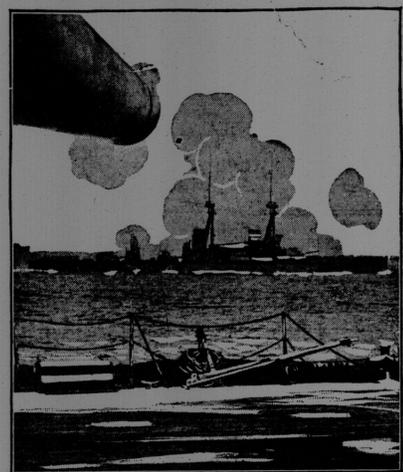


AS VIEWED FROM THE IRON DUKE



The English navy never was in finer condition than just now. This picture was taken from the Iron Duke, which is now in the North Sea.

Canada In The War
Newsy Notes of Activities in Many Parts of Dominion

His Honor Lieutenant Governor Wood conferred with the special committee of the citizens' executive in the board of trade rooms last evening regarding insurance on the volunteers. The matter will be laid before the provincial government in Fredericton today.

Onto are protesting against the shutting down of large industries which have made enormous profits in the past. They suggest that the proprietors owe something to Canada in the matter of patriotic service, quite as much as do the men who are going to the front.

PATRIOTISM IN BUSINESS

(Mail and Empire, Toronto) At least one great Toronto industry has closed its gates upon its workmen, throwing thousands out of employment, with no knowledge of when business will be resumed.

ands into millions, they would recognize, perhaps, that they are under a certain obligation to the general public, that they ought to be planning for the future and that perhaps they owe it to patriotism to continue to operate their plants for a few months, even though without profit, and even though at a loss.

MEASURES OF RELIEF DISCUSSED

Citizens' Committee Now In Fine Working Order

THE HARBOR

Some Doubt as to Advisability of Allowing Moving Pictures to be Taken of This Port at Present—Collector of Customs to Communicate With Ottawa

Measures for the relief of the families of volunteers and reservists were discussed at the meeting of the executive of the citizens' committee in the Board of Trade rooms this morning.

The chairman referred to the well-planned demonstration in honor of the late Pope, and complimented the special committee on its work.

For the committee on collections, J. A. Schofield reported that a heading for the lists had been prepared as follows: "Soldiers' and families' patriotic fund for the benefit of the soldiers from St. John who are going to the front to fight the battles of the Empire, and of the families whom they leave behind them. All loyal Canadians are invited to contribute."

There was some discussion regarding the most effective means of gathering in the money for the fund. Mr. Armstrong, of A. P. Barnhill, K.C., that copies of the list should be placed in each branch of the leading drug stores, the newspaper offices and the offices of the city commissioners, and that the list be made official without the signature of the secretary.

The National Breweries Limited will keep the names of any employees who enlist, on their pay roll and keep their places for them when they return.

American manufacturers are sending letters to Canada, offering supplies to take the place of imported goods.

Textile factories in Toronto and other Ontario cities are working over time to keep up with orders for home products to take the place of European imports.

It is estimated that Montreal can furnish five thousand volunteers if they are needed.

Sir William MacKenzie, who has just returned from England, says he thinks the financial situation will improve.

It is said that the Canadian Bank of Commerce expects to lose four hundred men from its employ in its various branches, as the number are likely to go to the front.

The 90th regiment, Winnipeg Rifles, is to go to the front as a unit and at full war strength. Winnipeg sends two full regiments.

The towns of Petrolia presented each of its volunteers with an insurance policy for \$500.

The towns of Chatham, Ontario, will contribute a dollar a month to the local war fund.

Halifax, Aug. 20.—The Nova Scotia government has contributed 10,000 tons of coal to Great Britain for naval purposes.

Ottawa, Aug. 20.—That the Duke of Connaught will remain in Canada until the end of the war was announced by Hon. Senator Loughnan on behalf of the governor in the senate today.

TO ASK HEADS OF THE COUNTRIES AT WAR TO DECLARE A TRUCE

This Step Likely to Be Requested While Election of New Pope is Taking Place—The Late Pope's Wishes

Rome, Aug. 21.—It is asserted that the cardinals have discussed the advisability of holding the conclave for the election of a successor to Pius X, without shutting themselves within the Vatican throughout their deliberation, as has been the traditional practice.

It has been suggested that the cardinals meet at a choice has been made and at the close of each session return to their homes, or wherever they may be stopping. These sittings would of course be under seal of absolute secrecy.

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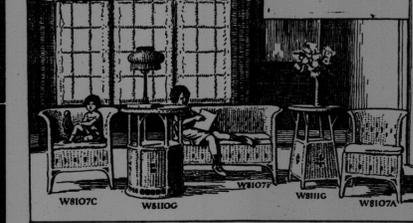
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HOPE TO CONTINUE WORK ON VALLEY RAILWAY

More Complaint About Mr. Fleming—American Joins Band in Patriotic March

Fredricton, N. B., Aug. 21.—Financial matters in connection with the Valley Railway are engaging the attention of the local government here today and the hope is expressed that some arrangement will be made by which the work will be continued.

