

TURKS CAN'T REPAIR DAMAGES DONE TO GOEBEN

RUSSIA IS NOW SUPREME IN THE BLACK SEA--AUSTRIA VIOLATED ROUMANIAN TERRITORY

BEN IS OUT OF COMMISSION-- CAN'T BE REPAIRED BY TURKS

OF THIS SHIP PUTS RUSSIAN FLEET IN LEAD -- WHEN
NEW RUSSIAN DREADNOUGHT IS FINISHED THEY
WILL ATTACK THE BOSPHOROUS.

(Special to The Daily News.)
on, Feb. 8.—English refu-
om Constantinople declare
e former German cruiser
now owned by Turkey,
badly damaged by striking
ish mine that it will be im-
e to repair her at Constan-
virtual loss of the services
Goeben reduces the Turk-
et to a state of inferiority
pared with the Russian
Sea fleet.
New Russian Ship.
ia has a dreadnought be-

ing finished at Sebastopol, and it
is believed that when this ship
joins the fleet Russia will attack
the Bosphorous and the Black Sea
while the allied fleet will attempt
to force the Dardanelles.
Bombard Dardanelles.
London, Feb. 8.—Four torpedo
boats of the Allies have bombard-
ed the Turkish forts in the Dar-
danelles, according to an Athens
dispatch to the Exchange Tele-
graph Company. One hundred
and seventy-four shells were dis-
charged. The ammunition depots
were set on fire.



CANADIAN SOLDIERS AT SALISBURY NOT AFRAID OF THE WET.

Members of the Canadian contingent at Shrewton have shown their adaptability to circum-
stances in a very novel manner. Their motor lorry became stranded in the flood so the men could
use it as a bathing machine. They are evidently not afraid of cold water, but appear to like it as
shown in the picture.

RIA HAS VIOLATED RUMANIAN FRONTIER

(Special to The Daily News.)
s, Feb. 8.—Austrian troops
violated the Rumanian
r near Turn Severin. A
s fight with the frontier
ollowed. Rumanian rein-
ours arrived, and after
hours' fighting the Austri-
re driven back with many
ed. The place is the only
on the Danube connecting
and Rumania.

HAZELTON IS CHAMPION NORTHERN B. C. HOCKEY

(Special to The Daily News.)
Hazelton, B. C., Feb. 6.—By de-
feating Smithers last night Haz-
elton has clinched the champion-
ship of the Northern B. C. Hockey
League and the Ross Cup. This
team has won six straight games,
defeating New Hazelton and
Smithers three games each. Ar-
rangements are being made to
play the Prince George team.

ENGLISH CUP TIES FIRST ROUND REPLAYS

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Feb. 8.—The results of
the replayed first round English
Cup ties are:
Newcastle, 2; Swansea, 0.
Birmingham, 3; Brighton, 0.
Millwall, 2; Bolton, 2.

HOT TIMES IN THE PROV. LEGISLATURE

A recent visitor to Victoria who
had spent some time attending
the sessions of the Legislature,
was asked if he had heard the
local member, Wm. Manson, make
a speech. "Yes; he did speak one
day," was the reply. "He arose
and asked that the windows be
lowered to help the ventilation."

COLORADO UNION MEN CHARGED WITH MURDER

Walsenburg, Col., Feb. 8.—John
Burke and Charles Haines, presi-
dent and secretary, respectively,
of the local union of the United
Mine Workers of America, were
arrested last night on indict-
ments returned by the grand jury
of Huerfano County, which has
been investigating disorders in-
cident to the recent Colorado coal
miners' strike. They were
charged with murder.

Court officials refused to reveal
details of the accusations or the
names of other defendants, with
the exception of Wm. T. Hickey
and Eli M. Gross, officers of the
Colorado State Federation of La-
bor, arrested in Denver.
Five other former strikers later
were arrested on similar charges.

FOR RENT.

Completely furnished four-
roomed house near drydock, \$25.
H. G. Helgerson, Ltd.

SOCCER LEAGUE.

(Special to The Daily News.)
toria, Feb. 8.—In the Soccer
all League Victoria beat
ouwer by a score of 3 to 2.

LARGE CONVENTION TO MEET AT SMITHERS

District Liberals to Assemble in
Force at Smithers Next Wed-
nesday—Public Meeting
Thursday.

