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has referred labor questions to Mr. Lloyd George.

Women Are Ready.

Look at another aspect of the recruiting situation. Here is a middle-aged woman turning a small machine by hand. It smoothes the inside of what looks like a big brass washer, but which is part of a time fuse—one of those which Col. Carnegie convinced Col. Allison could not be successfully made in this benighted country. The hand-turned machine will be replaced by an electrically-driven one as soon as the equipment can be set up. It is only a week since women were first employed on time fuses in Toronto. This elderly person is doing 1,200 operations a day, and doing them well. Her speech betrays her to hail from the north of England. Sunderland was her home till four years ago.

Did she work in a factory in England? Oh, dear no, and she laughed at the idea of such a thing having been possible in the old days. In Canada, then? Oh, dear no! She had never been inside a factory till after she saw the advertisement for women to work on munitions, and then she had come here fast enough.

Wanted a Few Shots at Hun.

Why? It was a very simple answer and one that transfigured the workshop and converted the noise of the other whirring machinery into a symphony of glorious duty. "I have three brothers reported missing since a year ago, and I want to help to fire a few shots at the Germans who got them." And her face lighted up and as she lifted her head from bending over the bench she disclosed a big big brooch at her throat. In silver, the lettering said, "Salvation Army."

A minute later the superintendent said the good lady stands nine hours on her feet doing what she can to fire a few shots at the Germans, and every evening she goes out with the corps to beseech her countrymen to be reconciled to God. She knows no difference between the two vocations.

No Leadership.

Wherever you turn, the wretched truth is forced upon you. There is no co-ordination, no supreme direction, no genius in our management of our end of the war. Between the new Salvationist on the street corner and the old Salvationist who goes into the munition factory, are the two men who are wrongly placed—the one who is in the army and ought to be out, and the other who is out of the army and ought to be in.

Weeks ago the prime minister told the disheartened recruiters who besought him to do something, that as a thousand men a day had been recruited in the first three months of the year, there was nothing to worry about. The fact is, he did not see the situation. He does not see it now. The public must ascertain what co-ordination and common sense can do, and then demand that it be done.

WORN WORRIED WOMEN

Her Many Duties Affect Her Health and Often She Breaks Down Completely

It is little wonder that there are many times in a woman's life when she feels in despair. There is no nine-hour day for the busy housewife. There are a hundred things about the home to keep her busy from the time she arises until it is again bed time. What is the result? Often her nerves give way, her good looks suffer, her blood becomes thin, her digestion is disturbed and her system threatened with a complete breakdown. Every woman should do all possible to protect her health and good looks, and there is one way in which she can do this, and that is by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These actually make new, rich blood, strengthen every nerve and every organ, bring the glow of health to the cheeks and brightness to the eye. These pills have done more to make the lives of thousands of women sunshiny than anything else in the world. Mrs. Daniel Theal, Waterloo (Ont.), says: "I was very much run down, my blood was thin and watery and I would faint at the least excitement. I suffered from headaches and dizziness and often it seemed as though there were clouds before my eyes. Finally I was forced to go to bed with weakness. I doctored for six weeks while in bed without receiving any benefit. Finally I was induced to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and when I had taken ten boxes I was completely cured, and never felt better in my life. I am convinced that what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did for me they will do for others, and I warmly recommend them to all weak women."

You can get these Pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville (Ont.)

CHARTERS.

Boston, May 29—Stmr Melrose, of the New England Gas & Coke Co.'s fleet, registered at 3,300 tons, has been engaged for a voyage from Hampton Roads to Rio Janeiro, at $85,000 a month. The charter was in the name of the New York & Brazil Steamship Co.

New York, June 1—Schr Arthur M Gibson has been chartered to load coal here for New York, p t.

Steamer, 3,391 tons, coal, Virginia to Rio Janeiro, private terms, prompt; Greek steamer, 26,000 quarters grain, Atlantic range to Rotterdam, 32s 6d, prompt; British steamer (previously), 20,000 quarters grain, Atlantic Range to a French Atlantic port, 16s, June; British steamer, 30,000 quarters, same to Bristol Channel, 14s 3d, Mersey 14s 6d or Limerick 14s 9d, June; British steamer (previously), 26,000 quarters grain, Gulf to Bristol Channel, 15s 6d, June-July; British steamer, 2,993 tons (previously), transatlantic trade, three round trips, 37s 6d, deliveries United Kingdom; Danish steamer, 829 tons, coal, Baltimore to north shore Cuba, private terms, prompt; British bark, 1,569 tons, timber, Gulf to the United Kingdom, 54s, June-July; schooner, 610 tons, coal, Philadelphia to Martinique, private terms; schooner, 1,076 tons, ties, Savannah to New York, 37½c.

