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ST. ANDREWS, N. B., CANADA.
Thursday, 4th March, 1915.

PROGRESS OF THE WAR

Today begins the eighth month of the war. The past week has been one of the most eventful since the war began, and is likely to prove a turning-point in its course.

In the week under review in the western field of the conflict the Germans have made several desperate attempts at a number of points to advance their front, but they have everywhere been held in check.

The Russian Poland fighting of the fiercest description has taken place to the north of Warsaw. The Russians, strongly reinforced, have stopped the German advance and have resumed the offensive.

Only the briefest information has been given of military operations in Trans-Caucasia, but it is said that the Russians are making a forward movement there.

The Turkish invasion of Egypt now seems to have been definitely abandoned, for it is said that the Turkish troops have completely evacuated the Sinai Peninsula, abandoning guns and heavy munitions in their precipitate retreat.

Serbia is said again to have invaded Hungarian territory, but little news concerning the movement has been given out. The outstanding feature of the week's fighting has been the destruction of the forts on both sides of the Mediterranean entrance to the Dardanelles by the allied Anglo-French fleet.

The result of two weeks of the "blockade" of British and French ports by German submarines and mines has been the loss of nine small vessels, five of which were British.

Canada Parliament
The discussion of the budget at Ottawa has not yet been finished, though it is expected to end this week.

A THOUSAND STRONG
A thousand strong,
With laugh and song,
To charge the guns of line a trench,
We marched away
One August day,
And fought beside the gallant French.

MEETING OF CANADIAN MINING INSTITUTE
The Annual Meeting of the Canadian Mining Institute is being held in Toronto this week.

PROVINCIAL SEED FAIR
A Seed Fair, under the auspices of the Farmers' and Dairywomen's Association of New Brunswick, is to be held in the Market Hall, Fredericton, beginning on Tuesday, March 9, and ending on Friday, March 12.

TO PROTECT CLAIMS
As a result of representations made to the provincial government by the residents along the Bay of Fundy, in Charlotte and St. John counties, that the claim beds were being depleted by people from the United States, an order-in-council has been passed prohibiting the digging of claims on the foreshores.

BRITISH LOSSES BY SUBMARINES
London, Feb. 26.—The British Admiralty last night gave out the following list of British vessels which have been sunk by German submarines since the outbreak of the war.

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By GEORGE H. CLARK, Seed Commissioner, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

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Local and General
The Legislative Assembly
Brunswick opens its
Thursday next, March 11.
The Story of a Day's Work of failures and annoyances got the right machine, or writing—A Smith Freeman ton.

On Wednesday and March 10 and 11, the Act show the moving picture Battalion recently taken. This, it is said, shows the spirited bayonet charge of the City; and also the 1100 men on March from King Square, when each view of the camera for a few feet sure that every news and nearby places see these pictures, to "boys" who are by no means an unimportant body in of New Brunswick's craft. For the convenience of and others, there will be Wednesday afternoon, o'clock. There will be pictures as while these pictures are

Among the guests at the following—St. John S. Addy, Geo. R. Simpson, W. T. J. Has, Johnson, W. J. G. B. M. Beckett, H. Videto, H. Alexander, H. Tunton, R. Clark, Bullen, J. W. Hages, R. C. Balfour, G. Gaskell, St. Stephen, F. Whiteley, Halifax.

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A. A. SHIRLEY

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