

TAKING CARE OF THE GERMAN ARMY



A German supply train carrying commissary goods to the army. This photograph was taken on a road near the Swiss border, and the photograph was mailed to this country from Basel, Switzerland.

TRADE RELATIONS WITH WEST INDIES

Local Man's Views on Freight Rates and His Suggestion of Remedy—Some Examples

A. J. Sollows of St. John and Hampton, a native of British Guiana, who has taken a great interest in the trade relations between these countries, contributes the following article on the discrimination in freight rates on the trade between the West Indies and the ports of St. John and Halifax.

This is the excess freight which shippers or consumers are today being compelled to pay over the rates applying a little more than two years ago. But it is in the aggregate that the result of the extra rate is best seen.

BIRTHS

SWANTON—Today to Mr. and Mrs. George Swanton, 185 Waterloo street, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

FERNETT-O'CONNOR—At the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, on Sept. 2, by Rev. C. J. McLaughlin, Alexis Fennett to Agnes O'Connor.

DEATHS

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

The London, Ont., Hydro Electric Power Commission has donated \$5,000 to the local war patriotic fund. The provincial commission has sanctioned the gift.

Addressing a thousand officers at Valcartier on Monday, Col. Hughes intimated that a second contingent will go from Canada.

An Ottawa despatch to the Montreal Mail says that orders will probably be given within a few days for the mobilization of all or the greater part of the active militia of Canada.

Canada's offer to send six expert aviators for foreign service has been accepted by Lord Kitchener.

The Bank of Ottawa has subscribed \$25,000 to the patriotic fund. The Manitoulin Indians have asked

and beans, potatoes, canned goods and, in fact, almost every article that can be mentioned. Covering the whole range of articles it is probable that, quantity for quantity, Canadian cargo going to the West Indies is paying from \$60,000 to \$70,000 a year more in freights than would have been the case a little more than two years ago.

But the high freight rates are pressing much more heavily on cargo from the West Indies than on shipments going there. For example, rates on sugar from Demerara are higher by about four cents per 100 pounds or by 90c. a ton than they were slightly over three years ago. The same applies to wheat, corn, etc.

Contrasted with the high rate charged to Halifax, the Quebec and Royal Dutch mail lines are carrying sugar to New York for ten cents a hundred pounds. But a vastly more important point, if the planter is to be benefited, is the fact that Santo Domingo sugar is being carried to Halifax at lower rates than are afforded the B. W. Indies, 12 1/2 cents only being charged to the former country under an arrangement made by the Clyde line. The non-lowering of the West Indian rate thus gives a foreign country an unfair advantage over the British West Indies.

Sugar. This season, has been brought to Montreal at a rate of thirteen cents a hundred pounds, while fourteen cents has all along been charged to Halifax by the R. M. S. Packet Company, which is subsidized. If sugar can be brought to Montreal by an unsubsidized line for thirteen cents, surely we may reasonably expect that the rate to Halifax and St. John shall be as low or even lower than a subsidized service? The system pursued here of charging the natural advantages of a thousand miles difference in distance and of lower insurance rates, to the Montreal and St. John rates presses hard upon the planters and has already done so this season. It tends to confine them to the Montreal market, to process their sugar there, and to ship it to Montreal at a slight one to conform to the Montreal rate. As it is, I understand that the St. John and Halifax reductions will only extend to two or three boats all.

In matters of this kind, it is always preferable for the enterprises concerned to effect the necessary remedies without government or other intervention, especially so perhaps with the West Indies, since the contractors are new to the Canadian trade. It is hoped the necessary remedy will be applied in this way in the present instance.

At the same time I must not be forgotten that in clause fifteen of the contract it is definitely provided that the Canadian government has the power at any time to fix the maximum rate on any goods carried. Nor must it be forgotten either that this applies with equal force to West India goods also. Indeed with the freights charged the West In-

LOCAL NEWS

BOWLERS NOTICE

Victoria Bowling Academy re-commences tomorrow, (Thursday).

DELINQUENT HOME FOR GIRLS

The Maritime Home for Delinquent Girls at Truro was opened yesterday in an informal manner, the formal opening to be held in October. At two o'clock yesterday afternoon the board of governors met, and at four o'clock the institution was thrown open.

PIREMAN ASSISTED

A horse owned by William Scully had narrow escape from serious injury at today when the animal stepped on a nail.

SON KILLED

James McDermott of Moncton, a retired I. C. R. employe received a telegram this morning that his son Percy had been killed yesterday while shunting in the Jersey City yard of the Philadelphia, Lake Erie & Wheeling Railway. The victim was 21 years of age.

LINEN SHOWER

At the home of Mrs. E. B. Starkey, in Main street, last evening, a pleasant time was enjoyed at a linen shower given in honor of Miss Elizabeth Speirs, formerly of this city, but now resident in Columbus, Ohio.

THE WHEAT MARKET

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 2.—Wet weather in the spring crop belt, and official reports that the Canadian Northwest would not yield within 7,000,000 bushels of last year, had a bullish effect today on the wheat market here.

