

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY & STEAMERS

Kentville Time Table effective Nov. 1st 1915. (Service daily except Sunday) LEAVE Express for Halifax 6:00 a.m. Express for Yarmouth 10:18 a.m. Express for Halifax 4:00 p.m. Accom for Halifax 12:00 p.m. Accom for Annapolis 3:00 p.m. Accom for Kingsport 11:00 a.m. Accom for Kingsport 4:05 p.m. ARRIVE Express from Halifax 10:10 a.m. Express from Yarmouth 3:57 p.m. Express from Halifax 6:10 p.m. Accom from Halifax 2:15 p.m. Accom from Annapolis 11:35 a.m. Accom from Kingsport 8:55 a.m. Accom from Kingsport 2:35 p.m. Accom. fm Kingsport, Sat. only 5:52 p.m.

Midland Division

Trains of the Midland Division leave Windsor daily (except Sunday) for Truro at 7:05 a.m., 5:10 p.m., and 7:50 a.m. from Truro for Windsor at 6:40 a.m., 3:30 p.m., and 12:30 p.m. connecting at Truro with trains of the Intercolonial Railway and at Windsor with express trains to and from Halifax and Yarmouth. Buffet parlor cars run daily (except Sunday) on Mail Express trains between Halifax and Yarmouth.

Canadian Pacific Railway To ST. JOHN and MONTREAL (via Digby) (Daily Sunday excepted) S. S. YARMOUTH leaves St. John 7:00 a.m., arr. Digby 10:15 a.m. Leave Digby 1:50 p.m., arr. St. John 5:00 p.m. making connections with the Canadian Pacific trains at St. John for Montreal and the West. Trains run on Atlantic Standard time

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Steamers of the Boston and Yarmouth S. S. Co., sail from Yarmouth for Boston after arrival Express train from Halifax and Truro, Wednesdays and Saturdays.

R. U. PARKER, Genl. Passenger Agent GEORGE E. GRAHAM, General Manager

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From London From Halifax Dec 28 Kanawha Dec 28 Rappahannock Jan 7 Dec 31 Shenandoah Jan 21

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NOTICE

Spring is here! Get your chimneys cleaned before it is too late, as most of the fires originate from dirty chimneys. Just send a card to BUSH BROS., Kentville

Bee Keepers Supplies

Best grade of Bee Keepers Supplies can be obtained from the undersigned. Write, phone or call. Gordon S. PINKO Chipman Corner Aug. 1st

The price of all grades of flour has advanced 20 cents per barrel.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Canadian Troops Transported Safely.

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—The transportation of Canadian soldiers both in Canada and on the ocean has been remarkably free from accident or mishap. By rail 25,000 men have been transported with only one fatal accident, that of a man who fell from a train enroute to Valcartier. A total of 121,993 men have been transported by ocean, including 1,290 to Bermuda and St. Lucia, and 1,871 who have been brought back from the front.

A SURPRISED MINISTER

"Many years I have been a sufferer from bronchial catarrh, and had despaired of anything like a cure. Judge of my pleasant surprise when I first used Hyomei, which brought complete relief. Hyomei has been a veritable godsend."—Rev. Charles Hartley, Sardinia, Ohio. Thousands of catarrh sufferers have given up in despair. They have tried stomach dosing, snuff, sprays and douches without success, and now believe catarrh to be incurable.

But J. D. Clark, druggist, holds out hope to all distressed. He sells a remedy called Hyomei which is guaranteed for catarrh, colds, coughs, bronchitis, asthma and croup. Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) is medicated air, full of the healthy virtues of the mountain pines. You breathe in the delightful antiseptic air, and as it passes over the inflamed and germ ridden membrane, it allays the inflammation, kills the germs, and drives out the disease.

A complete Hyomei outfit, including a hard rubber inhaler, costs but \$1.00, and an extra bottle of Hyomei, if afterwards needed, costs but 50 cents. See J. D. Clark about it today.



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NOTICE

All bills due me must be settled by Feb. 1st, 1916. After Dec. 31st, 1915 all blacksmith work will be strictly cash.

S. R. JACKSON, Canard, N. S.

Rev. O. E. Steeves, pastor at Billtown, who has been residing at Wolfville is moving his family to Billtown.

