

GERMAN SUBMARINE TORPEDOES BRITISH CRUISER

ST. JOHN BOY FARMING FOR THE GERMANS

Private Edward Speight, Prisoner in Soltau, Hanover, Thinks War Cannot Last Much Longer.

Kriegsgefangenenlandung! This is not a German threat but a German word which adorns the top of an envelope enclosing a letter from Private Edward Speight of St. John, now in a Hanover prison, to his mother, Mrs. Lillian A. Speight, of 622 Main street. Private Speight enlisted in St. John in August, 1914. He was gassed and taken prisoner on April 25, 1915, at the battle of St. Julian. He is attached to a camp at Soltau, Hanover.

in his letter Private Speight writes: "I am well and hope you and all the family are still well. The weather is very nice here now. I was down to the river and had a good swim today. It was the first swim I had since I left St. John. There are about five hundred of the boys here.

"I am at another camp for a few weeks but my address will be the same as previously. We will go back again some fine day. If I get an opportunity to get my picture taken I will send it. Give my regards to all friends."

DOUBLE DROWNING NARROWLY AVERTED

Miss Annie Peters and Murray Latham Have Narrow Escape on River.

What might easily have been a double drowning occurred near Sand Point wharf, on the river, about noon Sunday afternoon. Those bathing there were Miss Annie Peters and Murray Latham, a returned soldier. Both were excellent swimmers, but Miss Peters took ill when wading in the water.

MARRIED.

Graham-Johnston. A very pretty wedding was solemnized in this city Thursday, July 26, when Miss Hazel Johnston, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnston, Gaspareaux Station, became the bride of Stanley W. Graham, of Marsden, Sask. The marriage took place at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Hammond Johnson, pastor of Queen Square Methodist church.

The bride, who was attended by her sister, Miss Sadie Johnston, of this city, looked charming in a tailored suit of navy blue with white picture hat and corsage bouquet of white carnations. Following the ceremony the happy couple proceeded to the home of the bride's parents at Gaspareaux Station, where they were tendered a reception, over fifty guests being present. Mr. and Mrs. Graham left yesterday for their future home in Marsden.

Mr. Graham is a New Brunswick boy who has made good in the west in wheat growing. The popularity of the young couple was shown by the numerous and costly gifts received and they will be followed to their new home by the best wishes of a host of friends.

TROAS WINS MATCH RACE.

A large crowd of persons were present on Mooseneath Park yesterday afternoon to witness a much talked of match race between Troas, owned by T. Dryden, and the mare Helen Brown, owned by William McDonald. The Dryden horse was driven by W. Hood, while Wm. Sherron guided the mare. The match was for two hundred dollars a side, and the track put up an additional fifty dollars for the winner. In addition to this amount a large number of side bets changed hands.

Troas appeared to have little difficulty in winning the match in three straight heats. The first heat was won by Troas in 2:27, the second in 2:27, and the final in 2:29.

In addition to the match race there was an event for Class A horses, there being three starters. The result was as follows:

Class A.	2 13 11
Earl Peck	1 3 2 2
Case Booth	3 3 1 2 3
Time—2:26, 2:24 1/2, 2:27, 2:29.	
Starter, James Pullen.	
Judges, John O'Neill, John Power and D. Connolly.	
Time, George Clark and Fred Kelly.	

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RECRUITING POOREST IN PROVINCE SINCE NOVEMBER 4TH, 1915

Forty Men Enlisted Last Week—Eighteen of This Number from United States—Ten Counties Failed to Enlist a Man.

The weekly report issued by the chief recruiting officer for the province indicates that there are but five counties in the province supplying reinforcements for the depleted units at the front. Last week was the poorest in recruiting since November, 1915. Out of forty, the total for the week, New Brunswick supplied but twenty-two men, the rest of the number came from the United States. The reason given by one military man for the falling off in enlistments in the province is on account of the few units now recruiting. There had been up until about two months ago about eleven different units in the recruiting field, but this number has since been reduced now to about half a dozen.

