

CRISIS PREDICTED  
FOUR YEARS AGO

Capt. Bellairs Prophesied Then  
What is Now Taking Place

AT THE CANADIAN CLUB

He Said in 1910 That World Crisis  
Would Take Place About 1914 and  
Gave Reasons for His Belief.

It is not wise to prophesy unless  
you know, but if you know it is un-  
wise to keep your knowledge and be  
afraid of disclosing the truth that it  
is in you, no matter how distasteful it  
may be to yourself or your neigh-  
bors. It is easy to prophesy after  
the event and say: "Didn't I tell you  
so?" There is much of this kind of  
thing going on in both political  
camps just now. But where you find  
a prophet whose words have been  
recorded in cold print and who  
prophesied four years ago exactly  
what is taking place at the present  
time in Europe, you have a right to  
take credit and honor even in his  
own country.

Captain Carl von Bellairs, speaking  
on "The Impending Naval Crisis" at  
the Canadian Club, Toronto, Septem-  
ber 29, 1910, made a remarkable and  
deliberate prophecy which at the  
present moment it is very interesting  
and illuminating to recall. These  
are his words as recorded in the  
1911-12 volume of the "Proceedings  
of the Toronto Canadian Club":

Reasons for Crisis.

"I believe that the world is in for  
a crisis—a world crisis—about the  
year 1914. All conditions, I think,  
point to that conclusion. I am not  
saying that it will be a war, but that  
many, both direct and indirect,  
Among the indirect reasons may be  
mentioned the growth of Socialism  
in Germany. The Socialists have  
an agreement already in 1915, and  
any movement resulting from its ter-  
mination will be felt a year in ad-  
vance. The German army, it is as-  
sumed, is being fashioned for war  
at a definite date in that it is being  
financed by borrowed money, and the  
whole preparation will reach matu-  
rity about the year 1914. There is  
also another issue that is likely to  
have an important bearing upon con-  
ditions. The Japanese alliance ends  
in 1915 and the terminus of the  
alliance is likely to be anticipated."  
Further on he says: "I believe ab-  
solutely that the year 1914 will see  
the crisis. Six times already, Japan  
England has been ready to turn  
back the aspirations of one ruler  
struggling after world-supremacy and  
world-domination. We have got to  
it that Germany does not make  
the seventh. The successor of Philip  
Spain, Louis XIV. or Napoleon  
would be ruler of the world."

It is interesting to notice also  
that he says in regard to Canada's  
part in the present crisis: "England  
is likely to be absolutely in the con-  
trol of travel on the great  
roads. Canada, with her great  
wealth east to west, depends upon  
the American railroads."

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is in jeopardy. He further  
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There is, of course, no immediate  
fear in regard to the Indian frontier  
from Russia. The British fleet, which  
has been ordered to be ready to sail  
at a moment's notice, is being station-  
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STEAMSHIP ARRANGEMENTS.

According to Mr. S. J. Sharpe, gen-  
eral agent for the French Steamship  
Line, the Rochambeau will sail from  
New York next Wednesday for Havre,  
carrying cabin passengers only.  
The Elder-Dempster Steamship  
Company, Montreal, are running their  
boat Denguela to Cape Town on Au-  
gust 20.

TO-DAY'S EVENTS.

Princess Theatre. Percy Haswell, in "The  
Fencing Wife." 8 p.m.  
Royal Alexandra. The Bonstelle Players,  
in "Sherlock Holmes," 2 and 8 p.m.  
Shea's Theatre. Voltaire, 2 and 8 p.m.  
The Hippodrome. continuous vaudeville, 1  
to 11 p.m.  
Low's Winter Garden Roof. Yonge  
street, 8 p.m.  
Baseball. Canadian League. Erie vs. To-  
ronto. Motordrome, 3.15 p.m.

The Weather

Readings of the thermometer and bar-  
ometer and the velocity and direction of  
the wind at the Observatory were—  
The Globe's Barometer  
Aug. 7, 10 p.m.

Table with 4 columns: Time, Therm., Bar., Wind.

Mean of day, 73; high, 82; low, 66;  
Reference from average, 19 above, 10  
below. Lower Lake and Georgian Bay, Ottawa  
Lower Upper St. Lawrence—Light to moder-  
ate westerly winds; fair, much the  
same temperature. Gulf—Light to moder-  
ate westerly winds; fair, much the  
same temperature. Provinces—Westerly winds, fair  
warm.  
Superior—Fresh easterly and south-  
westerly winds, fair and warm, but a few local  
storms.  
Southwesterly winds, fair and  
but a few local thunderstorms.  
Interior—Westerly winds, fair, but a few local  
showers.  
Fair, with the same tempera-  
ture.

