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**Germans Annihilated One Of Their Own Regiments**

**In Another Case Two Battalions Fought Each Other Till Last Man Went Down—Mistakes of Night Combats**

London, Sept. 17.—In a despatch from Paris the correspondent of Reuter's says an officer now a prisoner at Troyes, France, admits that the Germans made serious mistakes during the fighting at night, which they have indulged in since the beginning of the war.

Near Malines, this officer says, a detachment of German artillery annihilated a Prussian regiment under the impression that it was engaging French infantry.

Near a frontier village, two battalions of the 28th German Infantry, mistaking one another for French troops, shot each other down to the last man.

**More Acts Of Outrage Laid To the Germans**

Paris, Sept. 17.—Leon Bourgeois, former premier and senator from Marne, who has just returned after a tour of the district recently occupied by the Germans, has made a detailed report of his observations, a copy of which has been given to the American ambassador for transmission to the government at Washington.

The report declares that most of the communities through which the Germans passed were annihilated by fire and sword. Several mayors were shot, and where the mayors were absent, substitutes were shot in their places.

The report recites an attack on women in Montmirail, and the shooting of a father and his twelve year old son, who were present. Several witnesses of this alleged incident are named in the report.

When the Germans were announced as approaching Chalons, many of the inhabitants rushed to the station and besieged the trains that were leaving, but most of the populations retained their composure. The arrival of the Germans, the report says, was preceded by a short bombardment, in which shells fell on the hospital and the children's asylum.

**GERMAN ARMY SHORT OF NURSES**

**So Sure of Quick Capture of Paris That They Did Not Provide For Wounded**

Paris, Sept. 17.—The pitiable state of most of the German wounded is explained by some of the prisoners as due to a lack of nursing. They say the Germans were so convinced that they would cross France and take Paris at the double quick, that they did not provide for wounded. When the famous "75" gun of the French began to make ravages, the German commanders took from the ranks men best qualified for the work of caring for the wounded, but the services were quite insufficient.

Yesterday a train-load of wounded, comprising a large number of men in the Imperial Guard, arrived in Bordeaux. Nearly all are in a grave state. They were accompanied by a German army surgeon, and one nurse of the Imperial Guard. All of these wounded recognize the good care they have since falling into the hands of the French.

**HEIR TO \$60,000,000**

Miss Loisann Campbell Becomes Bride of E. G. Burkham

New York, Sept. 17.—Miss Loisann Campbell, daughter of the late James Campbell, and the sole heir to an estate valued at \$60,000,000, was married this week to Eley G. Burkham, of St. Louis.

**BANK CLEARINGS HERE GREATER THAN IN THE SAME WEEK LAST YEAR**

The St. John bank clearings for the week ending today were \$1,592,688; corresponding week last year, \$1,499,877.

**BAND CONCERT TONIGHT**

The band concerts are not yet over for the season and the Sons of England Band will give a concert in the King square this evening. Commissioner Potts said this morning that there is some money left in the band concert fund and had anticipated the weather being so fine during the last week he would have made arrangements for a concert earlier in the week.

**School Days Here Again!**

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**LIKELY GIVE \$20,000 TO REFINERY PEOPLE**

**Mayor Looks Into Matter—Steam Turned on Yesterday in Main Building**

The application of the Atlantic Sugar Refineries, Ltd., for the refund of \$20,000 of the \$100,000 deposited with the city as a guarantee of the completion of their plant at the Ballast wharf is in a fair way of being granted. The matter was left in the hands of the mayor at the last council meeting, and he went yesterday afternoon to the refinery to look into the matter.

According to the terms of the agreement the deposit is to be returned as soon as the contract is completed. The mayor said this morning that the steam was turned on yesterday in the main building and all that was left to be completed were a few small details of machinery. He was therefore of the opinion that the refund would be in order.

A Times' reporter, with one of the refinery men, said this morning that, although he could not say definitely when the plant would be entirely ready for operation, if everything went off without a hitch they would be ready for their first work within a month or two.

**LOCAL FUND HAS PASSED \$24,000 MARK**

The Soldiers' and Families' Patriotic Fund continues to climb, thousand after thousand, and another notch was passed this morning. The fund has now more than \$24,000 with \$8,000 pledged.

The following amounts are acknowledged by the fund today: Dr. Wm. Warwick, \$10, and the same amount each month; G. H. Arnold, \$25; Smith Brokerage Co. \$50; Wm. Hudson, \$2; James Toole, \$5; William Murray, \$2; A. E. Fleming, \$5; James Miller, \$1; P. M. McKelvey, \$5; Bart Rogers, \$5; Mrs. Lillie Rogers, \$5; W. J. Quinn, \$5; employees N. B. Telephone Co. \$108.50; Benjamin Mirey, \$2 and \$1 a month; Mrs. Margaret Melick, \$4; Imperial Oil Co. \$1,000; Christ Church, Pennfield, \$8.25; Alex. Binning, \$10; W. E. Baxter, \$10; Reginald Cooper, Rothcasy, \$10; Jas. R. Suggs, \$2; F. S. Thomas, \$5; S. H. Belyea, \$5; Geo. R. Craigie, \$5; S. H. Belyea, \$2; William Dunn, \$1; Henry Cunningham, \$1.

