

AFTER THE WAR PROBLEMS ARE SUBSIDIARY TO THE MAIN OBJECT JUST NOW

Statesmanlike Speech by Lord Milner at **Plymouth---Shall Prussian Militarism** Be Allowed to Dictate to the World?--Greater Sacrifices Must be Made.

(By Canadian Press direct wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 21 .- "I fear that we are getting into something of a tangle and putting forward too many propositions, and placing our total claims rather too high," said Lord Milder speaking at Plymouth today. "Ordinary people were puzzled by the talk of the limitaation of frontiers in distant parts of the world, trade arrangements after the war and other such mat-These are important details to be settled when peace tera negotiations are reached, but until then I am doubtful whether it is wise to talk too much about them. They are only subsidiary to our main object, which is to secure human freedom and ploded a bomb in Hull last night when a just and enduring peace.

There is surely now no need of any elaborate explanation of the Hull police force he raided evof what we are fighting for. We are fighting for our lives and ery store, hotel and pool room in the tion of the co-ordination between the the very existence of the free nations of western Europe. The city where slot machines were oper-German military party has proclaimed quite openly that their sole object is to deal a knockent blow to Italy. France and Creat sole object is to deal a knockout blow to Italy, France and Creat the result of information which reach- the front, below St. Quentin from Britain. The existence of the free nations of western 31.000 ed the chief that the machines, which was all that prevented them from dominating Europe ... d a are supposed to be only operated with inception of this delicate operation no greater part of Asia and the establishment of military despot- trade, were being used for gambling ism which would dictate to the whole world.

PRUSSIAN MILITARISM WOULD SWEEP AWAY EVERYTHING FREEDOM LOVING NATIONS HOLD DEAR

"It is no longer a question of destroying Prussian militar ism, but a question of whether Prussian militarism will destroy us and sweep away everything that fredom loving nations have striven for for centuries. It has been suggested that if we could make it perfectly clear to the German people that we were not fighting to destroy Germany or to dictate to its people the form of their constitution, the peace party in Germany would be greatly strengthened and we would be much nearer a termination of the conflict.

But I maintain that we have made it absolutely it absolutely clear. Premier Lloyd George and President Wilson have flag station of St, Michel, The woman left no doubt whatever that we have no wish to dismember the and boy were on their way to a sister German people or to interfere in thier right to determine their of Mrs. Hamel at Charlesborough and own form of constitution."

THE MORE FIERCELY THE STORM RAGES THE HIGHER BRITAIN'S NATIONAL SPIRIT WILL RISE SPAIN WILL

"Allied co-operation and concentration of all efforts on national salvation are two essential conditions for making use of the resources of the Allies," Lord Milner said. "There is Lut one answer to the German challenge, and I will not conceal what the answer involves. Great and wonderful as have been what the answer involves. Great and wonderful as have been the German government relating to and fight the Huns, but the magistrate the efforts an dendurance of the British nation during the past three years, we must be prepared for greater efforts and hard-is submarines and the invasion of Span-three years, we must be prepared for greater efforts and hard-ish territory by U-boats will be pubships in the immediate future, but the more fiercely the storm rages, the higher the spirit of the nation will rise. There are Spanish government. two essential conditions for using our great resources to the full. First, more perfect co-ordination of effort by the Allies **CITY OF JERICHO FALLS** Second, maintenance within the borders of each Allied nation of a unity of spirit and purpose, suppression of domestic discord, and the concentration of all efforts on one supreme object, national salvation."

SENATOR GILMOR PASSED AWAY IN MONTREAL (Canadian Press direct wire.) Montreal, Feb. 22. — Hon. Daniel

ilmor, a New Brunswick represen-itye in the senate died at h is home CHINAMEN ative in the senate died at h, is home nere this morning from heart failure. He was born July 1, 1849, at St. Heorge, N. B.

Hon, Daniel Gilmor was a son of the late Hon. A. H. Gilmor, and was the late Hon. A. H. Gilmor, and was horn at St. George, Charlotte county. For some years he carried on busi-ness at St. George, subsequently re-moving to Montreal, where he was ap-pointed manager of the business in Canada of Chase & Sanborn, coffee

NOT WANTED

SLOT MACHINES TOOK OVER FRONT

(Canadian Press direct wire.) Ottawa, Feb. 22. — Chief Groult ex

POLICE SEIZED

with the aid of almost every member purposes. Thirty-eight machines were, seized and the owners will later answer charges in the police court.