New Hazelton, Jan. 8.—A large
number from here and the sur-
rounding country will be in at-
tendance at the Liberal conven-
tion in Smithers on Wednesday
evening of next week. A sleigh-
load from Hazelton will leave on
Tuesday and probably remain for
the big public meeting on Thurs-
day night, but the great majority
from this section will go on Wed-
nesday evening's train and return
next morning, taking part only in
the convention.

The public meeting on Thurs-
day night will be held in the
Prince Theatre, and according to
reports reaching here from the
divisional point it will be the
largest political gathering ever
held in the Northern Interior.
Several well known speakers will
discuss the issues and altogether
it should prove a profitable meet-
ing for those attending.

IMMIGRATION BILL WAS NOT PASSED

President Wilson has won out
in his veto of the Immigration
Bill. An attempt was made to
carry it over his head but they
were five votes short of the ne-
cessary two-thirds required. The
bill stands vetoed.

SACRED CONCERT.

A sacred concert was given in
the Majestic Theatre last even-
ing in the interests of the suffer-
ers of the earthquake in Italy. A
large number of local talent took
part and there was a good at-
tendance.

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist
Church will hold a Valentine Tea
on Saturday, February 13, in the
church from 3 to 9 p. m. Sale of
home cooking. Collection.
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ARTILLERY DUELS STILL CONTINUE

(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris, Feb. 8.—The official re-
port states that the artillery duel
continues from the sea to the
Oise.

On the Aisne front and in the
Champagne there is intermittent
bombardment. Our positions are
all maintained.
We blew up some German
trenches at Kerenchy, and repul-
sed the attack on Massiges by ar-
tillery.

ULSTER LEADER HAS JOINED THE MAJORITY

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Feb. 8.—The Marquis
of Londonderry, Solicitor General
for Britain from 1900 to 1906,
died today, aged 62. He was the
leader of the Ulster movement.

VERY HUNGRY MAN.

One of the aborigines of Mas-
sett is a guest of Chief Vickers.
He wants to make a trip to Victo-
ria in an aeroplane. It is not the
price that is lacking, apparently,
for he says his father has two
million dollars; but then he has
not seen his father for many years
and he doesn't know where to
find him. He hasn't had anything
to eat for fifteen years and he
doesn't feel very well. He will
likely be sent to the asylum for
the insane unless the health in-
spector, Dr. Cade, decides that it
is the rest of us that are crazy.

MONEY TO LOAN

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16TH ANNIVERSARY
MASQUERADE BALL
McINTYRE HALL
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11
Gents \$1.50 - Refreshments
Westholme Orchestra

BOWSER IS GUILTY OVER DOMINION TRUST

Eastern Newspaper Discusses the
Scandal and Calls Upon Fed-
eral Government to Act.

When The Globe called upon
the Hon. W. T. White to take
criminal proceedings against
the men responsible for the scan-
dalous failure of the Dominion
Trust Company of Vancouver,
either through the Attorney Gen-
eral of British Columbia or di-
rectly by instructing the agents
of the Federal government in
Vancouver to bring the case be-
fore the next Grand Jury sitting
in that city, it had no idea of the
rottenness behind the published
accounts of the failure. The com-
pany had manifestly evaded and
defied the law, which forbade the
taking of deposits without con-
sent of the Dominion government,
but it was not generally known
upon what counsel this action was
based, or how it had been regard-
ed by those responsible for the
administration of justice on the
Pacific Coast.

The Vancouver Sun, comment-
ing upon The Globe's question,
"Are well-to-do offenders always
to go unwhipped of justice in
Canada?" makes the following
extraordinary statements which
should have the immediate atten-
tion not only of the Minister of
Finance, but of the Minister of
Justice:

"The Globe evidently does not
realize the colossal nature of the
task which it is assigning to Mr.
Bowser. Does it know that the
firm of Bowser, Reid & Wall-
bridge, of which the Attorney
General is senior partner, were
and are the solicitors of the rot-
ten concern, the collapse of which
has spread ruin far and wide?
Does it know that the firm of
Bowser, Reid & Wallbridge, in or-
der to be in close touch with the
defunct company, from which
they received such handsome re-
venues, occupied a palatial suite
of law offices that are such a mag-
nificent feature of the company's
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HADAIDA INCIDENT IS CLOSED-- TURKS APOLOGIZE TO ITALY