Homes Wanted for Boys and Girls. H. Stairs, Agent, Children's Aid Society, Kings Co. 41.

WILL THE COLORED MAN BE EXEMPT FROM CONSCRIPTION

"Conscription" seems to be the word becoming most prominent at the present. We have heard a good deal said about it but perhaps have not realized how near we may be to it. The Morning Chronicle announces that Great Britain has now decided upon it; and it may not be long before the Colonies adopt the same. In the face of this stringent measure it is to be wondered how it will go with the colored man. If he has been rejected by discriminations of race it will be interesting to watch the procedure of the authorities—in a case of conscription. It is evident to every intelligent and unbiased mind that the trenches are as much for the colored man as for those already there. We know this to be a fact. But this question now to be noted is what course do the authorities propose to take in this matter? Will the colored man be placed under conscription only to be rejected; or will he be exempt entirely? They may as well not enlist him as to do so and then finally dispose of him unjustly.

As far as the writer has knowledge the Minister of Militia does not or could not rightly discard the colored man's service. He simply says "there will be no color line in the Canadian service," and that by no means debars the colored man. We see that it is the sub-authorities drawing the line. And it is to be hoped that it may be quickly "ruled up." If conscription proves to be the order of the day, let us watch and see how it fares with the colored man. To ask him to go, to force him to go would be quite right. But to discriminate by rejecting his service, the answer is left to honest opinion. That stigma of pride, that bugbear of prejudice, would seem of more importance than the destiny of a nation. Of course, we know that the trenches are not a place to be desired. But in view of the present situation it is the imperative duty of every qualified man to be there, and by the appearance of affairs just now they will be there, providing that their service is not better required elsewhere. It looks like conscription were coming; and "boys" you may as well get ready; regardless of creed or color. The Huns have no respect of persons; they fear not God, neither do they regard man. And in order to repulse a nation of this sort it is necessary to aside all partiality and domestic feelings and rally every man to the flag for the honor of his King and country. There are foes to overcome more formidable than Huns and if the fact is overlooked we will surely defeat our aims. So let us be fair, and let us be square, for the war is not over with yet. And it is hard to tell what we may be up against before it is through. The writer fancies if he were at the front he could pull a trigger and strike a blow as hard as the next fellow. But it is not likely that he will get there.

"Uncle Sam" adopted a good plan by enlisting the colored man in his service, and perhaps it is as well for him that he did, when we come to consider that there are more colored people in the United States than the entire population of Canada. For the benefit of any who may not be familiar with the true character of the colored man and would doubt his ability as a qualified citizen the following extract from the Philadelphia Public Ledger is quoted: "Colored people now own property worth at least \$600,000,000, whereas forty years ago they were in poverty. From the last census report I quote as follows: There were in the United States in 1900 746,717 farms operated by colored men of which 716,514 were improved by buildings. These farms contained 38,233,933 acres or 59,741 square miles an area equal to that of New England. The total value of these farms was \$499,943,784. Quoting the

census again there were in 1900 among colored people 82 bankers and brokers, 50 architects and designers, 236 artists, 212 dentists, 185 electricians, 120 civil engineers and surveyors, 210 journalists, 19 Government officials, 723 lawyers, 1,737 physicians and surgeons, 393 stenographers, 475 book-keepers, 15,580 clergymen, 21,268 teachers, 156,370 farm owners, 1,311 stock raisers, 1,186 manufacturers and officials in manufacturing establishments, 149 wholesale merchants. This only begins the list, but, in view of the fact that these people were slaves less than a half century ago, the record is remarkable."

EDGAR M. H. DAVID, Church Street, Dec. 30th, 1915.

Germans Driven Out By French

Paris, Dec. 29.—The War Office issued the following communication tonight: "In Belgium and Artois the artillery displayed actively on both sides in the course of the day. To the north of the Aisne we destroyed, by our fire, machine gun shelters, and dispersed workers around Villeau Bois.

"In the Argonne we exploded two mines near Hill 285. To the north of La Fille Morte a small German post was blown up.

"On the heights of the Meuse the fire of our artillery on a German battery located in the Warming wood, northeast of St. Mihiel, following the instructions of our aviators, gave the best results.

"In the Vosges a rather spirited cannonade occurred at diverse points of the sector, especially between the Fecht and the Thur. It was very violent in the region of Hartmann-Weilerkopf.