WAR NOTES

It is reported the Austrians are preparing to evacuate Lemberg, the capital of Galicia, now invested by Russian troops.

Broken Glasses Renewed Quickly

When you break your glasses you can get new lenses in the shortest possible time at Sharpe's.

Hints for the Cook

Mixed Eggs on Toast Melt 1 tablespoon of butter in a saucepan, beat in 1 tablespoon of flour; and add by degrees, stirring constantly, 1 pint of hot milk. Add 1 teaspoon of chopped parsley and season to taste with salt and pepper; then stir in 6 hard-boiled eggs chopped fine. Pour the mixture over buttered toast and serve hot.

Green Corn Fritters

Score green corn lengthwise, then with the full edge of the knife scrape out enough pulp to make 2 cups and add 1-3 teaspoon of salt, a few grains of white pepper and the beaten whites of 2 eggs. Stir 1/2 cup of flour with 1/2 teaspoon of baking powder, add the beaten whites of the eggs and enough sweet milk to make a soft batter, then add the corn mixture, beat thoroughly, drop from a spoon into deep hot fat, fry until brown, drain on soft paper and serve at once.

Red Raspberry Sherbet

Mash 1 quart of red raspberries, add 1 pint of sugar and the juice of 2 lemons; let stand 1 hour and press through a jelly bag. Add 1 quart of water, partly freeze, then add the beaten whites of 6 eggs and continue freezing until solid.

PARSON CHOWDER

Cut up and fry out 1-3 cup of fat salt pork. Add one onion chopped and stir until onion is browned. Add 1/2 cups parsnips cut in cubes. Salt and pepper to taste. Cover with water and cook until vegetables are soft, then add 1 pint of milk, 1 tablespoonful of butter, 1 cup of cracked crumbs and 2 teaspoonfuls of parsley chopped fine. Serve hot.

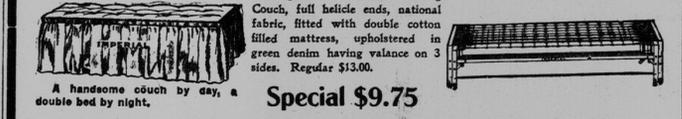
DELICATESSEN SPECIAL FOR WEDNESDAY

Potato Salad..... 15c. per lb. Blueberry Pies..... 25c. each Raspberry Pies..... 30c. each Meat and Chicken Individual Pies always on hand, and all kinds of Cooked Meat.

C. DENNISON, 61 Peters St. Phone 1906-42

SLIDING COUCHES

We have just received a large shipment of the famous Boston Couches which we are selling at the extremely low price of \$9.75



Complete Steel Frame Sliding Couch, full helide ends, national fabric, fitted with double cotton filled mattress, upholstered in green denim having valance on 3 sides. Regular \$13.00. Special \$9.75

Woven Wire Cots 2-6 x 6 From \$1.98 Up. Don't wait until these Boston Couches are sold out, which will be in a very short time at this special price, BUT PHONE MAIN 1873 AND HAVE ONE RESEVED FOR YOU. Do It Now!

J. MARCUS, 30 Dock St.

PERSONALS

Miss Alicia McManus left on Monday to attend St. Michael's Academy, Chatham, N. B.

Doctor George McMurray, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and his sister, Miss Regina are visiting in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Mooney, Orange street.

Miss Margaret Donahue, of the staff of the Malden hospital, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. James Donahue, Brussels street, for the last month, left last evening on her return to Malden.

Judge Barry came to the city today from Fredericton.

Miss Emma S. Emery, of 66 Sydney street, has returned home after a holiday trip to Niagara Falls and Chicago.

Mrs. T. J. Hollahan, of Townsend Harbor, Mass., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCoskey, St. John West, returned home by S. S. Governor Cobb last evening. She was accompanied by her mother.

Miss McGonigle, of Portland, Me., has returned home after a very pleasant visit with her friends, the Misses Connolly, now of Lancaster.

H. J. Gardner has returned from a visit to Europe. He came over on the steamship Letitia to Quebec.

THE BAPTIST MINISTERS

(Maritime Baptist) Rev. Maynard W. Brown, of Springfield, N. S., preached at Port Lorne last Sunday in the absence of Pastor Whitman.

Rev. Dr. Allen H. Spidle, pastor of the First Baptist church, Jewett City, Conn., spent part of his vacation in Nova Scotia.

Rev. W. H. Robinson and Mrs. Robinson, of Point de Bute, N. B., spent part of a pleasant vacation in the Annapolis Valley.

Rev. P. Clinton Reed of Bethany church, Sydney, was among the visitors to St. John last week.

Rev. Dr. E. M. Saunders of Halifax was the guest for a few days last week of Deacon and Mrs. A. J. Saunders of Tremont, N. S.

Rev. J. B. Ganong of North Sydney, conducted the services of the Lower Millstream churches last Sunday.

