

, was sold. The receipts amounted upwards of \$52. The young people who assisted in mak-the entertainment the fine success it s were Misses Edna Steeves, Fanny ngley, Sara Smith, Hilda Russell, Al-Robinson, Mabel Steeves, Nina eves, Nellie Newcomb, Mabel Tingley, borah Mitton, Frances Rogers, Minnie wcomb, Ella Rogers, Mary Archibald, ry Russell, Celia Peck, Joanna West, i Everett Newcomb. lary Russell, Celia Peck, Joanna West, nd Everett Newcomb, Grey Russell, rank Steeves, Henry Tingley, Joe Smith, C. West, Jas. Wright, W. J. McGor-nan, Donald Rogers, Ora Mitton, Bessie Vright, Orpha Russell and Robert McW, J. BRYAN NO LONGER

SECRETARY OF STATE

Could Not Sign Note, He Writes,

and Be True to Cause Nearest His Heart, That of Prevention

Washington, June 8-William Jennings Bryan, three times Demo-

cratic candidate for the presidency of the United States and author

of nearly thirty peace treaties with the principal nations of the world,

resigned today as secretary of

state as a dramatic sequel to his

disagreement with President Wil-Non over the government's policy

The resignation was accepted by the president. The cabinet then

approved the response which had been prepared to the German re-

ily to the Lusitania note. Acting Secretary Robert Lansing will sign

the document, and tomorrow it

Secretary Bryan will return to

learned that he intends to continue

his political support of the presi-

which he believed might possibly

draw the United States into war,

Mr. Bryan submitted his resignation in a letter declaring that "the issue involved is of such moment

that to remain a member of the

cabinet would be as unfair to you

as it would be to the cause which

is nearest my heart, namely, the

The president accepted the resignation, in a letter of regret, tinged with deep personal feeling of affection. The let-ters constituting the official announce-ment of Mr. Bryan's departure from the cabinet to private life were made public at the White House at 6 o'clock tonight.

Secretary Bryan's Letter.

President Wilson's Reply.

My dear Mr. Bryan:

ours,

Sensation at Washington.

The resignation of Mr. Bryan caused a sation in the national capital scarce-paralleled in recent years. Ambassa-ors, ministers and diplomatists from oreign lands, officials of every rank and the scarce of the scarce of the scarce of the scarce of the scarce transmission of the scarce of

any eventuality that might arise.

rincipal of the school.

RECEIVED \$50.

prevention of war."

They follow:

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toward Germany.

of War.

NORTH SHORE MINISTERS IN ANNUAL SESSION

Newcastle, June 5—The Chatham North Shore) Methodist district held its nnual meeting at Derby June 3. The ninisterial session met in the morning nd the general session in the afternoon. nd the general session in the afternoon, he ministers present were Revs. F. A. Vightman, Bathurst, who presided; O. I. Peters, Gaspe (P. Q.); C. W. Squires, ampbellton; Wm. Harrison, D. D., Newcastle; R. G. Fulton, Chatham; J. A. Ives, Derby; A. D. McLeod, Har-ourt; and Arthur Whiteside, Richiucto. Messrs. Godfrey, of Chatham, nd Elliott, of Escuminac (P. Q.), were, fter careful examination, recommende o the conference for admission as stud s for the ministry.

At the general meeting the abov named clergymen and several lay dele ates were present. The following laymen were elected i ttend conference: Campbellton-W. A. Trueman. The Bathurst—A. J. Eddy. Newcastle—H. D. Atkinson, Derby

Derby-W. Tweedie, Williamstown. Chatham-W. B. Snowball and R. Mc.

Tabusintac-J. Robertson. Harcourte-L. J. Wathen. Richibucto-Robert W. Beers. Buctouche-Mr. Coates, Goates' Mills. The following were elected to the ference committees: Stationing—Rev. W. Harrison; altern-ite, Rev. C. W. Squires. Class leaders, etc.—Rev. A. Whiteside;

Robertson. Epworth League and oung People's Societies—Rev. C. W. Squires; L. J.

