

BRIGADE IN FEW DAYS
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Cutten, Joins the Kilties, and Three Battalions Will Likely Be Completed This Week.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 29.—The greatest recruiting campaign in Nova Scotia since the war was now in full swing, under the leadership of Colonel Allison H. Borden, of the 60th Nova Scotia Battalion, C. E. F., now mobilized at Halifax. This province had recently conferred upon it the unique distinction of being authorized to raise a Highland brigade for overseas service to be commanded by one of her own native born sons, Colonel Borden. The present 65th battalion is to form one battalion, and the campaign to raise the four thousand men required for the remaining three battalions was launched on Monday. The whole province is behind the movement and in the first two days over twelve hundred men have been enrolled. This beats all recruiting records in this province. The campaign which began on Monday, the 28th, is expected to continue for six weeks to just commencing. Colonel Borden has started a tour of the province with his military band commencing with a rousing meeting at Lunenburg this evening.

Two of the strongest leaders of this province of brainy men have joined the Highland brigade, Dr. George B. Cutten, president of Acadia University, and Rev. Clarence MacKinnon, principal of the Halifax Presbyterian College. They are accompanying Colonel Borden on his tour.

Nova Scotians abroad are proud of the Highland brigade movement, and many of them are sending messages, asking that places be held for them until they can fix up their business affairs and hurry home to enlist with the Nova Scotia Highlanders. One battalion is being raised in Cape Breton, the second in Pictou, Antigonish, Colchester and Cumberland counties, and the third in Halifax and western counties. It is believed now that the Nova Scotia kilties brigade will be fully recruited in ten days.

OBITUARY

Henry James.

London, Feb. 28, 10.45 p.m.—Henry James, the novelist, died today. The late Henry James was born in 1843 and was the son of Rev. H. James. He received his early education in France and Switzerland, and completed his studies at Harvard where he graduated in law.

Yarmouth, Feb. 28.—Joseph Studley, one of the oldest residents of this county, died at the home of his son, Walter, at South Ohio, on Thursday. He was a native of Yarmouth town and was born early in the last century. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon, interment being made in the Chequoggin cemetery.

J. R. Wright. Digby, Feb. 28.—J. Russell Wright died in Digby Saturday night, aged 72 years. He was single and is survived by two brothers, Captain James Wright, of Digby, and Captain George Wright, of Digby. He was a member of the Methodist church.

Mrs. T. W. Wyman. Digby, Feb. 28.—The funeral took place in Freeport yesterday of the late Mrs. T. W. Wyman, aged 49 years. She had been ill for some time and totally blind for the past eight years. She was highly respected by a large circle of friends and particularly noted for her charitable disposition. She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Robert J. Wright, of Digby, a mother, three sisters and three brothers, including Captain George Morrell, captain of the St. John tug Wagon. Her husband, S. W. Wyman, is employed on the dredge at St. John harbor. All the family were present at the funeral.

Patrick Hurley. Harvey Station, Feb. 28.—Patrick Hurley, a well known and respected farmer of Acton, died yesterday. He was a native of Acton, being a son of Patrick Hurley, one of the pioneers of the settlement. He is survived by his wife, one son, John Hurley, who resides in England and two daughters, Mrs. Ryan, residing at Fredericton, and Miss Nellie Hurley who is at home at present. He is also survived by two brothers, Michael, residing at Fredericton, and Jeremiah, residing at Fredericton. Burial will be at Cork this morning.

J. S. Raymond. New York, Feb. 28.—The death of J. S. Raymond, vice-president of the Clyde & Mallory Steamship Companies, was announced here today. Mr. Raymond died yesterday at his home in Essex Falls (N. Y.), at the age of 46. He was born in Yarmouth (N. S.).

Mrs. Alwidia Martha Leiper. APOHAQUI, Feb. 28.—The home of John A. Leiper, of Carletonville, is one of sadness, owing to the death of the wife and mother, Mrs. Alwidia Martha Leiper, which took place on Saturday night, February 26. Mrs. Leiper, who was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan W. Parry, was forty-nine years old and is survived by her husband, John A. Leiper, four daughters, Mrs. Walter Biggar, Nettie, Gertrude and Mabel Leiper, and one son, Allan Leiper, also by five sisters, Mrs. William Schofield, Boston, Mrs. W. N. Biggar, Sussex, Mrs. Fred Gaudin, Mrs. Samuel Frazee and Mrs. John Northrup, all of Milltown, and two brothers, Walter Parry, of Boston, and Wilbur Parry, Carletonville. Decided has been in failing health for about a year, though until the last few months she had been able to attend to the duties in her home. A malignant form of throat trouble was the cause of her death.

