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# CANADIANS STAND UP WELLAGAINST TEMPTATIONS SAYS REV. DR. NEIL

## Toronto Chaplain Says That Heaps of Good Influence is Brought to Bear on Our Boys Overseas --- Reports are Much Exaggerated.

#### (Canadian Fress alrect wire.)

LONDON, Jan. 28 .- Dr. John Neil, Toronto, moderator of LONDON, Jan. 28.—Dr. John Neil, Toronto, moderator of the Presbyterian Church, has returned to London after a few in the other case he did not consider days rest at Basingstoke. He made some well considered ob- that the prosecution had shown that servations regarding impressions he has formed, after studying the liquid seized had been kept for the life of the Canadian soldier in England.

I have been in camps where some thirteen or fifteen thousand men are living, and have been in many hospitals and seen much of the life of the Canadians in London," said Dr. Neil. "It would be inadvisable to minimize the temptations to which the men are subject, but I am afraid it is inevitable in a condition when huge numbers of strange men are assembled in or near the big camps. One thing that has pleased me very much in England is the small amount of drunkenness, not only amongst the soldiers, but also the civilians.

#### BR. NEIL WILL ACCOMPANY THE BISHOP OF FREDERICTON ON TEN DAYS' VISIT TO FANCE

"I have rarely seen a drunken soldjer. Further, I can say the testimony is general that Canadian soldiers are standing well against the temptations; no body of soldiers now under arms are standing against temptations better. Therefore it seems to me that the many wild rumors undoubtedly prevalent throughout Canada concerning Canadians overseas are without justification. Heaps of good influence is brought to without justification. Heaps of good influence is brought to usl appearance, was virtually deserted. bear on our men, the chaplains were fully efficient and the influence of the commanding officers is all in favor of going traight. Above all, perhaps, and I speak deliberately, the influence of home ties, left behind for a time, is the most potent factor in keeping men straight. People at home should not be unduly alarmed by reports which often undoubtedly are exag

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Their Ire aroused over Czernin's Statement that His Recent Speech was Transmitted



In the police court this afternoon oth cases tried under the Intoxicat ng Liquor Act 1916, were dismissed as against Mr. George Fleet of thi ity, for having hop beer for sale with alcoholic strength greater than Nashwaaksis, where a bottle which the defense alleged to contain unfer

BOTH CASES

mented grape juice was seized. The magistrate in giving judgment stated that the analysis of the hop

beer in the Fleet case did not give the percentage of proofspirits by weight sale and that the analysis in this case

# WALL STREET

(Canadian Press direct wire. New York, Jan. 28.-Wall street and have been drawn to other industries.

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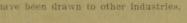
ng after spending a few weeks with which kept

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## NEGLIGENCE (Canadian Press direct wire.) Washington, Jan. 28 .- Gross negli-

hat permitted by the act and the oth- agement in giving proper care to loco was against the Pine Grove Hotel motives, is a principal cause of the recent freight congestion, according to a report presented today to Director General McAdoo by Inter-state Com

merce Commissioner McChord. After a report of inspectors who have been investigating conditions at the principal points of congestion in the east for several weeks, Commissioner McChord announced that hundreds of locomotives which are sorely needed in the present emergency, are idle in shops and round houses because of the railways neglecting repaira which might have been made if proper nstructions had been given by the railway authorities. This condition GERMAN ARTILLERY AND RAIDING PARTIES we reported to be due partly to scarcity of machinists and repair men, who



## The Germans May Make Important Statement by Lord Dunmore Who Heads British Mission to United States---More Man Power Needed Before Big Drive Can be Expected.

Allies can Halt any Offensive

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#### (By Canadian Press direct wire.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 .- Any offensive, no matter of what magnitude, that the Germans may launch on the western front. will be halted by the British, the French and the Americans together, in the opinion of Lord Dunmore, who arrived here today at the head of a British mission to stimulate recruiting among Englishmen resident in this country.

We can beat the Germans and go through their lines, I am confident, any time we make the attempt," he asserted, "but this is the difficulty-and this is what I want to point out to all British subjects in the United States-the Allies have not yet sufficient man power to exploit a drive like the one at Cambrai. We must have that balance of man power.

## SHOWING ACTIVITY ON THE WESTERN FRONT

LONDON, Jan. 28.—Both the German artillery and German raiding parties were active last night along the Franco-Belgian fronts at various points, according to today's War Office announcement. It reads:

Yesterday evening the enemy raided an advanced post portheast of Langemarck. Three of our men are missing. To the southeast of Levergueir a strong reconnoitering party was dispersed by rifle fire during the night. The hostile artillery was active last night at different points southwets of Cambrai and also north of Lens and in the Passchendaele sector."

### THE FRENCH TROOPS CARRY OUT SUCCESSFUL RAIDS ON THE WESTERN FRONT LAST NIGHT

PARIS, Jan. 28.—Raids were carried out successfully by the French last night on the Champagne front, and in the sector north of St. Mihiel, the War Office announces in the follow ing statement

French troops successfully made several incursions into he German lines last night in the Champagne and north of St. Mihiel, and brought back prisoners. A German raid on small Die, gave no results. On the remainder of the front the night

#### REVOLTION IN FINLAND.

Stockholm, Jan. 28 .- The long threatened revolution in Finland is proceeding in the eastern provinces, according to erious reports reaching Haparanda and forwarded here from Petrograd. Answer to a protest made by Finland to the Russian government said that it must support the proletariat against Finland's bourgeoise. Helsingfors is commanded by the guns of Russian warships under the control of Bolsheviki.

