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PROGRESS OF THE WAR

During the past week the fighting in the western theatre of the war has consisted of a series of attacks and counter attacks, each side having made gains and losses.

In the eastern European field, however, the case is different, for there the German and Austrian forces have been making a steady advance.

The news of operations in Trans-Caucasia has been most meagre, and neither side claims any great success.

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Some further attacks have been made by the Turks on the Suez Canal, but they have been repelled by the British forces.

From the Balkan States no news of any special importance has been received, beyond that of the explosion by bombs from Austrian aeroplanes of a Serbian magazine on the Danube east of Belgrade.

Of naval engagements proper there is nothing to record, but a remarkable attack by British aviators, supported by small gunboats, on Ostend and Zeebrugge which is now being used as a base by the German submarines.

The Lake George mines are well-known to all the principal smelters of antimony in Europe, America and Asia; and while they have been idle for so long through the low price of the metal, antimony smelting works in other parts of the world have been increasing their output.

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THE NEWSPAPER WORLD

The newspapers of Canada have probably been struck harder by the present war than any other industry or enterprise in Canada.

The Montreal Star and dozens of other papers over Canada have found it necessary to increase their subscription and many other papers have been reduced in size.

The Winnipeg Telegram, which issued a morning and afternoon edition, announced that the morning issue would hereafter be discontinued.

The Regina Weekly and The Regina Leader have also followed the example of the Winnipeg contemporary.

Coming nearer home we note that quite recently there was an ambitious attempt to start a second daily in New Glasgow.

It passed out of life after a few weeks of existence, and the same fate has befallen the attempt to start a newspaper in the past six months which has totalled nearly twenty million dollars.

In ordinary industries or mercantile establishments there is a change to economize when the revenue declines, but it is not so with a newspaper.

With it a declining revenue almost inevitably means an increasing expenditure. If the war lasts many months the newspapers throughout Canada will have to begin considering ways and means to meet a difficult situation.

ST. ANDREWS BRANCH OF THE BIBLE SOCIETY

The New Brunswick Auxiliary of the Canadian Bible Society, Rev. G. H. Elliott, President; Miss Carrie Gardner, Secretary; J. A. Shirley, Treasurer.

Collected by Miss C. Gardner, \$10.00; G. H. Elliott for All Saint's Church, 35.40; Miss Louise Clark, 15.50; J. A. Shirley, 7.25; at meeting, Nov. 13 1914, 5.00

Total 73.15 Remitted to R. T. Hayes, Treasurer, St. John, N. B., \$73.15.

J. A. SHIRLEY, Treasurer.

AGRICULTURAL CONFERENCE

The Agricultural Conference, which was advertised in last week's BEACON, was held at Rollingdam on Tuesday afternoon and was addressed by a number of specialists versed in Agriculture.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS BALL

We regret being obliged to hold over till next week an account of the Ball given by the Knights of Pythias in Andreole Hall on Monday evening.

BAYSIDE

Feb. 16 Miss Lila Greenlaw spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Young, at Red Beach, Me.

Rev. W. S. Tedford has been conducting services in the Red Hall lately.

Miss Annie Ross spent last week with friends here.

The Young Ladies' Guild met with Mrs. McNabb last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bartlett visited relatives at Bartlett Mills on Sunday.

Miss Helen Greenlaw spent a few days last week at her home here.

The roof of Mr. Stone's house caught fire on Sunday and but for the help of neighbors the house would have been a total loss.

Miss Helen Greenlaw is spending a few weeks with friends up river.

Mr. Daniel Irwin spent last week in St. George.

John Black, who is with the soldier lais in St. John, spent a few days of last week with friends here.

S. J. Anning was a visitor here on Sunday.

AN ANGLO-AMERICAN HYMN

TWO empires by the sea, Two nations great and free, One tongue, one faith, we claim: One God, whose glorious name We love and praise.

What deeds our fathers wrought, What battles we have fought, Let fame record, Now, vengeful passion, cease, Come, let us breathe serene, Nor hate nor pride's caprice Unhath the sword.

Though deep the sea and wide, Twixt realm and realm, its tide Brinds strand to strand, So be the gulf between Grey coast and island green, With bonds of peace serene And friendship spanned.

Now, may the God above Guard the dear lands we love, Both East and West, Let love more fervent glow, As peaceful ages go, And strength yet stronger grow, Blessing and best.

From The Christian Life.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

[The opinions of correspondents are not necessarily those of THE BEACON. This newspaper does not undertake to publish all or any of the letters received. Unsigned communications will not be noticed. Write on one side of paper only. Communications must be plainly written; otherwise they will be rejected. Stamps should be enclosed if return of manuscript is desired in case it is not used. The name and address of the writer should be sent with every letter as evidence of good faith.—Editor BEACON.]

Fairhaven, Feb. 12, 1915. To Editor of Beacon.

In regard to an item in your paper of last week saying that Ruby Thompson was recovering under care of Dr. Dyas, of Estport, we wish to say that Dr. Dyas was called at Dr. Murray's request in consultation. Our daughter is recovering under the care of our esteemed doctor and friend, Alex. Murray. Wishing this to find space in your paper we remain, Yours, Mr. and Mrs. Hartford Thompson

Fairville, Sept. 30, 1902. Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Dear Sirs.—We wish to inform you that we consider your MINARD'S LINIMENT a very superior article, and we use it as a sure relief for sore throat and chest. When I tell you I would not be without it the price was one dollar a bottle, mean it.

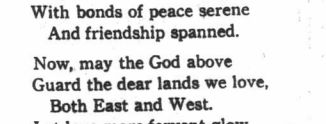
Yours Truly, CHAS. F. TILTON

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Advertisement for Goodrich "HIPRESS" Brown Rubber-Footwear. Features an illustration of a man in a hat and boots, and text describing the durability and quality of the shoes.

Advertisement for BUCHANAN & CO. featuring a large SALE of FURNITURE and FLOOR COVERINGS. Includes a detailed price list for various items like bureaus, mattresses, and beds.

Advertisement for A. A. SHIRLEY, a flashlight dealer. Promotes the use of flashlights and lists various models and prices.

Advertisement for ANDRAE LEO, a picture show. Promotes "HEARST-SELIG NEWS PICTORIAL" and "DOLLIE OF THE DAILIES" on Friday and Saturday.

Advertisement for BOAT BUILDERS ATTENTION! Promotes WHITE ASH lumber for boat building and lists various types of boats available.

Advertisement for R. A. Stuart & Son, a men's clothing store. Promotes "A GOOD RESOLUTION!" and lists various clothing items and accessories.

Local and Special services section containing various notices, names, and short advertisements.