In the death of Mrs. Leiper, who was an energetic member of the Methodist church, Carletonville and vicinity have met with a great loss. The funeral is to take place from her late home, Carletonville, at 2 p.m., Tuesday, February 29. Services conducted by Rev. L. H. Jewett, interment at Carletonville cemetery.

Abijah Crosby. Yarmouth, Feb. 28.—Abijah Crosby, one of Yarmouth county's oldest and most respected residents, died at his home, Rockville, on Sunday last, aged 82 years. He was an elder in the Presbyterian church at that place. He leaves two daughters, Mrs. McEwen, of Bridgewater (Mass.), and Miss Maria, at home. Mrs. William Schofield, Boston, Mrs. W. N. Biggar, Sussex, Mrs. Fred Gaudin, Mrs. Samuel Frazee and Mrs. John Northrup, all of Milltown, and two brothers, Walter Parry, of Boston, and Wilbur Parry, Carletonville. Decided has been in failing health for about a year, though until the last few months she had been able to attend to the duties in her home. A malignant form of throat trouble was the cause of her death.

Mrs. Elizabeth Starkey. The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Starkey, formerly of this city, wife of the late Captain Thomas Starkey, occurred in Brooklyn on Feb. 27. She was seventy-one years old, and is survived by five sons, Fred, Collins, Kings county, Walter of Mountaine, Kings county, Harper of Brooklyn, Ira of New York, and Ritchie of Oskaloosa, Iowa; also a daughter, Mrs. John Farley, of Forest street, St. John; four brothers and seven sisters also survive. The funeral will be held on Thursday at Mountaine.

B. H. Gillmor. St. George, Feb. 28.—B. H. Gillmor, 26 years of age, son of the late K. P. and B. Gillmor died early this morning of blood poisoning. Some weeks ago he had been scratched on the skin of his leg above the knee, the injury apparently did not cause much inconvenience but a fall on the slippery sidewalk aggravated the hurt and for some ten days he

was confined to the house. Last week he was able to about with the aid of a cane. On Wednesday he had to remain in the house and he grew rapidly worse. The announcement of his death this morning, coming with shocking suddenness, was heard with deep regret. Bent was a general throughout the county, was a generous and kind man, a man of many qualities that made him a favorite with all. His early death is deeply regretted. His mother has the sympathy of all in the loss of an affectionate son.

Wiley Smith. Halifax, Feb. 28.—Wiley Smith, of the firm of A. and W. Smith and Co., one of the oldest wholesale grocery houses in Halifax, died this morning. He was a director of the Royal Bank of Canada and president of the Acadia Sugar Refinery. He was eighty-two years of age and was one of the wealthiest men in the province. He leaves his wife but no family.

William Sleith. Moncton, N. B., Feb. 28.—The death of Wm. Sleith occurred here today in his 80th year. He was a native of Scotland, and was married to Mrs. Harry Herbert, and one daughter, Mrs. Harry Price.

Frank W. Masters. Wednesday, March 1. Announcement is made today of the death in New York on Sunday of Frank W. Masters, son of the late John F. Masters. The deceased will be well remembered by his friends in this city. He was a native of this city and was a member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. He was a very capable and energetic man, and was a great help to his father's business. He was a very kind and generous man, and was a great help to his father's business. He was a very kind and generous man, and was a great help to his father's business.

Jacob D. Anderson. Jacob D. Anderson, U. S. deputy collector of customs in Eastport, dropped dead on last Sunday morning at his home in that city, from an attack of acute indigestion. He was born in Eastport in 1862. He attended the public schools, graduating from Baynton High School in 1879. He taught the "outland" school for two years and then was engaged as principal of the Brooks grammar school, where he taught until 1887, resigning to enter the employ of George O. Gray & Company, who were the building factory, as bookkeeper. During this time he studied medicine with the late Dr. M. J. O'Neil and the late Dr. James D. Grady. He entered the Eastport custom house in 1890 as deputy collector of Passamaquoddy district and held the office up to the time of his death. He was also secretary of the United Civil Service Commission, and conducted the examinations held in Eastport. He was a charter member of the famous Frontier Guards of Eastport. He always retained interest in the military affairs of the city. He was a Republican. He served for several years on the school board where his previous experience as a teacher made his services valuable. He was married in 1888 to Miss Ellen Goulding who survives him, also a brother, John Anderson, of Eastport, and one sister, Mrs. Minnie Martin, of Portland, Me.

