

TO CARRY THE

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

The airplane was constructed by the

Building a House. Mr. W. T. Chestnut ha scommenced work on a new dwelling on the lot ad-joining the Chestnut homestead on Waterloo Row. He expects to occu-py his new dwelling on May 1st.

Justice of the Peace.

is so perfect

risk.

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British Attack Germans On Wide Front Near Ypres Chalmers vs. Studebaker-Po-lice Chief Gives Orders to

Official Report of War Office Says AN AIRPLANE Good Progress is Being Made---Allied Airmen Active---Italians Drop Tons of Projectiles on the Enemy

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The British made an attack this morning on a wide front in the Ypres region. Good progress is reported by the War Office. An official communication of the aerial operations issued last night reads:

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lers and near Cambrai, on an important railway centre east of Tournai and upon billets and huts around Lens and Roulers. "At night ammunition dumps north of Cambrai and rest billets east of Lens were bombarded. Three enemy machines were brought down in the air fighting and five were driven down out of control. One of the machines brought down on Sunday proved to be that of Lieut. Vosse, who, it is claimed in enemy communiques, has brought down many Allied machines. Four of our airplanes are misisng."

THE BELGIAN OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION TODAY TELLS OF EFFECTIVE WORK BY THE ARTILLERY

PARIS, Sept. 26.—The Belgian official communication last night reads: "On the night of September 24 and 25, our bat-county of York. teries shelled the enemy works in reply to bombardments in the neighborhood of Ramscapelle and Neuve Chapelle. afternoon of September 24 was marked by lively bomb fighting near Langemarck and on the Yser. Today the Germans fired res shells near Knocke. Our artillary replied account the one gas shells near Knocke. Our artillery replied against the enemy communications. Our airplanes were very active in the course of the last two days, carrying out numerous pursuits and protecting our lines."

ITALIAN AVIATORS DROP TONS OF PROJECTILES ON THE ENEMY WORKS, CAUSING MUCH DAMAGE Six Persons Killed and Filteen Injured---

ROME, Sept. 26 .- The official statement from the War Office last night reads:

From the St. Elvio to Mont Rombon there was profitable activity by our reconnoitering parties, and moderate artillery activity. In the Mone Noro region the enemy exploded a powerful mine under our position, upon which he then concen-trated violent artillery fire. Our prompt and effective barrage fire, hindering the advance of the enemy, prevented him from gaining any advantage. The damage was very slight.

'On the Bainsizza plateau, local enemy attacks were repulsed with hand grenades. On the Carso we captured some prisoners. Yesterday four tons of high explosive bombs were dropped by our airmen, causing destruction and setting fire to railway establishments and stations at Podborga, in the Bazza valley, and at Rifenberga, on the Carso. At night one of our

FREDERICTON, NEW BRUNSWICK, WEDNESDAY, SEPT'R 26, 1917

HILL CLIMBING RUSSIA VERY SOON TO **CONTEST TODAY**

Report any Violation of Motor Vehicle Law.

Today was the day named by Messrs. Vaughn & Kitchen who challenged Mr. J. Stewart Neill, using a six cylinder, thirty horsepower standard WOUNDED senger, six cylinder standard stock Stuebaker in a hill climbing contest

The fight, the equivalent of a 15-mile journey. Stuebaker in a hill climbing contest stated that the cars were to start from a standstill at Mr. A. F. Ran-dolph's gate and were to be in high gear seventy-five feet from the start-ing line and to remain in the same over the hill. over the hill. mile journey. Corporal Tetu declared that this Mr. J. Stewart Neill accepted the

form of transprt was far superior to any ambulance of which he had ever was to go to the car making the best time.

Tried to Prevent It.

Chief of Police Finley has issued in-structions that if the cars violated the motor law by exceeding twelve

miles per hour, he was toward miles per hour, the drivers were to be reported and brought before the magistrate. The chief notified the two contestants of his intention and this soon spread through the city. With-in a short time the contest was the main talk of the public. There was some criticism of the chief's action. Nevertheless the contestants have decided to hold the contest this afternoon and face the consequences.

Mr. Fletcher Peacock was in St. John yesterday attending a meeting of the committee on vocational edu-

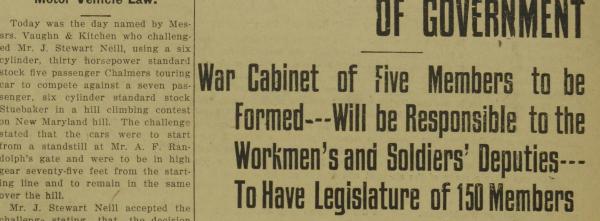


One Group of Raiders was Turned Back by Gunfire---The Official Statement.