President Gould is here and was in consultation with Acting Premier Clark this morning. Premier Fleming was here yesterday and gave the government the benefit of his advice.

A member of the local government has the explicit statement yesterday that if Fleming undertook to resume his duties as premier he would resign from the administration.

An American auto named Wood visiting the city yesterday, procured a permit and John Donovan's Band to assist playing the Seventy-First contingent from the barracks to the depot.

LOCAL NEWS

TRY UNGAR'S LAUNDRY. AT LIVERPOOL. White Star Dominion line Canada arrived at Liverpool on Monday.

COAL WILL GO UP. Freight on American Hard Coal has advanced so much as to increase the best made at \$1.85 to \$2.00. Winnipeg's ton since war has been declared, but if you order promptly from Gibson & Co. Limited, you get your American Hard Coal before another advance in the price of coal occurs.

Your pleasure in wearing a pair of our shoes, air, will be part of our profit. The best made at \$1.85 to \$2.00. Winnipeg's Cash Stores, 243-247 Union street.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of John Quirk was held at 8.30 this morning from his late residence, Middle street. The body was taken to the Cathedral where a requiem high mass was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. M. P. Howland, assisted by Rev. Charles McLachlan as deacon and Rev. M. O'Brien, sub-deacon. Rev. William Duke was master of ceremonies. Interment was in the old Catholic cemetery. The funeral was attended by a large number.

OUT ON SUSPENDED SENTENCE. Arthur Stevenson who a few weeks ago pleaded guilty to entering and stealing \$80 from W. H. Bell's store on King street, was this morning allowed to go by Judge Forbes on suspended sentence on condition that he leave the city within one week and go west where his brother promises him employment. Two others were also allowed out on suspended sentence to enlist as volunteers for active service.

MARKET CHANGES. The announcement of the tariff changes has forced tobacco manufacturers to withdraw prices for the present. In the meantime wholesalers have advanced prices five cents a pound. There has been no advance quoted in sugar but prices on this commodity also have not reached this market yet and the price remains firm. Canned goods remain the same except for peaches which showed an advance this morning. The market will be uncertain for the commodities affected by the tariff changes until the new prices have been worked out but the general result will be an advance in prices.

Properties Sold. Halifax, Aug. 21.—Sheriff Hall sold today in the suit of the Eastern Trust Company versus the Maritime Lumber Company, properties in various parts of the province, for \$40,000. The purchaser was the Eastern Trust Company.

Chatham World.—Captain Fred H. Merseveau of Dakotaw, and Lieut. Cecil Merseveau of Chatham, are at the Army drill volunteers for the Canadian Foreign Legion. They have enrolled 45, and others are coming by nearly every train. The men are from Chatham, Campbellton, Dalhousie, Bathurst, Newcastle, Dakotaw, Blackville, Richibucto and Beauséjour. One hundred and twenty-five men, besides the officers, are required to complete the company. The Black River and Lower Nepan companies have not sent in any men as yet.

TWO SCENES. I. He knelt beside her pillow In the dead watch of the night, And he heard her gentle breathing, And her face was still and white; And on her poor, wan cheek a tear Told how her heart was weeping; And he said, "My love was weary— God bless her she's asleep!" II. He knelt beside her grave-stone In the shuddering autumn night, And he heard the grasses rustle, And his face was thin and white; And through his heart the terror ran Of grief that cannot weep; And he said, "My love was weary— God bless her she's asleep!" —William Winter.

Subscriptions. Subscriptions to date are: Previously acknowledged \$5,440 C. B. Lockhart 10 Farmers' Dairy & Produce Co. 10 Charles H. Hurley 10 Capt. A. W. Miller 20 Salvage Corps 20 George E. Fairweather 20 F. Sidney Kaye 20 Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson 100 D. H. Waterbury 10 P. B. Schofield 50 S. A. Jones 50 E. R. Machum Co., Ltd. 100 Miss Charlotte McLean 5 J. R. Armstrong 27

TOTAL ECLIPSE OF SUN SEEN TODAY IN MANY PARTS OF THE WORLD

Washington, Aug. 21.—A total eclipse of the sun which cast complete darkness over a strip of 85 miles wide through Russia, Scandinavia, Asia Minor, Persia and India, was only partially visible in this country today, but was observed by astronomers at the Naval Observatory here.

All Europe, a portion of Africa and Asia, however, fell within its shadow. It was not visible in this country farther south than Washington nor west of North Dakota. The shadow fell upon the east coast in Hudson's Bay and disappeared on the east coast of Africa just north of the equator.

In 1918 another total eclipse of the sun will be visible here.

PERSONALS. Rev. James F. Donnelly of Charlestown, Mass., arrived on the Boston train accompanied by his mother, brother Arthur, and sister, Agnes, to spend two weeks' vacation with his sister, Mrs. Geo. McLuskey, of Durham street.

Mrs. R. S. Orzech, Douglas avenue, and Mrs. J. H. Henderson, Rothesay, have returned after a very pleasant trip through the Annapolis Valley. They were away for three weeks.

