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British Government to Discuss Irish Affairs

London, Feb. 12-The Government agreed today to set aside a day for discussion in the House of Commons of the Irish administration, as requested by the Nationalists.
John Redmond, the Nationalist leader, asked the Government last week to arrange for an early discussion of a motion to the effect that it was essential, without further delay, to confer on Ireland the free institutions long promised her.

Times Raises Price

London, Feb. 12-The London Times announce this morning that as a consequence of the increasing restrictions on news print paper it has raised its price to four cents a copy. It says the recent increase to 3 cents did not affect its circulation and with a view to this end will again raise its price if necessary, even to fourteen cents which the paper sold at prior to 1836. It is the intention of the Times to encourage a house to house loan circulation.

BABY'S OWN TABLETS OF GREAT HELP

Mr. Wm. Artlett, Ancaster, Ont., writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for three years for my little girl and baby boy. I have found them of the greatest help during the teething period and always kept them in the house." The Tablets aid teething babies because they regulate the stomach and bowels, thus preventing constipation, diarrhoea and convulsions. They promote healthful sleep and keep baby well and happy. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Reported German Base

New York, Feb. 12-A German naval base is now in operation on an island at the mouth of the Amazon and supplies German raiders. It has a big wireless plant, operated by Japanese, and is a coaling station for the commerce destroyers.

Reports of Committees Town of Kentville 1916

PAUPERS AND INSANE

To the Mayor and Town Council:
Gentlemen:-The Committee on Poor and Insane beg leave to report as follows:
Maintenance and supplies for the local poor \$201.66 has been expended during the year ending December 31st, 1916.
Amount paid Nova Scotia Hospital for Insane... \$19.05
Less contributed by relatives... 820.71
Making a total expenditure for the year \$674.61.
Respectfully submitted
S. P. DEWOLFE, Chairman.

FIRE SERVICE

To the Mayor and Town Council:
Gentlemen:-Your Committee on Fire Department beg leave to submit the following as their report for the year ending December 31st, 1916:
Donation from Town... \$100.00
Sundry... 104.40
Your Committee wish to report that the fire apparatus is in good condition. The fire alarm system has proved a great success in every way.
Respectfully submitted
S. P. DEWOLFE, Chairman.

PRINCIPAL SWANSON'S REPORT

The Chairman of the School Board:
Sir:-I beg to submit the following report of the Kentville Public Schools for the year 1916. The total enrolment was four hundred and fifty-nine. The enrolment by departments follows:
Teacher Department Enrolment
Miss Hardy Kindergarten 57
" Chute Grade I 36
" Wylde " II 58
" Lewis " III 52
" Downey " IV 47
" Illsley " V 36
" Kent " VI 34
" Neary " VII 40
" Frank " VIII 27
" MacGregor Academic 72
Mr. Swanson Domestic Science
Miss Holder Manual Training
Mr. Wood
It is a pleasure to state that the Common School teachers are performing their duties with their usual efficiency and energy. In the Academy Department, the results of the recent Provincial examinations were highly satisfactory.
It is an additional pleasure to state that the interest and courtesy, uniformly shown by the members of the School Board, have been greatly appreciated by the teaching staff.
Respectfully submitted
P. SWANSON, Principal of Schools.

REPORT OF BAND COMMITTEE

To the Mayor and Town Council:
Gentlemen:-The Band Committee beg leave to submit the following report for the year ending December 31st, 1916.
Bandmaster, Rental, etc... \$156.00
The Town Citizen's Band has lost many of its most valuable members through enlistment, nearly thirty of the boys responding to the Empire's call for volunteers. Several have been wounded, and one Enoch James, has made the supreme sacrifice and was honored in the field with the D. S. O. medal.
Respectfully submitted
F. B. NEWCOMBE, Chairman.

A PROBLEM FOR THE AUTHORITIES

London, Feb. 4-The Canadian Associated Press has been supplied from the authoritative source with figures of the number of relatives of Canadian soldiers who are living in England while the fighters are in training or serving at the front. According to this tabulation, the total number of dependents thus listed as living in England is 19,606. This figure, of course, included many persons who had never been in Canada or had lived in the Dominion but a very short time, and whose soldier relatives are Old Countrymen. Nevertheless, it is being pointed to us in a certain measure a justification of efforts which are expected to be made to get the women and children back to Canada before the wholesale removal of troops has to be begun when the war is over.
The tabulation supplied the Canadian Associated Press shows there are 945 wives of Canadian officers, 148 adult next of kin, and 676 officers children in the Old Country, while of other ranks there are said to be: Wives, 5,176; children, 7,474; other next to kin 5,187.

