

Local and Other Items

Colonel Blondin, Post Master General, who has been at the front with his Battalion has left for Canada.

According to Petrograd messages to London, the food situation in Petrograd is desperate. Riots are taking place daily and are being repressed by the Bolsheviks with the aid of machine guns.

Philip Johnston was found guilty, in Winnipeg, of murder in the first degree on June 27, for the shooting of constable Bernard W. Snowden on the night of April 5 and was sentenced to be hanged on the morning of Sept. 27.

Washington advices of June 27 say Belgium, on that day was given another credit by the United States Government of nine million dollars, bringing the total loan to that country up to \$131,800,000 and the total to the Allies to \$205,981,590,000.

Colonel Gilbert DeLafayette, who was serving as a sergeant in the French artillery, was killed during the fighting in Champagne on June 12, according to the Paris edition of the New York Herald. He is the third descendant of General Lafayette who has met death in this war.

In Toronto, at the request of the provincial organization of resources committee, the registrars of central Toronto examined all mail registration cards, sorting out all those that indicated farm experience. To their great surprise, the sum total was 9,000. Apparently there is no lack of farm labor.

In New York city, on June 23, names of ten thousand idlers, affected by the anti-loafing law, operative on July 1st, were listed. The list was compiled from information furnished in letters from neighbors of alleged loafer liars, race track "tubs" etc. The police declare that no further warnings shall be issued and anyone found and not able to show that they had applied for work shall be arrested.

The feast of St. Peter and St. Paul was observed in St. Dunstan's Cathedral on Sunday last, by a solemn high Mass at 11 o'clock. Rev. Father Poirier of St. Dunstan's College was celebrant, Rev. Maurice McDonald was deacon and Rev. William V. McDonald sub-deacon. The ceremonies were in charge of Rev. Father McGuigan, recently ordained. The sermon of the occasion was preached by Rev. Father McGuigan. His text was from the Gospel of the day and his discourse was excellent in matter and form. This was the Rev. gentleman's first sermon since his ordination, and it was in a high degree creditable to the young priest.

Monday, Dominion Day, was generally observed as a public holiday in this city. Business was almost at a stand still and the city was to a very great extent, abandoned. Very few citizens were observed on the streets; even the soldiers, now quartered here, were remarkable for their absence. A large number of them had obtained furlough for a short visit to their homes. Many people left by the early trains for Summerside where horse races were carried out. The day, in the Western Capital, was not very agreeable, as a drizzle of rain continued for a great portion of the time. The usual fishing excursions took place and, no doubt, the usual number of fish stories followed.

Major W. A. Bishop V. C. D., S. O., Canada's premier air man and pilot, who has the largest number of air victories to his credit of any air man in the war has returned to England from France to take up an appointment in the air ministry at the department of the Chief of Air Staff. Major Bishop's recall was ordered by Lord Weir, Air Minister, at the special request of Sir Edward Kemp Canada's Overseas Minister of Militia and Defence, as it was considered Major Bishop should be placed in a position where his unique war experience could be utilized to the best advantage, especially in regard to any development which may take place regarding the organization of the Canadian Air Force.

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Another air raid was mad on Paris on Saturday night last. None of the bombs, dropped from the several machines which attempted the penetration of the defences at 11.30 and 12.30 o'clock, fell on the city.

It is reported from Paris that there have been rebellious outbreaks among the garrison of the cities of Gayor and Pecs, Hungary. As a result of which some of the military, involved in the outbreak, have been condemned to death.

London advices of June 29 say that 20 German Air Planes were destroyed by British fighters over the western front on Thursday last. In addition 9 enemy air craft were forced to earth, out of control. The communication also stated that the British, themselves lost 14 machines.

The Washington food administration announced, a few days ago, that the wheat crop will be handled on a different basis, effective July 1st. \$1.10 maximum differential a barrel, between the price of wheat and the finished product, will be allowed millers. No speculation in wheat or flour will be permitted.

London advices of June 25 say that snow had fallen to a depth of from one to three inches in several parts of Germany and that havoc had been caused to the fruit trees by frost. The message says that the cold wave is regarded as an economic catastrophe. The same message says that Berlin and Hamburg experienced 4 days of uninterrupted rain.

The Miramichi fishermen, it is reported, are reaping a great harvest just now. The mackerel drifters are getting from one thousand to four thousand fish every night, and the salmon boats from 25 to 100. One boat came in the other day with 6,000 mackerel. She was loaded to the gunwale. Mackerel are sold at 5 cents each and salmon at \$1 each. The salmon average 10 lbs. Every man with a boat and nets is making a lot of money.

