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F. B. Carvell Was Sworn In Today As Minister Of Works

Nova Scotia Representative to be Mr. Murray — Political Bits From Several Canadian Cities

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—It is practically certain that F. B. Carvell will be sworn in as a member of the government today.

A private wire received in the city this morning indicated that Mr. Carvell would today be sworn in as minister of public works, and that either Premier Murray or A. K. MacLean, of Nova Scotia, probably Mr. Murray, would also join the cabinet.

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—At 12.30 p.m. F. B. Carvell took the oath of office as minister of public works. Premier Murray, of Nova Scotia, will probably become Secretary of State next week.

COLD IN CHICAGO FOR GAME TODAY

Experts Expect Salles or Peritt for Giants and Cicotte or Russell for Sox to Pitch

Chicago, Oct. 13.—The weather today was less suggestive of a ball game than of starting the Christmas shopping early.

STEFANSSON NOT HEARD FROM SINCE MARCH LAST YEAR

Dawson, Yukon Territory, Oct. 13.—Commander Vilhjalmur Stefansson, noted explorer, has not been heard from since March, 1916, according to Bishop Stringer, who was here today after a five months' trip up the Arctic coast as far east as Cape Bathurst.

ONE NEW BRUNSWICKER IN THIS CASUALTY LIST

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—Casualties Killed in INFANTRY F. R. Pickford, Halifax.

BRIAND TO DEFENCE OF FRENCH DIPLOMACY

Paris, Oct. 13.—The diplomacy of France was defended eloquently by Premier Briand in the chamber of deputies today.

Troops Look For An Early Backward Move By Germans

New Feeling of Confidence Because of Successes Near Ypres—Terrible Artillery Fire Wrecks Enemy Nerve

WHY CECIL HAS REFUSED USE OF CABLES TO DUTCH

Germany Getting Material From Holland For War

SAND, GRAVEL AND METALS Large Quantities of Requisites For Concrete "Pill Boxes" Going to Germany via Belgium—No Cable Business Till This Stops

London, Oct. 13.—The prohibition of all commercial cable communication with Holland until such time as the Netherlands government places an absolute restriction on the transit of sand, gravel and scrap metals to Holland from Germany to Belgium, was explained to the Associated Press today by Lord Robert Cecil, the minister of blockade.

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Some Matters in Regard to Forms Cleared up—The Course to Pursue

Much confusion has arisen in regard to the forms of application for service or exemption to be filled in at the Post Office. The first form is an offer to report for service, the other is an application for exemption.

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MANY GERMANS KILLED WITH BAYONET YESTERDAY

Dogged British Advance in Face of Terrible Conditions in Addition To Enemy Resistance

British Front in France and Belgium, Oct. 12.—(By the Associated Press). All day the British have been fighting their way forward doggedly, foot by foot, over the mud-caked battle field northeast of Ypres.

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WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Sturdee, Meteorologist.

German Admission Of Very Great Losses

Particularly Heavy in Recent Fighting—Deluge of Rain All Last Night on British Front

Copenhagen, Oct. 13.—An unmistakable intimation of great losses sustained by the Germans in their attempts to stem the British attack is ascertained in the latest comment of Lieut. General Von Ardenne, military critic of the Tageblatt, of Berlin, on the Flanders campaign.

WAR BARONS MUST BE TAUGHT LESSON

London, Oct. 13.—Discussing the possibility for permanent peace after the war, Lord Robert Cecil, minister of blockade, told the Associated Press yesterday that the German military caste is not a profitable business.

Act of Bully Brought Out Deputation of Sailors—Men Shot For Refusing U-Boat Duty

Amsterdam, Oct. 13.—The first evidence of the recent mutiny in the German fleet was an act of insubordination aboard a battleship whose captain was notorious as a bully, according to information received by the Associated Press.

FOR TRADE BY SEA AFTER WAR

London, Oct. 13.—According to the Central News, the government intends to retain control of shipping, shipbuilding and kindred industries until one or two years after the war, instead of six months.

GENERAL ALEXIEFF ON RUSSIAN SITUATION

Petrograd, Oct. 13.—General Alexieff, former commander-in-chief of the Russian army, on his arrival at headquarters to obtain from the government instructions as to his mission to an inter-allied conference to be held in Paris, said to a representative of a Moscow newspaper that the conference would ascertain the exact strength of Russia, her comparative power and her attitude toward the other nations of the Entente.

ONE GOT EGGS; THE OTHER POTATOES

An annoying loss was suffered by a lady who arrived on this morning's train from Model Farm. She had a suit case which contained seven dozen eggs, among other products of the farm.

IRON DISCIPLINE IN GERMAN ARMY FAILING

London, Oct. 13.—A despatch from the British headquarters to Reuter's Limited, says that a prisoner from the 72nd German Infantry Reserve, in describing the discipline of his corps, declared that before the last battle a regimental commander addressed his troops with the warning that any who held back would be shot.

RECRUITS FROM STATES

Recruits from the United States are arriving in St. John in large numbers now. Yesterday forty-eight men arrived from St. Louis, one from Detroit and one from Spokane.