BRITISH CONSUL HAS BEEN RELEASED AND RETURNED TO
ENGLAND--WAS SUBJECT OF ULTIMATUM FROM
ITALY AND CAME NEAR WAR.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris, Feb. 8.—The Hadaida in-
cident has apparently been closed.
The British consul, George Rich-
ardson, was released today by the
Turks and returned to the Italian
consulate, and the Turkish offi-
cers saluted the Italian flag.
Richardson left at once for Eng-
land on the armed merchantman,
Empress of India.
Origin of Trouble.
The Hadaida incident arose at

the time war was declared be-
tween Britain and Turkey. The
British consul took refuge in the
Italian consulate and the Turks
entered the place and arrested
him. After a few sharp inter-
changes Italy presented an ulti-
matum to Turkey in the matter
and she decided to come to terms.
The handing over of the consul
and saluting the Italian flag
closes a case that might have led
Italy immediately into the war.

LOCAL SPEAKERS HOLD MEETING AT GRANBY BAY

Fred Stork and T. D. Pattullo
returned on Saturday night from
a visit to the smelting town on
Granby Bay. During their trip
they addressed a public meeting
in the interests of the Liberal
party and a large crowd turned
out to hear what they had to say.
Discontent with the present gov-
ernment has hit Granby Bay like
it has the rest of the province.

PROGRESS AT FRONT SHOWS LITTLE CHANGE

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Feb. 8.—The War Of-
fice gave out the following state-
ment this afternoon regarding
the progress of events at the
front:

The day of February 6 was
quiet. Between the canal and the
road from Bethune to Labassee, a
kilometre east of Cuinchy, a
brickyard where the enemy had
maintained a position was taken
by the British.

In the section of Arras to the
north of Ecurie the German bat-
teries have bombarded the trench
captured by us on February 4 but
there has been no infantry at-
tack.

From Arras to Rheims there
have been artillery fights in
which we have had the advantage.

In the Champagne we repulsed
an attack by half a battalion of
the north of Beausejour.

From the Argonne to the Vos-
ges artillery combats have been
handicapped in the mountain re-
gions by the thick fog.

LAWS OF 4,400 YEARS AGO ARE UNEARTHED

Babylonian Tablet Held at Yale
Deals With Injury to Women;
Boat and Cattle Hire.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 6.—A
Babylonian tablet, believed to
have been buried in the earth
more than 4,000 years and con-
taining the earliest law code, re-
cently has been unearthed and is
now in possession of Yale Uni-
versity, it has just become known.
The tablet is heavily incrust-
ed, but part of it has been cleaned
and deciphered. The laws are
written in the Sumerian lan-
guage, the language of Southern
Babylonia prior to its conquest
by the Semites or Accadians in
the time of Hammurabi. Owing
to the imperfect knowledge of the
language, the work of decipher-
ing is extremely difficult, but the
university expects to have perfect
translations made and published.
The laws that have been trans-
lated refer to legislation concern-
ing injury to women; the repudi-
ation of children who have per-
haps been adopted, elopement,
the hire of boats and cattle and
provision for the killing of a hired
ox by a lion. These laws are be-
lieved to have been written about
2,500 B. C.

FRENCH VALUABLES RETURNED TO PARIS

(Special to The Daily News.)
Geneva, Feb. 8.—A consign-
ment of bonds, stocks and scrip
to the value of \$600,000,000
shipped here from Paris for safe
keeping after France had been in-
vaded was returned today.

SUGGEST "BACK TO ENGLAND"

Agitation in West to Send Surplus
Labor to Assist English
Factories.

An unusual agitation has start-
ed in the West of Canada, partic-
ularly Winnipeg and Calgary,
which has reached the Premier of
Canada, and he has instructed the
Minister of Labor to investigate
the possibilities of the sugges-
tion. It is to send some of the
surplus labor from Canada to
Great Britain, where reports say
that owing to the number of men
enlisting there is a shortage of
labor. Communications have
passed between the West and Ot-
tawa, and some of the labor or-
ganizations in the West have
taken up the suggestion, as well
as several of the Western mem-
bers of the Federal House.

A deputation which visited the
Premier last week was informed
that the Minister of Labor was in-
vestigating the matter, and the
suggestion of "back to England"
was being seriously considered by
the government.—Toronto Star.

THE WEATHER.

By F. W. Dowling, Observer.

(5 a. m., February 8, 1915.)
Barometer 29.601
Max. temp. 54.0
Min. temp. 38.0
Rainfall07
Tennis Club meets in Patmore
& Fulton's office tomorrow
(Tuesday) at 4 p. m.