

The Beacon
A Weekly Newspaper, Established 1863.
Published every Thursday by
BEACON PRESS COMPANY
WALLACE BROAD, Manager.

ST. ANDREWS, N. B., CANADA.
Thursday, 15th April, 1915.

PROGRESS OF THE WAR

[April 6 to April 12]

During the week some of the fiercest fighting of the war has taken place, but the progress has been more than usually rapid, and only meagre and fragmentary information has been given out.

In the western theatre the greatest activity reported has been displayed on the Yser in the neighborhood of Dixmude and Neuport, and between the Meuse and the Moselle, near St. Mihiel.

As in the previous week, the chief interest has centred in the struggle in and about the Carpathians. The Russians now hold the Dulais and Lupkow passes, and are moving large forces southward into Hungary.

The German submarine "blockade" of British ports has continued, and a few British merchantmen have been sunk or disabled, but fortunately with small loss of life.

Fragmentary accounts have been received of the operations of the Union troops in South Africa, the southern terminal point on the railway from Agrya-Fregena, has been captured from the Germans, but the details have been withheld.

THE PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE

The Legislature resumed the business of the session after the Easter recess on Wednesday last week. Much of the time since has been taken up with a discussion of the estimates, and of the various bills presented.

PARLIAMENT AT OTTAWA

The House has not yet finished the discussion of the estimates, but the end is in sight. A bill to enable the Canadians at the front to vote, should an election take place while the present war is in progress, has provoked a display of considerable party animosity.

THE WEEK'S ANNIVERSARIES

- Apr. 15—Titanic disaster, 1912.—1513 lives lost; Shakespeare born, 1564.
16—Culloden, 1746; France declared war against Mexico, 1862.
17—Franklin died, 1790; Ferdinand Magellan's navigator, died, 1591.
18—Chirral, 1895; San Francisco earthquake, 1906.
19—Byron died, 1824; Beaconsfield died, 1881.
20—Spanish fleet destroyed by Blake, 1857; Abernethy died, 1835.
21—Lady Burdett-Coutts born, 1814.

SUDDEN DEATH OF G. N. BABBITT

Fredericton, April 11.—George N. Babbitt, I. S. O., deputy receiver-general of New Brunswick, died suddenly at his office in the departmental building at about 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Acute indigestion is assigned as the cause of death. The deceased was at his usual work and complained of illness. He was ill only ten minutes. Dr. C. P. Holden and Dr. S. F. A. Wainwright were hurriedly summoned, but he was beyond medical aid.

The late Mr. Babbitt was a native of Fredericton and had resided here all his life. He was a son of the late Samuel Babbitt, who was for many years connected with the old Central Bank, and afterwards was cashier of the People's Bank of New Brunswick. The deceased entered the employ of the provincial government in 1890 and was continuously in office up to the time of his death. He had been deputy receiver-general for more than thirty years.

TOTAL CASUALTIES OF BRITISH AT NEUVE CHAPELLE 7,124

London, April 12.—Six hundred and eighty-three names, including twenty-three who were killed, were added today to the previous casualty lists of the losses in the fighting at Neuve Chapelle last month.

RESULTS OF SUBMARINE WARFARE TO DATE

New York, April 7.—Sir Courtenay Bennett, British Consul-General here, made public today a tabulation showing losses and arrivals of steamers of all nationalities at United Kingdom ports, the number of vessels torpedoed, and the lives lost.

BRITISH OFFICERS KILLED SINCE THE WAR BEGAN

London, March 24.—An officers' casualty list for the fortnight ended March 22 shows that the British army since the beginning of the war has had 1,844 officers killed and 3,801 wounded, while 732 have been reported missing. This is a total of 5,877.

HEAVY TOLL OF EUROPEAN WAR

Rome, April 8.—The nations at war have lost 2,950,000 men in the first eight months of the conflict, and spent \$2,400,000,000 in the first six months, according to figures prepared for the Avanti, a Socialist organ, by its military expert. The article declares the only result of the forces engaged and not a military victory. It is calculated that nine or ten months more will exhaust the reserves of men, and that the country which will suffer least from this exhaustion will be Russia.

