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WAR SUMMARY

New York, Sept. 5—The Associated Press today issued the following:—The British, after their victorious drive through the Hindenburg defences, are knocking at the gates of Cambrai, but apparently are momentarily pausing before attempting to force an entrance.

Meanwhile the centre of greatest activity has shifted to the Franco-American front, where the Germans are in full retreat on a wide front north of the Vesle, wih the French and Americans in pursuit and reported as having reached the Aisne in their chase.

Between these two sectors another considerable German retrograde movement is in progress. The French pressure in the region north and east of Noyan has forced a German retirement on a wide front in this sector and advances of five to seven miles have been scored by the French forces within the last eighteen hours.

The French are now but little more than two miles from the important road centre of Ham. Its speedy fall seems probable. The Germans here are apparently heading back for the St. Quentin-La Fere line.

Between the Ailette and the Aisne the French also are gaining ground. They have crossed the Aisne at several points northeast of Soissons and have taken the town of Missy-Sur-Aisne on the north bank, where they were already in possession of Bucy-Le-Long. Farther north on this front they have taken the towns of Braye and Clamecy.

The Franco-American operations on the Vesle front have been extended further eastward, towards Rheims, and new crossings have been effected on the two and a half mile front between Venleaux and Jonchery, seven miles west of Rheims.

In the north the Germans are continuing to move backward along the Flanders front.

RECENT DEATHS

On Tuesday at Peninac, Mrs. Melinda Gilmore, widow of James R. Gilmore, died. She was seventy-eight years old and is survived by three sons, John and Leslie of Penniac, Waren of Nashwaak, and by five daughters, Mrs. Jeremiah Grant of Penniac, Mrs. Eugene Savage of Campbellton, Mrs. John Rodgers of Bristol, Carleton county; Mrs. Herbert Smith of Centreville, and Miss Johanna at home.

The death of Miss Alina Johnston occurred on Tuesday evening at the home of her parents in Richibucto. She was a daughter of B. E. Johnston, former customs collector at Richibucto, but now overseas. She is survived by her mother, one sister and thre brothers, Miss Rita, Ernest and Louie, at home, and Alonzo, overseas.

The death of Mrs. Adelaide E. Mann, eldest daughter of the late John Elliott, of Moncton, and widow of Edgar E. Mann, of Waterbury, Conn., occurred on Tuesday at the residence of her niece, Mrs. John H. Harris, with whom she had resided the last three years. The remains will be taken to Waterbury, Conn., for interment. The surviving members of her family are Gilbert R. Elliott and Mrs. A. M. Morrell, of Boston, Massachusetts. Mrs. Frank L. Doyle, of Moncton, is a niece.

FAIR VALE PRIZE WINNERS

The following is a list of the prize winners at the sports held at Fair Vale on Labor Day under the auspices of the Fair Vale Outing Club: Men's bean board, safety razor, won by J. S. Gregory; ladies' bean board, silver butter dish, won by Mrs. M. Kelly; bean guess, a bon-bon cut glass dish, won by Mrs. J. S. Fraser. Drawings for the following prizes resulted as follows:—Lady's sweater, won by Mrs. L. Dykeman; electric irons, E. Gregory; lady's hat, Mrs. Riley; box of candy, A. F. Ryan; box of cigars, Eric Roberts; lace yoke, L. Stevens; box Diana sweets, by Mrs. Stetson.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

JOHNSON—On September 4, to Sergeant and Mrs. Morris Johnston, 119 Guilford street, west, a son,—Dennis Leslie.

DEATHS

BELYEA—Suddenly, at 72 Prince street, West St. John, Frank E. Belyea, aged forty-four years, leaving a wife, son, two brothers and three sisters.

Funeral Saturday morning to St. Stephen, where interment will take place.

RICKETTS—In this city on the 5th inst., Mabel Goldie Ricketts, leaving her parents and three brothers to mourn.

Funeral Saturday at 2.30 from No. 1 Short street.

RYAN—In this city on 4th inst., John Ryan, leaving his wife, one daughter and one brother to mourn.