WOMAN AND

SON KILLED

(Canadian Press direct wire.) Quebec, Feb. 22. - The wife of Ga-Quebec county, about ten miles from British command. this city, was instantly killed yesterday evening with her seven year old boy, by a C N. R. train near the little were crossing the track

With the British Army in France Feb. 21. - Another striking illustra-French to British hands. From the hitch occurred. Thousands of French troops and scores of great batteries moved quietly and methodically out room for similar British units. It was done as easily as though the whole

wast program had been rehearsed. Great credit is due to the French for the excellent condition in which they left the defenses in this region might have resulted had the defensive system been inferior, but it is such as briel Hamel, farmer at St. Gerara, to draw the highest praise from the

STOLE FROM THE POOR BOX

Ottawa, Feb. 22. - Arthur Dubois of a Montreal battalion, pleaded guil-PUBLISH NOTES was sentenced to 'Kingston peniten- appealing to the Allies. tiary for two years, less one day. He

Commissionsers Appealed to, to Destroy Railways and Provisions---Progress IN CANADA of the Germans Must be Checked---Petrograd in a State of Seige.

Defence to the Death is the

Latest Order to the Russians

(By Canadian Press direct wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 22 .- "Defence to the death" against Germany, is ordered in the proclamation of the Russian commissioners, Reuter's Petrograd correspondent telegraphs. The commissioners appeal to the soldiers to destroy railways and provisions, and compel the bourgeoise to dig trenches, under penalty of death. The appeal to the country intimates that the

The German generals," it says, "desire to establish their own order in Petrograd and Kiev. The republic is in the gravest danger. The duty of Russian workmen and peasants is the defence to the death of the republic against the masses of bourgeoise and the imperialists of Germany.

An Exchange Telegraph despatch from Petrograd says the evacuation of Finland has been ordered by the commissioners. The proclamation ordering resistance to the German advance was issued from the Bolsheviki headquarters and is signed by Premier Lenine and Ensign Krylenko, commander in chief.

GERMAN INVADERS ARE MEETING WITH LITTLE RESISTANCE AND ARE MAKING RAPID PROGRESS

LONDON, Feb. 22 .- The German advance into Russia is not the march of a conqueror, for nowhere up to the present have they met any serious opposition. The comparitivity rapid progress is ascribed to the fact that the Germans found a of the line day after day to make clear passage. Special despatches from Petrograd, nois of which are dated later than Wednesday, indicate that the invaders are making their own pace in collecting immense stores of weapons, munitions, food and other valuable property

The strength of the German advancing army is not believed to be great.. A Petrograd despatch to the Morning Post says Untold confusion, perhaps disaster, there is only one division of cavalry and one of infantry.

SERIOUS AND INTELLIGENT RUSSIANS VIEW THE SITUATION WITH PROFOUND DISGUST AND SHAME

The Bolshevik capitulation to a German peace, and news of the German advance was received in Petrograd in various v ays according to Wednesday's reports. The correspondent of the Times says that profound disgust and shame was 'eit ind uttered by serious and intelligent people, and were reflected in the non-Bolsheviki newspapers. A report to the Morning Post says the saner elements of the population call for closer relations with the Allies, looking to the unification of Russia and to stealing 95 cents from the poor box the abandonment of the dreams of amateur stalesment. It is in St. Francois D'Assize church at reported that the non-Bolsheviki and non-Socialist verties will Hintonburg on Wednesday last and try to reassemble the Constituent Assembly with the view of

PREMIER LENINE AND THE FOREIGN MINISTER

BIG PARADE LUMBERING IN NOVA SCOTIA

ters of all kinds, the rivers, swamps and brooks being all stoutly frozen, and the snowfaal has been not heavy, better since the United States entered the war. b utsufficient, and has for the past month fallen level and much suffering has been endured. Quantities of and pulp wood have been hauled FIVE PEOPLE to the railway station and the public wharf here for shipment to adjacent localities.

BILLY MADDEN DEAD.

