FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, March 27—Newcastle Lodge, No. 93, I. O. O. F., Douglastown, installed the following officers last night: N. G., Fred Gray; V. G., H. H. Lamont; R. S., James Simpson; F. S., David W. Anderson; treasurer, H. A. Gray; warden, Chas. Spurr; conductor, H. H. Wood; O. G., Howard Vye; R. S., Wm. Taylor; R. S. N. G., Jas. Dickens; L. S. N. G., Wm. Cassie; R. S. V. G., John Sleeth; L. S. V. G., Wm. McCormack; R. S. F., D. J. Gulliver; L. S. S., Chas. M. Dickison; chaplain, Joseph McKnight.

Thursday night the following officers were elected by Newcastle Division, No. 45, Sons of Temperance: W. P., Miss Alice O'Donnell; W. A., Miss Mather; R. S., Miss Clara Russell; A. R. S., Miss Jessie Black; F. S., H. R. McRae; treasurer, Miss H. M. MacLeod; conductor, B. W. Hutchison; A. C., Miss Ella O'Donnell; chaplain, Miss Hilda Robertson; I. S., W. Earle Macdonald; O. S., Robert Crocker; P. W. P., Walter C. Day.

The United Workers Mission Band of the Methodist church gave a concert at their annual mite box opening in the vestry last night. A goodly sum was realized for missions. The band has 29 members, with Miss Evelyn Price president and Mrs. A. B. Leard, leader. A good programme was given.

FREEDERICTON

Fredericton, N. B., March 29—The total proceeds of a bazaar and festival held by Normal School students for Red Cross work, amounted to $757.

Recent letters from Major Guthrie state that he has gone to the front as second in command of the 7th British Columbia Battalion.

John Palmer, managing director of the Palmer-McLellan Shoepack Co., reached home this morning. He visited London and Paris, and is hopeful of securing some war orders for footwear.

In St. Paul's church yesterday, Rev. Dr. Smith alluded to graft revelations at Ottawa. Coming at this time when the empire was engaged in a life and death struggle, it was to be regretted that there were men ready to raid the public treasury.

Fredericton, March 31—(Special)—Word was received here today of the total destruction by fire last night of the school house at North Cardigan, York county. The fire evidently caught from the stove used for heating the school and was not observed by any one, the people of the school district residing some distance away. Miss Edith Emms, of this city, was the teacher.

Nine men were transferred this afternoon from the 28th Field Battery to the 55th Battalion of Infantry, the battery being over-strength. This brings the local quota for the 55th up to fifty men.

Since the call for the third contingent upwards of 100 men have been enlisted here for various units.

SALISBURY

Salisbury, N. B., March 29—Bishop Richardson is visiting the section of his bishopric taking in Petitcodiac, Salisbury, Havelock and River Grade, which forms the diocese of the Rev. Mr. Coleman, of Petitcodiac. Bishop Richardson conducted the service at the Episcopal church at this village Sunday morning. He was assisted in the service by Rev. Mr. Coleman. He was the guest while in Salisbury of Mr. and Mrs. Victor E. Gowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wortman and children are the guests here for a few days of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Wortman.

John W. Patterson, deputy crown land surveyor, has sold his house and premises here to John Kennedy.

YARMOUTH

Yarmouth, N. S., March 27—Joseph C. Rogers, of Yarmouth, passed away at Haverhill (Mass.) on Thursday. The body arrived here by steamer this morning, burial taking place this afternoon from Wesley church.

Mrs. Marianne Young, mother of Rev. W. E. Young, parish priest, of Yarmouth, died at her son's residence here early yesterday morning at the age of 75 years. She was a native of Lunenburg. Rev. Mr. Young is confined to his bed by illness.

Capt. David Morrell went to Boston on Saturday last en route for Philadelphia, where he is to take command of the four-masted American schooner Edgar W. Murdock, 1,215 tons net.