Funeral from his late residence, Nauwigewauk, Kings county, Saturday morning at nine o'clock, to St. Patrick's church, Rothesay, Kings county, for high mass of requiem at 10.30. Friends invited to attend.

PEACOCK—At his late residence, Sandy Point road, on September 4, James Peacock in the seventy-third year of his age, leaving three sons and four daughters and two brothers to mourn.

Funeral on Friday from St. Paul's (Valley) church; service at three o'clock.

BRIDEAU—At St. John, August 26, 1918, Mary Helen Brideau, aged fifteen years and one day.

DINGEE—Suddenly, at Lancaster, N. H., on Aug. 30, Charles O. Dingee, aged 37 years, and his son, Robert Dingee, aged five years.

IN MEMORIAM

SIMPSON—In loving remembrance of Mrs. Elizabeth Simpson, who departed this life on Sept. 5, 1915.

Gone, but not forgotten.

LONDON AROUSED OVER KILLING OF CAPT. CROMBIE

London, Sept. 5—The attack on the British embassy in Petrograd on last Saturday, involving the sacking of the embassy and the killing of Captain Cromie, the British attache, has aroused intense indignation here. The London morning newspapers denounce the act and endorse the British government's action in the demand upon the Bolshevik government for reparation and the threats of outlawry for the members of the Soviet government should it fail to give complete satisfaction or should further acts of violence be committed against British subjects.

According to foreign office advices Captain Cromie opposed the Bolshevik troops and killed three soldiers with his own hands.

It is feared that similar outrages will be committed against the French embassy at Petrograd and some French soldiers already have arrived at Petrograd. The Bolsheviki are reported to be encouraging the populace to massacre the British and French.

Amsterdam, Sept. 5—A despatch from Moscow quoting the newspaper Pravda says that forty persons, for the most part British subjects, were arrested. The reasons for the action, it says, were that the Moscow authorities had received a report regarding a connection between various counter-revolutionary organizations in the British government and the embassy.

One of the Bolshevik commissioners, it is added, was instructed to investigate the report, it being supposed that the counter-revolutionists, Savinkoff and Filonenko, were hiding in the embassy.

Accompanied by a detachment of Scouts, the account continues, this commissioner, M. Hillier, went to the embassy and proceeding to the first floor was met by shots which killed one of the scouts and wounded another. A fight ensued in the corridor and it is declared the scouts were obliged to fire, and Attache Cromie was killed.

The police then entered the embassy and arrested forty persons, including Prince Schaschowsky. It is alleged that weapons and compromising documents were found in the embassy.

LINKED WITH THE IMMORTAL BURNS

Three Kings County Soldiers Have Interesting Visit to Scotland

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 5—Three Kings county soldiers, Sergt. George Calhoun of Sussex, Gunner Irvine Brown, a former C. G. R. telegraph operator, and Pte. James DeBow of Cornhill, have had an interesting experience in visiting Scotland. They had not only the pleasure of viewing many interesting relics of Robert Burns, but met relatives who, like themselves, are descendants of the Armours. These three soldiers are great-great grandsons of "Bonny Jean" Armour's sister, Helen, who married one of the Browns of Ayrshire. Three brothers, Hugh, John and Alexander Brown (grandfathers respectively of the soldiers) came out to Canada and settled in Havelock parish, Kings county, many years ago. Their grandmother was Helen Armour, sister of "Bonny Jean."

Irvine Brown, writing to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Brown, of Cornhill, tells of a recent visit to Hurlford, where he was the guest of the Stitt family, who are his relatives. One of the relics inherited by the Stitts is a shawl which was owned by the wife of the famous bard. For this shawl they have refused an offer of $2,000.

Burns' wife (Jean Armour) left the shawl to her sister, Helen, who left it to her son, James Brown. The latter at his death left it to his daughter, Helen, by whom it was given to her brother, Robert. At his death it was left to his daughter, Margaret, who married a Stitt, and by her the relic was left to her daughter, Margaret, the present owner.