Frederick C. Thompson. Many friends will learn with regret of the death of Frederick C. Thompson, which occurred at his city residence at 245 Colchester, on Thursday. He was a son of the late Frederick W. Thompson and had been connected with the Massey-Harris company at Moncton for many years. He was a very capable and energetic man, and was a great help to his father's business. He was a very kind and generous man, and was a great help to his father's business.

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Mrs. Sarah Westeral. Mrs. Sarah Westeral, an aged and much respected lady, died on Feb. 25 at the home of her son-in-law, Michael Thorne, Salmon Creek, Queens county, leaving numerous relatives and friends to mourn the loss of a devoted Christian, and one whose life was a benediction in the community. Mrs. Westeral was a member of the Thornemount Baptist church. Charles Pearce, of the Narrows, Queens county, is a brother.

Isaiah Vantassil. Digby, N. S., Feb. 28.—Isaiah Vantassil, a well known and respected citizen of this city, died at his home in that village this afternoon after several months' illness. He was born at South Range, Digby county, twenty-two years ago, and is survived by one son, Elmer J. Vantassil, and three daughters, two of whom reside in the United States.

Mrs. Philip Thompson. Rexton, N. B., Feb. 28.—Mrs. Philip Thompson died at a very early hour on early Sunday morning after a long illness of tuberculosis. Mrs. Thompson was a very kind and generous woman, and was a great help to her husband's business. She was a very kind and generous woman, and was a great help to her husband's business.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson. The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson occurred yesterday in the General Public Hospital after a short illness. The late Mrs. Wilson was in her fifty-third year, and is survived by her three sons, Frederick H., Charles H., and William J. Wilson, all of this city.

Charles Edward Fillmore. Mr. and Mrs. William Fillmore, 88 St. John street, West St. John, have the sympathy of their friends in the loss of their only child, Charles Edward, aged four months, whose death occurred on Monday. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon.

Shanklin Thompson. The death took place of an aged West Side resident yesterday, in the person of Shanklin Thompson. He had been in poor health for the last three years and his death was not unexpected. He was a native of this city and was a member of the Methodist church. He was a very capable and energetic man, and was a great help to his father's business. He was a very kind and generous man, and was a great help to his father's business.

Mrs. F. Shenton Thomas. Mrs. F. Shenton Thomas, who has received news from her son, F. Shenton Thomas, of Pittsburg, Pa., Mr. Thomas, since graduating from U. N. B. has been engaged with the Westinghouse Albrakes Company in Pittsburg, and his marriage took place there only about a year ago. Mrs. Thomas was formerly Miss Hattie Lapp of Pittsburg. They have been making their home in Williamsburg, just outside of Pittsburg.

Joseph Dalsell. Many friends will regret the loss of the death of Joseph Dalsell, which took place suddenly yesterday morning at the residence of his son-in-law, W. H. Chambers, 229 City Road. Mr. Dalsell was a native of this city, and was a member of the Methodist church. He was a very capable and energetic man, and was a great help to his father's business. He was a very kind and generous man, and was a great help to his father's business.

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FRUITS. Marbot walnuts, 0.16 to 0.21. Almonds, 0.17 to 0.18. California prunes, 0.09 to 0.15. Filberts, 0.14 to 0.15. Brazil, 0.12 to 0.14. Peanuts, roasted, 0.11 to 0.14. Bag figs, per lb., 0.10 to 0.15. Lemons, Messina, boxes, 0.00 to 0.00. Coconuts, per doz., 4.00 to 4.70. Coconuts, per sack, 4.00 to 4.50. California oranges, 3.25 to 4.00. Oranges, Fla., 3.25 to 4.00. Apples, 2.25 to 3.00.

OILS. Palatine, 0.00 to 0.20. Royalite, 0.00 to 0.10. Turpentine, 0.00 to 0.10. Extra No. 1, lard com., 0.00 to 0.10. Premier motor gaso., 0.00 to 0.31.

JAPAN REVISES TARIFF. Tokyo, March 1.—The Diet adjourned today after adopting a bill for revision of the tariff.

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(Continued from page 1) should be to avoid action whenever possible. (9)—Experience has shown that hostile submarines and aircraft have frequently attacked merchant vessels without warning. It is important therefore that craft of this description should not be allowed to approach to short range, at which a torpedo or bomb, launched without notice, would almost certainly be effective. British and Allied submarines and aircraft have orders not to approach merchant vessels. Consequently it may be presumed that any submarine or aircraft which deliberately approaches or pursues a merchant vessel does so with hostile intention. In such cases fire may be opened on self-defense, in order to prevent the hostile craft from closing to a range at which resistance to a sudden attack with bomb or torpedo would be impossible.