**From Daughters of Israel**

The sum of \$27 was received by the secretary of the Patriotic Fund this morning from the Daughters of Israel Society.

Death today overtook George Baxter, who was mortally wounded from a hunter's rifle in the hands of Mansford Oxley on a mountain road near Simpson's Lake two days ago.

Mistaken for game, Mr. Baxter was shot down when two heavy calibre bullets found their target, one blowing off his fingers and the other entering the hip. All too late Oxley discovered his error. Rushing forward through the woods to finish what he believed was an animal brought down, he came upon the dying man. He was carried to the nearest homestead but as there was no doctor in twelve miles, Mr. Baxter died.

The tragedy has cast a deep gloom about Wyvern and the whole River Hebert Valley. Mr. Baxter was fifty-five years of age, married, but with no children. He was an active member of the Masonic fraternity.

**WESTMORLAND NOMINATIONS**

(Moncton Transcript, Liberal.)

The two political parties have now nominated their candidates for the federal bye-election made necessary through the death of the Hon. H. R. Emmerson, the member of the House of Commons for Westmorland County.

Taking the nominations in the order of priority, M. G. Siddall was first in the field as the Conservative candidate; and A. B. Cogg was nominated by the Liberals on Tuesday.

Both candidates are estimable gentlemen, and personally strong in their respective parties.

They represent conflicting political views, as to the best means of administering public affairs, and it is for the electors to choose between their respective policies. There is neither need nor obligation to determine a choice upon any, personal or other grounds.

They both reside in the eastern portion of the county, but have each had the opportunity of making the acquaintance of the electors in part or as a whole on preceding occasions, and therefore will need little introduction.

The character and standing of the two candidates are such as to warrant the anticipation that a clean, pleasant and gentlemanly campaign, free from personal acrimony and determined solely upon the vital political issues of the day, will be conducted. The choice of the two candidates gives a guarantee of this.

**SUGAR PRICES**

(Montreal Mail, Tuesday)

Following the levelling up of the price of sugar by the local refineries last week to \$5.70, the St. Lawrence Sugar Refinery made an advance of 50 cents a hundred pounds at the week end, bringing their prices to \$6.20 a hundred pounds.

Extra granulated sugar as quoted by the local refiners now stands \$5.70 and \$6.20 a hundred pounds.

The Halifax Refinery are also reported as having made an advance of 50 cents.

Among the out of town guests were Mrs. G. M. Blair and Miss Elizabeth Blair, and the Misses Mary and Elsie Weldon, of Shediac; Mrs. C. W. Cahill, Miss Cahill and Miss Hart of Sackville; Mrs. W. G. Smith, Mrs. M. Weldon and Grant Smith of St. John; among other guests were Rev. Canon and Mrs. Sissam, Hon. C. W. and Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Jacob G. H. Joughins, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Whepley, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Trueman, Mr. Lawson and Mrs. Harry Price.

The gifts were many and very beautiful.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Crichton are among Moncton's most popular young people.

The bride and groom left by motor this afternoon for a point west, from where they will take the C. P. R. on a trip to New York, returning to Moncton in about two weeks, when they will reside at the residence of Mrs. C. P. Harris, Steadman street, which they will occupy for the winter months.

**FEN PARKER**

**A Tribute To One of St. John's Best Speed Skaters**

St. John, N. B., Sept. 17.

To the Sporting Editor of the Times:

Sir: I would like to write a few words about Fen Parker, the vice-champion in skating, whom we so sorrowfully laying away this afternoon. Being closely connected with the lad in his skating days, and having deep personal interest in his victorious career at home, and outside of town. I knew him thoroughly well, and I feel it fitting that I should make these references:

Parker was a clean, honest athlete, one who never "threw" a race, never faked a defeat, and who skated from pistol to tape for all that was in him. Fact is he is thought to have impaired his health by his strenuous endeavors on the ice-track. Whether Fen Parker's name appeared on the race card the people felt sure of seeing a real test of speed and nothing pre-arranged, for local skaters could make use of his short skates, but when the long stretches of the M. A. A. track were entered, in the face of strong winds, the speed and energies of Fen were defeated by his unsuitable skates.

McCullough, the great western champion, observed Parker's handicap in this regard, and while the skaters were fitting about in their blankets between races, skated up to him and said: "Look her, kid, what did you come up here with those short skates for? Don't you know they are the wrong kind for the big tracks in the open air? I'll make you a pair of the proper kind with my compliments, for I think with the long blades you can clean them all up."