WAR NOTES

The Socialist Paris newspaper L'Heure has been forced to suspend for twenty-four hours. Other newspapers say the suspension was due to a request from American general headquarters.

General Korniloff, Russian, is again reported killed.

Captain Von Levetzow has been appointed chief of the naval staff at German headquarters. It is said he has been granted greatly extended powers.

The Austrians say they have taken from the Italians Punta San Matico and Monte Montello and a summit glacier.

On the right bank of the Verdar British troops on the night of August 30, completed their success of the proceeding evening, taking new enemy works. In the Cerna bend and in the region of Monastir enemy surprise attacks failed.

CORN AND OATS.

Chicago, Sept. 5—Failure of frost predictions had a bearish effect today on corn and cotton had the likelihood of warmer weather. Selling, however, was of only a scattered sort, and the market was easily influenced. Opening prices, which varied from unchanged figures to 8-4 lower, with September 1.55 to 1.55 1-8 and October 1.56 3-8 to 1.56 7-8, were followed by a moderate rally and then by another sag.

Oats were steady as a result of any aggressive selling. After opening quarter off to one-eighth up with October 72½ to 72 3-4, the market hardened slightly and then reacted a trifle.

Declines in the hog market weakened provisions. Most of the business was in ribs.

INTERESTING GROUP

That was an interesting group of photos in the Standard this morning, but when did Manning W. Doherty become the Hon. C. J. Doherty? The getting together of Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, Hon. A. R. Slipp and Mr. Doherty on one page of the Standard no doubt reminded the faithful of the good old patronage days, now gone forever. What?

ANOTHER FIRE

Another slight fire broke out this morning in the coal shed of the Consumers Coal Company, Charlotte street. The damage was slight.

TWO DELEGATIONS ARE HEARD BY GOVERNMENT

Need for More Sanitaria for Tubercular Patients—Lumbermen Attend

The need for more sanitaria for tubercular patients throughout the province was urged upon the provincial government this morning by a delegation representing the commissioners of the St. John County Hospital. Showing what had been accomplished in this county, they pointed out the value of similar institutions in other parts of New Brunswick and asked the government to give consideration to a policy for the encouragement of municipalities which might take steps towards securing proper accommodation for sufferers from tuberculosis.

The delegation, which included H. B. Schofield, chairman of the board; Dr. Hugh Fairis, the superintendent; Dr. S. H. McDonald, of the board; Councillor James E. Bryant, and J. King Kelley, the county secretary, also asked for increased financial aid for the hospital. They requested a larger annual grant and also asked for a change in the regulations affecting the grant of thirty cents a day a patient. At present this allowance is paid for not more than 100 days for each patient. Some patients may remain in the hospital for several years and the commissioners ask that the allowance be paid for 100 days in each year during which the patient remains.

A delegation representing the recently organized lumbermen's association, also waited on the government today. The members present included W. B. Snowball, James Robinson, Garfield White, Donald Fraser, and F. C. Beatteay. The lumbermen informed the government of the objects of their association and presented a copy of their by-laws. They also informed the government that they intended to appoint a permanent secretary and asked that he be recognized in matters affecting the interests of the lumbermen.

The sessions of the government will be continued this afternoon and evening.

VISIT OF G. T. MILNE

G. T. Milne, British trade commissioner, representing the Department of Overseas Trade (Development and Intelligence) of the imperial government in Canada and Newfoundland, is now on a visit to St. John. It is only about six weeks since Mr. Milne arrived from Melbourne, Australia, at his headquarters in Montreal, to take up his duties. He had been acting as British trade commissioner in Australia since the early part of 1913. Previous to his appointment in Australia he was engaged for some time on a special mission of enquiry, on behalf of his department, in Central America, Columbia and Venezuela.

Before entering the service of the imperial government, Mr. Milne was for many years identified with business enterprises in South America, and he has a wide acquaintance of a general kind with the economic conditions of the Latin-American republics. He is to give an address in the board of trade rooms while here.

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4 cakes Lenox Soap	25c.
4 cakes Gold Soap	30c.
4 cakes Sunlight Soap	30c.
4 cakes Surprise Soap	30c.
10c. tin Panshine	6c.
Special Wash Boards	25c.
12c. tin Babbitt's Lye	10c.
25c. tin Chloride of Lime	21c.
75c. Fibre Pails for	60c. each
3 lbs. Mixed Starch	33c.
1 shaker Blueing	5c.
3 squares Blue	6c.
3 rolls Toilet Paper	23c.
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2 lbs. Prunes	25c.
12c. pkge. Shaker Salt	10c.
15c. pkge. Cornstarch	11c.
30c. tin Cornstarch	22c.
1-2 lb. Baker's Chocolate	19c.
1 lb. tin Crisco	30c.
1 1-2 lb. tin Crisco	45c.
1 lb. Shortening	29c.
1 lb. Pure Lard	33c.
Cox English Gelatine	13c.
Golden Dates	10c. pkge.
1 lb. Cocoanut	33c.
25c. bottle Pure Gold Lemon, or Vanilla	21c.
50c. tin Royal B. Powder	44c.
Santa Claus Raisins	13c. pkge.
White Corn Flour	9c. lb.
Rice Flour	14c. lb.
Pure Gold Puddings,	12 1-2c. pke.
35c. pkge. Quaker Oats	29c.
10c. tin Dev. Ham	8c.
15c. tin Dev. Ham	13c.
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30c. Orange Marmalade	25c.

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15c. cake Venetian Bath,	12 1-2c.
10c. cake Glycerine	8 1-2c.
10c. cake Pure Castile	7 1-2c.
10c. cake Pears' Assorted	8c.
10c. cake Napier Floating	5c.
30c. tin Mennen's Talcum Powder	22c.

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PERSONALS

Miss Marjorie Purdy left for Wolfville on Tuesday morning to take up her studies at Acadia Seminary. She was accompanied by Miss Irene Brown, who is to be her room-mate at Acadia.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hinton of Bathurst, N. B., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Marion Marguerite, to James Kenneth Mackenzie of Shubenacadie, N. S., the wedding to take place on Sept. 11.

Mrs. C. Campbell of Boston is visiting her brother, John Boyce, Chesley street.

Miss Marion Gregory of Cambridge, Mass., who has been visiting Mrs. K. M. Thompson, Douglas avenue, left for her home last evening.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Dennis Griffin took place this afternoon from his late residence, 72 Exmouth street, to the Cathedral, where burial services were conducted by Rev. W. L. Moore. Interment was made in the New Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of John Herman took place this afternoon from his late residence, Wall street, to St. Paul's church, where services were conducted by Rev. Archdeacon Crowfoot. Interment was made in Fernhill.

The funeral of Mrs. Celia Ivory took place this afternoon from her late residence, Britain street, to St. John the Baptist church, where burial services were conducted by Rev. P. J. McMurray. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

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MERCHANTS' CONVENTION

This Mornings Proceedings—Suggestions in Addresses

That the various branches of the Provincial Merchants' Association of New Brunswick are all in good financial standing and are in a very progressive condition was the tenor of reports submitted to the association at a session this morning. The president, A. O. Skinner, presided and called the session to order at 11 o'clock. He appointed a resolutions committee as follows: E. M. Trowern, dominion secretary; Robert Strain, D. V. Storm, A. H. Mitten, F. W. Daniel and E. N. McLean.

The president then called for reports from the various branches of the New Brunswick association. A. H. Mitten reported for Moncton, Alexander Skene for McAdam, Robert Strain and D. V. Storm for Woodstock, F. W. Daniel for St. John and Mr. Kerr for Hartland.

A telegram was received from J. A. Banfield, presiden of the dominion board in Winnipeg, extending greetings to all in convention. It read as follows: "I extend greetings to all in convention assembled. May your resolutions and decisions be carried out with due deliberation and be of mutual benefit to trade and consumer alike. Existing conditions forbode changes that warrant concerted action, and unity, strength and power are essential at this time."

Mr. Daniel, in reporting on the St. John branch, said that the branch was in the best of standing and made mention of the increased membership. E. N. McLean of Oak Hall spoke on the credit system and moved a resolution that the incoming executive be asked to appoint a committee to look into the starting of the card index scheme, reporting delinquent debtors. A. O. Skinner made a short address on the advantages of holding monthly meetings.

At this afternoon's session W. H. Forley of Dayton, Ohio, will speak, after which the election of officers will take place.

GERMANY IS TO EVACUATE PART OF RUSSIAN TERRITORY

London, Sept. 5—A Russian government wireless message giving details of the supplementary agreements to the Brest-Litovsk peace treaty says that delimitation will begin forthwith on all fronts. Germany will evacuate the whole of the occupied territory east of Esthonia and Livonia immediately on frontiers being established. Other occupied territories to the east of Germany will be evacuated when Russia has completed her financial obligations, which must be done in the first four months.

With the exception of those portions of Russia not affected by the treaty, Germany will not support the formation of new independent states in Russian territory.

Russia will fight against the troops of the Entente Powers in northern Russia. Germany promises that Finland will not attack Russia.

Russia renounces its sovereignty over Esthonia and Livonia. Russia is entitled to free transit to Reval, Riga and Windau. Warships taken after the ratification of the Brest-Litovsk treaty will be recognised by Germany as Russian property.

FREDERICTON NEWS

Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 5—S. M. Jones of the food controller's office, Ottawa, yesterday held conferences with wholesale and retail grocers here. The matter of flour substitutes was discussed and it was pointed to the visitor that the prices fixed by the government for sale of these substitutes was less than those at which they can be purchased wholesale.

Major Buchanan of Ottawa addressed the Great War Veterans' Association here last night on the subject of pensions.

Two men arrested on C. P. R. train a few days ago, charged with exhibiting obscene photographs, have been remanded until the 9th inst.

A cow moose, which is being harbored by soldiers at the convalescent home, escaped yesterday afternoon and spent the night wandering about the streets. It spent some time this morning grazing on the officers' square.

Several tractors and gang plows will be given practical demonstration at Experimental Farm tomorrow.

Misses Kathleen Gibson and Harriet Vanwart are to leave for Montreal to take a course in domestic science.

ALL RELATIVES OF KERENSKY ARRESTED

Amsterdam, Sept. 5—All the relatives of Alexander Kerensky, former provisional premier of Russia, have been arrested by order of the Bolshevik extraordinary commission, according to the Izvestia of Moscow.

THROBBING BIG GEM FEATURE

The Bar Sinister, Built on The Race Problem, a Notable Seven Reel Picture

The Gem's Wednesday features are becoming matters of much interest to the motion picture patrons, especially under the special arrangement which permits the showing of them at very low admission fees. That of last evening, "The Bar Sinister," proved a worthy comparison of those previously shown.

It is a seven-reel production, dealing with the race problem in the south and showing that nobility of character is not limited to any one race. The story is an absorbing one, that of a beautiful white girl brought up by "Mammy Lindy" in the belief that she is partly negro. Love for the hero of the story develops, but there is that barrier. How all is explained away makes a telling finish to the story. One of the characters is that of an Indian who also loves the girl. His resignation to her choice of another and his heroic defense of the girl and her lover is an attack by a frenzied mob are fine points in the picture.

There are many of these, however, notably the fistic encounter between the hero and a negro black-leg operating in the guise of a preacher. The scenes throughout are good, the action natural and convincing, and in all the picture makes an absorbing entertainment of an hour and a half.

The Gem will continue to show this feature until and including Friday evening, with all changed on Saturday afternoon.

Valuable Minerals In Saskatchewan

Millions of Tons of Potash Sulphate and Epsom Salts

Swift Current, Sask., Sept. 5—A discovery that will prove of untold value to the Allies has been made thirty miles north of Maple Creek in an immense deposit of potash sodium, sulphate and epsom salts, one which experts claim consists of millions upon millions of tons of these minerals.