AGENTS WANTED

RELIABLE representative wanted, to meet the tremendous demand for fruit trees throughout New Brunswick at present. We wish to secure three or four good men to represent us as local and general agents. The special interest taken in the fruit-growing business in New Brunswick offers exceptional opportunities for men of enterprise. We offer a permanent position and liberal pay to the right men. Stone & Wellington, Toronto, Ont. sw-tf

THERE is a boom in the sale of trees in New Brunswick. We want reliable Agents now in every unrepresented district. Pay weekly; liberal terms. Pelham Nursery Co., Toronto, Ont. tf

WANTED

HEMLOCK BARK WANTED—Carload lots. Best market price. J. F. Gerrity Company, Bangor, Maine. 43335-7-5-a.w.

WANTED—About June 15, a cook. Apply Miss Pitcher, Rothesay. 42941-6-10.

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WANTED—A second class female teacher for next term. Apply, stating salary, to Peter Ledingham, Secretary of School Trustees, Kintore, Victoria county (N. B.) 42952-6-3-s.w.

WANTED—A cook in private family; state references. Apply by mail, Post Office Box 588. t.f.

MAN wanted for Riverside Golf Club; summer's job for right man. Apply to David McDonald, at the club, Riverside. tf

WANTED—A middle aged woman or capable girl for general housework. Good wages. Write Mrs. J. E. Angevine, Hampton (N. B.) 5-6-13.

BUSINESS CHANCES

AN EXCELLENT INVESTMENT. A sure thing, open to all. Will pay at least ten per cent. yearly, and I think more. Shares Ten Dollars each. Any number from one up. For particulars apply to Michael Kelly, 26 St. Patrick street, St. John (N. B.) 42865-6-17.

BIRTHS

CRAWFORD—At Nanaimo (B. C.), on June 1, 1916, to Mrs. I. W. Crawford (nee Bessie Knight), a daughter.

DONALD—At the Bank House, Grand Falls, N. B., on Friday, June 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Paton Donald, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

YOUNG-LINTON—At the home of the bride, Bayswater (N. B.), May 30, by the Rev. J. E. Shanklin, Robert Young, of Land's End (N. B.), to Mrs. Elizabeth A. Linton, of Bayswater (N. B.)

BENT-CAMPBELL—At St. John's church, June 1, by the Rev. William B. Armstrong, Frank G. Bent and Annie S. T. Campbell, both of this city.

GRAHAM-McLAREN—At the residence of the bride's brother, J. B. McLaren, 76 Highfield street, Moncton, June 3, by the Rev. T. Porter Drumm, Thomas A. Graham to Miss Isabel McLaren, of Moncton.

FOOHEY-OWENS—At the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, St. John, N. B., June 3, 1916, by the Rev. Wm. M. Duke, David Foohey to Agnes R., daughter of Mrs. Rebecca and the late Thomas Owens, all of this city.

HUBERT-DOHERTY—On June 1, 1916, at Mount Pleasant, Dalhousie, N. B., by the Rev. R. J. Coleman, Florine, eldest daughter of Mrs. and the late W. W. Doherty, M. D., to Harry J. Hubert.

DEATHS

LOCKHART—In this city, May 30, Mary Earle, wife of George A. Lockhart, aged thirty-one years, and third daughter of the late J. Morris Robinson.

LYNCH—In this city, on the 2nd inst., Daniel Lynch, aged 77 years, leaving his wife, four sons and four daughters to mourn.

McINTYRE—At his residence, Havelock street, Lancaster Heights, on June 1, Joseph McIntyre, son of the late William and Sarah McIntyre, of this city, leaving his wife, seven sons and two daughters to mourn. (Boston papers please copy).

CRONIN—In this city, on the 31st ult., Ann, widow of Patrick Cronin, aged 80 years, a native of Queenstown, Ireland, leaving three sons and two daughters to mourn.

TAPLEY—In this city, on June 1, Elenor A., wife of the late D. F. Tapley, aged eighty years.

PETERS—At Digby (N. S.), on the 4th inst., Alice Blair, beloved wife of J. Lorne Peters, leaving her husband, two sisters and one brother to mourn.

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CARD OF THANKS

The wife and daughter of the late George E. Jack, of Pennfield (N. B.), wish to extend their hearty thanks to their many friends for the kindness and sympathy shown in their sudden and sad bereavement.

The Soul of Spring.

The soul of spring is in the land,
A voice along the silver strand
Of moonlit April twitters sweet;
The little leaves, like many a hand
Of tender childhood, reach to see
If they can touch yon mother tree
That has the green moss at her feet
And in her arms the dreams of dew.

All up the mornings of the sea
A mystic radiance seems to be,
And old elations born again
Like music in the breasts of men
Sing out across the hills and dells
The music of a thousand spells
Of beautiful Arcadian birth
In the warm breast of blossoming earth.

