

Morning War Cables

Paris, Nov. 3.—Important conclusions are drawn from the evacuation of Fort Vaux, northeast of Verdun, by the Germans. The chief of these is the expressed belief that the Germans, considering the west front as now of comparatively secondary importance, intend to reduce their operations on the Verdun front to a minimum, and will direct their main energy with a view to a successful campaign against the Roumanians.

Rome, via London, Nov. 3.—In the zone from Gorizia to the Adriatic Sea the Italians have captured additional points of vantage from the Austrians and taken 3,498 more prisoners and guns, machine guns and quantities of arms and ammunition, according to the official communication issued today.

Violent fighting continues to mark the Austro-German attempts to penetrate the plain of Roumania south of Kronstadt and Hermannstadt and toward Bucharest. The stiff defense of the Roumanians is yielding slowly to the blows of Austro-German artillery and infantry about Predal, and Berlin announces further progress south of the border, for the time.

East of Predal, however, the Roumanians, advancing in the Buzze Valley, have driven the invaders back over the frontier in the region of Table Butte. They also have taken Mount Strid and Tatușu, along the Transylvanian border.

southeast of Kronstadt. South of Hermannstadt, in the region of Rothenthurm Pass, the Austro-Germans have extended their lines and captured an additional 350 prisoners. West of Rothenthurm and in the Prabhova Valley the Roumanians are holding their ground.

On the eastern front fighting has taken place east of Kovel, in Volhynia, and southeast of Lemberg, in Galicia. Berlin announces the repulse of seven Russian attacks against Austro-German positions on the left bank of the Nasayarka river, near Halyk, in Galicia, while Petrograd says the Russians have occupied part of their trenches on the west bank of the Stokhod, in the region of Klesien, in Volhynia. Near Lipnicadola in Galicia, the Russians have pushed back the Austro-Germans in some places.

General Fiset May Go

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—The logical choice for the post of deputy minister to the new minister of overseas forces, Sir George Perley, is regarded in military circles here to be General Eugene Fiset, the capable and energetic deputy minister of the department of militia, General Fiset's efficient work in directing the innumerable details of the administration of the Canadian war department during the past twenty-seven months is fully known only to the staff at Ottawa, who realize what has been done behind the spotlight.

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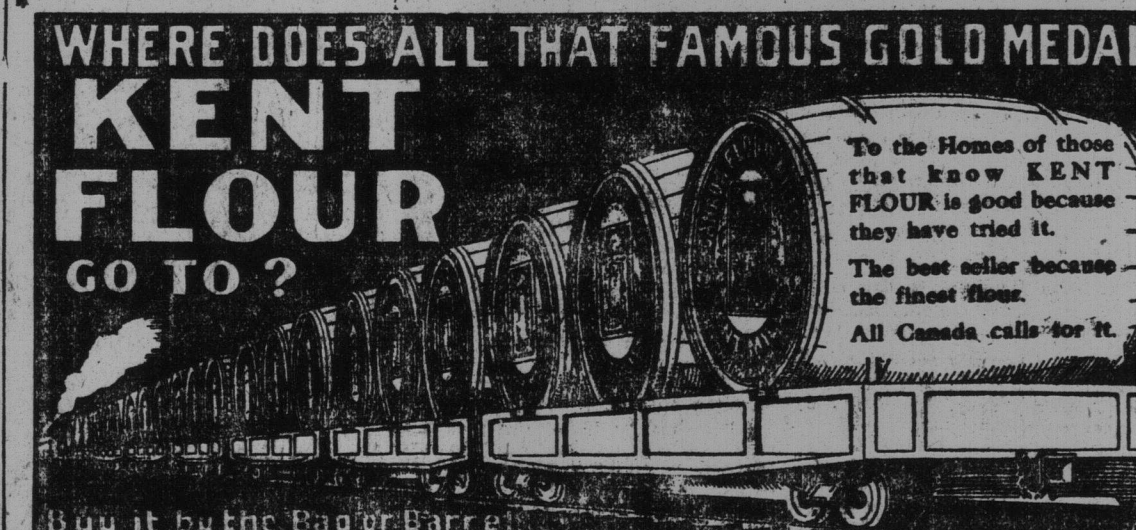


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HAGUE CONFERENCE BEFORE WAR CLOSES?

