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TWELVE PAGES—ONE CENT

Still Expect War To Go on Another Year

London Elated at Victories But Does Not Look for Early Close Many Rumors Heard Behind the Firing Line; Surprise at Melting Away of German Resistance in Recent Fighting

CLOSE WILL ST. FOR TWO WEEKS

Necessary To Avoid Accidents, Says Commissioner Fisher

CLARENDON CRITICISM

Road Engineer Advises Against Concrete Work This Fall—Public Works Department Has \$3,500 Left—Need For New City Hall

Warning that it may be necessary to close Mill street from North to Union, for two weeks while repairs are in progress was given by Commissioner Fisher at a meeting of the common council in committee this morning.

NEW POLICEMAN

A new policeman was sworn in by Magistrate Isthie in the police court this morning.

TAKEN TO KINGS

Chief Asbell, of Sussex, arrived in the city this morning and took back with him today at noon.

TO CLOSE MILL STREET

Commissioner Fisher spoke of the work in Mill street and said it would be advisable to close the street for two weeks to all traffic except the fire ap-

TANK STARTED OFF ITSELF ON WAY TO BERLIN

Gasoline Gave Out and Germans Attacked It

EVEN CLIMBED ON TOP

British Infantrymen to the Rescue and Enemy Routed—Another One Wrecked Shelter When Shells Failed—Stories of the Great Push

British Front in France, Sept. 27.—In the lull which has occurred after the great two days' battle in which five villages and 5,000 prisoners were taken by the allies, the correspondent had an opportunity to glean many stories from the participants in the struggle.

Pte. Robert Stephens Of Carleton Dies of Wounds

Other Gallant St. John and New Brunswick Men in The Casualty List in Great War

To the long list of Canada's sons who have made the supreme sacrifice is added the name of Private Robert Stephens, the 26th Battalion. The word was received this morning by Mrs. Mary Stevens of 288 Watson street, West St. John.

MINO MAN KILLED

Diad of wounds—Pte. C. Boldon, Minto Mines, N.B. Wounded—Pte. D. McGinnis, Antigonish, N.S.; H. W. McGrath, Victoria Peak, N.S.; W. E. Marsden, Halifax; W. E. McEllan, Green Mount, P.E.I.; Lance Sgt. H. B. Moore, Halifax; Pte. N. B. Moore, Kentville; A. H. Eaton, West-

SEPTEMBER WEDDINGS

The cathedral was the scene of an interesting event this morning when a nuptial mass, Rev. H. L. Coughlin was in charge. Miss Margaret Josephine Hanlan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hanlan, and Douglas McDonald, recently of Halifax, but now of this city, were united in marriage.

TRIBUTE TO MRS. JOHN MORTON

Morning Session of Women's Missionary Society of Presbyterian Church

At this morning's session of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church, eastern division, in St. David's church, this morning, it was unanimously resolved that the society should raise \$2,000 to erect a dormitory for a proposed girls' school in San Fernando.

TICKET OF LEAVE MAN BEFORE GAGTOWN COURT

Frederick, Sept. 28.—Leonard Whipple, a ticket of leave man charged with having gained half a game yesterday in Gagetown yesterday and remanded until Oct. 10.

A SERIES THAT MAY DECIDE CHAMPIONSHIP

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Brooklyn and Philadelphia today will begin a series of three games which may decide the championship in the National League.

THE WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. P. Stupart, director of meteorological service

CATHOLIC CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Hector Belliveau, who has been recently appointed curate to Rev. Father Curran, Moncton, returned to the city last evening after a short visit to his parents in Fredericton.

BIRTHDAY GIFT

About fifty friends of Miss Cora Craig of Millford assembled at her home last evening in honor of her birthday.

THE SICILIAN

The Alban Limer Sicilian is reported due at Quebec early on Saturday morning.

ARTILLERY POUNDING AGAIN; NO ADVANCE BY THE INFANTRY TODAY

While no new advances for the infantry on the Somme front are reported by Paris today, the violent struggle is being kept up without cessation by the artillery.

Speedy Development of Movement Against Peronne Now is Expected; Crown Prince Loses Heavily in Attack on Verdun Front

While no new advances for the infantry on the Somme front are reported by Paris today, the violent struggle is being kept up without cessation by the artillery. The French have been thrusting out forcefully east from Rancourt into the St. Pierre Vaast wood at which point and at Bochevaux, to the south, they are almost in a direct line north of Peronne against which the speedy developments of their enveloping movement is now to be expected.

GERMANS ATTACK AT VERDUN

Paris, Sept. 28.—A strong attack was made by the Germans last night on the Verdun front, between Tillyaumont and Fleury. The attack was reported today that the assault had been repulsed with heavy losses for the Germans.

GREECE NOT YET IN BUT IS NEAR

Constantine Said to Have Declined to Declare War Against Bulgaria

Athens, Sept. 27.—The Associated Press is in a position to state positively that King Constantine decided this morning in favor of an immediate declaration of war on Bulgaria.

KILTIES HAVE TAKEN ON SOME GO OR 70 SO FAR IN CAMPAIGN

Fredericton, Sept. 28.—Between sixty and seventy recruits have been enlisted at the recruiting meetings of the first three nights of the campaign for the N. B. Kilties.

NOVA SCOTIA MURDERER TO BE HANGED ON DEC. 6

Digby, Sept. 28.—Charles Robert, a colored man convicted of murdering his wife at Digby on August 12, was sentenced by Judge Harris this morning to be hanged at Digby on Wednesday, December 6, between four a. m. and noon.

COUL MCDUGALL PROMOTED

Lieut.-Col. A. McDougall, Ottawa, has been appointed officer commanding the Canadian Forestry Battalions, with authority to take charge of the operations of all forestry battalions. He was at one time in command of the R. C. B. depot in Fredericton.