It is the happy time of life,
The soul of spring; the warring strife
Sinks down beyond the purple west,
The beauteous Love comes with her crest
Of flaming daffodil to fling
Around the sword her velvet wing,
And in the blossoms of her field
Deck the unused and useless shield.

The song of spring is here, is here!
The laughing waves, the rolling sphere,
Proclaim her in the tuneful word
Of quivering frog and whistling bird;
The air is vibrant with her thrill
Of choric rapture; stream and rill,
With eddies dancing in the light,
Give her the password of the hill
Where all the fairies dance at night.

—Baltimore Sun.

MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF ST JOHN.

Arrived.

Thursday, June 1.

Schr Winchester, 241, Dixon, New York, coal, for Colwell, vessel to J W Smith.

Schr D W B, Smith, Boston, scrap iron.

Sunday, June 4.

Str Manchester Miller, 2,766, Musgrave, Manchester, general cargo, Wm Thomson Co.

Saturday, June 3.

Str Adour (Nor), 829, Danielsen, Oran, Algiers, via Louisburg, Wm Thomson Co, geal.

Sailed.

Thursday, June 1.

Schr Seth W Smith, 157, Clark, New York, lumber.

Schr James Slater, 266, Gricin, Ireland, lumber.

Schr Helen, 122, Advocate Harbor to load piling for Boston.

Saturday, June 3.

Str Chaleur, Hill, West Indies via Halifax.

Tern sch Alvina Theriault, 199, Bonnanfant, Barbodoes, Crosby Molasses Co, molasses.

Str Governor Cobb, 1,556, Clark, Boston, pass and general cargo.

CANADIAN PORTS.

Halifax, June 1—Ard, strs Pretorian, Liverpool; Yuna (Am), Macoris, with sugar.

Cld—Tern sch N E Ayer, Davereaux, Liverpool, with 288,147 feet spruce deals shipped by J. Newton Pugsley; Priscilla, Newcomb, Solem for orders with 121,000 feet scandling, shipped by J Newton Pugsley.

Liverpool, June 2—Cld, sch F C Lockhart, Kings, St. George's, Grenada.

Hawkesbury, June 2—Ard, dredge King Edward; tugs Reliable, Prince Ray and scows.

Parrsboro, June 2—Ard, govt str Aberdeen, Dalton, St John to load coal for fog signal stations.

Mulgrave, June 2—Ard, str Minneapolis, Quebec for New York; D G str Stanley, south; sch Laurel, Margaree and cld to return.

Passed south—Gaso sch Teaser, Banks, for Gloucester.

BRITISH PORTS.

Ardrossan, May 26—Sld, stmr Thorsdal (Nor), Pedersen, Halifax.

Avonmouth, May 27—Sld, stmr Arachne, Sergent, Montreal.

Liverpool, May 27—Ard, stmrs Pannonia, Capper, New York and Halifax; Tabasco, Moxton, Halifax; schr Willena Gertrude, Pratt, Parrsboro; 29th, stmrs Bay State, Wilson, Boston; Manchester Citizen, Mitchell, Quebec; 31st, stmr Scandinavian, Montreal.

Liverpool, June 1—Ard, stmr Baltic, New York.

Palmouth, June 1—Ard, stmr Andania, New York.

Gibraltar, June 1—Ard, stmr Taormina, New York.

Glasgow, May 31—Ard, stmr Saturnia, Montreal.

Manchester, May 29—Ard, str Manchester Citizen, Mitchell, Quebec.

Liverpool, June 2—Ard, str Celtic, New York.

Barbados, May 20—Ard, sch Edde Theriault, Bahia.

Maryport, May 29—Sld, str Huftero (Nor), Dressington, Sydney (C B.)

Galsgow, May 30—Ard, str Saturnia, Taylor, Montreal.

Ardrossan, May 29—Sld, str Bengore Head, Johnson, Montreal.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Canary Islands, May 27—Sld, stmr Spumi, St John.

Boston, May 30—Sld, stmr Sagamore, Liverpool; schrs Neva, Bear River (N S); Flora M, Meteghan (N S); Quetay, Weymouth (N S); Little Ruth, Woods Harbor (N S); Little Elsie, Clarks Harbor (N S); Mercedes, Salem, in tow tug Sadie Rose; Orozimbo, Gloucester.

Vineyard Haven, Mass, May 29—Ard, schrs George E Klinck, New York (and sld for eastern port); Burnett C, Liverpool (N S) for New York; St Bernard, Five Islands for do.

City Island, May 30—Passed, schr Abbie Keast, Edgewater for Wolfville.

Philadelphia, May 29—Cld, stmr Finn, Miramichi; schr Canada, Belize via Santiago.