Mrs. J. L. R. Webster left on Saturday afternoon last for Cambridge (Mass.) to visit her son, Prof. Kenneth T. C. Webster.

Mrs. Christina Guest and her daughter, Mrs. Grace M. Guest Murray, were among the passengers by steamer Boston on Saturday afternoon last to visit her daughter, Mrs. John Hanson, Allston (Mass.)

Mrs. Frank M. Churchill, of Everett (Mass.), who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Cook, Church Hill, returned home on Saturday afternoon last.

Supernumerary Lieut. Ralph Harding left on Monday morning for Fredericton to join the 28th Battery.

Clifford Syvertson left on Monday morning for Halifax to join the Army Medical Corps.

Lieut. George C. Farish, of the 40th Battalion, arrived in Yarmouth on Saturday last to relieve Lieut. C. T. Churchill, who has been transferred to Sydney and left for that place on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lloyd Porter returned on Saturday last from a trip to Boston and New York.

Henry Phipps returned on Saturday last from Boston.

Capt. King, late of the barque Ivencoe, which was destroyed at sea by the German auxiliary Prince Eitel, arrived here by steamer Boston on Saturday last, and proceeded to his home in Annapolis.

Miss Dorit Corning has returned home from a visit to Boston.

Robert Middlemas will leave next week for Halifax to join the Army Medical Service Corps.

Miss Alice Raymond was a passenger to Boston on Wednesday evening en route to Hamilton (Ont.) to visit Mrs. Murray Kelley.

Mrs. Ralph Brown with her daughter, Phyllis, left on Wednesday evening for Boston en route to San Francisco and other Pacific coast towns on an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos R. Parker were greatly surprised on Monday evening by a number of friends who gathered to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. During the evening Mrs. Parker was presented with a case of solid silver spoons.

Dr. A. R. Campbell is confined to his house with an attack of pneumonia.

Frank Campbell is quite ill at his home in Parade street.

Capt. Fred A. Ladd arrived home from Norfolk (Va.) on Wednesday morning.

Mrs. W. H. Gilman was a passenger from Boston on Wednesday morning.

Miss Eva Munro came from Boston on Wednesday to visit her parents at Sand Beach.

Mrs. Fred Sterritt was among the passengers from Boston on Wednesday.

George N. Crosby and daughter, who have spent several months in the United States and Bermuda, returned to their home in Port Maitland on Wednesday.

Capt. J. B. MacKinnon, formerly master of the steamer Westport III., was a passenger from Westport on Wednesday and returned the same afternoon.

Postmaster Stoneman was a passenger by steamer Boston on Wednesday afternoon for Boston.

Frank Goudey, of Somerville (Mass.), arrived in Yarmouth on Saturday morning to attend the funeral of his father, John B. Goudey, which took place the same afternoon. He will leave for home by steamer today.

Rev. J. W. Freeman, of Argyle, who has been confined to the house since the first of January, was able to walk out to his store on Thursday and back again, although still weak and frail.

Mrs. John Hogg, of Barrington, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Trefry, Hawthorne street.

Maurice Hopkins, of Barrington Passage, arrived at his home from St. Stephen (N. B.) last week, where he has been located with the Royal Bank of Canada. He will be transferred to Jamaica, West Indies.

HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, March 26—Mrs. Willard Milburn, of Mountville, who was operated on yesterday for serious internal trouble, was found by the doctors today to be progressing favorably, her condition being at this stage being fully as well as was looked for.

Tom Bennett, well known here, and a son-in-law of J. M. Tingley of this place, may well be expected to have a considerable interest in the great war struggle, for the reason, if for no other, that he has five brothers with his majesty's forces—one in the 48rd regiment Oxford light infantry; two with the R. A. M. C. at the front; one at Fort Gare, Hartlepool, and soon to cross the channel, and another brother attached to the base hospital at Rugby. Two of these were serving when war broke out and the others rejoined, having had previous service. Mr. Bennett himself, who is now in Lynn (Mass.), served several years in the army, before coming to this country from Oxford, his native town.