This seemed to be the general opinion at that big meet. Harley Davidson, Sinnirud, Baptie and others of the big class told Fen that it was impossible for him to get the results he merited with the short pattern indoor skates. And all agreed that Parker was the speediest man at the meet in his own right.

Skating fans will long remember the events that stamped Fen Parker the local champion. How in the old Victoria rink in one programme he captured seven championship events in whirlwind style, hardly getting time between heats to have the necessary rubber. His struggles against Patton, Merritt, Duffy, and other well-known "strategists" of the Victoria track, fell before his speed and his splendid endurance from outside places. As the "boy wonder," he cleaned up all along the line.

Then Fen settled down to domestic life, and seldom referred to his skating glories. He was most unassuming and retiring. He got into business life and worked as a clerk in a clothing store. Illness overcame him, but he struggled along manfully and light-heartedly until the sudden demise on Monday. Sportsmen citizens will remember the death of Fen as a well-bred, gentlemanly chap, who upheld the good skating name of St. John—the home of champions—without losing his head, but did so with dignity and square-dealing.

**MONCTON WEDDING**

(Moncton Transcript, Wednesday.)

A very pretty home wedding took place at high noon today at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Wm. J. Weldon, in Main street west, when Miss Mary Adelaide Weldon, daughter of Mrs. Weldon and the late Wm. J. Weldon, was united in marriage to Alex. Crichton. The ceremony took place at twelve o'clock, in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends; Rev. Canon Sissam, pastor of St. George's Church, officiating.

The home decorations were especially attractive, the drawing room was prettily decorated with ferns, palms and standing under a bell of evergreen, and profusely dotted with white blossoms; other drawing room decorations were ferns, palms, roses and sweet peas. The fireplace was banked with green relieved by white blossoms. The entrance hall, library, and dining room were also tastefully decorated with ferns, palms and golden-glow; the bride's table was exceedingly attractive; the floral decorations were cream and pink roses and maiden hair ferns; while the guests' table bore a very pretty centrepiece of white and heliotrope asters, goldenglow banded the mantel and decorations were sweet peas and asters.

The bride is a daughter of the late Wm. J. Weldon, while the groom is a son of Admiral Crichton, of Abbots-hall, Fifeshire, Scotland.

The bride was beautifully gowned in ivory charmeuse satin, with train; corsage of cream and pink roses and a white and Juliet cap with orange blossoms. Her only ornament was a very handsome pearl necklace, the gift of the groom. She carried a white prayer book.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Daisy Weldon, gowned in apricot satin, and Miss Nora Crichton, in white. The bridesmaids wore a combination of pink and white. The groom wore a dark suit, and the groomsmen wore a combination of pink and white.

Mr. Woodhouse, who presided at the piano, rendered very effectively Mendelssohn's Wedding March, and the bridal chorus from Lohengrin, and also improvised throughout the ceremony.

The groom's gift to the bride's maid was a very pretty bracelet, and the little flower girl received a pretty little ring, and the groomsmen a signet ring.

The health of the bride was proposed by Rev. Canon Sissam, and responded to by the groom.

After the ceremony and congratulations the guests retired to the dining room, where refreshments were served.

The bride's going away gown was of tawn cloth, with Nell rose chiffon blouse and hat of fawn and rose to correspond.

**POLICE CHIEF INQUIRY GOES OVER UNTIL MONDAY**

On account of the illness of Daniel Mullin, K. C., who is representing Chief Clark, no evidence was taken in the police investigation this morning and the hearing goes over until Monday morning at eleven o'clock. Mr. Mullin and the chief, as well as Recorder Baxter and H. B. McLellan, commissioner of public safety, representing the city, were in court and agreed to the postponement.

It is possible that Monday's sitting will be in the county court rooms in the court house, as suggested by Mr. Mullin. W. B. Chandler, the commissioner, who is hearing the evidence, will return to his home in Moncton today. He had hoped to be able to finish the investigation this week.

**PARADISE ROW PAVING**

The matter of the Paradise Row paving and the complaint from Rev. H. A. Collins in regard to the augmented noise that would result from the placing of granite blocks in the street, has been called to the attention of Commissioner Potts and will likely be arranged satisfactorily.

The commissioner said that it would be almost impossible to change the material of construction now that the contract had been started, as the contractors would no doubt have made arrangements about the delivery of the granite blocks. He said, however, that it would be possible to grout over the blocks in the same manner as in Water street and this would do away with much of the noise. As the road at this point is almost level, no difficulty is anticipated because of the smooth surface.

**SOON TO BE MARRIED**

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Adams wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Agnes Winnifred, to Hedley A. Northrup, both of this city. The wedding will take place in the near future.

**The Season of New Goods**

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September 17, 1914.

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