FOR THE HOSPITAL SHIP.

Special Matinee Will be Given by Miss  
Haswell.  
Under the auspices of the Imper-  
ial Order, Daughters of the Empire,  
Miss Haswell and her company will  
give a special matinee at the Princess  
Theatre on Tuesday afternoon, the  
entire proceeds of which will be de-  
voted to the \$100,000 fund which is  
being raised to equip a hospital ship  
for war service. Miss Haswell will  
present the novelized version of Char-  
lotte Brontë's world-famous book  
"Jane Eyre," and she has donated  
without reservation or restriction both  
the Princess Theatre and the services  
of herself and company to the I. O.  
E. in furtherance of their noble  
object. Patriotic songs and spec-  
tacles to be introduced between the  
acts. Tickets may be purchased at  
the newspaper offices, from any mem-  
ber of the I. O. E., or at the box  
office of the theatre.

MAIL SERVICE UNINTERRUPTED.

The mail service at the Toronto  
postoffice continues uninterrupted,  
with the exception that money or-  
ders to Austria-Hungary, Belgium,  
Germany and Egypt are not issued.

G. R. A. MATCHES CANCELLED

Captain Miller stated to The Globe  
yesterday that the matches of the  
Ontario Rifle Association, which were  
to have commenced on August 17,  
have been cancelled.

MAJOR-GENERAL LESSARD  
FEELING QUITE FIT

NO TRUTH IN REPORT THAT HE  
IS ON SICK  
LEAVE.

With reference to a report publish-  
ed yesterday that Major-General Les-  
sard, commanding the 2nd Division  
here, is on sick leave, and conse-  
quently cannot be placed in charge of  
the Canadian contingent now being  
mobilized, The Globe called on the  
General at the military headquarters  
yesterday for verification.  
The General, who looks as robust as  
any member of his staff, gave an  
absolute denial that he was on sick  
leave. He explained that some three  
months ago he was somewhat run  
down through overwork and asked  
for leave. Shortly after this was  
granted, the Niagara camp was due  
to assemble, and the General felt well  
enough to conduct the camp opera-  
tions. He therefore applied for an in-  
definite absence of his leave. This  
was granted and is still good. To-day  
the General is as fit as any man on  
his staff, as his indefatigable energy  
under the present stress shows.  
"But you will when the present  
crisis is over?" persisted The Globe.  
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may do so, but certainly not until  
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WANT TO SERVE KING  
ON CANADIAN NIobe

OVER SIX HUNDRED TORONTO  
MEN EAGER TO ENROLL IN  
DOMINION'S NAVY.

Toronto will have its share in the  
manning and equipping of the Cana-  
dian cruiser Niobe, which has been  
lying idle in Halifax harbor since the  
Government took her out of the  
naval service. Toronto is anxious to  
see the ship put back in commission,  
and yesterday scores who had never  
had an actual naval experience of-  
fered their services. The move was  
prompted by patriotic zeal to guard  
Canadian coasts and help Britain.  
Rear Admiral Kingsmill, however,  
made it plain that ex-regular men and  
those who had some experience would  
be enlisted as far as possible in the  
crew that would take over the cruiser.  
Of these experienced men there was  
no dearth.

Yesterday about 600 men lined up  
in front of the offices of Aemilius  
Jarvis, which has been opened for  
recruiting naval men. Admiral Kings-  
mill explained that the war was to  
put back into commission. All that  
was wanted to fight. The Admiral  
had his seat at a table within, and  
before him a long list of names.

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only trained men would be useful, as  
the guns and equipment of the cruiser  
are of the latest type. The war was to  
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SUGAR SUPPLIES ARE  
SUFFICIENT FOR NEEDS

PRESENT PANIC DECLARED TO  
BE ENTIRELY WITHOUT  
REASON.