The report is now that the bay steamer Harbinger, which has been running for several years between Shepody bay ports, will not go on the route this season.

Miss Julia Peck, her friends will be glad to know, is recovering from her recent severe attack of grip.

Mrs. Ellen Stuart is quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. G. Robinson.

There is considerable sickness throughout this county, severe colds and grip prevailing. Doctors have been very busy.

APOHAQUI

Apohaqui, March 29—Rev. Gilbert Earle and Mrs. Earle, of St. John, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Jones. Rev. Mr. Earle occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church on Sunday evening.

Major Jones spent the week-end with his family here, and left this morning for Sackville to resume his duties.

Rev. J. F. Rowley spent Sunday last in St. John, where he preached morning and evening, in Rev. Gilbert Earle's church.

Miss Hazel Lockhart entertained the Young Girls' Needlework Club on Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5.

Miss Ethel Wright, of Sussex, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wright.

NORTH HEAD

North Head, G. M., March 27—The death of Mrs. Alfred Wilcox, of Wood Island, occurred at her home on the 26th inst. Much sympathy is expressed for the bereaeved family.

Mrs. Chas. Foster died very suddenly at her home, on Saturday last. She leaves a husband and three children to mourn their sad loss. The funeral will take place Monday, interment in Seal Cove cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Munroe, are being congrateulated on the arrival of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Ingersoll are also being congratulated on the arrival of a son.

Mrs. J. E. Gaskill left for St. Stephen on Thursday morning to attend a meeting of the Rebecca Lodge, to be held on Friday. Mrs. Gaskill is one of the officials of the Rebecca Lodge recently organized on Gand Manan.

The young people of Grand Harbor gave a very pleasing drama in the school house hall on Saturday evening, after which refreshments were served. The proceeds were for the benefit of the Grand Harbor Baptist church.

The fishermen of North Head are greatly pleased over the result of their labors this week. Some caught as high as 1,400 pounds per day, with good prices prevailing. Owing to high winds they have been unable to get to the fishing grounds for over a month.

The many friends of Miss Ora B. Naves will be pleased to hear that her health is improving.

Thaddeus Dixon has recently purchased the residence of William Dixon, and will shortly move to his new home.

Miss Nora Urquhart and Miss Bertha Richardson arrived home Saturday, after a visit of two weeks in Eastport (Me.)

Mr. and Mrs. Errol Trecartin returned to their home on Deer Island last week. They have been visiting relatives and friends in Grand Harbor.

D. S. Gaskill, who has been ill for a few days, is able to attend to business again.

Lawrence Ingersoll has gone aboard the government steamer Curlew. His young friends wish him every success. He joined the Mounted Rifles in St. John, but after a short stay returned to his home.

Harold Foster is acting as temporary proprietor of the Marathon Hotel.

Lieut. W. H. Thompson arrived here Saturday night, for the purpose of enrolling in the volunteers for the 55th Battalion, which will be stationed at St. Andrews for a time.

The many friends of Mrs. Eben Gaskill will be pleased to learn that her condition is much better, and that an operation will be unnecessary. She returned to her home on Saturday last.

HARCOURT

Harcourt, March 29—D. D. Johnston left on Thursday last for Greenville (Me.), to attend the funeral of his brother, Alexander Johnston, whose death occurred at that place on Wednesday, March 24. The deceased, who was 65 years of age, was a native of Kent county, but had been a resident of Greenville for many years. He is survived by his wife and several sons and daughters.

Matthew Glenn, for many years a resident of Harcourt, but lately residing in Kamloops, is spending a few days in the village renewing old acquantances.

Mrs. Simpson, of Millerton, spent a few days recently in the village, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Ward.

James Cameron returned last week from Albert county, where he has been spending the winter.