PAPERS REDUCED IN SIZE IN FRANCE; U. S. POSTAGE RATE UP

Paris, Feb. 9-The cabinet today decided on the reduction in the number of pages of the daily newspapers. The change will be made to curtail the consumption of coal and the purchase abroad of print paper and the raw material required for its manufacture.
Washington, Feb. 9-An increase from one to one and a half cents a pound in the postage rates on newspapers and periodicals for this year, and to two cents a pound next year, is provided in the post office appropriation bill ordered reported to the senate today by the post office committee.

LITTLE WORRIES IN THE HOME

Almost every woman at the head of a home meets daily many worries in her household affairs. The care of her little ones, the work about the house all contribute to these worries. Most of them may be too small to notice an hour afterwards, but they constitute a constant strain that affects the blood and the nerves and make women look prematurely old. The effect of these little worries may be noticed in sick or nervous headaches, fickle appetite, tiredness after slight exertion, and the coming of wrinkles which every woman dreads. To those thus afflicted Dr. Williams' Pink Pills offer a speedy cure; a restoration of color to the cheeks, brightness to the eye, a hearty appetite and a sense of freedom from weariness. Among the many thousands of Canadian women who have found new health and strength through these pills is Mrs. G. Strasser, Acton, West, Ont., who says: "I am the mother of three children and after each birth I became terribly run down. I had weak, thin, blood, always felt tired, and unable to do my household work. After the birth of my third child I seemed to be worse, and was very badly run down. I found the greatest benefit from the Pills and soon gained my old time strength. Indeed after taking them I felt as well as in my girlhood, and could take pleasure in my work. I also used Baby's Own Tablets for my little ones and have found them a splendid medicine for childhood ailments."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all dealers in medicine, or you can procure them by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.
"Germanov has declared war."-New York World.

A 30-cent bottle of

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given in half-teaspoon doses four times a day, mixed in its bottle, will last a year-old baby nearly a month, and four bottles over three months, and will make the baby strong and well and will lay the foundation for a healthy, robust boy or girl.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS
Send Mr. name of paper and this ad. for our beautiful Savings Bank and Child's Sketch Book. Each book contains a Good Luck Penny.
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A London despatch of Feb. 10 states that the 85th Battalion has left to go into action on the western front. Col. Borden is in command and Lieut. Col. Phin second in command. Col. Hayes, medical officer, accompanied the battalion. They were given a rousing send-off.

No Boston Boat Tomorrow

The Prince George will not leave Boston today on her regular run. It may be that the labor trouble referred to in a Boston despatch today is the cause but we are without information.

Vancouver World:-The bloody tragedy of this war nears its last act. The German beast avid for blood and slaughter, has disclosed himself and the neutral world knows him for the horror that he is. He stands prepared for a final outburst of frightful atrocity that will rank in history in years to come, beside those of the Duke of Alva and Ghengis Khan.

A new curfew whistle has been installed in Granite City, Mo., because of the peculiar screeching tone of the old whistle farmers complaining that it frightened their cows, and, as a result, the cows refused to give milk. Now the curfew has a mellow tone, similar to the voice of a cow.

Valley Garage

(formerly MacDonald's Garage) wishes to announce that it has opened a FIRST CLASS AUTO REPAIR SHOP AND SALES-ROOM in the UNION CARRIAGE BUILDING on Cornwallis St., near Railway Station and will have MR. TROHN, formerly Chevrolet Expert Mechanic take charge of our repair work personally. Mr. Trohn has had 15 years experience in Automobile Construction and Repairing of all makes of foreign and American cars and he will give the public here service to the best of his ability.
We will be able to take cars for OVERHAULING AND REPAIRING about February 1st, and work done and cars PAINTED right on the premises. We will take care of your cars until Spring Free of Charge or will take and deliver your car to your door when ready for same.
Send your cars in early so that you can have them when needed. Don't delay but get our estimates right away on all work no matter how small or large.
Work done and deliveries made in any part of Nova Scotia. All Work Will be Guaranteed.

VALLEY GARAGE KENTVILLE, NOVA SCOTIA. R. S. MacDonald, P. R. Trohn

"First American vessel sunk by Germany will be a virtual declaration of war. There is no other answer to the German note."-Syracuse Post Standard.
"We have come to the turn at last and have reached the crisis so often threatened and so long deferred."-Philadelphia Inquirer.