ST. JOHN, N. B., MAY 17, 1915.

THE WAR NEWS

The war cabinet in Italy has been retained in office and a momentous meeting will be held today. In the meantime popular feeling has been further inflamed has such are entitled to and usually have the commencial life of the community, and as such are entitled to and usually have the commencial life of the community. by news of a riot and the killing of many women by Austrian guards in Trieste. A declaration of war by Italy within forty-eight hours would not be surprising.

and as such are entitled to and usually receive the fullest measure of sympathy and co-operation from the citizens.

Sir George E. Foster might do worse than give the Hon. Robert Rogers a

surprising.

The United States still awaits the The United States still awaits the reply of Germany, and in the meantime President Wilson is today reviewing the fiect. Germany may be expected to temporise and endeavor to gain time, but the American attitude is expected to be the American attitude is expected to be

The news from France and Belgium is more satisfactory, as it tells of substantial gains by both the British and French armies. The Allies are also
making some progress at the Dardanelles.
In the Russian field of action the reports are still conflicting, but the Rusports are still conflicting, but the Rusports are still conflicting to the results of t sians, while admitting their retreat in Galicia, deny that the Germans have gained any lasting advantage.

see that two conflicting principles, vitally affecting human welfare throughout the world, are at issue in the present great war. Democracy, with all that it implies, is opposed by the autocracy of a Square suggests the desirability of enpiles, is opposed by the autocracy of a militariam that regards no piedeg as too sacred to be brokers, and no inhumanity too cruel to be precised, in its struggle for supermacy. No nation which values involved in the outcome of the war, even if for some reason it continues neutral The Allies are fighting the battle of the people, and the more complete their victory the longer it will be before any other power will figure as a proportion. The source of a Belgium or a France. The world knows now that Germany had planned and prepared for war, with deliberate intent to strike without regard for any rights of weaker nations, whenever the time seemed opportune. The lesson impressed upon humanity at such tremendous cost will not be lost. Exhausted after the war that will have cost so many lives and so much treasure, the pressure of all the others to bear with the regard with new interest and greater favor the proposition treast and greater favor that they should unte in framing an international policy, which would bring the pressure of all the others to bear with provide the great powers will greated was and struck at the heart of Belgium, whose neutrality sie was piedged not to violate. The one fact that offers at least some consolation to the victims of the war is that a great evil is to be crushed, a rightions principle vindicated, and a higher andand of international childs are the proposition of the war is that a great evil is to be crushed, a righting principle vindicated, and a higher andand of international childs and higher andand of international childs are also as militarism that regards no pledge as too sacred to be broken, and no inhumanity too cruel to be practised, in its struggle

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Forcing the dog-law. Why should a dog have more privileges than a child?

Ave more privileges than a child?

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Mr. S.—Well, I'll be darned! I thought you wanted a pension or something.

BOARDS OF TRADE

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discourse on patriotism.

firm and insistent along the lines of the formal note to Germany.

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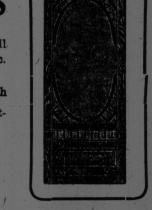
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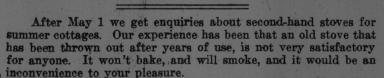
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TRAGIC DEATH OF

MISS M. MILLIGAN

one car to another. The body was placed on a freight train and taken to Truro, where an inquest will be held. Her identity was extablished by means of teletres and other papers in her pocket book, and her relatives were notified.

Miss Milligan, who was twenty-eight years of age, is survived by her mother, Mrs. Frank Jones, now of Bear River, N. S.; one brother, Rev. Frank Milligan, noe sister, wife of Walter Romans, manager of the Royal Bank at Bear River, and several half brothers and sisters.

The death of Miss Margaret A. Milligan, formerly of this city, occurred under tragic circumstances on Saturday. She had left Halffax on the early morning train to visit her brother, Rev. Frank Milligan, of the Presbyterian church in Glenholm, Colchester county. About four o'clock in the afternoon a section man working on the tracks a few miles east of Truro found her lifeless body at the foot of an embankment. When found her head was submerged in water and there were several sealp wounds, and bruises. No one on the train on which she was traveling was aware of the tragedy but it is supposed that she fell from the platform while passing from

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