The present panic existing in the  
sugar trade because of the mad rush  
to buy is entirely without reason, ac-  
cording to Mr. Huntley Drummond,  
President of the Kemptville Sugar Re-  
finery, Limited. Mr. C. C. Mann, local  
agent for the Redpath firm, last night  
received the following wire from Mr.  
Drummond: "There is no necessity  
whatever for alarm as to sugar sup-  
plies here, and anyone who orders a  
barrel of sugar for storage purposes,  
besides having his work for his pains,  
merely bids up the price on himself  
and others. There are sufficient  
stocks in Canada to supply the legiti-  
mate needs of the summer, and the  
refineries do not propose to allow  
speculators to unduly enhance the  
price. It is the duty of every good  
citizen to keep his head at the pres-  
ent, as there are no indications of  
shortage or cost. Let me repeat, there  
is sugar enough for everyone, no need  
whatever at present to pay increased  
prices, whatever the future may have  
in store."

The sugar panic has been raging in  
Toronto and Ontario. That there is  
no necessity for such madness is evi-  
dent from the statements of Mr.  
Drummond and other prominent sug-  
ar refiners.

ENJOY THE COOL ATLANTIC SEA  
BREEZES.

Seaside Excursions at Very Low Rates,  
August 14, 15, 16, 17.  
From all stations in Canada west  
of Montreal to Windsor, Sault Ste.  
Marie and Sudbury, Ontario, to Am-  
herst, N.S., Charlottetown, P.E.I.,  
Chatham, N.S., Digby, N.S., Freder-  
icton, N.B., Halifax, N.S., St. Andrew's,  
N.B., North Sydney, N.S., St. John's,  
N.B., St. John's N.B., St. John's N.B.,  
Summerside, P.E.I., Sydney, N.S.,  
Yarmouth, N.S., Yarmouth, N.S.,  
Return September 1st, 1914.  
Those contemplating a seaside trip  
should bear in mind the excellent  
train service offered by the Canadian  
Pacific Railway. Sold through train  
to St. John, N.B., and Halifax, N.S.,  
leaves Montreal 6.25 p.m. daily.  
Standard sleeper to St. Andrew's, N.  
B., Friday night only.  
Connection train leaves Toronto 9.00  
a.m. daily, carrying observation par-  
lor car to Montreal and dining car to  
Smith's Falls. Full particulars from  
Canadian Pacific Ticket Agents, or M.  
G. Murphy District Passenger Agent,  
Toronto, Ont.

HOSPITALS HAVE DRUGS.

According to the superintendents  
of the Toronto hospitals they have  
a sufficient supply of drugs for three  
months. Dr. Haywood of the Gen-  
eral Hospital states that the hospital  
supply will last three months and it  
absolutely necessary for six months.

DOWN WITH THE DUST!

"Vulcan" Asphaltic road oils will  
do it, and at the same time preserve  
the roads. The British American Oil  
Co., Limited, refiners, foot of Cherry  
street. Head Office: Lumsden Build-  
ing, Toronto.

FRENCH RESERVISTS WAITING.

At the French Consular office here  
orders are being awaited for the  
transportation of about fifty reser-  
vists. Mr. Manuel Rochereau, son of  
the French Consul, is amongst the  
number.

GERMANY GUILTY  
OF AMAZING AUDAACITY

Peace Only to be Restored by De-  
struction of Disturbers

BRITISH LABOR M.P. TALKS

Does Not Believe Three Cabinet Min-  
isters Would Have Resigned Had  
They Known All the Facts—Country  
Appears Behind Government.

"Germany's amazing conduct and  
abominable impertinence has made  
intervention for peace by an outside  
power practically impossible," de-  
clared Mr. Frank W. Goldstone, mem-  
ber of the British House of Commons  
for Sunderland, and one of the Labor  
party Whigs.

Having been an insistent advocate  
of international peace and settlement  
for a number of years, Mr. Goldstone  
informed a reporter of The Globe last  
night that if the reports from Eng-  
land are true, and Germany is rightly  
accruited with offering Belgium and  
the French colonies to England as a  
bribe for neutrality, he must, this  
time, stand with the British Govern-  
ment in its determination to thrust  
the realization of the peace upon  
Germany.

"It seems hardly credible that  
Germany could be guilty of such  
amazing audacity and carelessness of  
the realization of the peace upon  
Germany. It has had one effect: peace will only  
be restored by the destruction of its  
disturbers. I can hardly believe that  
about Mexico, the Right Honorable  
John Burns and C. F. D. Matorman  
would have resigned their positions in  
the Cabinet had they been aware of  
all the facts. Had they been in-  
formed of Germany's offer, I am sure they  
would have remained within the Cab-  
inet circle and presented a united  
front to the Military Council of Ger-  
many. On the other hand, it ap-  
pears that the cabinet is solidly be-  
hind the Government."