New York, May 30—Ard, schrs Percy B, Advocate Harbor; Glyndon, Halifax; Palmetto, Liverpool.

May 30—Cld, schr Jennie A Stubbs, Spragg, St John.

St Michaels, June 1—Ard, stmr Regina D'Italia, New York.

Barcelona, June 1—Ard, stmr Antonio Lopez, New York.

Genoa, June 1—Ard, stmr Dante Alegghieri, New York.

Boston, May 31—Ard, sch Etta Vaughan, Liverpool.

Cld May 31—Schs W H Waters, Riverside; Electric Light, Wedgeport (N S); Grace M Cribby, Clark's Harbor; Hilda Emma, Shag Harbor (N S.)

Sld May 31—Tug Pejepscot, New York, towing bg R & R L Co No 2 (from Rockland), do (not S T Co No 2), New York for St John.

New York, May 31—Ard, sch Hartney W, Black River (Ja) via Stamford.

Rockland, May 31—Ard, schs Wm D Marvel, Stonington; Mary Ann McCann, Stockton for Stamford (Conn.)

Sld May 31—Schs St Croix, New York; Irene E Meservey, do; C B Clark, Boston; Ella F Crowell, do.

Vineyard Haven, May 31—Sld, schs Abbie S Walker, from New York for Calais; St Bernard, from Five Islands for New York; Mattie J Alles, from Noel (N S) for New York; Burnett C, from Liverpool (N S) for New York; Freddie Eaton, from Calais for Derby (Conn.)

Delaware Breakwater, May 30—Ard, sch Canada, Perth Amboy.

New York, June 2—Ard, str Oscar II, Copenhagen.

City Island, May 31—Passed, schs Jennie A Stubbs, Port Johnson for St John; Abenaki, Jersey City for Bowdoinham.

Boston, June 1—Ard, sch Mary C, Little River (N S); Ida M, Windsor; Mary E Lynch, Stonington.

Vineyard Haven, June 1—Sld, schs Melissa B Trask, New York for Bar Harbor; Abbie Keast, do for Wolfville; Annie B Mitchell, St George for Bangor.

Ard June 1—Schs Colin C Baker, Perth Amboy for Portland; Edward G Hight, New York for St John; Jennie A Stubbs, do for do; Lilla B Hirtle, Fortune Bay (Nfld) for New York; Rebecca G Whiddin, Calais for do.

Sld June 1—Sch Abbie C Stubbs, Aux Cayes.

Calais, June 1—Sld, schs Ernest T Lee, New York; Jessie Hart, Fall River; Emma McAdam, Windsor (N S.)

New Orleans, May 31—Ard, str Howth Head, Cardiff.

Victoria, B. C., June 1—H. C. Brewster, Liberal leader, has issued a writ against Premier Bowser, claiming that the Pacific Great Eastern loan bill is invalid, because the legislature legally expired March 15, and the bill was passed at a later date.

The writ demands the restitution of $18,000,000 of Pacific Great Eastern money, paid by the government.

"NO SLACKERS," A SLOGAN FOR THE METHODIST WOMEN

Missionary Society Closes After Profitable Sessions—An Appeal for Palm Branch—Officers Elected.

Friday, June 2.

"First recruit," "Do your bit," "No slackers," were some of the slogans given the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society yesterday at its closing session by the president, Mrs. C. F. Sanford. These slogans will give some idea of the character of the work proposed by this society during the ensuing year.

The district organizers delivered addresses in which they gave the members some idea as to the methods they have persued in order to attain the success of the past year.

Mrs. T. O. Clark was elected a delegate to the Toronto conference and Mrs. W. H. Barker and Mrs. C. L. Peters as alternates. Mrs. Charles Strong was elected to represent the society at the conference which meets at Summerside next week.

Miss Stewart, editor of the Palm Branch, made an earnest plea for the enlargement of the circulation of the paper, mentioning that it was the 25th anniversary of the paper and a special effort should be made by the members of the society, with a result that over 400 present subscribed.

At the closing of the meeting the district organizers met and maped out their plans for the incoming year. A meeting of the executive will be held tomorrow morning. Many of the members left last night for their homes throughout New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island.

Officers Elected.

The morning session was taken up by the election of officers and district organizers as follows:

Hon. President—Mrs. J. D. Chipman.
President—Mrs. C. F. Sanford.
Hon. Vice-President—Mrs. R. Johnson.
First Vice-President—Miss H. S. Stewart.
Second Vice-President—Mrs. G. F. Dawson.
Third Vice-President—Mrs. J. B. Gough.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. P. S. Enman.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. W. H. Barker.
Treasurer—Mrs. T. A. Clarke.
Circle and Band Sechetary—Mrs. John Humphreys.
Superintendent of Christian Stewardship—Mrs. H. A. Goodwin.