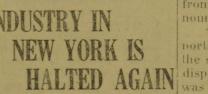
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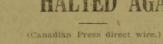
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 . in contrast with its usnce, was virtually deserted.
 New York, Jan. 28--Industry in New the second of the ten workless, heat-York city halted again today being loss and, lightless Mondays decreed by the National Fuel Administration and reports to local administrators indicated that the observance was far more general than a week ago. The New York stock exchange, which kept open a week ago, although without heat, was closed today, as was elso the consolidated stock exchange and many of the great banking insti 

An. B. E. Hong of Toronto, is at also the consonance stock large, and many of the great banking insti-tations in the financial district. Thea-raham of Kentville, N. S., are at the tres remained open, many of them arker House. They arrived Satur-





### to President Wilson.

#### (By Canadian Press airect wire.)

LONDON, Jan. 28.-Nothing has so angered the pan-Germans, according to reports in special despatches from Holland, as the statement attributed to Count Czernin that his speech on peace had been communicated to President Wilson. The statement, it is said, was greeted with loud chers by its hearers, but was received with an outburst of rage and contumely by the closely printed pages in the latest issue of the Die Zukunft to Pan-Germans, whose fury it brought to a climax.

America is criticized by Germany, and, according to Count Reventlow, can only be regarded as "endangering Germany's life without prejudice, and criticizes in an astonishingly outspoken famous Danish wolf hounds are being slaughtered for food. Dr. Egan, who interests.

Allusions in Pan-German newspapers that Count Redern. secretary of the treasury, is one of the four men responsible for that the financial situation in Germany was such that further prepared a difficult plan and had not demanded territory. development of offensive operations was unadvisable.

It is reported from Holland that the pan-German newspaper Kreuz Zeitung, of Berlin, has been suspended for publishing a violent article under the heading "Austria must be abandoned."



#### (Canadian Press direct wire.)

Amsterdam, Jan. 28-Heavy fight-ing has been in progress for several days between Ukrainians and Bolshedays between Ukrainians and Boisne-viki troops, according to press despat-ches reaching here from Ukrainain sources. An attack was made by Ukrainain troops which attempted to take possession of Lutsk, Volhynia. The Bolsheviki commander appealed for assistance to the Austro-Hungar-ian commander of that district, who declined to him declined to 'aid him.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Logie of Chat-bam, are at the Barker House,

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

### Noted Journalist Publishes in His Paper Real Texts of Speeches of Lloyd George STARVATION FOR THE WORLD IF WAR CONTINUES TWO MORE YEARS and President Wilson.

#### (Canadian Press direct wire.)

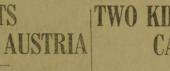
LONDON, Jan. 28.-Maximilian Harden devotes thirteen

The idea of any exchange of opinions between Austria and Wilson and Premier Lloyd George. He says that thoughtful and conscientious men should read the speeches quietly and the Russian negotiations.

Herr Harden virtually accuses Germany of forcing Austria-Germany's position, is said to concern a financial memorandum. Hungary into the war, and says that peace might have been ob-One report of the incident declares that he warned the Emperor tained the first week at Brest-Litovsk if the Germans had not added that the "people of Denmark now are living in practical slavery, and

Referring to President Wilson's spech, Harden says: "Belief is still firm that peace is possible, and that the cleavage be-tween the two fighting groups is no longer so wide that it can be filled only by new heaps of corpses. It will, however, widen into an unbridgable gulf if the people again refuse to acknow-

He pleads for the sanctity of treaties, a reduction of armaments, the right to self-determine offences, and favors consid-



#### (Canadian Press direct wire.)

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 27 .- European food experts are agreed that the entire population of the world will be brought to the verge of starvation if the reproducing the real texts of the recent speeches of President European war continues two years more, Dr. M. F. Egan, United States minister to Denmark, said here last night. The northern European neutrals, Dr. Egan declared, are in dire straits. Food is so scarce in Denmark that the fashion Germany's attitude toward Austria in the conduct of recently returned from Copenhagen for a rest, warned the people of the United States against German espionage, and declared that every citizen should awake to its danger. "Only those who live within the reach of German oppression," continued Dr. Egan, "can realize the peerless boon of liberty." He bat the same is true of other small European neutrals.

## DISORDERS INVESTIGATION

(Canadian Press direct wire.) Washington, Jan. 28.—The big pack-ing interests were charged today by Frances J. Henry, special counsel in the Federal Trade Commission's in-vestigation into the meat packing in-dustry with having attempted to bring (Canadian Press direct wire.) London, Jan. 28.—Reports of distur-bances in Germany again are current in Holland and severe outbreaks are said to have occurred in the Rhein-ish industrial districts. Troops with machine guns have been summoned to Mulheim, on the Rhine opposite Col-ogne, but there are no details. (Canadian Press direct wire.) (Canadian Press direct wire)
Thick Rupert, B. C. Jan, 28—A report from Attline tells of an unusum in this cabin, A to of thight a beene, some had helped himself to the hights absence, some had helped himself to the hights absence and left a few marks of wood alcohol in the cabin. A fourth had begun to plunder the barley lived to get usisde. A fourth the mole had begun to plunder the horizet of the whiskey.
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