melody by Phone." Especially when the operator answers that the line's busy.

When the war news is good we don't care a Rotterdam if it does come first from Holland.

No, Mr. Simp, sundaes were not named after Billy Sunday—it's the hot stuff that should be.

It takes an optimist to look upon a palm-leaf fan and a frosted chocolate as a full meal, even in summer time.

"Girl Needs \$18,500 a Year." Yes, and if you've ever had a girl you'll believe it.

It sometimes strains the imagination to gauge the love a 295-pound man must feel for an 84-pound helpmate.

An optimist is a person who feels comforted because it is only 90 in the shade today, whereas it was 91 the day before.

BRITISH STEAMER SHELLED BY PIRATES

London, July 21.—British steamer Virginia, which was sunk by a German submarine several days ago, was first shelled by the submarine in a half hour's chase, according to Reuter's correspondent. The Virginia was finally compelled to halt, when her funnel had been blown away, making the engine room and stokehold untenable. The submarine immediately torpedoed the vessel, and continued shelling her while the men were getting into the boats. Twenty-five of the crew got off safely, but twenty-five others went down with the ship. The captain of the Virginia was saved after being in the water nearly an hour.

TOURIST TRAVEL TO ALASKA.

Summer travel is now at its height, and intending tourists are reminded of the many attractive features of a trip over the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific Railways—of all, perhaps that west bound through Prince Rupert to Alaska is the finest.

This service has been further improved by the inauguration of faster schedules between Prince Rupert and Skagway.

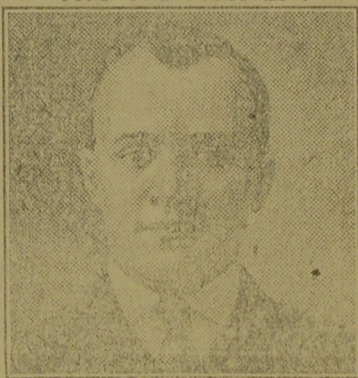
The steamer leaving Prince Rupert at 12 noon Wednesday will hereafter arrive at Skagway at 8 a.m. Friday. Southbound steamer will leave Skagway at 7 p.m. Saturday.

This service will enable passengers to make trips through to White Horse and return while vessel is in port.

Descriptive booklet, "Alaska," will be mailed on application to J. H. Corcoran, travelling passenger agent, Moncton, N. B.

RHEUMATISM WAS MOST SEVERE

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CANADIANS IN CASUALTY LIST

Ottawa, July 21.—Casualties among Maritime Province men, given out today, are as follows:

Mounted Rifles.

Previously reported unofficially, now officially prisoner of war at Bulmen—Pte. Jas. Anderson, Halifax; Pte. R. T. Hutchings, Halifax.

GERMANS CAPTURE AMERICAN SCHUONER

London, July 21.—The American schooner Prince Valdemar has been captured by a German warship while on a voyage from Philadelphia to Sweden with a cargo of oil, according to a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, quoting the Copenhagen Politiken.

The schooner was taken into Swinemunde.

The only American schooner of this name which is listed here belongs to Geo. W. McNear, of San Francisco.

The McNear firm is one of those included in the recent British black list.

SUFFERING FROM FAMINE IN ASIA MINOR

Mitylene, Greece, July 20, via London, July 21.—Refugees from Asia Minor report that famine is ravaging the entire vilayet of Smyrna. The condition of the civilians is said to be most pitiable.

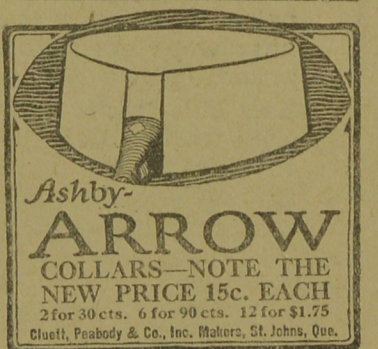
WAS CHIEF OF THE SWEDISH COURT

DIED..... Stockholm, July 20 (via London, July 21).—Count Louis Douglas died today at Lysekild Baths. He was grand marshal of the kingdom and chief of the Swedish court.

PERSONAL.

Moncton Transcript: Mrs. J. L. Neville (nee Miss Bourque), of Summerside, is spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Bourque, 314 Lutz street.

Mr. Joseph Norrad, of Bloomfield Ridge, was in the city today.



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