District Organizers.

Charlottetown, Miss M. White.
Chatham, Mrs. A. C. Woods.
Fredericton, Mrs. C. L. Peters.
Moncton, Mrs. R. MasLean.
Sackville, Mrs. E. P. Goodwin.
St. John, Mrs. E. C. Hickson.
St. Stephen, Miss Jennie Veazey.
Summerside, Mrs. W. A. Thompson.
Woodstock, Mrs. W. S. Corbett.

Delegates to Board—Mrs. T. C. Clarke, Sackville. Alternates—Mrs. W. H. Barker, St. John; Mrs. C. L. Peters, Fredericton.

The following resolution was submitted by the courtesy committee—Mrs. George Wrq, Mrs. Blizard, Mrs. Marvin and Mrs. Freeman:

Resolved, That the thanks of the convention be extended to all those who helped to make the 31st annual meeting of the N. B. and P. E. I. branch of th Woman's Misionary Society one of the most successful in its history.

We extend most hearty thanks to the trustees of the church, to those who kindly provided music, to the ladies of the congregation who entertained us at the social hour, to our hostesses, to the ladies of the billetting committee and to those in charge of the literature table, to the sexton of the church and to the railway and steamship companies.

To the young ladies taking part in the pageant, who portrayed the work in such a delightful manner, to Mrs. Small and Miss McLeod for their interesting and inspiring messages, to all who assisted with the programme, and to the children who took part in the Living Palm Branch, to the officers for that untiring zeal which made the convention so successful, we extend our thanks.

Eighty-four members attended yesterday morning's session.

Saturday, June 3.

The W. M. S. was brought to a close last evening after a most successful session. Mrs. C. F. Sanford, the president, gave the members some pointed slogans, including "First Recruit," "Do your bit," and "No Slackers."

The district organizers read their respective addresses and gave the reasons for the success of the year's work.

Mrs. T. O. Clark was elected a delegate to the Toronto conference and Mrs. W. H. Barker and Mrs. L. C. Peters alternates. Mrs. Charles Somerville will represent the society at the conference to be held at Summerside next week.

Miss Stewart made an earnest plea for more subscribers for the paper, The Palm Branch, the official organ of the society. At the closing of the meeting the district organizers met and mapped out their plans for the coming year.

LOST IN THE WOODS.

Monday, June 5.

Arthur Everett, bookkeeper at T. McAvity & Sons, a son of Herbert Everett of this city is lost in the woods in the neighborhood of Fredericton Junction and all efforts to locate him up to midnight Sunday night were futile.

In the woods without food and without shelter for twenty-four hours, during the downpour of rain Saturday night and yesterday, E. Percy Shaw, of 24 High street, 84 years of age, appeared little affected by his unusual experience when he "turned up" last night about 7 o'clock. He had no complaint to make, seemed little concerned with the ordeal he had undergone and much surprised at the anxiety of his family and friends.

Striving to Please.

"John," said the minutely observant woman, "didn't you forget to tip the waiter?"

"No. I attended to that right at the start. I handed him all the money I can afford to spend and told him to take his tip and then bring us something to eat with the change."—Washington Star.

THEIR REMARKS BY NO MEANS COMPLIMENTARY

Customs Officials Make Surprise Visit to Passengers on Train—Result is That Much Material is Found.

Woodstock, N. B., June 4—People living along the border have long enjoyed the advantage of a sort of free trade and come to regard it as among the natural provisions made for their welfare. They have never been forced to conform rigidly to existing tariff laws by either Canadian or American customs officials, but this commercial intercourse received a hard jolt last night when the train from Houlton arrived at Debec Junction where connection is made with the Woodstock express.

Two special officers, and a lady official of the customs department were on hand and the passengers going to Woodstock were held up for examination. A very large number, especially ladies, were made to remove their outer garments when the search revealed various articles of American manufacture carefully concealed about their persons. During the search the excitement was intense and the references made to those said to be responsible for the unusual occurrence were not of a very complimentary nature.

The value of the goods found amounted to many dollars. In some cases the officials accepted payment of duty, but many forfeited their goods. Frequent complaints have been made to the government concerning goods brought in without paying duty, but it is said, that after investigation, officials reported that, owing to the geographical situation and other exceptional reasons it was not possible, or advisable, to strictly enforce the law, and shopping back and forth continued until the action of the officials last night. The affair is the talk of the town and many reasons are given for purchasing in Houlton, and those concerned in prompting official action are bitterly denounced. It is reported that the "specials" will remain.