Rev. J. R. McKay, of Middleville (Ont.), was inducted as pastor of the Harcourt, Beersville and Trout Brook Presbyterian churches on Thursday, March 25. Among the clergymen present were Rev. Alex. Rettie, moderator of the Miramichi Presbytery; Rev. S. J. McArthur, of Newcastle, and Rev. Mr. Beaton, of Blackville. Mr. and Mrs. McKay are at present the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Ward.

WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, N. B., March 30—(Special)—A fire in Grafton this afternoon totally destroyed the residence of Nathaniel Clowes, with most of the contents. The outbuildings and barn were also burned to the ground. The loss is about $3,000, with a small insurance.

Major J. J. Bull and Lieutenant C. L. Graves, of the 67th regiment, who have been appointed on the list of officers for the 55th battalion, both went away with the first contingent and were at Salisbury until all the surplus officers were sent back to Canada. Major Bull is recruiting officer for Carleton, Victoria, and Madawaska. Lieutenant Graves is instructor of the men now assembled here for the 55th. Recently he has been assisted by Lieutenant Balmain.

The Red Cross Society made an appeal for $100 to provide two beds in the Canadian hospital at Cliveden, and received contributions in a few hours today amounting to $265.

Lieutenants Graves and Balmain were each presented with a wrist watch tonight by the home guards in appreciation of their interest in the development of the company.

REXTON

Rexton, N. B., March 30—The monthly business meeting of the Red Cross branch took place Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Frank McInerney and was well attended. The books show a balance on hand of $69.96. Since the society was organized October 1 there has been shipped to St. John or Halifax 118 nightshirts, 5 pairs pyjamas, 24 1-2 dozen handkerchiefs, 11 1-6 dozen washcloths, 181 pairs socks, 12 sleeping caps, 100 pairs wristlets, 31 covers for hot water bottles, 4 knitted belts, 10 grey flannel shirts, 51 scarfs, 28 pairs mitts, 2 nightingales. Besides these, parcels have been sent to each of the boys from here in the first and second contingents. The society has also sent $100 in cash to the head office at Toronto.

The ladies are planning a benefit to be held after Easter for the purpose of donating a Rexton bed to one of the hospitals.

Mrs. Alex. Lennox has taken another change for the worse and is in a critical condition. Her niece, Mrs. J. A. Livingstone, of Shediac, was called here yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. Reid, of Newcastle, returned home yesterday after spending some time at her former home here.

Mrs. Alex. Reid, of Fredericton, returned home yesterday after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reid.

Eugene McInerney returned home from New Hampshire Saturday.

Graham Hannay returned home Saturday from St. John, where he was attending business college.

Robin Jardine left Saturday on his return to his home in Edinburgh, Scotland. He will spend a few days with his uncle, Hugh Jardine, in Moncton, before taking the steamer for Europe.

Miss Ruth Gifford is seriously ill at her home here.

RICHIBUCTO

Richibucto, March 29—The Red Cross Society shipped another box on the 23rd inst. Following were the contents: Eighteen nightshirts, 17 day shirts, 3 dressing gowns, 7 nightingales, 8 caps, 18 wash cloths, 4 scarfs, 1 paid of mittens, 1 pair of knee-caps, 6 pairs of wristlets, 2 dozen and 11 handkerchiefs, 10 pairs of socks.

The tag day receipts amounted to $80, with the following young ladies as tag sellers: Misses Eleanor O'Leary, Elfrida LeBlanc, Irene Forbes, Albertine Leger, Olive Storer, Aline Johnson, Nellie Ross and Ida MacDonald.

The coal shed at the K. N. R. station caught fire this morning. There was a heavy wind blowing and in spite of effort, the shed and contents burned to ashes. The building at the rear also burned.

Miss Rita Johnson, stenographer, Moncton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Johnson.

The death of Jonathan Little, of Kouchibouguac, took place about 3 o'clock this morning. He was 94 years of age.