New York, Feb. 21. - "Billy" Madden, sporting man and manager of the late John L. Sullivan, when he won the heavyweight pugilistic champion ship, died suddenly tonight in the White Plains Hospital from acute in-Aigestion. He was 65 years of age.

(Canadian Press direct wire) Madrid, Feb. 22-Three notes to it has been decided by the

IN NEW YORK Another Great British Success in Palestine

regiment, so that he could go overseas a disgrace to the uniform he wore.

--- The Turks Apparently Offered no AGREEMENT

INTO HANDS OF THE BRITISH

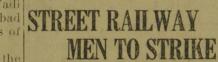
tle opposition was encountered. Subsequently the Australians

ARE BLAMED FOR THE RUSSIAN CAPITULATION

As to the decision to surrender to the Germans, accounts a despicable nature, could not be differ. Some say that Premier Lenine and others that the forlightly passed over, and that he was eign minister, Trotzky, was responsible for the capitulation. The correspondent of the Daily News, who has been in close relations with the Bolsheviki, says that at the meeting of the council of people's commissaries which voted on the question, Trotzky, who had been in favor of fighting to the last, unexpectedly went to the other side. This caused indignation in his party and he probably will resign. The change in the Bolsheviki policy to one of surrender surprised both their enemies and friends and threw their supporters into confusion. Whatever happens, it is regarded as probable that the Germans will stiffen the peace terms offered at Brest-Litovsk.

WITH SPAIN Determined Resistance.

(By Canadian Press direct wire.) LONDON, Feb. 22.—The British have captured Jericho, in Palestine, the War Office announces. Since the capture of Je-rusalem the British have ben pushing ahead steadily, striking out to the north and east. Official statements from London in the last few days have reported rapid progress and apparently the Turks have offered no determined resistance. London, Feb. 22—"Early last hight Washington, Feb. 22—an economic Gareader with Spain, under which General Pershing will get nules, army blankets and other materials of that other commodities from the United States, was signed today in Madrid. The State department was so advised tonight by ambassador Willard. London, Feb. 22—"Early last hight London, Feb. 22—"Early last hight two of our posts in the neighborhood of the Ypres-Roulers railway, and a few of our men are missing", says todays war office statement. "On the remainder of the British front there is nothing special to re-port. "A raid attempted by the enemy early yesterday morning against posts



an upward revision of the wage scale. home yesterday

BRITISH POSTS

early yesterday morning against posts held by Belgian troops in the Merckem sector, was repulsed by artillery and machine gun fire."

TERRY McGOVERN DEAD

New York, Feb. 22-Terry McGov-ern, former world's featherweight champion, died at the King's County Hospital this morning. He had been

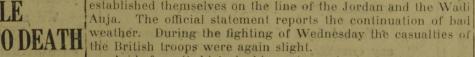
Mrs. N. W. Brown of Miiddle South ampton, who has been spending a few days with friends in the city, returned

Barrington, N. S., Feb. 20. — The winter here, that had commenced so early in the season, so far has been most vigorous. While it is learned much suffering has been endured in maney cities and towns for want of fuel, it has been a most excellent season for lumbermen and woodcut ters of all kinds the rivers swamps

BURNED TO DEATH

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

(Canadian Press direct wire.) Peabody, Mass, Feb. 22—Five persons were hurned to death in a fire which destroyed a house and harn in West Peabody early today. The house was occupied by a family named Mil-ler. Police and firemen sent from here found the buildings in flames, and with no water supply available. They wife and three children. West Peabody was rediating from the town. A further advance eastward of 25 miles, however, will take the British to the railway from wife and three children. West Peabody and three children. West Peabody a family named Mil-ter. Police and firemen sent from here found the buildings in flames, and with no water supply available. They wife and three children. West Peabody and three children. British plan to free the Holy Land from the domination of the Soft and the fact that it gives the British domination of the Valley of Jordan, and also control of a network of high-bar and three children. West Peabody are also and three children. Boston, Feb. 22—The Union employ-west of the Boston Elevated Railway Company voted overwhelmingly to the Wass radiating from the town. A further advance eastward of 25 miles, however, will take the British to the railway from the bodies of Miller, his wife and three children. West Peabody are also and three to the bodies of Miller, his wife and three children. wife and three children.



Aside from its historical importance, in connection with the British plan to free the Holy Land from the domination of the

communication.