Nathen Contingent fund-Rev. W. A. Lawson

Buctouche); W. Tweedie. Sustentation fund-Rev. Dr. Harrison; . J. Eddy.

Social service and evangelism-Rev. V. A. Lawson; W. A. Trueman. Memorials and miscellaneous resolu-ions-Rev. O. H. Peters; H. D. Atkin

Sabbath observance-Rev. A. D. Mc-Leod; Mr. Coates. Church property-Rev. J. A. Ives; R.

5. Coates State of the work-Rev. A. Whiteide; W. Tweedie.

inating-Rev. F. A. Wightman; A. J. Eddy. Educational-Rev. C. W. Squires; R.

V. Beers. Systematic Beneficence-Rev. R. G.

ulton; W. A. Trueman. Children's fund-Rev. J. A. Ives; H.

Children's fund-Rev. J. A. Ives; H. D. Atkinson. Sunday schools-R. W. Beers. District missionary committee-Rev. Dr. Harrison, F. A. Wightman and C. W. Squires, and Messrs. W. B. Snow-ball and R. McLoon. A very successful year was reported

A very successful year was reported along all lines of work, despite the war conditions. The total membership of the district microased during the year from 1,257 to 1,292. There was raised for missions, \$982; by the W. M. S., \$840; by ladies' aid, \$921; for connexal fund, \$2.63 (building, etc.), \$14,317; for all purpose in the district (including salaries), \$23,



WHAT BURSTING SHELLS LOOK LIKE

private ife tomorrow, when his resignation takes effect. It was

Appeal of St. John

tralia. Sergeant Edgar McKnight, of Canada, who was wounded at Langemarck, is on the road to recovery, according to a let-ter to his mother. Private Stanley Lawther, who left Amherst with the first contingent, has been wounded in action with the Prin-cess Pats. Captain Stanley L. Jones, also a native of Amherst, has been wounded for the second time. The casu-aity list states that this time he was struck in the thigh with a shrapnel shell. Of His Own Men

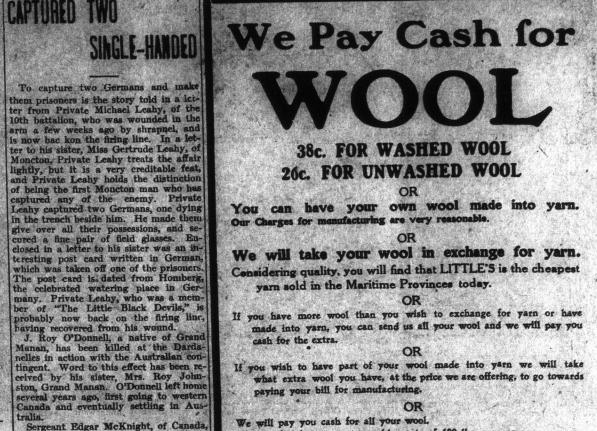
THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, JUNE 12, 1915

CAPTURED TWO

To capture two Germans

SINGLE-HANDED

London, June 9—Premier Asquith announced in the house of primons today that the total of British casualities from the begin of the war to May 31 was 258,069 men killed, wounded and missing, officers men, the list shows the following: Divided into categories of killed, wounded and missing, officers men, the list shows the following: Killed—Officers, 3,327; other ranks 47.01 ning of the war to May 31 was 258,069 men killed, wounded and miss-Divided into categories of killed, wounded and missing, officers it men, the list shows the following: Killed—Officers, 3,327; other ranks, 47,015; total, 50,342. Wounded—Officers, 6,498; other ranks, 147,482; total, 153,980.



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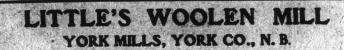
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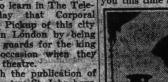


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## TREATMENT OF WOUNDED SOLDIERS RETURNING TO CANADA.