A tabulated list by counties follows: York County with eighteen men heads last week's list, but these men were mostly from the United States. The tabulated list by counties follows:

York County	18
25th Battalion	14
No. 2 Forestry Company	3
C. A. M. C. Draft	1
St. John County	5
5th Field Ambulance Depot	4
No. 2 Forestry Company	3
62nd O. S. Draft	1
Kings County	5
No. 2 Forestry Company	3
Charlotte County	1
Northumberland County	1
Home Service	1
Carleton County	1
Victoria County	1
Madawaska County	1
Albert County	1
Restigouche County	1
Queens and Sunbury	1
Kent County	1
Westmorland County	1

Total for week ending July 23, 1917, the eighteen recruits shown for York County for the week sixteen were secured in the United States.

HEAVY DEMAND ON THE BOSTON BRITISH FUND

Families of Those Who Enlisted in New Brunswick Killies Make Daily Appeals for Aid.

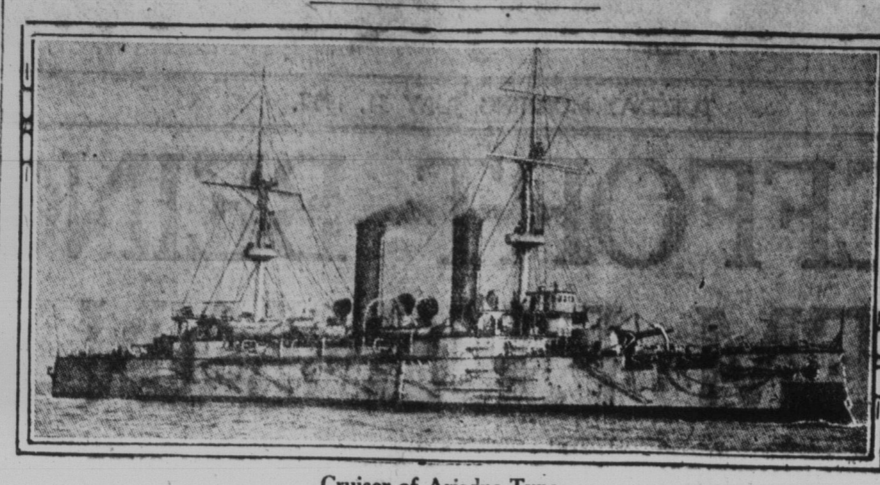
Boston, July 30.—Claims have been coming in faster than ever before, said City Councilor Walter Ballantyne of the British Imperial Relief Fund of New England, today. In three weeks he has passed on new claims from 132 families, totaling 425 dependants. In four weeks we have paid out above \$3,000.

The recent recruiting activities of the Killies have been the cause of a large part of this increase. We are daily receiving appeals from the families of the Killies. Though there is a patriotic fund of several millions for relief work in Canada, not a dollar of it can be spent outside of the Dominion.

It was announced yesterday that Wednesday afternoon the Henry Jewett Players will give a benefit performance at the Copley Theatre of the English war play, "The Man Who Stayed Home," for the fund.

COUNTY TAXES. The tax collector of Parish No. 1 and Simonds will be at the County Treasurer's office on Wednesday to accommodate those who desire to pay their taxes and save the discount. The parish collector will be at the office in Fairville on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings for the same purpose.

BRITISH CRUISER ARIADNE TORPEDOED



Cruiser of Ariadne Type. London, July 30.—The British cruiser Ariadne, of 11,000 tons has been torpedoed, and sunk, according to an official statement issued today by the British Admiralty.

The Ariadne, which once visited St. John, was built in 1899. She carried an armament of sixteen six-inch guns and had a speed of twenty-one knots.

MEMORABLE APPEAL TO WOMEN OF UNITED STATES BY WILSON

Urges That Energetic Steps Be Taken to Avoid Threatened Loss of Vast Amounts of Perishable Fruits and Vegetables in 24 States of Union.

Washington, July 30.—A memorable appeal from President Wilson to the women of the Nation, whether living in city, town or country, has been issued through Secretary of Agriculture D. P. Houston, to take immediate steps to avoid a threatened loss of vast amounts of perishable fruits and vegetables, especially in 24 states that have asked governmental assistance and information on the subject of "How Housewives May Immediately Start Canning, Preserving, Pickling, Drying and Storing."