John McDonald Jr., inspector of industrial revenue, has returned from an inspection of the Nova Scotia district. Miss Jessie Ferguson, of the Campbell Grammar School, is receiving congratulations on winning the provincial medal, having led the province in the High School entrance examinations.

Miss Ferguson is a pupil of Miss Mary Mitchell, M. A., of St. John. One of Miss Mitchell's pupils won the medal last year, being second in the province. Miss O'Neil, of Main street, has returned after a pleasant visit to friends in Moncton.

Mrs. K. H. Mannig and son, Robert, are visiting Mrs. Charles Ritchie, 846 Union street. George Johnson of Brooklyn, N. Y., accompanied by Mrs. Johnston and the two children, is visiting his uncle, Frank Lane, 87 St. Patrick street. Mr. Johnston is foreman for the American Book Binding Company of New York.

W. S. Milson, postmaster of Eastport, was in the city yesterday, and crossed the bay this morning to visit his old home in Weymouth, N. S. He may also visit Yarmouth, where he was formerly engaged in business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blair and son, Charles, of Carleton Place, Ontario, are in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Cowling, 155 King street east.

To Pick Up Trade Germans Abandoned. Montreal, Aug. 21.—Canadian manufacturers with offices in this city are preparing to pick up the trade the Germans have been forced to abandon. A number of them are to meet P. G. Donald, representative of several British business men, with a view to exporting sheet metal, iron bars, nails, and the like. It is hoped to obtain a large part of the German trade for Canadian firms at once.

School Starts Aug. 31

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KITCHEN GIRL WANTED, Elliott Hotel. ROOM TO LET, 4 Charles, corner Garden. 15494-8-25 WANTED—A Person to wash dishes in Boston Cafe, 148 Mill street. 15497-8-25

WANTED—Young man, references required. Apply to Steward of the Union Club. 15441-8-25 FURNISHED ROOM with private family, with or without board. Apply Box 1, care Times. 15492-8-25 WANTED—Two Lady Boarders, 189 Metcalf street. Top bell. 15448-8-25

FOR SALE—Horse, Harness and Sleigh, cheap. Address 128 Adelaide street. 15444-8-24 WANTED—A woman for general work. Apply to the Steward of Union Club. 15440-8-25

WANTED—Women for Scrubbing, Monday. Apply at Dufferin School, Elm street. 15450-8-24 LOST—Gold Seal, French motto. Finder returning to Fox, 48 Hornfield, will be rewarded. 15457-8-24

FOUND—A pair of Glasses, Gold Mounted Eye Glasses. For information concerning same apply to Ferguson & Page. 15456-8-24 WANTED—Girl for retail dairy and ice cream parlor. Apply Farmers' Dairy and Produce Co., Ltd., Main street. 15455-8-24

LOST—On Thursday evening, Card Case near Union Depot. Finder please leave at Times Office. 23-8-24 WANTED—Room and board in private family. Address stating terms. 15446-8-24

UNFURNISHED ROOMS, lighted and heated, Wellington Row; Main 2252-11. 15448-8-25 POSITION WANTED by experienced lady stenographer. Best reference. Address "Stenographer W" care Times Office. 15453-8-25

WANTED—Second Hand Kitchen Range, in good condition, reasonable. Apply "Reasonable," care Times Office. 23-8-24 LOST—Cushion Tire off Buggy, Thursday night. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Love's Livery Stable, Fredericton. 15450-8-24

DELIVERY WAGON—Slightly used wood-top Delivery Wagon for Sale at a bargain. J. P. Lynch, 370 Union street. 15449-8-24 WANTED—Man with experience in running gasoline engine and sawing machine to saw wood. Apply to J. S. Gibson & Co., Ltd., No. 1 Union street. 15449-8-24

RECENT DEATHS

Mrs. Rhoda Robertson, widow of the late James Robertson, passed away at Gibson on Wednesday. She was seventy-eight years of age and is survived by three daughters, Mrs. G. Logan of St. John, Mrs. Chas. Clayton, of Fredericton and Mrs. A. B. Neill of Gibson, and one son, George W. Robertson of Gibson.

The death of Miss Nancy Martin, aged 75 years, occurred Wednesday morning at the residence of her niece, Mrs. William McLennahan, Fredericton. She is survived by one brother, Peter Martin, who is now the only surviving member of the family.

SOME RECENT BATTLES.

(New York Times) The Russo-Japanese battle of the Shano, fought in October of 1904, engaged half a million men for eight days, and was compared by the military correspondent of the London Times with war of exhaustion. In the decisive battle of Mukden, fought from February 15 to March 11, 1905, five Japanese armies, 400,000 men in all, engaged and defeated Gen. Kuropatkin at the head of 376 battalions, 171 batteries, and 178 squadrons, representing 300,000 rifles, 26,000 sabres, and 1,308 guns. The front of the Russian army stretched forty-five miles and its depth five to six miles, but the battle line finally retreated over a front of 100 miles. That was the most disastrous battle ever fought; the Russians dead numbering 27,700, besides 110,000 other casualties, and 40,000 Russian taken prisoners. The Japanese casualties were 41,222.



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