The provisions being made for the reatment of wounded soldiers returning o Canada are outlined in a circular re-cived by C. B. Allan, of the Canadian strictic fund atriotic fund

The soldiers will remain on the The soldiers will remain on the ser-vice rolls and will be maintained and paid by the government until a pension is granted, compensation awarded, or they are fit to return to their civil duties. It is the intention of the department to establish a temporary distributing hos-pital discharge depot at Quebec, while other accommodation will be provided by the commanding officers in each divi-sional district. While in the hospital or convalescent homes the men will be regarded as on active service, and their families will be entitled to separation allowance and patriotic fund allowance. For those who are going forward from Quebec to points nearer their homes, certificates will be issued regarding their condition, for the guidance of the patri-otic fund officials at their destination. In the case of soldiers' widows, so soon as their claim is proved, the de-partment will issue the first month's pension with a bonus amounting to two months' allowance in addition, and they will then be entitled to nothing more from the patriotic fund. rolls and will be maintained and

rom the patriotic fund. The various offices of the patriotic Ind are urged to do all they can in couring employment for returned sold-rs, so soon as they are able to work in der that there should be no greater dships than necessary.

DROWNING ACCIDENT.

A sad accident occurred on Monday, ne 7, at Golden Grove when James wis, an employ in Battey's mill, was owned in a small lake at the rear of Adams' farm. He was a popular young nan of the place and was well liked by ery body who knew him. He has no elatives here. His mother resides in ingland. The sad news caused a great lock to the people of that place.

To Women Who Dread Motherhood

ation How They May Give Birth out fear of pain-SENT P No woman need any longer dread the pains of childbirth. Dr. J. H. Dye devoted his life to ve devoted man relieving the sorrows romen. He has

w it may be done absolutely free Send your name and address to Dr. Medical Institute, Canadian bran 111 St. Mary's, Ont., and we will postpaid, his wonderful book which o give birth to happy, healthy child utely without fear of pain, also how to mother. Do not delay but write T Secretary Bryan's Letter. "My dear Mr. President: "It is with sincer regret that I have reached the conclusion that I should re-that to your be commission of secretary of state, with which you honored me al he beginning of your administration. "Obedient to your sense of duty, and actuated by the highest motives, you have prepared for transmission to the German government a note in which is reamot join without violating what is the maximum a member of the achieve would be as unfair to your as it would be to the cause which is nearest my heart, namely, the preven-tion of we. "I, therefore, respectfully tender my resignation, to take effect when the noise is set, unless you prefer an earlier hour. Alike desireous of reaching a peaceful polution of the problems arising out of the use of submarines against merchant men, we find ourseles differing irrecon-cilably as to the methods which should be empiored. "It fails to your lot to speak official" same ratio of the British losses the figure would be more like 4,000 be employed 'It falls to your lot to speak official-000. ly for the nation.

"I considered it to be none the less The percentage of wounded returning to duty after their names

If y for the nation.
"I considered it to be nome the less my duty to endeavor, as a private citizen, to promote the end which you have in view by means which you do not feel at liberty to use.
"In severing the intimate and pleasant relations which have existed between us during the past two years, permit me to acknowledge the protound satisfaction which it has given me to be associated with you in the important work which has come before the state department, and to thank you for the courtesies extended.
"With the neartiest good wishes for your administration, I am, my dear Mr. President."
"Yery truly yours, (Signed) "W. J. BRYAN, "Washington, June 8, 1915."
President Wilson's Reply.
Output: Description of the wilson's Reply.

Wounded-Officers, 6,498; other ranks, 147,482; total, 153,980.

Missing-Officers, 1,130; other ranks, 52,617; total, 53,747.



