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ST. ANDREWS, N. B., CANADA.

Saturday, 3rd February, 1917

### PROGRESS OF THE WAR

[January 25 to January 31] I spite of the very severe winter weather prevailing on all the Furopean battle-fronts, the week witnessed count of the observance in St. Stephen on

heavy on both sides. To the north of the with the supper and the music to make addition to the usual cannonading; but tribute to Mr. Ganong's generosity, and the front remained practically unchanged. to his well-known public spirit and practi-

In the Eastern campaign the fiercest cal patriotism. fighting took place an the Riga front, and here hostilities were in active progress at the week's close, the result to be decided. of Brody, but it resulted in no change. In the Bukowina-Rumania sector the Russians scored a signal success; and it was signal su Teuton drive in this region is not only know.—St. John Telegraph. definitely checked but is being turned

Heavy snowstorms were reported in the public. Caucasian campaign, and hostilities were

The Mesopotamian campaign provided satisfactory news during the week of the steady progress of the British troops on the Tigris, where they took from the Turks some strongly entrenched positions

Reports from the East African campaign indicated further successes for the British, and the prooable termination of the campaign in the very near future. Interest in this campaign was heightened during the week by the arrival in Pretoria of General Smuts, who is to represent the Union of South Africa at the forthcoming Imperial Conference in London. He described the difficulties of the campaign, and paid a merited tribute to the gallantry of the men under his command.

The Balkan campaign made mo progress during the week, the inactivity being consequent on the unfavorable weather. The Grecian government appeared to be complying, however reluctantly, with the terms of the ultumatum of the Ententea Allies, but the blockade of the Greek ports. paign indicated further successes for the

Allies, but the blockade of the Greek ports sion en frar çais, il devrait, s'inspirant des

disasters, which are referred to separately in " News of the Sea." The most serious disaster, so far as present information goes, was the loss of the Laurentic off the coast of Ireland, more than 350 officers and men losing their lives while endeavoring to reach the shore from the sinking. ressel which had struck a mine. At the week's close Germany announced to the United States her intention to begin immediately a more destructive submarine policy, and this in defiance of pledges previously made to the United States. What the ultimate effect of this announcement (if it is followed up ly the action threatened) will be on the United States with absolute certainty that if it is possible for Germany to introduce greater horrors into the war which she has already made incredibly horrible, the effect on the content of the content ing to reach the shore from the sinking

of high representatives of the Entente may be safely conjectured that the consultations would be harmonious and the outcome far-reaching. The Imperial Conmonth will probably be the last of those historical war conferences to be held PARLIAMENT AT OTTAWA

THE WEEK'S ANNIVERSARIES

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BILINGUALISM

WE print from the Senate Debates the remarks made by Hon. Mr Landry, the ex-Speaker of the Senate, when Hon. Mr. Bourque, the new senator from New Brunswick, took his seat. We reprint the remarks as they were made, in French, and perhaps should let them go at that; but we would say that Hon. Mr. Landry is a militant bilingualist to whom bilingualism is the only question of thinking. Senator Bourque's commission was drawn up in the English language, as is usual in the case of senators from any of the Provinces except Quebec, whose senators of French origin receive commissions drawn in French. Senator Landry wants the occasional Acadian senators to be placed on the same footing senators from Quebec. His re
BILINGUALISM

February 8.—Queen Mary 1 of England born, 1516; Mary Queen of Scotland beheaded, 1567; Senator, 1612; Aaron Hill, poet Landry from New Brunswick, 1619; General W. T. Sherman born, 1839; General W. T. Sherman born, 1819; General W. T. Sherman born, 1839; General W. T. Sherman born, enators to be placed on the same footing as their confrères from Quebec. His remarks were received without comment in the Senate.

### BURNS ANNIVERSARY

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> WHAT IS NEW BRUNSWICK'S TOTAL OF RECRUITS?

apparent at the week's close that the many we have raised nobody appears to

\* \*Yes, but somebody ought to know, and the imformation ought to be given to

THE NEW BRITISH CABINET

If the wisdom of Mr Lloyd George's Government is to be judged by the man-ner in which it distributes Imperial ner in which it distributes Imperial honons, God help the Empire.—Montreal fournal of Commerce.