David I. Mundle left recently on a two months' trip to the Canadian west. He will go as far as the coast.

Mrs. J. B. Wright has been confined to her home for the past two weeks with a severe cold.

Miss Joanna Flanagan is quite seriously ill.

Mrs. J. Harry Baird is able to be out as usual, after being confined to her home with a bad cold.

Mrs. Robert Darrah and little son, who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. Long, left last Thursday to return to their home in Islay (Alta.) Mrs. Long accompanied them as far as Moncton, where her husband has been in the hospital for between two and three months.

Wilbrod Flanagan went to the Moncton hospital last week to have an arm operated upon, the bone having become diseased through a hurt received last summer.

Miss Annie Babain, of Sackville, came home yesterday for a vacation.

Mrs. Robert McKinnon is confined to her home through illness.

Zacharie Leger has purchased the Union Hotel, of which he has been proprietor for thirteen or fourteen years, from Pascal Hebert, who bought it a few months ago.

TWO FREEPORT, (N. S.) BUILDINGS BURNED.

Digby, N. S., March 29—Two building were destroyed by fire at Freeport last night. The one in which the fire started was owned by Mrs. Mabel McEwan, and was full of goods owned by A. E. Rose, a foreigner, who had just moved to Freeport. He had recently purchased from Bernard Blackford a nearby store. This also was destroyed. It is understood the loss is covered by insurance, with the exception of Mrs. McEwan's building, which was only partially covered, if at all.

Rev. F. H. Eaton, pastor of Freeport Baptist church, was united in marriage last evening to Miss Lola, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Campbell, of Freeport. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. L. Kinsman, of the Westport Baptist church. The wedding March was played by Miss Grace Morrell. They will go by auto to Bridgewater, where the groom has accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Baptist church.

Schooner Loran B. Snow was towed from Turnbull & Co's wharf this morning by the tug Moto, and will be taken to Meteghan for repairs.

Schooner Dora, Captain Canning, sailed for St. John at noon.

PRIVATE BILLS DEALT WITHIN COMMITTEE

Fredericton, N. B., March 30—The Southwest boom bill was under private consideration by the corporations committee this morning. The amendments made will probably suit the public if they are disappointing to the promoters. The decision arrived at was to report the bill with an amendment extending the franchise for five years instead of twenty, and then bringing the rates to be charged under the jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Commission.

There are many lumbermen here looking after this and other matters.

The municipalities committee met this morning. A bill to fix the valuation on the saw mill property of John Maloney at Chatham for assessment purposes was withdrawn.

A bill to authorize the municipality of Queens to make temporary loans, to exempt from taxation investments by local people in Sussex debentures, to authorize a bond issue of $26,000 for extension of water system in Chatham, and to change the date of holding the municipal election in Victoria to September were agreed to with amendments.

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No woman need any longer dread the pains of childbirth. Dr. J. H. Dye devoted his life to relieving the sorrows of women. He has proven that the pain at childbirth need no longer be feared by woman and we will gladly tell you how it may be done absolutely free of charge. Send your name and address to Dr. J. H. Dye Medical Institute, Canadian branch, Dept. 111 St. Mary's, Ont., and we will send you, postpaid, his wonderful book which tells how to give birth to happy, healthy children, absolutely without fear of pain, also how to become a mother. Do not delay but write TO-DAY.

TORTURED BY CONSTIPATION

"Fruit-a-tives" Cured Paralyzed Bowels and Digestion

St. Boniface de Shawinigan, Que., Feb. 3rd, 1914.

"It is a pleasure to me to inform you that after suffering from Chronic Constipation for 2½ years, I have been cured by "Fruit-a-tives." While I was a student at Berthier College, I became so ill I was forced to leave the college. Severe pains across the intestines continually tortured me and it came to a point when I could not stoop down at all, and my Digestion became paralyzed. Some one advised me to take "Fruit-a-tives" and at once I felt a great improvement. After I had taken four or five boxes, I realized that I was completely cured and what made me glad, also, was that they were acting gently, causing no pain whatever to the bowels. All those who suffer with Chronic Constipation should follow my example and take "Fruit-a-tives" for they are the medicine that cures."