New York, Nov. 3.—The world's court league, of which William H. Taft is honorary president, announced here today the inauguration of a movement to organize an international council, with a view to calling a third Hague conference, perhaps before the close of the war. In the latter event the conference would be prepared to act as a medium for peace proposals. After the war it would serve as a permanent international council of conciliation for formulating and codifying new rules of international law.



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Sunday Schools In Convention

Representatives From City and County Hold Annual Session; C. R. Watson is New President

That there are 3,893 people attending Sunday school in four Protestant denominations in St. John city and county was brought out yesterday at the annual county convention of the St. John Sunday School Association, held in the Central United Baptist church. Of this number there is an average attendance of 3,024. The convention opened at 2:30 p.m. with fifty-nine registered delegates present. Sessions continued throughout the afternoon and evening; officers were elected at the evening session.

Rev. W. A. Ross led the round table conference, which proved both inspiring and interesting, and delivered the principal address of the afternoon session on "The County Goals for 1917." The convention later adopted the goal as outlined by Mr. Ross as its goal for the ensuing year. This brought the afternoon session to a close.

Evening Session.

The meeting convened again at 7:45. Mr. McPherson again had charge of the devotional exercises. President Arthur gave his report, which was along broad, general lines. He touched upon the utility of the Sunday School Institute in the provinces, and the work of the association at large.

Round table conferences, with Mr. Ross in charge, were resumed again in the evening. Rev. David Hutchinson, D.D., spoke on "The Teacher's Personal Work for His or Her Gain." The address was both inspiring and practical. Mr. Ross also gave another talk at the closing session, this time on "Aggressive Fighting." Rev. W. R. Robinson took up temperance and social work in the city and county, and gave some very interesting data on the work that is being done.

The nominating committee made its report at the following date, nominating by the committee, was unanimously elected, and later installed: Charles H. Watson, president; Robert Reid, first vice-president; J. W. Barnes, second vice-president; James E. Arthur, secretary; treasurer; C. G. Flewelling, recording secretary; elementary division superintendent; Mrs. W. C. Matthews; secondary division superintendent, Rev. W. H. Barracough; adult division superintendent, Alfred Burley; Miss B. Bowman, home department superintendent; religious department, Rev. J. H. A. Anderson; Rev. W. R. Robinson, temperance department; Rev. Gilbert Earle, mission department; Mrs. C. G. Flewelling, L.B.R.A.; additional members executive, Rev. Thomas Hicks, Rev. S. S. Poole, Rev. P. R. Hayward, Rev. F. P. Denison, Rev. F. H. Wentworth, A. M. Gregg, L. A. Belyea, William Kingston, J. B. Magee, L. H. Thorne; county delegates to provincial convention at Chatham, Charles R. Watson, James E. Arthur, Mrs. Robert Reid, Miss M. Stilwell, William Kingston; representatives on county advisory committee, Rev. W. H. Barracough, L. A. Belyea, M. H. Galle, finance committee, C. R. Watson, Robert Reid, L. H. Thorne, C. G. Flewelling, and James E. Arthur. Mr. Watson gave a report on the summer school at Sackville.

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SPECIAL NOTE—Dr. E. Sauer, a well-known physician who has studied widely in both this country and Europe, has been specially employed to make a thorough investigation into the real secret of the great strength, power and endurance of Jess Willard, and the marvelous value of nuxated iron as a strength builder.

NEW YORK—Upon being interviewed at his apartment in the Colonial Hotel, Mr. Willard said: "Yes, I have a chemist with me to study the value of different foods and products as to their power to produce great strength and endurance, both of which are so necessary in the prize ring. On his recommendation I have often taken nuxated iron and I have particularly advocated the free use of iron by all those who wish to obtain great physical and mental power. Without it I am sure that I should never have been able to whip Jack Johnson so completely and easily as I did and while training for my fight with Frank Moran, I regularly took nuxated iron, and I am certain that it was a most important factor in my winning the fight so easily."

Continuing, Dr. Sauer said: "Mr. Willard's case is only one of hundreds which I could cite from my own personal experience which proves conclusively the astonishing power of nuxated iron to restore strength and vitality even in most complicated chronic conditions."