"My dear Mr. Bryan: "I accept your resignation, only be-cause you insist upon its acceptance; and I accept it with much more than deep regret, with a feeling of personal sorrow. Our two years of close asso-ciation have been very delightful to me. Our judgments have accorded in practi-cally every matter of official duty and of public policy antil now; your support of the work and purposes of the ad-ministration has been generous and loyal beyond praise; your devotion to the duties of your great office and your cagerness to take advantage of every great opportunity for service it offered has been an example to the rest of us; you have earned our affectionate admira-tion and friendship. Even now we are not separated in the object we seek, but only in the method by which we seek it. Montreal, June 8.—Thirty-five thousand more men are wanted to go from Canada to the firing line in France as quickly as they can be trained and equip-ped. Major-General Hughes made this announcement here tonight. This new force is to be composed of twenty-seven regiments of infantry and six batteries of artillery. With its organization the number of men raised in

six batteries of artiflery. With its organization the number of men raised in Canada for war service will total nearly 150,000. The new regiments are to be recruited as follows: Four Highland regiments, one from Vancouver, Victoria and Winnipeg, a second from Ontario, and two from the province of Quebec and the maritime provinces; two regiments from Alberts, two from British Columbia, two from Saskatchewan, one from Manitoba, two from the London division, four from the Saskatchewan, one from Manifoba, two from the London division, four from the Toronto division, two from eastern Ontario, (the district between Knigston and Ottawa); four French-Canadian regiments from Montreal and the province of Quebec, including the 57th and 60th battalions, for which recruiting commenced a short time ago; two regiments from the maritime provinces. The six new batteries of artillery, according to the announcement, will b

organized as follows: One from eastern Ontario and Quebec, one from the London district, two in the Toronto and Hamilton districts, one from the maritime provinces and one from western Canada,

it. "It is for these reasons my feeling about your retirement from the secre-taryship of state goes so much deeper than regret. I sincerely deplore it. Our objects are the same, and we ought to pursue them together. I yield to your desire only because I must, and wish to bid you Godspeed in the parting. We shall continue to work for the same causes. even when we do not work in from western canaca, General Hughes stated that the militia department is giving opportunity to officers desirous of attaching themselves to these corps to send in their applica-tions to the district or divisional officers for a course to further qualify them, and that thus no officer will be in a position to state that he has been overlooked. In the meanwhile, temporary commissions in the Canadian militia will be granted to eligible men not already attached, uses, even when we do not work in the same way: "With affectionate regard, sincerely

The corps will be sent overseas, the minister stated emphatically, as they become efficient, and not in order of number. "WOODROW WILSON."



Station, interpreted variously its effect on the delicate situation that had arisen between Germany and the United States. The resignation of the staunchest advo-wate of peace in the president's official hamily spread broadcast the belief that the policy of the United States, as defin-Dunkirk, France, May 23-(By Mail)-The story of the British private who made himself King of Ypres after the first bombardment of that city last. November is being told at British headquarters. When Ypres was bombarded in November the British withdrew their troops from the town, but did not remove tely determined upon, would assert and befend the rights of the United States in

the civil population. There was one British private who did not leave with the rest, for he was asleep in a cellar. Next morning he awoke to find Ypres without any author-ity and, not liking that condition of affairs, he set about governing it himself. He kept the citizens under an iron discipline, had looters shot at sight and, though himself inclined to the bottle, prevented drunkenness in others. The inhabitants called him the King of Ypres, but his kingship lasted only for a week. He was arrested by a British officer and sent before a court-martial. The court-martial duly tried him, found that his efforts in the cause of order had been good and forgave him for his other delinquencies. The Red Cross Society at Ottawa acinvolvedges with hearty thanks the relarvey (N. B.) to provide a bed at one the Red Cross hospitals. The amount received from Miss Bertha Chase,

page was a photograph of the king en-tering the theatre on the same occasion and Corporal Heans is seen alongside of him. The other St. John boy was prob-ably hidden from the camera by the bly

LIEUT FRANCIS MORTON-MITH, Mount Allison Rhodes Scholar, tow serving in Kitchener's army. Big Meeting at Sussex. Recruiting meetings as continued throughout th

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While that was going on, the baron contended, they might save themselves the trouble of looking for workingmen and talking of conscription and com-pulsory service. Men who refused to work should be made to fight, whether there there not they like it or not.