(By Canadian Press Direct Wire.)

LONDON, Sept. 26.—Six persons were killed and sixteen injured in the southeastern part of London in last night's air raid. Lord French, commander of the home defences, reports that the first group of raiders which approached London last night was driven beak by gunfire; not more than two penetrat-ed the city's defences. Half an hour later the second group of raiders was driven off while approaching London. The following is the official announcement:

ships which approached London last night was turned back remaining in the field at the beginning of September were in three principal gunfire, not more than two machines actually penetrating the defences. These two machines dropped a number of bombs in the southeastern outskirts of London, which damaged several dwelling houses, killing six persons and injuring sixteen. The second group of raiders, which approached London half an river. He evacuated Mihambia, retreating to Mpingo. Simultaneously we athour later, was driven off. Bombs were dropped in various localities in southeast England. Up to the present no casualties or damage has been reported. London, Sept. 26. - The area bomb- separating and all except one turning ed in last night's air raid was inhabi- back closely pursued. So effective ted chiefly by the poorer classes, but were the measures taken to intercept aside from the breaking of windows this lone intruder that he was unable



HAVE NEW SYSTEM

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

PETROGRAD, Sept. 25.—The cabinet today, in the absence of Premier Kerensky, considered the reorganization of the supreme government by the formation of a war cabinet of five members, politically responsible to the workmen's and sold-iers' deputies, with fifteen "directors of ministers," who should be non-political and not liable to dismissal. For a legislature there would be formed a parliament of 150 members, representing all parties. The new system of government would remain until a regular constitution was framed by the constituent assembly. The proposition will be referred for elaboration to the judicial council, which since the revolution has advised the government on all important laws.

NEWSPAPER STATE THAT PREMIER KERENSKY WILL RESIGN FROM THE PRESIDENTIAL COUNCIL

The controversy of the Korniloff conspiracy has diminished in its intensity today, and the Bolsheviki assaults on Kerensky were weaker; but the evening papers state that the Premier, as a result of the Bolsheviki conduct of the Petrograd Workmen's and Soldiers' Deputies, intends to resign from the Presidential Council, as Tcheidse and other moderate socialists have already done.

The dance rand favorite of the former Emperor, Ballerina Kashinka, has begun suit against the staff of Petrograd Military fistrict, alleging that soldiers who in the spring occupied part of her palace, damaged the property to the extent of 250,000 rubles. more at rotation there is the

RUSSIANS REPULSE ATTACKS.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 26.-German attacks against the new Russian positions south of the Pskoff-Riga high road were reoulsed Monday by the Russians, according to the official statement from the War Office yesterday. Except for a raid south-east of Kimpolung, there was little other activity on the Russian from from Riga to the Black Sea.

BRITISH CAMPAIGN IN GERMAN EAST AFRICA IS MAKING GOOD PROGRESS

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

LONDON, Sept. 26.-The following summary on the campaign in German "The latest information shows that the first group of air- East Africa was issued yesterday by the British War Office: "The enemy

airships surprised in the Chiapovano valley an intense ment of troops and motor lorry columns, and dispersed them by dropping a ton of projectiles.

ON THE VERDUN FRONT.

PARIS, Sept. 26 .- Intense artillery fighting occurred last night on the Verdun front between Beaumont and Bezonvaux, the WaWr Office announces.

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

Buenos Aires, Sept. 26.-Rumors are

current today that President Iridoyen

WHY THE HUNS

ARGENTINA **TELEGRAPHERS' PRESIDENT IS** STRIKE MAY AGAINST WAR **BE SERIOUS**

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

Montreal, Sept. 26.—The feature in the strike of the telegraphers, linemen the Great Northwestern Telegraph Co. here last night was the reported ar-rival in the city of F. A. Butterfield, of New York, who is designated by the Utilize area anounced last night that strikers as a spotter for the Western Union Telegraph Co., and by a number a manifestation would be made before the congressional palace today to deof American operators, variously esti-mated at from twelve to twenty men. mand an immediate rupture i name of the Argentine Republic. The strikers declare that if the G.N. W. Co. makes use of strike-breakers from the United States, every tele-gian operator in Canada will go out

ike as a protest.