GERMAN RAIDER IN PORT

Newport News, Va., April 11.—The North German Lloyd liner Kronprinz Wilhelm, outfitted as a German auxiliary cruiser, arrived here today with 61 prisoners, the crews of the last two British steamers sunk by her. The Kronprinz Wilhelm, slipped out of New York August 3 last, and since that time has sunk twelve British, two French and one Norwegian vessels in her commerce destroying cruise in the North and South Atlantic oceans. It is not known whether she will repair and sail again, or intern here for the war.

Up-River Doings

St. Stephen, April 12.—The entertainment given by the soldiers of the 56th Battalion training here, by the congregation of Christ Church last Wednesday evening in the schoolroom, was a most pleasant success. The soldiers are tired at 8 o'clock, and marched into the room while Mrs. George W. Daniel played a patriotic march on the piano. After all the stentorian music, Ven. Archdeacon Newman the rector, gave an address of welcome, and an interesting talk on "Patriotism."

Small Deposits Welcome

If you wish to start a Savings Bank account, you have only a small sum to begin with; you will be welcome to deposit as little as 50 cents. Some of our large accounts began as deposits of \$1.

The Bank of Nova Scotia

Capital \$1,000,000
Reserves \$1,000,000
Total Resources over \$2,000,000

Branches in CHARLOTTE COUNTY
St. George, St. Stephen, St. John, St. John's, Grand Manan

AGRICULTURAL BULLETINS.

So great has been the demand for Bulletins, Pamphlets, Records and Reports upon the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture and Production Movement, that it has been found impossible to comply with all the applications as promptly as could be desired. Of some of the Bulletins the supply has been exhausted, and no time has been afforded for reprinting, while of others the quantity asked for individually has been such that instant compliance would mean many applicants might have to go without. This has meant extra cost in postage and consequent delay. The situation is, of course, satisfactory as in indicating the success of the campaign, and the widespread interest created, but the inability to respond on the instant is greatly regretted. At the same time it is impossible that the size of the demand could have been foreseen. As far as possible the requests will be attended to, but in the meantime there will have to be reprinting and in cases revising. In such circumstances patience appears to be a desirable and necessary quality.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO RED CROSS SOCIETY FROM CHARLOTTE COUNTY

The New Brunswick Provincial Branch of the Red Cross Society acknowledges with thanks the receipt of the following boxes and parcels:
Women's Institute, Fairhaven, Deer Island—1 box.
Wahpool, Campbell—1 box.
Hilltown—2 boxes.
Lord's Cove—6 boxes.
St. Stephen—2 boxes.
St. Andrew's—1 box.
Oak Bay—3 parcels.

BACK BAY

Mr. Simon Brown of Wilsons Beach spent a few days in the village last week. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Theriault are being congratulated on the arrival of a son. Miss Mary McLee and brother Archie are spending a few days in St. John. Mr. and Mrs. George T. Baskin, to Mr. Harold J. Stannard of Woodland, Maine, but formerly of Boston.

CAMPOBELLO

The annual Easter ball was held in Merriman's Hall on Monday evening and was largely attended. Mr. Archie Calder, who has been severely ill, is much better. Public schools resumed their work on Wednesday after their Easter vacation.

ELMSVILLE

Our teacher, Miss Merrill, spent her Easter vacation at her home. DeWolfe, Miss Nellie Spies and Private Chas. Steen, St. Stephen, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. S. Spies. Hugh L. Monahan visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lunn, last week at Milltown.

LEONARDVILLE

Misses Eliza Richardson and Kathleen Mitchell spent Sunday at Wilson's Beach. The meeting conducted by Evangelist Lowe C. McPherson are being largely attended, much interest is being taken. Twenty-seven received fellowship Sunday morning. Misses Eliza Doughty and Lavina Johnson visited Mrs. Jane Johnson on Sunday last. Mrs. Carrie Wentworth was the guest of Mrs. Geo. Doughty on Sunday last.