The President's Letter. "Mr. Secretary and Gentlemen of the Committee: I very earnestly desire to commend your plans and to second your efforts to secure the conservation of such staples of perishable food products. Out of the depths of their patriotism the farmers of the Nation gave an immediate and effective response to my appeal to increase production. Providence favored them and we have not only the prospect of increased crops of a number of staples, but also the certainty of a large production of fruits and vegetables, important as it is, is only a part of the solution of the food problem. It is of the first importance that we take of what has been raised and make it available for consumption. The task is of peculiar urgency with reference to our perishable farm products. It is essential that the Department of Agriculture redouble its efforts to assist producers in the matter of marketing.

"I am informed that in many sections in which fruits and vegetables have been produced in abundance there have been produced in abundance and drying them in large quantities. But we should be content with nothing short of the perfection of organization and the necessity of avoiding waste. Every bushel of potatoes properly stored; every pound of vegetables properly put by for future use; every jar of fruit preserved, add that much to our insurance of victory, and that much to hasten the end of this conflict. To win we must have maximum efficiency in all directions. We cannot win without complete and effective concentration of all our efforts.

"We can all aid by increasing our consumption of perishable products. Such of them as we can efficiently utilize we must utilize and by so doing relieve the strain on our limited staples. We must aim to consume these things locally so far as possible and thus relieve the pressure on transportation agencies, freeing them for the more efficient handling of products required for military purposes. What we cannot presently consume we must conserve.

"The service we are asking the public to render in this matter is a public service. It is one primarily for the household. Upon the housewife much of the burden of the task will fall. I join you in your appeal to the women of the Nation, whether living in a city, town or country, to do their part, so far as it may be possible and necessary to the performance of this very essential work. Among them some will be found who are fitted by experience to teach others, and they will put their knowledge wholeheartedly at the service of their neighbors.

"I am sure that we may confidently count upon the cooperation of the editors of the Nation in disseminating the necessary information. I am equally certain that the governors and the food committees appointed by them in states in which this problem is urgent will lend nothing undone to attack it promptly and to assist in solving it.

"Faithfully yours, Woodrow Wilson." A. Y. M. C. A. Conference. An important gathering will be held from August 11 to September 1 at Lake Couchiching on the boys' work secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Canada. The war has created a number of difficult problems in connection with the association, and plans will be made during the conference to meet this situation. A. M. Greig, boys' secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., expects to leave for the conference on the 6th of August.

Mr. F. L. Smith, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. leaves today for his home in Annapolis, where he will spend a month's well earned vacation.

MAN YERMAN LOATH TO PART WITH GOLD

German Newspapers Publish Notices Entreatng Citizens to Aid the Fatherland.

(By Cable to the Associated Press.) Amsterdam, July 30.—The daily recurring public notices printed in conspicuous type in German newspapers entreatng citizens to aid the fatherland by giving their gold evidently is insufficient of productive results. The Weser Zeitung, of Bremen, publishes a renewed appeal, complaining especially that the well to do public still fails to realize the situation and that all gold must be handed in. The newspaper cites examples of members of the German imperial and royal princely houses sacrificing their gold and jewelry and says competent authorities calculate that three to four hundred million gold coins are being obstinately hoarded in Germany, while the value of gold ornaments is estimated at a billion marks.

The Weser Zeitung says the public often asks whether gold cannot be loaned instead of given to the German imperial bank. The answer is no, because the law demands gold as a cover for paper money and that it must be in bars or coin. The public again is urged to yield jewels of all kinds, which realize good prices abroad and are most useful for credit purposes there.

A frontier correspondent of the Telegram reports that all privately owned gold ornaments and jewels in Westphalia have been requisitioned this week and must be handed over to the banks.

BOSTON BRIDE IS STRANGLER IN NEW YORK

Mrs. Richard Lang, Former Department Store Girl, Murdered in Hotel in U. S. Metropolis.