DIGBY HONORS BOYS LEAVING FOR THE SUMMER TRAINING

Digby, June 1—The Digby detachment of the 219th, under command of Captain M. C. Denton and Lieutenant Asher, paraded to the court house this morning, accompanied by the Amateur Concert Band. After the National Anthem by the band, and a few remarks by Mayor Hayden, appropriate and interesting addresses were delivered by Clarence Jamieson, M. P.; Rev. C. W. Robbing, Rev. Wm. Driffield; Rev. Robert McArthur and Captain M. C. Denton.

The school children were also present, singing We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall. At the railway restaurant, Mr. Vye furnished the boys with luncheon. They were also presented with delicacies by the ladies' recruiting committee and local Red Cross Society. The band furnished a programme of music at the station while waiting for the special train. The town was decked in bunting, flags were flying from every available staff and an immense crowds were at the court house and railway station to witness the official farewell. On the special when it arrived were detachments of the 219th from the South Shore, Yarmouth and Weymouth. The boys were loudly cheered as the train left the station.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Transfers of real estate have been recorded as follows:

St. John County.

B. R. Armstrong et al to George Appt, property in Portland Place.

Alexander Cruikshank to H. S. Cruikshank, property in Lancaster.

S. H. Ewing et al to G. B. Hegan, property in Simonds.

Edward Hogan to J. A. Davidson, property in Paddock street.

J. H. Magee et al to Bertha E., wife of H. S. Dryden, property in Simonds.

Ann C. Symonds et al to J. E. Sweeney, property in High street.

Walter Vair to J. E. W. Willis et al, property at Grand Bay.

E. L. Woodworth to Mary, wife of John McCormack, property in King street, West St. John.

Kings County.

P. A. Chapman to J. H. McFadzen, property in Studholm.

C. A. Frost to J. S. McKay, property in Hampton.

Matilda O. Hall to William Whalen, $800, property in Sussex.

James McMackin to Frances E. McMackin, $100, property in Hammond.

John Porter to Rufus Porter, property in Upham.

A Little Matter of Millions.

(Toronto Globe).

Sir Sam told Allison he would be justified in taking a "small commission" on business for Great Britain and the allied governments. The colonel regarded the million-dollar rake-off as so small an affair in the eyes of his partners and himself that he never even mentioned it to the Minister of Militia.

Mrs. Kate Logan.

Fredericton, N. B., June 4—Mrs. Kate Logan, widow of the late George W. Logan, died this morning at her home in Gibson, aged fifty-six years. Three sons survive. They are Harold, Edward and Hayward.

The average in winter wheat in France is 12,440,578 acres, a decrease of 1,173,754 compared with last year.

Dr. J. Collis Browne's
Chlorodyne
The ORIGINAL and ONLY GENUINE.

Acts like a charm in DIARRHŒA, and is the only Specific in CHOLERA and DYSENTERY.

Checks and arrests FEVER, CROUP, AGUE. The Best Remedy known for COUGHS, COLDS, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS. The only Palliative in NEURALGIA, GOUT, RHEUMATISM.

Containing Medical Testimony accompanies each Bottle.

Sold in Bottles by all Chemists. Price in England 1/1½, 2/9, 4/6

Sole Manufacturers: J. T. DAVENPORT, Ltd., London, S.E.

Wholesale Agents: Lyman Bros. & Co., Limited, Toronto.

CONDENSED NEWS; LOCAL AND GENERAL

Nine marriages and thirteen births, eight girls and five boys were reported to Registrar J. B. Jones last week.

The search for the body of Ernest McLellan has been abandoned. It is now generally felt that, if the lad was drowned in the river, the body must have been carried through the falls.

The candidates for the vacancy in the county council caused by the death of Robert Connely are John A. Howard and George E. Mosher. William Smith is not a candidate.

Sixteen deaths are reported for the week ending June 3 from the following causes: Senility, 4; carcinoma of stomach, 2; and one each from erysipelas, pneumonia, typhoid fever, carcinoma of uterus, softening of brain, broncho pneumonia, tubercular meningitis, pulmonary embolism and nephritis.

Ina Ray was arrested Saturday afternoon by Sergeant O'Neill, of the West Side division, as a result of a telephone message sent to the city by Chief of Police McCollum, of Fredericton. The woman is but twenty-three years of age and, it is alleged, she deserted her two children at Fredericton. At the time of the arrest she was working at a restaurant at Seaside Park.

It is reported that Lieut. R. K. Shives, of Campbellton, who is with the aviation corps in France and recently wounded, narrowly escaped death when he penetrated over the German lines a distance of twelve miles. Finally, however, a shot from an anti-aircraft gun hit him, but he hung pluckily to his controls and brought his machine back to the aerodrome. He is now in a hospital in England recovering from the effects of his wound.