Rev. H. M. McCutcheon was among the callers at the Maritime Baptist office last week.

Rev. A. F. Newcomb of the Brunswick street church, Fredericton, is recovering from a severe illness.

Rev. New Wallace pastor of Trinity church, Brooklyn, N. Y. is spending part of his vacation at Westport, Digby Co., N. S.

Rev. George Kincaid of Hodgdon, Maine, has accepted a call to the Hartland, S. B., field.

Rev. L. J. Tingley, of Brookfield, N. S., has been called to the pastorate of Lower Millstream, Kings county, N. B.

Rev. I. B. Colwell, of Jemseg, called at the Maritime Baptist office last week.

Mr. Archibald J. Amos received the degree of Doctor of Science from the University of Philadelphia last week.

Rev. C. A. Tjader, formerly pastor at Penobscot, N. B., is now at his old home in Stockholm.

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TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

CAKE is our specialty. White bread and steamed brown bread, all kinds of home cooking, etc. LUNCH, 15 to 40 cents. Women's Exchange Tea and Lunch Room, 188 Union street.

TO LET—New flat, all improvements. Phone Main 789.

ROOMS with board, 62 Waterloo. 1898-9-10.

WANTED—At once, a chambermaid. Apply Edward Hotel 1896-9-3.

WANTED—Girl, reference, 8 City Road. 1897-9-10.

WIREMAN WANTED—Apply Knox Electric Co., 84 Dock street. 9-3.

BOY WANTED—Apply Geo. Aliston, 184 Queen street, West. 1892-9-4.

FOR SALE—Double Seated Carriage and harness, 180 Union street. 1890-9-10.

WANTED—A good barber. Apply E. P. Logan, 189 Charlotte street, City. 1891-9-10.

WANTED—A good strong boy, one used to horses. Apply P. E. Williams' Grocery, Charlotte street. 1892-9-4.

FOR SALE—No. 12 Self-feeder, Lincoln, almost new. Also other furnishings, 27 Richmond street. 1890-9-10.

TO LET—Two flats, new house, modern improvements, electric light, 115 Metcalf. Apply on premises. 1896-9-10.

YOUNG MAN WANTED to work in candy and soda booth at exhibition. Apply T. J. Phillips, 213 Union street. 1910-9-2.

HOUSE Wanted to purchase, Freehold. Convenient to city. Suitable for letting part. Near water and cars or I. C. R. State price and particulars to Carel, care Times. 1891-9-10.

FOR one week only, Send 69c. and receive by return mail one house dress, value \$1 to \$1.50. One only sent to each person. Send size to "Value," care Times. 9-9.

LOST—Hand Bag, on Saturday afternoon between corner Douglas Ave. and Fairview, containing keys, receipts and small sum of money. Finder can keep money if keys and receipts are returned. Please call at Phillips' Grocery, corner Douglas Ave. and Main. 1891-9-4.

THERE are one or two vacancies open in the Spinella Organization for educated, wide awake women, who want to earn money. Call Spinella Corset Factory, 66 Sydney street. 11.

NEW HOUSE, South Side Victoria street, two flats To Let, next to 116, all modern improvements, rent \$17 per month. Apply on premises or to C. D. Wasson, 200 Main street. 1896-9-10.

WANTED—Everybody wants dry kindling to light the fire. Try dozen bunches of our dry kindling at 55 cents, or three dozen bunches for \$1.50. J. S. Gibson & Co., Limited, No. 1 Union street, 6 1/2 Charlotte street, phone Main 2636. Coal at \$5.00 a ton upwards, open evenings. 1896-9-10.

FOR SALE—A ten dollar bill will buy two tons of winter Port Coal. This coal is mined in New Brunswick, therefore your money will continue to circulate in New Brunswick, a half ton sample delivered for \$2.75. J. S. Gibson & Co., Limited, No. 1 Union street, 6 1/2 Charlotte street, open evenings, telephone Main 2636. Try a paper bag at the grocers. 1894-9-10.

groom's present to the bride was a substantial clock, to the bridesmaid a ring set in pearls, and to the groomsmen, a stick pin. Many costly and beautiful presents were received, including a handsome parlor rocker, clock, and lamp from the family of the bride's aunt.

VALGARTIER.

(Quebec Chronicle.)

The selection of Valcartier, a beautiful little hamlet in the Laurentian Mountains, as the site of a concentration camp for the Canadian expeditionary force to Belgium, has a strange significance not generally known. Valcartier is a military settlement, founded nearly a century ago by soldiers of the British army. This is attested by the fact that in its little cemetery lie buried no fewer than nineteen veterans of Waterloo. Their descendants to this day are noted for their military bearing. How strange it seems that this secluded spot should have been by chance selected for gathering together an army of the youth of Canada, who will soon have an opportunity of doing their duty to the great Empire, whose protection has given us the peace and prosperity which we have enjoyed for a century, and perhaps upon the same ground of Waterloo fighting once more to free the people of Europe from military tyranny.