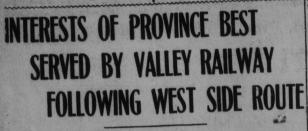
THE STANDARD, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1916.

CONSCRIPTION BILL GETS FIRST READING

Passage Loudly Cheered-No Very Deadly Opposition Shown in Debate-Labor Lead er Comes Out in Favor of Bill.

adon, May 3, 7.56 p. m. sent's military bill for baral compulsion passed is in the House of Com-sign the House of

day. Its passage was loudy bate revealed no very deady in to the compulsion bill. The sresting point was the sugges. Col, Craig that Treland should ded. - Hume Long, president of the ermment board, who was spon-he bill, replied to this sugges. I there was no objection, if the ist members approved the ist of the country had known it found an echo in Ireland. I tound the bill would be ext week.



tertaking known as the St. John ley Railway. No crossing of the r had been contemplated until action of a liways, having discussed this mat-ter fully with those gentlemen having endeavored to do it entirely from the standpoint of the public interest, of the interest of the province and of the ce and at the instance of Mr. that the idea of crossing the was entered into.

Is my duty to state here there there ly concur in the conclusion to which they have come. A little later, I think we will see, as has been pointed out

any way, that the measure before the House has my full concurrence, and I think it is very much in the interest of the province from which I come." How England Keeps Canadian Press.) May 3--Whan the house committee on the bill of the Inter of railways, Hon. J. D. Steady In War Time ARTHUR OF BALTIC:

oution would repeal all previous acts in connection with the undertaking the new arrangement, he said, pro-vided for the dropping of the line rom Andover to Grand Falls, which was not considered necessary, and the completion of the route from Gase to the single trained for the protect from Gase to the single trained for the protect from Gase to the single trained for the protect from Gase to the single trained for the protect from Gase to the single trained for the protect from Gase to the single trained for the protect from Gase to the single trained for the protect from Gase to the single trained for the protect from Gase to the single trained for the protect from Gase to the train speed along—in that smooth the train speed along—in that smooth the trained to be the trained for the protect for the pr

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struction. Hon. Dr. Reid said that while for than the National Transconti-nental standard, they ran the right way for the heavy traffic from the west to St. John. Dr. Reid said that now that the N. T. R. had passed into the hands of the gov-ernment, and that a connection with it had been otherwise secur-duite unnecessary to parallel the Grand Falls. "Since this govern-ment came into power," he added, "It has done more with the sup-port of Hon. J. D. Hazen for St. John than the old government did uvinfs its whole regime. We will build the line from Westfield to St. John as soon as we can do

to St. John as soon as we can do so, and then right through St.

Under Lord Derby's famous scheme for raising an army the pledge was given that the married men should be called up last. So many of the unmar-ried men have been exempted—many of their reasons make very entertain-ing reading matter—that the married men are to be called much sooner than it was anticipated. In contrast to those who developed utterly unexpect-ed religious scruples against fighting.

ISLANDS THE PORT Russia's Activities in Fortify ing the Islands have Swe-ONLY TEMPORARY

the passing of the ice blockade it is the there that important events are ikely to occur in the Baltic. **RUSSIAN GOV'T SAYS.** portant Events Likely to POPE ASKS CZAR TO

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den Worried.

with its large ground floor and ga leries. Principal Mackinnon, robed i the "king's uniform," presided. D W. P. Archibald, of Springfield, N. S ad the Scriptures and Rev. A.

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 Many a mother as she bakes a cake matural that the Russians should take natural that the Russians should take states or meet any German naval diver-tion against them. The statesgic im-tion Properly fortified they form practically an impassable barrier be tween the Baltic and the Guit of Bothnia, and provide a naval base commanding the entrance to the Guit Milligan. The Jam
 Askill, Ewen D. Mack Quarrie, and Stanley Hugh Miller of St. 4 degree cf Bachelor Messrs. W. A. MacQu Milligan. The Jam

ad military movements could ted at the German rear and the entire expedition. Ing to the reports in circula-Russians have been busy the



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FOUR RECRUITS SIGNED ON AT ST. STEPHEN

are at noon today and was heard a fine concert program was heard the afternoon. They were al in attracting an immer the Curling Rink this ev and addresses were made by Sanford; Lieut. Dever, Capt. t, of Halifax, and Capt. Tilley towns of St. Stephen and Mill-

Smith, Price Sawyer and Ellis Mc-Leod—the latter for the 65th battery Leog-the latter for the 65th battery and the others for the 115th. At the lose of the meeting, the band and officers were entertained at luncheon by the ladies recruiting committee. Capt. Black, of Halifax, inspector of cadets for the 6th District, has been in town for a few days and hay corganized the cadet corps connact. organized the cadet corps connect-

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brought here on the evening train real office s and taken to the hospital for an oper ed to Ottaw ation for appendicitis. The wire The wire lowed Col. DEPUTY SHERIFF WEST rdnance e ess stand ontreal to OF GRAND FALLS, N. B. DIED YESTERDAY

Grand Falls, May 3.—Geo. H. West, Grand Falls, May 3.—Geo. H. West, Well known citizen of this town, died at four o'clock this morning of anne-mia. Mr. West was 54 years of age and has been deputy sheriff a number of years for Victoria County. He leaves a widow, four sons, Arthur and Wih liam, in the west, Private Reid in the 116th Battalion, Kenneth, at home, and one daughter, Mrs. Roy Whelpley of Moncton, N. B. Hamilton, tracts on M Mr. John Liberal cou if there was in his files witness sai

What Does Your Food What Does four Food Cost? You could easily spend two dollars for a meal and not get as much real, body-building nutriment as you get in two Shredded Wheat Biscuits, the food that contains all the musclethem. Mr. Johns negie if he Thomas, re Munitions J Mr. Helln them and f ing about th vestigation. Carnegie if respondence making material in the whole making material in the whole wheat grain prepared in a digestible form. Two Shredded Wheat Biscuits with milk or cream will make a complete, perfect meal at a cost of not over five cents. A food for young-sters and grown-ups. Eat it for breakfast with milk or cream; eat it for luncheon sters and grown-ups. Eat t it for breakfast with milk or cream; eat it for luncheon with fresh berries or other fruits; a perfect meal for the Spring days.

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