MAGLOIRE PAQUIN.

"Fruit-a-tives" are sold by all dealers at 50c. a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size, 25c. or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

FORMER ALBERT BOY WRITES FROM THE TRENCHES

Hopewell Hill, March 30—"Keep your eye on the old 19th," is the way a former Hopewell boy, Bombardier Albert W. S. Starratt, of the 19th Field Battery, Moncton, closes a brief letter from the front to a friend here, which was written after his first experience under fire. The letter says:

"Just a line to let you know I am on deck and hope to be for a while yet. I was attached to an English battery for a week, and while there had my first taste of being under fire, and had the satisfaction of helping to man a gun against the Germans. We have now our own battery against them and are trying to do our share. Have had no casualties so far, so things are going pretty well. We have comfortable places to sleep in and lots of "Bully beef" and hard-tack. There is a continual gun fire now, but the Germans, so far as my experience goes, appear poor shots, compared with our men.

"I think there are bound to be big events soon and I hope I am there to see it, for there will be certainly sights worth seeing.

"A person would hardly realize by the way the boys act, that the enemy's guns are so close and that we are firing at the enemy. In spare times, they engage in football and sports of all kinds. The drivers spend much time with their horses and harness, and everybody appears to be happy.

"As it is bed time and I have been on the jump all day, I will say goodnight. Remember me to all the Hopewell friends, and keep your eye on the old 19th.

"ALLIE."

A letter from Sergeant Cleveland Robertson, formerly of Albert, and lately with the Princess Patricia regiment at the front, has been received by a friend at Albert. Young Robertson has been invalided to England, and his letter says:

4th General Hospital,
Lincoln, March 20, 1915.

Dear Friend—I will try now and answer your letter which I received while in the trenches in Belgium. It certainly seems good to hear from old friends at home, who have not forgotten me. I am back again in England, and in the hospital with fever. It is quite a change to be here after my experience in the trenches. I was at Ypres in that charge on the morning of the 28th of February, with the Princess Patricia's Light Infantry, and there certainly was some fighting. We lost a lot of men too; poor chaps. How is everything in dear old Albert? I would like to be there again; but who knows? It is terrible in the trenches—mud and water to your waist, and it was standing in that for forty-eight hours at a stretch that gave me the fever. I don't know when I will be going to the front again. It seems too bad there are thousands of men losing their lives every day. I pray God it may end soon. There was a Methodist minister came into my ward the other day and as I was the only Metodist here, we had quite a long chat. He gave me a small pocket Bible and a hymn book, and they are a great help. I get lonesome some times and down in the dumps. I am still in bed so don't see much. Remember me to all the friends.

C. C. ROBERTSON.

Roll of Honor.

(By Harold Begbie.)

What is the finest death to die;
And the fairest end to make?
To fall as your country's foemen fly,
And to die for Freedom's sake!
To die with the young, the strong, the brave,
A flush on your eager soul,
Your body borne to a hero's grave
And your name on Honor's Roll!

Lead us into battle, shining overhead,
Youngest of the angels, bravest of the dead!
Lead us in your beauty, lead us in your youth,
Lead the ranks of Freedom, lead the hosts of Truth;
Go before our armies, burn above our strife,
Stars in England's Heaven, heirs of endless life!

Mother, why do you weep so long?
O father! why do you sigh?
Louder in heav'n is the angels' song
As the hero souls go by!
Up, brothers, up! and strike again,
Till you break the tyrant's rod—
The hero lives in the hearts of men
And his soul is glad with God!

Lead us into battle, shining overhead,
Youngest of the angels, bravest of the dead!
Lead us in your beauty, lead us in your youth,
Lead the ranks of Freedom, lead the hosts of Truth;
Go before our armies, burn above our strife,
Stars in England's Heaven, heirs of endless life!