PRESENTATION TO DR. G. F. MATTHEW

A presentation by the customs staff of St. John to Dr. George F. Matthew to mark his recent retirement from the sur-eyorship of the port took place Wednesday, April 7, in the collector's office. Almost all the staff, seventy in number, were present. The presentation was made by the collector, A. T. Dunn, who remarked upon the long and useful service of Dr. Matthew. Dr. Matthew responded in a speech in which he recalled the internal arrangements of the old customs office at St. John when he first joined the staff 62 years ago. He remarked that a five per cent tariff was then collected on the I. C. R. through the port authorities.

BORN

CHURCH.—On Campobello April 10, to the wife of Clarence Chute, a daughter. April 9th, at Digby, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McAleenan, a daughter.

How to Care for Your Complexion

There is no truer saying than that "beauty is only skin deep." Good features lose their charm under a tallow or greasy skin and poor features are spoiled by a beautiful complexion. A very useful toilet booklet entitled "Your Complexion" has just been issued by Nylal's and contains many beautiful health and beauty hints, including proper methods of massage. It can be had for the asking at the Nylal Agency Store and you should call or telephone for it. Among other things it tells you how to clean, refresh and beautify your complexion. It is free, and a thousand other things we cannot describe are contained in this booklet. All Nylal preparations are justly famous and none more so than Nylal's Face Cream and Face Powder. They are clean, pure and refreshing and give a pleasant, smooth, cool sensation, quickly removing the irritation produced by dirt and weather.

Tenders for Coal

Tenders will be received up to Tuesday, April 20, for 50 Tons of Anthracite Egg Coal, to be delivered in Coal Cellar of the Prince Arthur School. Coal to be delivered on or before September 1, 1915. Address Tenders to D. C. ROLLINS, Sec. School Trustees. 36-2w

COAL

We offer 500 Tons American Anthracite Coal for early delivery at lowest spring prices. Egg and Steve Sizes at

\$7.15 Spot Cash
\$7.40 Booked.

Chester at an advance of 25c per ton.

Quoddy Coal Co., Ltd. ST. ANDREWS, N. B.

At the ANDRAELEO

The King Street Theatre
WEEK STARTING APRIL 19
Monday & Tuesday
Mary Pickford
AS
Cinderella
Matinee on Tuesday at 4 p.m.
Children under 12 years 5c.

Other good features every night for balance of week.

"Hearst-Selig News Pictorial"

Special Nights 15c. Others 10c. H. W. CHASE, Prop.

SPRING 1915

Our New Samples of Broadway Clothes are Now Ready. Prices no higher than before the war.

Broadway Made-to-Measure are the equal of any Clothes in the Land, and the Prices will Suit You. Also a Good Stock of Ready-to-Wear Clothes on hand.

Call and See Our New Hats, Caps and Ties

R. A. Stuart & Son STUART CORNER

The only exclusive Men's Store in St. Andrews.

EVERYTHING FOR A MAN TO WEAR

At the Store of P. G. HANSON Men's Outfitters

We carry only the Best in Men's Boots and Shoes.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's TAILORING by Expert Workmen SATISFACTION or Your Money Back Underwear, Shirts and Collars, Neckwear, Clothing.

SAINT ANDREWS, NEW BRUNSWICK



How to Paint for Less Money

We'll tell you how in three words—use less gallons. That's the thing to go by in Paint—not the price per gallon, but the number of gallons required plus the length of time it will wear and look well. "100% Pure" Paint coats about half as much, counting the surface it covers, and wears two or three times as long as ordinary paint. You pay by the gallon—both for the paint and for putting it on. The Paint that is cheapest for you is the paint that spreads easiest and covers the most surface.

MARTIN-SENOUR "100% PURE" PAINT

"MADE IN CANADA"

has a covering capacity of 900 square feet of surface per gallon one coat, as against 500 square feet covered by hand-mixed Lead and Oil—or 600 square feet covered by low priced prepared paint. And as further proof—if you will send us the dimensions of your house, we will tell you the number of gallons of "100% Pure" Paint required to cover it thoroughly. No charge for this service.

Ask for a copy of our interesting book "Town and Country Homes". It is free for our friends.

M. E. McFARLANE, St. Andrews, N.B.

When Peace Comes Will You Be Ready?

Wise men tell us that times will be brisker and opportunities greater than ever before. Now is the time for preparation. Send for our Catalogue.