The Expected Amageddon.  
Mr. Goldstone has been a critic of  
the policy of armed peace and conse-  
quent heavy expenditure on arma-  
ments for many years, urging that  
the money should be diverted into  
more productive channels. It ap-  
pears that this fight for supremacy  
has culminated in the expected Ar-  
mageddon, said he, "and it may  
mean ultimate elimination of large  
armies and navies as aggressive  
forces."

Mr. Goldstone, besides being a  
member of Parliament, is Secretary to  
the National Union of Teachers, and  
is now conducting a large party  
through Ontario.

The teachers were the guests of the  
city at a banquet at the "Carle" Ed-  
more last night. Controller James  
Spicer and Dr. J. A. Macdonald be-  
ing the principal speakers. The party  
will take in the sights of the city to-  
day and leave for New York to-night,  
wearing American colors for England.

Asked what he thought about the  
present situation, Professor Cusin said  
he believed it was going to be the  
bloodiest war the world had ever seen.  
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when he was in Germany, and he was  
now looking forward to it.

The German Emperor will send  
thousands and thousands of men who  
will fight until the dead are piled as  
high as the houses, and when these  
men are gone there will be no more  
war," was the Swiss profes-  
sor's gloomy prognostication.

WHEN NO MORE GERMANS  
WILL BE NO MORE WAR

Toronto Swiss Society met last night  
at Occident Hall to consider what  
arrangements could be made to trans-  
port the Swiss contingent from Tor-  
onto to Switzerland. There are about  
one thousand Swiss people in the city  
altogether, and out of these most of  
the men intend returning home to de-  
fend their native country in case any  
of the belligerents should invade it.

Professor Cusin, President of the  
Toronto Swiss Society, informed The  
Globe last evening that they were not  
able to secure a ship either in Mont-  
real or New York to carry the men  
to Switzerland via France. All Cana-  
dian steamers are going to England,  
and it would be useless for them to go  
there, as there are no vessels of Swiss  
people in England who cannot get  
over to the continent, as all vessels  
are stopped except for transporting  
soldiers to Belgium.

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DESERTER COMES BACK  
TO TAKE PART IN FRAY

WALKED INTO DETECTIVE DE-  
PARTMENT AND ASKED TO  
BE LOCKED UP.

Anxious to take part in the present  
European conflict, William  
Knight, a deserter from an artillery  
regiment at Kingston, walked into  
an office at the detective department  
yesterday afternoon and asked to be  
taken into custody. His request was  
readily granted. He was locked up as  
a vagrant pending word from King-  
ston.

Knight says that he has seen ser-  
vice in South Africa. The man ap-  
parently could not remain away from  
his regiment when there was a  
chance to once again see active ser-  
vice.

FORD MOTOR CO.'S BUILDING.

The cost of the Ford Motor Com-  
pany's new building at the corner of  
Christie and Dupont streets is  
\$300,000.

FIRE DESTROYS WESTON HOUSE.

The house and contents owned by  
Mr. McGlen in Weston were totally  
destroyed yesterday by fire. The loss  
is about \$1,500. The family was  
alarmed at the time, and its origin  
is a mystery.

PROTECTING CITY UTILITIES.

Every reasonable precaution is being  
taken to protect the various util-  
ities of the city. One of the chief  
things which might be affected should  
the enemy have any designs upon  
the city, is the water supply. The city  
authorities have arranged to guard  
upon the island waterworks to pre-  
vent the possibility of any of the ap-  
paratus being tampered with.

RED CROSS SOCIETY ACTIVE.

The Canadian Red Cross Society  
has become active through the past  
few days. A meeting of the execu-  
tive committee was held yesterday at  
the Government House. It was de-  
cided to begin the collection of funds  
for the aid of the sick and wounded  
in the war. The society will devote  
its offerings principally to the aid of  
the Canadian troops and British  
troops generally. The office of the  
society is at 55 King street east,  
where all subscriptions may be sent.  
Mr. Noel Marshall was chairman of  
the meeting and many prominent  
people were present.

WELL-KNOWN MAN DEAD.

After an illness extending over a  
period of three months, M. J. J. He-  
gan, a well-known business man in On-  
tario, died at his home, 524 Church  
street. He was the eldest son of the  
late Edmund O'Hearn of Adjalla, On-  
tario, and came to Toronto nearly  
two years ago. He entered the dry-  
goods business, and during the gold  
rush in British Columbia operated a  
chain of stores at Rossland, Fernie  
and Trail. Latterly he conducted stores  
in Cobalt, Halleybury and South Por-  
cupine in partnership with his three  
sons, Edmund R., Fred L. and Frank  
J. He is survived by his widow, three  
sons and two daughters.