Not long ago a man came to me who was nearly half a century old, and asked me to give him a preliminary examination for life insurance. I was astonished to find him with the blood pressure of a boy of 20 and as full of vigor, vim and vitality as a young man—in fact, a young man he really was, notwithstanding his age. The secret he said was taking nuxated iron daily from his youth with renewed life. At 80 he was in had health at 40 and was nearly all his now at 60 a miracle of vitality and his face beaming with the buoyancy of youth. As I have said a hundred times over iron is the greatest of all strength builders. If people would only throw away patent medicines and nauseous concoctions and take simple nuxated iron, I am convinced that the lives of thousands of persons might be saved who now die every year from pneumonia, grippe, consumption, kidney, liver and heart trouble, etc. The real and true cause which started their diseases was nothing more or less than a weakened condition brought on by lack of iron in the blood. Iron is absolutely necessary

to enable your blood to change food into living tissue. Without it, no matter how much or what you eat, your food merely passes through you without doing you any good. You don't get the strength out of it, and as a consequence you become weak, pale and sickly looking, just like a plant trying to grow in soil deficient in iron. If you are not strong or well, you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can walk, or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of ordinary nuxated iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous, run-down people who were all the while, double their strength and endurance and entirely get rid of all symptoms of dyspepsia, liver and other troubles in from ten to fourteen days' time simply by taking iron in the proper form. And this after they had in some cases been doctoring for months without obtaining any benefit. But don't take the old forms of reduced iron, iron acetate or tincture of iron simply to save a few cents. You must take iron in a form that can be easily absorbed and assimilated like nuxated iron if you want it to do any good, otherwise it will prove worse than useless.

Many an athlete or prize fighter has won the day simply because he knew the secret of great strength and endurance.

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and filled his blood with iron before he went into the arena, while many another has gone to ignominious defeat simply for the lack of iron.—E. Sauer, M. D.

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CLOSING MEETINGS OF THE CONVENTION

Gordon Rogers, of Ottawa, secretary to Dr. F. Montisambert, C.G.M., director general of public health and sanitary advisor of the dominion government, was the principal speaker at the last session of the New Brunswick Women's Institutes, yesterday afternoon in the German street Baptist church rooms. Dr. R. B. Hagerman, of East Florenceville, also gave a very interesting and helpful address. Mr. Rogers had for his subject Home and School Sanitation, while Dr. Hagerman spoke of Dental Education as Applied to Women's Institutes. Mrs. Elsie M. Fawcett, Upper Sackville, was the presiding officer in the afternoon. Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, who was to have spoken on "Women and

War" was unable to be present on account of a death in the family. Mrs. H. B. Peck, who spoke on behalf of Mrs. George McAvity, the president, thanked the institute members for their assistance in the work of the Soldiers Comfort Association, and invited them to visit the quarters of the association in German street. Mrs. Fawcett, speaking for Mrs. Powell, invited the delegates to visit the Soldiers' Club.

On a motion from the floor, that was quickly seconded, a vote of thanks was extended to all officers, to those who had read papers, and assisted in any way in making the convention such a help and so successful.

On behalf of a few members, Miss Celia Peck, of Hopewell Hill, presented Miss Hazel Winter, the supervisor of a bouquet of roses. Miss Winter responded very briefly, expressing her sincere thanks. Following this, questions taken from the question box were answered by members of the committee. The subjects

dealt with a variety of matters, all the way from asking whether a stricken measure should be used for measuring with a ten quart pail to "how could oil paintings be cleaned."

LABOR DELEGATES.

At the meeting of the trades and labor council last night, three delegates were appointed to attend the proposed meeting regarding recruiting and national service, to be held in St. John, namely J. L. Sugrue, C. J. Harrison and Hugh Beck. A committee composed of C. H. Stevens, ex. J. Sugrue, and C. Gus Langbein was appointed to attend the public meetings to discuss the assessment commission report. The matter of holding a mid-winter carnival was deferred to a later meeting. J. L. Sugrue was selected as trades and labor organizer for St. John and vicinity. The council resolved having received no replies to communications sent to city hall.



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