S. Kerr, Principal

Administration Notice

ESTATE, ROBERT SIMON JOHNSTON, late of Elmville, Intestate, deceased. All persons indebted to the above estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned Administrator; and all persons having any just claims against said estate are notified to submit the same to me within three months from this date, duly certified by affidavit as by law required.

GEORGE W. JOHNSTON, Administrator. St. Andrew's, N. B., Feb. 24, 1915. 31-3m

To-day is a day of Specialists. Consult the Specialists.

OUR FURNITURE HOSPITAL

No matter how small or how large a job our Hospital is able to give it careful and thorough practical attention. Our Patients are Permanently Cured. Both in our Furniture and Upholstery Repair Depts., you can get service as can only be compared with London, Paris and New York. We can carry out any idea in Renovation or Manufacture.

You will be House-Cleaning soon. Now is the time to get that piece of furniture fixed up, that broken leg or back repaired. Get that pretty picture framed.

Anything, everything, in house-furnishings, repairs and renovations.

Phone 33-31

F. W. & S. MASON SAINT ANDREWS, NEW BRUNSWICK.

Do you Use a Flashlight?

Of Course You Do. Why not call in and see my assortment? The BEERS LANTERN should be used by everyone. Uses an ordinary dry cell, burns 100 hours on 25c. worth of current. Price, \$25.00 complete.

I have just received a fresh lot of Columbia Flashlight Batteries in Blue Label and Marsa Brands. These are the best batteries made and are sure to satisfy you. When your flashlight needs repairs or refills bring it here and have it done right.

A. A. SHIRLEY

Local and

TO SUB...

The Mailing St... have been correcte... Trustees

The date on the... paper is that for... which the subscr... date on the slip do... the receipt for... when payment wa... as it once by Post... in arrears will ple... due. Subscriptio... and if not extra charge of 25c...

The Girls' Bran... Saints Church held... afternoon, at Strin... fit of the Belgia... raised. The decora... decorated with B... niums. Mrs. Elli... the tea, was assi... Glimmer, Major... Holt. The prizes... Annie O'Neill, L... Lamb, Phyllis Co... son had charge of... Ira Stinson has k... his restaurant for...

At the meeting... residence of Mrs... day, Miss Helen... interesting paper... Kingdom."

The ladies of M... meet with Mrs. B... Sir Thomas an... and Miss Marqu... leaving to-morrow... they will remain f... Herald, April 7.

Mrs. F. W. &... added to their e... Mattress Stuffer',... seventy-five mat... a handsome delive...

Mr. Jos. White... cent, the yacht... the organ in All S... The Easter mus... Methodist Church...

The Canadian... Steamship "Aca... anchored outside... the harbor early o... had on board Adm... fax. Later they w... spect the yacht... cely owned by the... Ltd., and which... bought by the gov... around Grand Ma... Lieutenant A. M... Thompson, who a... of the County fo... returned from the... at Kennedy.

The following... Battalion, St. Jo... recently: Privates... Kingsthorp, Blair... Wm. Gaynor an... Private Wm. Gay... the house with a... The death of S... ported to have be... been confirmed. H... ceived by Miss... Sergeant Cowley... of the deceased, o... the same Compas... who comes from... ceased, first m... became intimately... into the trenches... 21 to relieve Tho... Cowley was shot... given in his letter... between both, a... other, the surviv... other's relatives... fulfillment of Miss... wrote to Miss A...

You are thirty... if you're a typ... case. You can't... old way—with a... business in the n... A. Miln...

The Quoddy C... ly received a car... Anthracite Coal... they are offerin... cash. This coal... and is being con... those who have... it. Any person... ply of good coal... would do well to... ply runs out, as... For prices see... nears elsewhere...

Patrons of the... another wear... next in the fat... new and moder... delightful blan... and provide... treat for peopl... matinee on Tu...

The annual o... of Trade will... on Thursday... o'clock, when... requested to b...

RECENT G... St. John's... Geo. Disbater... A. Kelly, S... in, H. P. Cro... Stewart, Leu... G. Thomason... MacLaughlin... W. B. Reard... Craven, F. W... J. Blizard... Woodstock... Moncton—... Halifax—... Toronto—C... Dear Island... Minar's L...