Save money by spending it—invest  
in a pair of Oxford shoes. You can  
buy two pairs for the price of one at  
Blackfords' August Sale, 114 Yonge  
Street.

STREET CAR DELAYS

Friday, Aug. 7, 1914.

9.42 a.m.—Wagon broken  
down on track at Union Sta-  
tion subway; 11 minutes' de-  
lay to Church and Yonge  
cars.

10.04 a.m.—Wagon on  
track at Atlantic and King;  
10 minutes' delay to east-  
bound King cars.

10.51 a.m.—Station street,  
load of iron stuck on track;  
9 minutes' delay to Yonge  
and Church cars.

7.54 p.m.—G. T. R. cross-  
ing, Front and John, held by  
train; 6 minutes' delay to  
Bathurst cars.

8.35 p.m.—Queen and Uni-  
versity, held by parade; 5  
minutes' delay to Bloor and  
Queen cars.

8.45 p.m.—King and  
Yonge, held by parade; 5  
minutes' delay to Avenue  
road, College, Dupont, Bloor  
and Parliament cars.

8.45 p.m.—King and Bay,  
held by parade; 5 minutes'  
delay to King and Belt Line  
cars.

8.53 p.m.—Queen and Bay,  
held by parade; 4 minutes'  
delay to Queen, Bloor and  
Parliament cars.

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HIGHLANDER RECRUITS  
STILL POURING IN

MASSED PARADE OF REGIMENT  
ATTRACTS GREAT CROWDS  
IN CITY.

University avenue was crowded on  
every available inch of its space  
around the Armories last night, when  
recruiting and parades opened. While  
recruits poured in, as on previous  
nights, enrolment was somewhat hin-  
dered by a massed parade of the 48th  
Highlanders in full uniform.

Only about fifty recruits were en-  
rolled by the 48th Highlanders, and  
the Queen's Own and Royal Gren-  
adiers were engaged in enrolling ex-  
service men and swearing in the  
medically fit, respectively.

The 12th York Rangers also opened  
recruiting yesterday. Their stations  
are as follows: A and C companies,  
St. Lawrence Market; D Company,  
2142 Yonge street; stop 14, Metro-  
politan; E and F Companies, Town  
Hall, West Toronto; F Company, St.  
Lawrence Market; H Company, St.  
Paul's Hall, Yonge street.

DISASTROUS FIRE OCCURS  
AT EATON SUMMER HOME

FINE STEAM AND GASOLINE  
LAUNCHES, SKIFFS AND  
CANOES LOST.

(Special Despatch to The Globe.)  
Windsor, Ont., Aug. 7.—At a  
disastrous fire which occurred at  
"Ravencrest," the summer home of  
Mrs. T. Eaton of Toronto, early this  
morning, the boathouse, with the  
fine steam launch "Wanda II,"  
and gasoline launch "Rosemary,"  
also row boats and canoes, were a  
total loss. The fire had made con-  
siderable headway before being seen  
by anyone, making it impossible to  
save anything, except the small gaso-  
line launch "Wanda," which is also  
badly scorched.

The fire might have been much  
worse had it not been for the shower  
of rain which fell just before, pre-  
venting the spreading of the fire to  
any other buildings.

The cause and the amount of in-  
surance are unknown.  
Blaze in Nurses' Residence.

Cornwall, Aug. 7.—Fire broke out  
to-night about 10 o'clock in the Hotel  
Hotel. A large number of patients and  
eighteen sisters were in the building  
at the time. The patients were all  
moved out, many of the sisters them-  
selves being scantily clad. The blaze  
originated in the nurses' residence,  
which is an annex to the main build-  
ing. It is believed, from the overturn-  
ing of a lamp. The fire was checked  
before it came to the main building,  
and the patients were taken back. The  
damage will probably exceed \$10,000.

BERT ADAMS DROWNED.

Elora, Aug. 7.—(Special.)—Bert  
Adams, 28 years old, was drowned  
this evening in the Grand River, about  
a mile from town. He, in company  
with his youngest brother, were in  
a boat at the time. Dr. Kerr was  
hastily summoned, but life was ex-  
tinguished. Adams leaves a wife and  
an infant daughter six weeks old. His  
father and sister also reside here.

CONVOLING WITH PRES. WILSON.