It is reported in the Regina Leader that Mrs. W. W. Andrews represented the W. C. T. U. in a recent deputation of Saskatchewan women before the legislature petitioning for equal franchise which has already been granted in the province of Manitoba. Mrs. Andrews is a former Sackville lady, the wife of Dr. W. W. Andrews, who for many years was dean of the science faculty at Mount Allison and one of the foremost figures in Canadian educational movements.

Rev. T. Hunter Boyd, for many years minister of the Presbyterian congregation in Wawsig and Rolling Dam (N. B.), and latterly connected with Scottish emigration to Canada at the port of Glasgow, has been appointed assistant minister to Rev. John Brown, D. D., Bellahouston, moderator of the assembly of the established Church of Scotland. Bellahouston is in Lanarkshire, Scotland, and is a suburb of Glasgow.

Mrs. (Rev.) J. A. Scrimgeour, recently bereaved of her mother, Mrs. Jessie Brown of St. Martins (N. B.), expects to sail to join her husband and children in New Amsterdam, British Guiana, by the S. S. Chaleur, scheduled to leave Halifax, June 16. Mrs. Scrimgeour has been at the bedside of her mother, a most patient sufferer, for more than a year. Mr. Scrimgeour has been connected with the mission in Trinidad and British Guiana for more than seven years.

It is announced that the federal government has decided to reconstruct the railway depot at Levis (P. Q.), which was destroyed by fire last year. The lack of a depot at this important point has been the cause of great inconvenience to the traveling public during the past few months, who will greet the announcement with pleasure. The plans are being drawn up and the building will be most complete and up-to-date in every respect. The depot will be rushed to completion as soon as the contract is awarded.

A cablegram received by Mrs. Edward Dingle, of Parrsboro (N. S.), announces the death of Mrs. John Stevenson at her home in West Shields, England.

Mrs. Stevenson was the wife of Captain Stevenson, who with his two sons, lost his life in September last when the S. S. Easington foundered in the Bay of Fundy.

Mrs. Stevenson was in Parrsboro at the time awaiting her husband's arrival, when she, with her children, intended to go to Sydney to reside. After all hopes of recovering the bodies had been abandoned, the family returned to England.

The late Mrs. Stevenson made many friends in Parrsboro who learned with sincere regret of her death. She was about forty-five years of age and leaves five children.

Much sympathy is expressed for the family and friends of ex-Councillor John A. Howard, who received word on Wednesday morning that his son, Fred. L., with the machine gun section of the U. N. B. Battalion, has been wounded in the back and admitted to Kitchener's hospital at Brighton, May 27. On Thursday morning another telegram arrived, advising him that another son, Robert, of the same section and battalion, had received a scalp wound and had been admitted to No. 8 General Hospital, Boulogne, May 24. Fred. had been employed with the Cumberland Mills Paper Company, Maine, for a number of years, and came home to join the colors; Robert was a city salesman at the time of enlisting. Mr. Howard had a third son, C. G. Howard, with the 3rd Battalion, first Canadian contingent.

The birthday honor conferred upon Chief Justice Landry naturally revives the rumor regarding supreme court appointments likely to be made soon. Both Chief Justice Landry and Chief Justice McLeod are entitled to resign on full pay, their time being more than up. In connection with the two vacancies which would be caused by their retirement it is known that there are many applicants. Here are some who are said to be after the positions: Hon. J. D. Hazen, Premier Clarke, Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, M. G. Teed, K. C., W. B. Chandler, K. C., of Moncton, R. A. Lawlor, K. C., of Chatham.

Several St. John families had relatives on board the ships that participated in the big North Sea fight and they are waiting anxiously for definite news of the losses. Mrs. John Gillis has one cousin, Lieutenant Niven, on the Black Prince which is reported to have been lost and another cousin is chief paymaster on the battle cruiser Monarch. Mrs. Murray MacLaren also of this city has a brother-in-law, Captain John B. Sparkes, and a nephew, Lieutenant Charles Black-Barnes with the grand fleet. The Monarch was not reported to have been in the engagement but that ship is one in the same fleet which participated in the fight.

Brief Despatches.

Quebec, June 1—Le Soleil today received a letter from Senator Landry, announcing officially his resignation as speaker of the senate. Speaker Landry's resignation was forwarded to Premier Borden on May 22.

Copenhagen, via London, June 1—A Berlin despatch to the Politiken says that the court which considered the preliminary examination of Dr. Karl Liebknecht, the Socialist leader, decided that he should be prosecuted for treason.

Dr. Liebknecht was arrested in Berlin for having participated in a peace demonstration on May day.

Lynn, May 31—A Boston wrecking company began work at King's Beach, Swampscott, today, preparatory to making an effort to haul into deep water the three-masted schooner Lucia Porter, which went aground more than two weeks ago and which is embedded deep in the sand.