(10)—An armed merchant vessel proceeding to render assistance to the crew of a vessel in distress must not seek action with any hostile craft, though if she herself is attacked while doing so fire may be opened in self-defense. (11)—It should be remembered that the flag is no guide to nationality. German submarines and armed merchant vessels have frequently employed the British, Allied or neutral colors to approach undetected. Though, however, the use of disguise and false colors to escape capture is a legitimate course of action, it is prohibited for armed merchant ships to easily lead to misconception. Such vessels, therefore, are forbidden to adopt any form of disguise which might cause them to be mistaken for neutral ships. (12)—Admiralty comment—These instructions, which are those at present in force, are the latest issues. Successive issues have been made, not by reason of a change in policy—the policy throughout has remained unaltered—but by improvement in wording and greater clearness of expression, to emphasize the purely defensive character of the armament of merchant vessels.

(13)—It is because of the distorted interpretation given these instructions as a whole, and the very forced character of the interpretation given by the German government to portions which they quote from an earlier issue of the instructions, that the admiralty felt it about as well to issue a neutral anxiety, to publish these in extenso. (14)—The British authorities, however, finally decided to release him without documentary proof.

Outsiders on "Black List". St. John's, Nfld., March 2.—The Norwegian steamer Ontonada, which, because of admiralty suspicions that she was engaged in contraband traffic, has been forced to lie at this port since her arrival, has resumed her voyage. This was made possible, it is understood, through the owner's compliance with an order that they give security for the good conduct of the ship as a preliminary to obtaining the coal required to allow her to reach Wilmington (Del.), her destination. The Ontonada sailed from Charlottetown without cargo. In crossing the Atlantic she burned all the coal aboard, and her captain put in here for a new supply, only to learn that it was not obtainable as she was on the admiralty "black list."

Senators Stone vehemently denied it. "The time has come for you and me," said Senator Williams, of Missouri, "and it is before us before it is too late because of any action of the president, but because of what has been compelled to confront because of constant nagging constant quibbling and constant expressions of opinion in favor of the negotiations of a foreign power against our own."

"I have listened with profound interest to what has been said by the senator from Missouri," said Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, ranking republican member of the foreign relations committee. "I thoroughly appreciate the gravity of the situation to which he has called attention. I agree entirely with also agree that our first duty is to dispense of the position issue that has been raised by the discussion to which he has referred."

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FISH. Small dry cod, 4.75 to 5.00. Medium dry cod, 4.00 to 4.25. Pollock, 4.00 to 4.25. Great Mackerel, 8.00 to 8.10. Smoked herring, 0.12 to 0.14. Pickled shad, half-bbls, 5.00 to 6.00. Fresh cod, per lb., 0.05 to 0.06. Boilers, per box 0.80 to 0.90. Halibut, 0.12 to 0.14. Kipper herring, per box 0.80 to 0.90. Swirlfish, 0.12 to 0.14. Haddies, 0.07 to 0.08.

FRUITS. Marbot walnuts, 0.16 to 0.21. Almonds, 0.17 to 0.18. California prunes, 0.09 to 0.15. Filberts, 0.14 to 0.15. Brazil, 0.12 to 0.14. Peanuts, roasted, 0.11 to 0.14. Bag figs, per lb., 0.10 to 0.15. Lemons, Messina, boxes, 0.00 to 0.00. Coconuts, per doz., 4.00 to 4.70. Coconuts, per sack, 4.00 to 4.50. California oranges, 3.25 to 4.00. Oranges, Fla., 3.25 to 4.00. Apples, 2.25 to 3.00.

OILS. Palatine, 0.00 to 0.20. Royalite, 0.00 to 0.10. Turpentine, 0.00 to 0.10. Extra No. 1, lard com., 0.00 to 0.10. Premier motor gaso., 0.00 to 0.31.

JAPAN REVISES TARIFF. Tokyo, March 1.—The Diet adjourned today after adopting a bill for revision of the tariff.

UPWARD MOVE
IN PRICES EXCEPT
THOSE OF FLOUR

Another Advance in Sugar
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War conditions continue to affect local market prices, particularly in the matter of foodstuffs. The present week has seen another advance in the price of sugar while molasses has also gone up a cent per gallon. Rice, which has been stationary for some time, has felt the effects of the times and a slight advance is noted in the price of lard. In fact, the only commodity which seems to have advanced tendency is flour which, late in February, had two sharp declines since which time the price has remained stationary. A few changes are also noted in country market prices. Prevailing prices for the week are as follows: