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OF all the tragedies of the terrible humanity for nearly two years, none have caused such a profound shock to the people of the British Empire as the sinking of the Hampshire on Monday night, with the loss of all on board.

In this tragic way has ended the career of one of Britain's greatest generals, and one upon whom in the present crisis of the Empire, Britons relied with an unflinching confidence and an abiding trust.

Horatio Herbert, Earl Kitchener of Khartoum, Field Marshal, Secretary of State for War, was born June 24, 1850, and had thus not quite completed his sixty-sixth year. It is not possible at this time, nor is it necessary perhaps for most of our readers, to give even a brief summary of the distinguished career of Earl Kitchener as soldier and administrator.

From the time he joined the Royal Engineers in 1871 up to the day of his sudden and tragic death.

Britons throughout the Empire are called upon to mourn the passing of a great man, and his sudden death while in the discharge of duty will not only strengthen the determination to continue to a successful conclusion the terrific struggle in which the Empire is engaged, but his memory will be an inspiration to the race for all time.

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much activity if not of important hostilities. Bulgarian troops in large numbers crossed the Greek border and occupied without resistance Rupel and Demirhisar on the River Struma.

The Austro-Italian campaign was prosecuted with the usual vigor, but with the tide again turning in favor of the Italians, who were said to have checked the Austrian advance in the Trentino.

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to come to our own Dominion and Province, it is hardly apparent that ordinary methods of recruiting have proved inadequate, and the Government will be forced to adopt some measure of compulsory service to secure the necessary recruits.

From printing the voluminous correspondence of the light between a small British fleet and the full German High Sea fleet which took place between Skagerrack and Horns Reef off the coast of Jutland on Wednesday afternoon, May 31, it is said to have been the greatest naval engagement in the world's history, considering the tonnage of the warships involved.

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valued subscribers who appreciate the paper and pay for it promptly; but we regret to have to say that others of our subscribers, who also appreciate the paper, are careless in the matter of making their subscriptions promptly.

Tourist to Irish jarvey, to whom he has just given a nip of whisky. "That's made another man of you, Pat!" Jarvey—"Faith it has, yer honour. But he's just as thirsty as the other one!"

Up-River Doings St. Stephen, N. B., June 7. Mr. and Mrs. George W. Daniel are preparing to build a pretty bungalow on the banks of the river.

THE WEEK'S ANNIVERSARIES June 10.—Adoption of the American Flag ("Old Glory"). 1777; Crystal Palace opened by Queen Victoria, 1854; J. M. Ampere, mathematician, died, 1836; Dr. F. A. Cook, Arctic explorer, born, 1865.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Talbot, of Brookline, Mass., Miss Emma Starbuck, of Boston, and Mrs. Marion Crockett, of Fredericton, N.S., are in town to attend the marriage of Miss Marjorie Baskin and Mr. Howard A. Trip to Boston and other American cities.

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NEWSPAPER WAITS Senator and Mrs. Gillmor went this morning to Ben Lares, their beautiful summer residence at the mouth of the river.

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What They Cured Here is a remarkable experience of a Nova Scotian. "I was once a terrible sufferer with kidney and bladder troubles, and at times I could not use my legs, and would not go away from home without someone with me. I was treated by different doctors for 3 years, and only got temporary relief. My son advised me to take Gin Pills, and after taking the first 2 or 3 doses I got relief. I continued to take them until I got completely cured. Love my life to Gin Pills. Yours very truly, F. M. McCreedy, 28 St. John Street, St. John, N.S.

BOCACAB COVE, N. B. June 8. Private Curtis Lovell, Raymond Cunningham, Roy McCullough, and Clarence Creighton, of the 115th Battalion, who were on leave of absence from duties in the middle of June, returned orders to return to St. John May 30.

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High Grade Footwear For Men, Boys, Youths and Little Gents R. A. STUART & SON ST. ANDREWS, N. B. April 22, 1916.

TO-DAY AND EVERYDAY You'll Like the Flavor 40c., 45c., 50c. Per Pound

Hundreds Arrested Their footsteps to gaze at the wonderful display of shoes displayed in the three large display windows of the New Shoe Store of Edgar Holmes in Eastport, Me.

WITCH HAZEL CREAM At the beginning of the Chapping Season it is well to know a good Toilet Cream. Our Witch Hazel Cream is good for soothing, healing and softening chapped and rough surfaces.

STINSON'S GOLF AND BOWLING ALLEY LUNCHES SERVED AT A MOMENT'S NOTICE ICE CREAM A Fresh Supply of Confectionery, Soft Drinks, Orange Grapes, Cigars and Tobacco always on hand.

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STICKNEY'S WEDGWOOD STORE Amongst the pretty decorations in this year's "Ye Ballads of Old England," viz. "Ye Leather Baited," "Sally in Our Alley," "Come Lassies and Lads," "The Harvest Home," "John's so Long at the Fair," "The Bailiff's Daughter of Ighiteuing," in Jugs, Trays, Salads, Bowls, etc.

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Job Printing TO SUIT YOU WEDDING INVITATIONS, DANCE PROGRAMMES, VISITING CARDS AND ALL KINDS OF SOCIETY, COMMERCIAL, LODGE AND LEGAL PRINTING DONE BY OUR JOB PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

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COAL We have on hand all sizes Anthracite and Soft Coal which we will deliver on receipt of order.

WOOD All kinds of Dry Hard Wood, sawed as required to any length from one to two feet. Also Spruce and Birch Edgings and Slab Wood.

NO SUMMER VACATION Will be given this year, but we will do our "bit" by fitting young men and women for the work that is waiting for them. Students can enter at any time. Send for catalogue.

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TRY A BEACON ADV. FOR RESULTS

Social and Personal Mrs. N. G. Guthrie is her residence on Water Street. Miss Freda Wren, who has returned from her summer home near Moncton, has a most enjoyable party of all Saint John's children.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Egan of Northville, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. F. P. McGee and Mrs. H. Smith, returned to St. John early this week and will spend the summer at their residence on Chamcook Lake.

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