\*\*Is the great Montreal financial jour-were some twenty ladies present. At the were visiting friends in L'Etang last week. Mr. and Mrs. George McGee are receiving co gratulations on the arrival of the montreal financial jour-were some twenty ladies present.

west of Kut-el-Amara. The indications were that that town will soon again be in the occupation of the British.

The Egyptian campaign turnished no news of hostilities, but this is not to say that hostilities were not in progress. There is always "something doing" in Egypt.

Reports from the East African campaign indicated further amounts indicated further amounts are the serious and the serious

Allies, but the blockade of the Greek ports had not been lifted at the week's close, Little or no progress was made in the Austro-Italian campaign, the activities being mainly restricted to cannonading.

On the sea the week witnessed more than the usual amount of tragedies and disasters, which are referred to separately

N. Vroom.
There were elections for Councillors in y. Queens and Kings wards. The Mayor, ri- and Cruncillors in Dukes ward' were re- turned unamiously. The people of St. Andrews, his nativ

horrors into the war which she has already made incredibly horrible, the effect on the Entente Allies will be to prosecute the war more vigorously and bring it the sooner to a viccorious conclusion.

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Hon. D. V. Landry, provincial secretary-

works. Hon. A. R. Slipp, minister of lands and

mines. Hon. Arthur Culligan, of Restigouche, and Hon. J. S. Taylor, of Charlotte, with-

## THE WEEK'S ANNIVERSARIES

The Loyal Women Class of the Letite Sunday School held a pie social in the Letite public hall on Saturday evening The proceeds are to be spent for church our name.

### BAYSIDE, N. B.

Miss Lilla Maxwell visited friends Miss Reta Dolby was the guest of Mrs. Etta Moore on Wednesday. Miss Eleanor Craig spent the week-end in St. Andrews, guest of Mrs. Robert

Miss Lila Mosher has returned to her Mrs. Christie Gleason is the guest Mrs. Howard Greenlaw in St. Andrews. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dolby spent Mon Mrs. Alexander Russell has returned

Mrs. John Holt, of Second Falls, is visit-ing her sister, Miss Rosena Greenlaw. Mrs. McCutcheon, of Eastport, Me., it the guest of her brother, Mr. John Green

**Up-River Doings** 

Dr. Walter Clarke, of New York City, was a visitor to his brother, Hon. George J. Clarke, on Sunday.

St. Stephen, N. B., Jan. 31.

Mr. Fred S. White has been confined to

his home during the past week with a severe attack of influenza.

are as follows: Mayor, F. Parker Grimmer.

LETITE, N. B.

Jan. 30.

from a ten-days' visit in New York City, Miss Nellie Rigby spent the past week Mr. Gilbert W. Ganong recently visited httawa. The Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs McNabb-on Tuesday evening, Feb. 6.

meeting of druggists interested in the Rexal medicines.

Miss Edith McArdle. of St. George, teen a recent visitor in Town.

Mr. James Skidds, who had been ill for several months at Mr. Charles Hanson's, died on Thursday evening, Jan. 25. He is survived by his widow and two sons, Wm. Skidds, of Woodland, and James, of Calais, Skidds, of Woodland, and James, of Calais,

Rev. and Mrs. Barton Watson, of Calais, have returned from a visit in New The Ladies of Bocabec and Bocabec Calais, have returned from a visit in New Hampshire.

Mrs. James Tibbitts, of Andover, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur McKenzie.

The Ladies of Bocasec and Bocasec Cove, desire to thank Miss Ida Turner, of Bocasec Cove, for one dollar given to the Red Cross Aid Society. The society also wishes to thank Mrs. Os. Mitchell, of St. Stephen, for gingham enough for a quilt. The annual Chapman Concert, held in Calais, has the date set for March 10, and lovers of fine music are anticipating much pleasure from it.

Stephen, for gingham enough for a quilt. The Red Cross Aid Society will meet at Mrs. James Holt's on Thursday, Feb. 8.

Mrs. James McCullough who has been

illness.

Mr. George McLellan, engineer on the C. P. R. train, has been very ill at his home in St. Stephen with a severe attack of the prevailing grippe. Mrs. David F. Maxwell and Mrs. A. E. Vessey gave a very pleasant tea, at their residence, on Tuesday afternoon, in honor of their guest, Mrs. Phillip Warren.