The following is a telegram from  
the Mayor of Toronto on behalf of  
the citizens of the city to President  
Wilson:  
"The President, White House,  
Washington, D.C.  
I beg to express the deepest sym-  
pathy of the citizens of Toronto with  
you in your bereavement.  
"(Signed) H. C. Hocken, Mayor."

TO TAX THE "GALLERY."

The practice of levying a charge for  
admission to golf matches, which has  
been suggested as a solution to the  
championship congestion difficulty, is  
increasing in popularity. The move  
will mean almost universal adoption  
in the near future.

Although a shilling was charged on  
the occasion of the visit of Harry  
Vardon (South Horton), the cham-  
pion, and George Duncan  
(Hanger Hill) to the course of the  
Horseshoe (York) Golf Club, so large  
a crowd followed the play that the  
aid of the officials seemed fully  
justified.

TORONTONIANS IN EUROPE SAFE

Many messages were received yester-  
day by Toronto people from friends  
in Europe. All stated that they were  
safe. From many others no word  
has been received, and some anxiety  
is felt. Mr. Ernest McMillan, organ-  
izer at Convocation Hall, has cabled  
that he is safe in Bavaria. It is ex-  
pected that Sir William Mackenzie  
will sail for Canada Monday. Misses  
Ada and Edith Mitchell, daughters  
of Mr. L. Mitchell, 614 Avenue road,  
are reported safe in London. Mr. J.  
W. Flaville, who is in London, stated  
in a message that there is no neces-  
sity for any alarm for Canadians in  
Britain.

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Appears Behind Government.

"Germany's amazing conduct and  
abominable impertinence has made  
intervention for peace by an outside  
power practically impossible," de-  
clared Mr. Frank W. Goldstone, mem-  
ber of the British House of Commons  
for Sunderland, and one of the Labor  
party Whigs.

Having been an insistent advocate  
of international peace and settlement  
for a number of years, Mr. Goldstone  
informed a reporter of The Globe last  
night that if the reports from Eng-  
land are true, and Germany is rightly  
accruited with offering Belgium and  
the French colonies to England as a  
bribe for neutrality, he must, this  
time, stand with the British Govern-  
ment in its determination to thrust  
the realization of the peace upon  
Germany.

"It seems hardly credible that  
Germany could be guilty of such  
amazing audacity and carelessness of  
the realization of the peace upon  
Germany. It has had one effect: peace will only  
be restored by the destruction of its  
disturbers. I can hardly believe that  
about Mexico, the Right Honorable  
John Burns and C. F. D. Matorman  
would have resigned their positions in  
the Cabinet had they been aware of  
all the facts. Had they been in-  
formed of Germany's offer, I am sure they  
would have remained within the Cab-  
inet circle and presented a united  
front to the Military Council of Ger-  
many. On the other hand, it ap-  
pears that the cabinet is solidly be-  
hind the Government."

The Expected Amageddon.  
Mr. Goldstone has been a critic of  
the policy of armed peace and conse-  
quent heavy expenditure on arma-  
ments for many years, urging that  
the money should be diverted into  
more productive channels. It ap-  
pears that this fight for supremacy  
has culminated in the expected Ar-  
mageddon, said he, "and it may  
mean ultimate elimination of large  
armies and navies as aggressive  
forces."

Mr. Goldstone, besides being a  
member of Parliament, is Secretary to  
the National Union of Teachers, and  
is now conducting a large party  
through Ontario.

The teachers were the guests of the  
city at a banquet at the "Carle" Ed-  
more last night. Controller James  
Spicer and Dr. J. A. Macdonald be-  
ing the principal speakers. The party  
will take in the sights of the city to-  
day and leave for New York to-night,  
wearing American colors for England.

Asked what he thought about the  
present situation, Professor Cusin said  
he believed it was going to be the  
bloodiest war the world had ever seen.  
He said he had heard all about it  
when he was in Germany, and he was  
now looking forward to it.

WHEN NO MORE GERMANS  
WILL BE NO MORE WAR

Toronto Swiss Society met last night  
at Occident Hall to consider what  
arrangements could be made to trans-  
port the Swiss contingent from Tor-  
onto to Switzerland. There are about  
one thousand Swiss people in the city  
altogether, and out of these most of  
the men intend returning home to de-  
fend their native country in case any  
of the belligerents should invade it.

Professor Cusin, President of the  
Toronto Swiss Society, informed The  
Globe last evening that they were not  
able to secure a ship either in Mont-  
real or New York to carry the men  
to Switzerland via France. All Cana-