URUGUAY MAY ENTER THE WAR

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

and slight damage to two or three to penetrate beyond the outskirts of small frame houses there was no London. While the anti-aircraft guns property loss. boomed constantly establishing a bar-

The Zeppelin raid early Tuesday rage fire around the city as on Monmorning on the Yorkshire and Lin- day night, diners in hotels and rescolnshire coasts resulted in some taurants and audiences in theatres property damage in one populous area and at the opera at the time, for the on the coast where a number of aerial most part were indifferent and unaftorpedoes fell, but it is rather remark- fected. Some theatres and moving able that no casualties of any serious- picture places, anticipating the raid, ness were caused. It appears that the had increased their advertising in the raider got rid of a large cargo of evening papers.

in the bombs hastily and at random from a great height. The greater number fell harmlessly in fields.

Had a Good Time.

reported that a thrilling battle occur- reading newspapers, magazines and of Justice would be empowered to fill all the vacancies. Later the Department red between German and British air- books with which they had provided men a few miles from London, which themselves apparently for a scene. probably accounts for the fact that The crowds in some places were hav-The Hague, Sept. 25.-Friedrich Malast night's air raid resulted in so lit- ing such a good time that the police mann, who devised the Central Europe tle damage in the metropolis. Ger- found difficulty in dislodging them scheme, has an article in the Dusselman airplanes, although they crossed when the "all clear" signal was giv

the coast at different points, were en. dorf Anzeiger, in which he gives away

(Canadian Press direct wire.) Montevideo, Sept. 26.—The Uru-guayan congress has been called to meet in special session on Saturday to vote on the question of severing rela-tions with Germany. This action was decided upon by the Uruguayan gov-ernment as the result of the steps tak en by the Argentine congress. The finance minister will explain the gov-ernment's plan for a break with Ger-many at the opening of the session. Montevideo, Sept. 26.—The Uru-guayan congress has been called to met and certainly harried by a large force of British machines. Whether any of the raiders were brought down has not been learned, but according to early reports the formation of the a failure. The papers containing edi-torial comment on the raid depict the wards London at a great height and to poy the British flyers, the raiders during the day. the coast at different points, were en. met and certainly harried by a large force of British machines. Whether any of the raiders were brought down has not been learned, but according to early reports the formation of the German fleet, which was coming toconsider if it cannot find a way to German fleet, which was coming to- torial comment on the raid depict the peace on its own account before, in wards London at a great height and demand for reprisals and call for the fourth year of the war, America completes preparation of her forces." wards London at a great height and temand for reprisars and call for warnings of night raids the same as completely broken up by the British flyers, the raiders during the day. His Honor Judge Chandler and Mrs. Chandler returned to Moncton this morning. Misses Jean Adams and Dorothy Smith went to St. John yesterday to spend a few weeks.

The Party States

groups. The first was in the Memkuru Valley region; the second was in the Lukeledi Valley and southwest of Lindi, and the third was based on Mahenge

"On September 19 the British advance in the direction of Kilwa was re sumed, and the enemy driven north of the principal passes over the Memkuru tacked a larger German group at Ndessa, compelling the enemy to evacuate that town. The enemy was retiring on the Memkuru, pursued by our main columns, when he found his retreat barred by our Nigerian infantry south of Ndessa. After severe fighting, in which the enemy suffered heavy losses, he was dispersed into small parties. In the western area we engaged the energy at Mapondas and the Ligamba hills, 33 miles southwest of Mahenge, where the Belgian forces are approaching from the north."

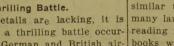
FIRST CALL UNDER MILITARY SERVICE ACT WILL BE DELAYED

(By Canadian Press Direct Wire.)

OTTAWA, Sept. 26.-The first call for men under the Military Service Act is delayed. It cannot now well be issued before the middle of October, though every effort will be made to avoid unnecessary postponement. The difficulty has arisen in connection with the Board of Selection established to choose one member of each local tribunal throughout the Dominion. The board met The scenes in sheltered plaies were vesterday, but adjourned until October 9 without having chosen its appointsimilar to those of Monday night, ees. Under the order-in-council which gave the board its authority, it was Olthough details are lacking, it is many laughing and joking and others provided that all appointments should be completed yesterday, or the Minister of Justice unofficially agreed to extend the time till September 30. Now, in view of the situation, the time limit will still further have to be extended, as it is evident that confusion would only be created by the Department proceeding to make over thirteen hundred appointments.

Fredericton Chosen.

Social News.



Thrilling Battle. WANT PEACE