The deposit was discovered in the dried-up bed of an old lake and the work of getting it out will amount to practically nothing. The whole bed of the lake, which is two and a half miles long and over one mile in width, has been staked and filed on and work will be started at once in clearing away the top layers of dirt and erecting buildings for the carrying on of the development of the bed.

The claims have been filed by Saskatchewan men who will retain their control. Prof. McLaren of the Saskatchewan University, has examined the minerals and pronounced them perfect, while expert engineers have estimated the deposit at millions of tons. A branch line of railway is to be run from the works to Maple Creek. It is learned that the Mackenzie and Mann interests were two days late in getting on the ground to file on the deposits.

GALLANT LEADER OF N. B. BATTALION KILLED

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his loss to the province will be deeply felt.

Soon after war was declared, Mr. MacKenzie offered his services and was given a commission as major and second in command of the N. B. Battalion. Throughout the glorious career of this unit he has been with it almost continuously. So far he had escaped wounds, but at one time was invalided to England to recover from a severe case of shell-shock.

When Lieut.-Col. J. L. McAvity relinquished the command of the unit, Major MacKenzie was promoted to the command with the rank of lieutenant colonel. Later his career in the field having brought him to the attention of the authorities, he was sent to England to take the course of training to fit him for the rank of brigadier-general and, had he lived, there is no doubt that he would have advanced to the higher rank.

A letter received by a member of his family only a day or two ago, contained a feeling reference to the losses the unit had sustained in the heavy fighting, Lieut.-Col. MacKenzie remarking that he had lost nearly all his officers.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Frederick McLeod of St. George announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Helen Frances Taylor, to Guy Welch of Bristol, Carleton Co., N. B., the marriage to take place at an early date.

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FEAR LIEUTENANT DAWSON IS DEAD

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He enlisted in Toronto and went overseas in 1916. He is a Boer war veteran, and before he went west was employed here with John E. Wilson & Co. He has two brothers, W. T. Cook, with Emerson & Fisher, Ltd., and Fred J., a tailor, living in Douglas avenue.

Pte. T. C. Barnett.

Mrs. Alice Barnett of East St. John has received word that her son, Pte. T. Christopher Barnett, infantry service, has been wounded in the left arm and has been taken to a stationary hospital in France. He was formerly of Petersville. He is about twenty-eight years old and has been "over there" for a year. A brother, Frederick, is a returned soldier and another brother, Leonard, is in France. A third brother is Frank, of Armstrong's Corner. Mrs. E. B. Spragg of Main street and Mrs. Gordon Bunn of Harding street are sisters. Mrs. Bunn's husband is a soldier in France.

Pte. Edward South.

Mrs. Lillian Allen South, living at No. 11 Hanover street, has been advised that her husband, Pte. Edward South, has been shot in the leg and has been placed in No. 12 Stationary Hospital in France. Before joining with the 115th battalion Private South was employed with the N. B. Power Company as a street worker. This is the St. John man's second wounding, the first taking place in May last. Private South has a wife and one child here. He came from England eight years ago.

Pte. James Burnett.

Mrs. James Burnett, 118 Lancaster street, West St. John, was advised this morning from Ottawa that her son, Private James Burnett, had been wounded with gunshot in the buttock and admitted to a hospital in France. Private Burnett was working with the C. P. R. in Montreal when he enlisted. He is twenty-five years old.

Pte. C. E. Ross.

William H. Ross, 94 Spring street, was advised this morning that his son, Private Charles Edward Ross, had been wounded in the right leg and admitted to the 7th Casualty Clearing Station. Private Ross crossed overseas as a member of the 236th Kiltie Battalion pipe band and was transferred into another unit. The pipe band was recruited and trained by his father.

Pte. J. C. Barsch.

Mrs. Hugh Barsch of this city was notified this morning that her son, Private Jack Chamberlain Barsch, a member of a local infantry battalion, had been wounded in the left hip and admitted to a hospital in France.

Next Year in Winipeg.

Montreal, Sept. 5—The Canadian Bar Association today decided to hold the convention of 1919 in Winnipeg.