## BACK BAY, N. B.

twins, a boy and girl. close of the evening refreshments were served by Miss Lelia McVay, Mrs. James Douglas and Ars. Frank C. Murchie, Miss Margaret McDade and Miss Hilda Gallagher spent the week-end with friends

Douglas and Mrs. Frank C. Murchie,
The ladies of Queen's Ward will give a knitting party in Elder Memorial Hall on Friday evening, for the benefit of the Red Cross Society. The hall is to be decorated in patriotic style and an amusing and special entertainment has been arranged. At the close of the evening arranged. At the close of the evening markers will be served.

Mrs. Valentine Hooper and sons, Byron, and Kenneth, are visiting relatives in Milltown.

The Town officers for the ensuing year pleasant visit with and Miltown N. B.

W. F. Higgins

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Mr. and Mrs. Dick Foley, of Eastport, are visiting Mrs. Frank Stuart, of Lambertville. Toal, W. G. Nelson.

Kings Ward, B. Nesbitt, W. F. Higgins.
Du'es Ward, David Johnston, Frederick
Arsham.

Assessors, T. McGeachy, H. L. Wall, C.

Hotel for a few days. Wesley Stuart, Son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stuart, of Stuart Town, who has been very ill with pneumonia. Is get-

ting much better. Miss Sadie Cook and Miss Verna Barker spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Will Camick, of Northern Harbor. Mrs. F. M. Stuart, of Lambertville,

in St. Andrews.

Mrs. Earl Tucker, who has been on the sick-list, since early last fall, is much better, and her many friends are glad to hear that she is again able to be out.

Mr. Charlie Fry. of Roston.

Hon. J. A. Murray, premier and minister of agriculture.

Hon. D. V. Landry, provincial secretary.
Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, attorney-general.
Hon. B. F. Smith, minister of public works.

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Tucker were called to St. George recently,
because of the yery sudden illness of their
mother, Mrs. Frances Tucker.

Miss Alma Chaffey is at home again
after a very plasant visit with her friend,
Miss Nellie Quinn, at Lever-Settlement
Mrs. Wasson has returned from a two

while the present war is in progress.
What will hapen after the war time alone will reveal.

Mon. Arthur Guingan, of Resignation and Hon. J. S. Taylor, of Charlotte, with mother, Mrs. Frances Tucker.

Misses Nina Simpson and Lena Leavitt on bave gone to St. Stephen to spend a few weeks vacation in Boston; and on Sun have gone to St. Stephen to spend a few weeks.

Miss Hilda Tucker has gone to Bangor which he attended, to a large congregaweeks.

Miss Hilda Tucker has gone to Bangor to train for a nurse. Miss Tucker's friends wish her every success in her chosen profession.

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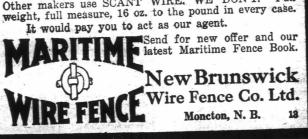




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On December 14 the stork brought a haby daughter 16 the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nesbitt.

Messrs. Charles Small and Fred Avery have returned from Tiverton where they went to purchase their fine large motor boat.

Friday evening, Jan. 26, the Rebecca's now visiting her.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Redmond gave a dinner Tuesday evening, Jan. 30, when Mr Redmond was 76 years of age. The guests were; Mrs. Augusta Scovil, Mr. lames Lawson, Mrs. Margaret Cronk. Mrs. Hollis Murphy has opened part of this new shop for business. Mr. and Mrs. Korman McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Watt, and Mrs. Edwin Redmond.

Mrs. Roy A. Johnson and Mr. Frank Laneson are on the sick list, also Mrs. Wm. Ellingwood.

Mr. George Cook has returned hom from St. John.

Messrs. Charles Small and Fred Aver

Mrs. Cecil Tucker's youngest sister Mrs. Wm. Joy has returned home after an extended visit at the home of Mr. and spent Wednesday with relatives here.

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Miss Vera Murphy has entirely recovered from the measles. There have been some rather exciting basket ball matches in the town hall recently. One Friday North Head beat Lubec; score standing 30-18. Another evening North Head won from Eastport score 14 9. And Friday, Feb. 2. North Head will try her luck with the Overland Team

Saturday evening Mr. Parker will show ome pictures at the Hall.