ST. STEPHEN RECRUITS PLACED ON CHURCH HONOR ROLL

St. Stephen, March 30—Volunteers from the St. Stephen Presbyterian church whose names have been entered upon the church honor roll are: Albert Morris McWha, 12th Battalion; Ralph Bradford Clark, Canadian Field Ambulance; Hugh Allison Murray, 26th Battalion; Kenneth Inches Murray, Queen's Engineers; Lieut. William Thompson MacFarlane, 26th Battalion; William Bell Graham, 26th Battalion; William Dempsey Robinson, 26th Battalion; George Hannan, Mounted Rifles; Lewis Whiteley, Composite Regiment; Duncan McGeachy, 55th Battalion; James MacDonald, 55th Battalion.

COL. SHILLINGTON ACKNOWLEDGES RECEIPT OF MRS. SMITH'S CHEQUE.

Base Army P. O. 15.
March 26.

Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, St. John, N. B., Canada:

Cheque received. Thanks. Writing.

COL. SHILLINGTON,
Le Touquet, France.

The cheque spoken of was the first remittance of $1,600 raised by the chapter for the equipment of a New Brunswick ward in the base hospital at Le Touquet.

Five thousand roller skaters of Evanston (Ill.), caused the mayor to order street regulations.

SISTER: READ MY FREE OFFER

I am a woman.
I know a woman's tr[illegible]
I know her need of s[illegible]
If you, my sister, s[illegible] health, and feel unfit for [illegible] pleasures, or daily emplo[illegible] just how you suffer, and ask for my **free** ten days' trial of a **home treatment** suited to your needs; with references to Canadian ladies who gladly tell how they have regained health, strength, and happiness by its use. I want to tell you all about this successful method of home treatment for yourself, my reader, for your daughter, your sister, or your mother. I want to tell you how to cure yourselves at home at trifling cost, and without aid from anyone. Men **cannot** understand women's sufferings; what we women know **from experience**, we know better than any doctor; and thousands have proved there is **hope even for the hopeless** in my method of home treatment. If you suffer from **pain in the head, back,** or **bowels, feeling of weight** and **dragging down sensations, falling or displacement of internal organs, bladder irritation with frequent urination, obstinate constipation or piles, pain in the sides regularly or irregularly, bloating or unnatural enlargements, catarrhal conditions, dyspepsia, extreme nervousness, depressed spirits, melancholy, desire to cry, fear of something evil about to happen, creeping feeling up the spine, palpitation, hot flashes, weariness, sallow complexion, with dark circles under the eyes, pain in the left breast or a general feeling that life is not worth living,** I invite you to send to-day for my complete **ten days' treatment** entirely **free** and **postpaid**, to prove to yourself that these ailments can be easily and surely conquered at your own home, without the expense of hospital treatment, or the dangers of an operation. Women everywhere are escaping the surgeon's knife by knowing of my simple method of home treatment, and **when you are cured**, my sister, I shall only ask you to pass the good word along to some other sufferer. My home treatment is for all,—**young or old.** To **Mothers of Daughters**, I will explain a simple home treatment which speedily and effectually cures green-sickness (chlorosis), irregularities, headaches, and lassitude in young women, and restores them to plumpness and health. Tell me if you are worried about your daughter. Remember **it costs you nothing** to give my method of home treatment a complete ten day's trial, and if you wish to continue, it costs only a few cents a week to do so, and it does not interfere with one's daily work. **Is health worth asking for?** Then accept my generous offer, **write for the free treatment** suited to your needs, and I will send it in plain wrapper by return mail. To save time you can cut out this offer, mark the places that tell your feelings, and return to me. **Write and ask** for the **free treatment to-day**, as you may not see this offer again. Address:

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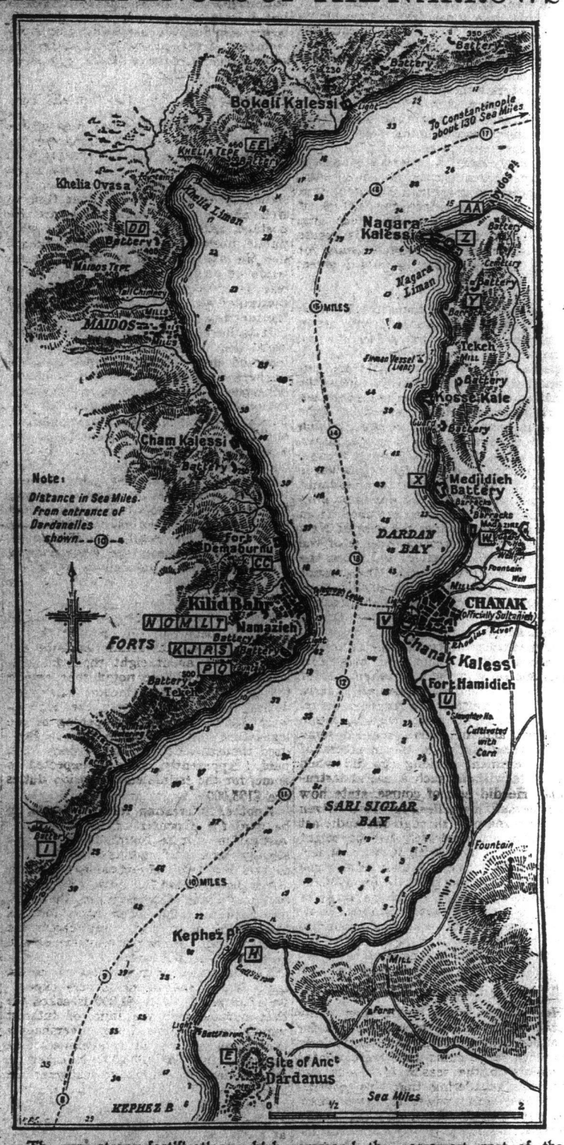
THE DEFENCES OF THE NARROWS



The very strong fortifications which command the narrowest part of the shore have been bombarded with good effect. Forts U and V have been made a special target, together with the corresponding forts opposite.

Paymaster of the First Contingent Cashiered

London, March 31—the Official Gazette announced that Hon. Lieut. John Bottomley, paymaster of the First Canadian Contingent, has been dismissed from the army by sentence of a court martial.

Ottawa, March 31—The militia department today confirms the cable report of the dismissal of Lt. John Bottomley. No official report giving details of Bottomley's degradation and his being gazetted as dismissed had been received but it is thought he was short in his accounts. The amount could not be ascertained, but it is supposed it was not large. Bottomley comes from Niagara Falls and was formerly a lieutenant in the 44th Regiment. He enlisted at Valcartier last August.

Sturdee's Signal.

(Victoria Colonist.)

When Admiral Sir Frederick Sturdee ordered his squadron into action off the Falkland Islands he made the signal "God Save the King," which no doubt will be duly recorded in the annals of the British Admiralty. W. D. Lacey, a writer in The Wireless World in recording the incident says: "The signal was taken up and flung far and wide through space by each of the Fleet in turn, until it seemed as though it would never cease. I consider it a privilege to have been one of the few to hear the signal."

MONCTON SCOTT ACT VIOLATOR SENT TO JAIL.

Moncton, March 31—Judge Steeves today sentenced Tom Bourque to three months in jail without option of a fine when a third offence Scott Act case against him came up.

A. C. T. A. case against Kelley & Glassey, wholesale liquor dealers of Halifax, was farther adjourned.

Halifax, N. S., March 30—As a result of the terrific gale that swept over the fishing banks off the Nova Scotia coast last Saturday, two lives were lost and several vessels were damaged.

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