The wreckers plan to use pontoons to raise the schooner from the sand. It was said today that the owners of the schooner had refused an offer of $10,000 for the vessel as she lays. The price of landing the schooner at a Boston dock is reported to be $2,000.

New York, June 1—A Constantinople despatch to a news agency published here today, says:

"Fifty-one Turkish soldiers, convicted of mistreating Armenians, deported from the district of Van, have been shot, Talaat Bey, Turkish minister of the interior, said today.

"Government employes found guilty of similar abuses have been deprived of their offices and delivered to the military courts for trial. Commissions of investigations have been sent to all centres of trouble not now held by the Russians to investigate reports of abuses against the Armenians."

New York, June 1.—Dr. Arthur Warren Waite was today sentenced to die in the electric chair during the week of July 10, the penalty for the murder of his father-in-law, John E. Peck. When Dr. Waite was presented to the bar his counsel moved that he be granted a new trial. This was denied by the court and sentence was then imposed.

When Justice Shearn concluded the sentence, Waite delivered a short speech in which he expressed appreciation of the manner in which his trial was conducted and his thanks to the court, the prosecutors and to his own attorney. Dr. Waite said he was very sorry for his crimes and for the trouble and sufferings he had caused others. He declared and hoped by surrendering his body for punishment he would compensate in some small degree for the wrongs he had done.

Waite was placed in the death house of Sing-Sing prison this afternoon.

Assignment.

Mrs. Sarah E. Smith, widow of A. C. Smith, has joined with H. Colby Smith in the assignment for the benefit of the creditors of A. C. Smith & Company. At a meeting of the creditors some of them maintained that they had dealt with the firm on the understanding that Mrs. Smith was a partner. In order that there might be no grounds for dissatisfaction and acting on the advice of her solicitors, Mrs. Smith decided to join in the assignment.

Supreme Court at Newcastle.

Newcastle, June 2—Supreme court adjourned today till next Tuesday. Slow progress is being made with the cases. Yesterday Louis Rosenberg, of Chatham, who sued Catherine Rich, of the same place, for $3,000 damages for slander, was awarded $1. The case of Catherine Rich vs. Peter Grossman took up all yesterday afternoon and is being continued today.

OUR SOLDIERS; HOME AND ABROAD

Captain Donald F. Pidgeon, who left Canada as paymaster with the Divisional Ammunition Column in the second contingent, returned to St. John Friday Since January Capt. Pidgeon has been paymaster with the Royal Canadian Regiment, the permanent unit, an appointment which reflects credit upon his ability in the work of his office. He stepped ashore at Halifax on Thursday, from a steamer which stopped there to land a party of marines, and applied for and received a short furlough to allow him to visit his family here before proceeding to Quebec.

Newcastle Recruiting Matters.

Newcastle, June 3—The Newcastle recruiting committee met last night, W. A. Park presiding; R. Corey, secretary. Among others present were Judge Lawlor, A. A. Davidson, J. W. Davidson, J. D. Creaghan, Wm. E. Fish and R. A. N. Jarvis.

A letter was read from Capt. L. P. D. Tilley stating that the enlistments for following battalions were: 132nd, 1,060; 115th, 1,059; 145th, 649; 165th (Acadian), 641.

That meant about 100 each were yet needed for the 132nd and 115th and 500 each for the other two.

Mr. Park said that Moncton people were engaging automobiles and bands in a determined effort to get more recruits in Westmorland and Albert counties.

J. W. Davidson, the recruiting officer, said he had been up in the Blackville-Renous district, both sides of the river, for about a week and had got but one recruit. Work seemed very plentiful, mills had started up everywhere. The men said they could make more money at home, and many thought that conscription was only a bluff. It was the same all over New Brunswick. Recruiting was very slow everywhere now.

Mr. Park said it certainly looked as if the voluntary system was a failure.

26th Man Returns.

Vaughan I. M. Henshaw of the 26th Battalion, coloquially known as the "Fighting 26th," who was severely wounded last November whilst fighting in France was at the Royal on Saturday. He was accompanied by his mother, who travelled with him from England via Jamaica, Costa Rica and Cuba.

Chipman Boy Killed.

Word was received Friday night by Hugh McRae of Chipman, from Ottawa, advising him that his son, Hubert Wesley McRae had been killed in action. Before going overseas the young hero was employed with his father in farming. He was in the nineteenth year of his age, and leaves besides his parents, a brother, Charles of the 55th Battalion, Walter at home and three sisters, Misses Helen, Ester and Marion.

Lieut.-Colonel Stewart in Hospital.

William Burton Stewart who is well known in this city and who was vice president for Canada for the Norton Griffiths Company is now in the King Edward VII hospital for officers at London, after serving for nearly nine months in the trenches in France. He was lieutenant-colonel of the 7th King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry and has given splendid service to his king and country. He is also a South African veteran