"Notwithstanding the violent counter-attacks of the enemy, the action commenced yesterday left us at the end of the day, masters of a serious of German works established between Reffels and Hirsstein, and have been added to the trenches lost by the enemy.

"The number of Germans who have fallen into our hands since yesterday has reached 300. The total number of uninjured prisoners taken since the beginning of these operations is 1,668. Prisoners say that the German losses in the course of our attack of December 21 and the following days were large.

"The Belgian official communication reads: 'To the north and to the south of Dixmude our shelling of the enemy machine gun shelters has given the best results. Our batteries destroyed the parapets of German fortified works at the Chateau de Woumen and near Luyghme.'

Recruiting on Christmas Week.

The festive holiday season saw quite a falling off in enlistments in the province last week, as far as reported only giving 133 recruits, Kings Co. stands among the first showing that the heather is on fire here and good work is being done in recruiting. Already there are 110 or more drilling at Kentville, and this county has a number now drilling at Windsor with the 112th there and quite a number from Kings have joined the 63rd, 66th at Halifax.

For the week Cape Breton has a long lead with 38 recruits Halifax and Cumberland, 14 each, Kings 13, Hants 11, Colchester 10 and other counties less.

May Bring About a Rupture

Advices received from Vienna though not from any official source as published by a prominent journal says the impression prevails in Austro-Hungary governmental circles that the forthcoming reply to the second American note regarding the Anconia sinking will bring about a diplomatic rupture with the United States.

Fighting Around The Garden of Eden

That a British force of 17,000 men has pushed its way 500 miles up the Tigris River from the Persian Gulf to the neighborhood of Bagdad is one of the surprising incidents of the great war. What the object is, if not to cut communication between India and Constantinople or embarrass the German control of the Bagdad railway, is not disclosed by the news despatches. Bagdad is a city of 100,000, situated on the Tigris River, distant twenty-five miles from the Euphrates. A railway is under construction connecting with Constantinople probably fifteen hundred miles distant. It is hemmed in by the Persian mountain on the east on the west. In remote times well cultivated and densely populated, its ancient irrigation works have long since fallen into ruin. Though claimed by some as the site of the Garden of Eden, it no longer corresponds with the modern notion of paradise. The conquest reported may renew British interest in the short route to India by fast ships in the Mediterranean and Persian Gulf connected by a railway across Arabia.

and by the great Arabian desert

Presentation to Bank Manager.

W. Cook, who has for over twenty years managed the Bank of Nova Scotia branch at Aylesford, has been transferred to the branch at Bridgetown, where he will be manager. His departure from Aylesford was much regretted, and on Thursday night a number of friends gathered at the home of L. R. Fairn, and during the evening, he was tendered a fitting presentation address, accompanied by a gold ring, a token of the respect and admiration of his friends. He made a fitting reply, expressing his regret that the course of his career would not permit his lingering in Aylesford, where he had found true hospitality and friendship. He left yesterday for Bridgetown, Mr. McLachlan, of Montreal, being the new Manager. Mr. Cook spent some time in Halifax in the Bank of Nova Scotia's head office branch, and is well known by a large number here who will be glad to know of his promotion.—Exchange.

66th Battalion.

The above Battalion has been enlisting during the last month to raise 250 men for the Overseas unit. All but 30 men have been raised and these will be forthcoming at once.

Among the number are the following from Kings County: Arthur Burgess, Upper Dyke Village. A. Dakin, Wolfville. S. D. Neiforth, Wolfville.

Elsewhere will be found the names of other recruits to 66th from this County joining on Tuesday.

10,000 Refined Women Call for War Work.

London, Dec. 26.—There are nearly 10,000 highly educated women in England who have registered for war work under the Federation of University Women. Among the new positions open to educate women that have been supplied by the Federation are the post of draughtsman in an aeroplane factory, due to a knowledge of the higher mathematics; of expert accountant in an insurance office because of cleverness at figures, and supervisionships to trained social workers. A good part of the women registering have offered their spare time only, and it is hard to find jobs for those wanting to work portions of days or alternate days. The secretary of the Federation explains also that employers whose male workers have enlisted have a tendency to undercut the old wage, and test women do not wish to shave the wages of the men.