Meanwhile great preparations are on foot for the Odd Fellows' banquet and entertainment which will take place soon.

GRAND HARBOR, G. M. Jan. 30. Mr. and Mrs. Emsley were passenge last Monday, by Stmr. Grand Manan.
St. John, where they are visiting M Cheney's parents. The Knights of Pythas will hold their annual banquet on Feb. 19th at their hall. The knitting club will be held at the home or Mrs William Leighton on Mon-

CASTALIA, G. M.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. George Mr. Loring Sinclair, who has been acting as assistant at Gannett Rock Light ation for the past three months to this place on Thursday last. Mrs. Clarence Richardson, who has be Mrs. Clarence Kienarusoll, with has sepending a few days with her son, Mr. Edward Ingalls, Grand Harbor, returned to her home here on Thursday last.

Mr. Arthur Richardson went to St. John on Monday last by S. S. Grand Manag, returning on Wednesday. We are sorry to report, Mr. Harley

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Griffin returned on Saturday to Eastport, Me., where Mr. Griffin has employment at the Canning Plant.

Sailed, Wednesday 24th., schr. Fannie
May, Capt. Silas McLellan, for the North
Shore to engage in the herring fishing going on there. The fish prior to this writlook here for the month of the school for the schoo ing on there. The fish prior to this writ-ing have been for a few weeks quite plentiful, and meet with a ready sale for bait, sardines and frozen herring. Many other small vessels from here are also

thus engaged.

Mrs. James Vennel, who has been seriusly ill, is convalescent.

Master Berchman Parker, who was ill last week with grip, is able to be out sgain. Others recovering from grip are Mr. Herbert Kelley and Mr. Andrews Martin, both being able to attend their duties again.

Work of cutting ice at the ice-pond began last week under the supervision of Mr. Harvey Johnston, for the purpose of ng for summer use. Mr. William Vennel and niece, Miss Mary Vennel, of Massachusetts, spent the ary Vennel, of Massachusetts, spent the st week with relatives here.

Mrs. Newman and son, Harold, spen Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Calder. Miss Edith Lank, who was detained from her school on account of illness last week, is able to attend to her duties again. The Girls' Branch of the W. A. met last week with Miss Lavonia Cline, where they were tendered a very hospitable reception Miss Etta Mitchell spent the week end with friends at Calais, Me.

were tendered a very nospitable reception.

prospect of its being the best yet.

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Messrs. David and Hiram Chute, who are at present inmates of the Sanitorium, Riverglade, are steadily improving. Miss Estella Townsend, of Woodland Me, spent Sunday at her home here.

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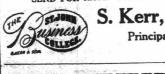
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Social and

dies of the Presbyte day evening at the nation party. Alt ladies were present, a a very pleasant eveni wenty-five pieces of owards the Summ Miss Nellie Stuart m Montreal. Mrs

two children accompa Mrs. Stuart. Dr. Roy Grimmer from New York to visi and Mrs. Durell Grim has been under hospit York for three

Mr. Tippett, of Chic this week on busines Chamcook Sardine W at Kennedy's Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin

away to Arlington, E. E. McCoy. J. William Richards pointed Registrar of Pr County in place of removed from the Pro-

Miss Amelia Kenn Monday from a pleasa Mrs. Alfred J. King, mother, Mrs. Emma Miss Anna Outho Waverly Hospital, spending a two-week's mother, Mrs Outhou Miss Elsie Finigan r

Mr. H. G. Maloney, tor, paid a visit to Gra Miss Julia Donahu a short visit spent a Edna Davis, McAdan Miss Amelia Ken Tuesday from Boston visiting for a few wee

Miss Elsie Finigan

nome on Saturday la Mrs. Bert. Rigby two delightful after Wednesday married ladies who door in a very char Gus Rigby presided Fred Worrell, Mrs. D. G. Hanson. On were the unmarried again acted as ush Kennedy poured helped with the re Fred Worrell, Mrs. Carrie Gardiner an

Mrs. Will Carr whist for the m Guild on Thursday when the prize win Donahue, Miss S Mary Hannigan. Friends of Mrs. gret to learn that

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Miss Ruth Greenla

Boston, has been

Mr. Joseph Han

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