Boston, July 30.—Mrs. Richard Lang who was strangled to death in a New York hotel Saturday by Kenelou C. Winslow, according to admission to the police, was the daughter of Mrs. Rudolf Marsoff of 129 Hutchings St., Roxbury. Her maiden name was Frances King. She was born in the West End of Boston about 22 years ago and attended the public schools in that section. Some few years ago the family removed to Roxbury.

Mr. Lang's relatives here received the first intimation of the tragedy in a message delivered to them by the Boston police. Mrs. Marsoff is prostrate with grief.

Friends of the slain woman in this city say they do not know Winslow, who is held on a charge of murder. After leaving school in Boston Miss King worked in department stores. She left for New York about five months ago and returned to this city about three months ago. Upon returning to New York after a short visit she was married to Mr. Lang, a New Yorker. The marriage ceremony is said to have taken place in New York. According to relatives of the woman here the couple were happy.

RED SOX MANAGER JOINS THE NAVY

Jack Barry Enrolled as Third Class Yeoman in Naval Reserve.

Boston, July 30.—Manager Jack Barry of the Red Sox has enrolled as a third-class yeoman in the fourth-class Naval Reserve, Coast Patrol. He passed the physical examination and then was formally enrolled at the office of Commander George G. Mitchell, enrolling officer.

It is believed at the Navy Yard that Manager Barry will volunteer for general sea service after the baseball season is over.

Tie Care

A man who has a care for his appearance must remember that the incidentals of dress require just as much consideration as the essentials. In fact, more so, for the selection of a tie, a pin or a vest, display a man's degree of good taste and acquaintance with the unwritten laws which mean "good form."

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tion that all public gatherings were to be stopped and the churches closed until the outbreak is entirely wiped out.

KENT COUNTY CAT ADOPTS RABBITS

Tabby Lost Kittens and Finds Substitutes.

Mr. Frank Hazen of Coatsville, Kent Co., is the owner of a cat which adopted a couple of young rabbits which she rearing in lieu of the kittens taken from her. The feline had three kittens which were drowned in order to keep the cat population under control. A few days after the kittens disappeared it was found that the mother cat had replenished her nest in the barn with two baby rabbits which it is supposed she brought in from the nearby woods.

DEATHS.

BAILEY—Entered into rest, on the 29th, inst. Charles Oliver Bailey, leaving his wife, two sons and one daughter to mourn. Funeral from his late residence, 124 Duke street this afternoon, service at 2:30 o'clock.

JONES—Died at Baltimore, July 28. Major F. Caverhill Jones, third son of the late Stimson Jones, Esq. Notice of funeral later. No flowers by funeral at 3 o'clock this afternoon from Trinity church.



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London, July 30.—The Times correspondent at the Russian southern headquarters, after describing the operations and panic of the British troops, says General Korniloff's forces have been approved and that he is executing deserters by wholesale.

Continue to Win.

London, July 30.—The Round war office statement reads: "On the 27th, between the valleys of Cap-Putin; we again advanced some meters and occupied the village of Sova, Dragoslav, Negriest, Valoanars and Colcut. We captured and some motor boats and war material."

Kereszky Wounded? Geneva, July 30.—The correct of a Budapest paper telegraphed date July 22: "On the Brzeany front for some time we came in contact with the Russian forces. The Russian women flying the red flag fought with extraordinary frequency counter-attacks led by women officers. Near any, according to prisoners, they were severely wounded in the Russian infantry division retreated and began retreating. The Russian artillery, furious at the departure of their guns on the 17th, threw their shells at the Russian prisoners and some motor boats succeeded in stopping the flight, though wounded."

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THE CARD

His Eminence, Mgr. Makes Statement in relation Catholic, Officially.

Quebec, July 30.—In an on conscription given to the Catholic, the official organ of the Catholic church in Quebec, Mgr. Begin says: "As regards the only this congregation law which causes the Canadian the worst apprehensions. This military service, as posed, or at least as we are judge from the speeches it merits its discussion have p only a serious blow to the Church of Christ, in its its domain and whose laws exempt the clergy and nates from the service un but also it (conscription) lutes a fatal obstacle to the ing of ministers of God, sh souls as well as to that of clerical teachers and, the

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