The first million tons of new ships built in the United States on contract for the shipping board is about ready to be delivered. In the last week of June the deliveries totalled 5 steel vessels with a dead weight total of 37,830, making the grand total of 1918 production 924,200 dead weight tons. Deliveries during the first three weeks of June average one ship a day with the aggregate carrying capacity of 125,992 tons.

The hospital ship Llandoverey Castle, torpedoed off the Irish coast, was well known at Halifax, she having made many trips there and brought back thousands of Canadian soldiers who were wounded at the front. Among the medicals on board were several Nova Scotians. Major Macdonald, the officer commanding, is a brother of Dr. H. C. Macdonald, dentist of that city. The matron was nursing sister Margaret Fraser, of Moosejaw, Sask., youngest daughter of the late Hon. D. C. Fraser, former Lieut-Governor of Nova Scotia. Also on board was sister Gallagher, of Ottawa, formerly Supt. of the Moosejaw Hospital; and Miss Rena McLean, daughter of Senator McLean, of Souris.

It is reported from Toronto that Canada is to have another new and interesting industry. The line to be manufactured is automatic revolvers for the United States army. Originally the business was offered to the Maxwell Motor Car Co. but as the order was so extensive and the latter company so busily engaged in other war work, it was ultimately found necessary to organize another new company. Russell interests are largely represented and the company will be known as the North American Arms Co. Ltd. and will be capitalized at \$2,000,000. The manufacturing will be carried on in the old Ross Rifle plant, in Quebec which has been secured from the Dominion Government for the purpose. It will be some months yet before the plant may be in active operation.

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The largest steel vessel built in Canada, 8,800 was launched at Vancouver on Dominion Day.

An explosion occurred in the national shell filling factory in the Midlands, England on Monday night it was officially announced today. Between sixty and seventy persons lost their lives.

The Belgian steamer Chiller was sunk four hundred miles off the Atlantic coast on June 21, the Washington navy department has announced. Twenty-five survivors were picked up by a sailing vessel on June 27.

Sir Robert's Dominion Day Message

London, July 1.—Sir Robert Borden gives the following Dominion Day message: "Another anniversary of Canadian Confederation comes to us in these solemn days, but finds our Dominion still strong and resolute in its purpose of standing side by side with the other nations of the empire in the world welter of this supreme struggle. Moreover it finds Canadians confident of the ultimate triumph of the Allied cause. The enormous and varied resources of our Empire are being thoroughly and effectively organized and mobilized to insure that triumph in the utilization of those resources through the aid applied by science. There has been a marked and impressive advance since I left those shores fourteen months ago. The purpose of the enemy was to attain a decisive victory by relentless and cruel use of the submarine. That purpose has failed, and we also hold the command of the air, we wrested it from him. In each instance the best brains of the Empire were employed, and the lesson need not stop there. Now Germany hopes to attain her end by striking with full force, while Russia is helpless and before the power of the United States can be expected. We believe this hope will prove equally vain. France and Britain bar the way. Before this message is made public, the enemy may renew his offensive, and Canadian forces may undergo a test as severe as we have ever encountered. That they will meet it worthily and splendidly we do not doubt. They hold Canada's first battle line, and their country bids them God-speed in the glorious endeavor."

DIED.

FLOOD—In this city on June 27th, 1918, Francis Flood, aged 45 years. R.I.P.

HIGGINS—At the Charlotte-town Hospital June 25th, Luke Higgins aged 87 years. R. I. P.

BUCHANAN—At the Provincial Infirmary on June 24th 1918, Alexander Buchanan.

KIELY—At Emerald on 21st June, 1918, Annie, beloved wife of Patrick Kiely, aged 65 years.

MAY—At the Charlottetown Hospital, on June 29th, 1918, Harriet May, eldest daughter of the late Robert May, senior, aged 71 years.

TANTON—On the 26th inst. at the residence of her sister, Mrs. W. N. Tanton, Charlottetown, Cassie Ida Farquharson, beloved wife of the late A. W. Tanton, aged 59.

Sir Robert Borden and his colleagues have gone to France.

Allied Unity,

A fine indication of the unity of purpose and resolve among the Allies is the intermingling of troops of the different nations. The two principal fronts, the French and the Italian, are being attacked by the enemy with all his force. If France were concerned with her own interests alone she would keep all her troops in France. If Italy had only selfish aims she would defend only her own front. But French and British troops are in Italy fighting with the Italians and Italian troops are standing shoulder to shoulder with the British, French, Americans and Belgians in France and Belgium. A further indication of the strength of this unity is the desire being expressed in the United States, particularly by the great American newspapers, that American troops be despatched to every theatre of war. It is being strongly urged that an American expeditionary force be sent to Italy. Not content with this, the Americans want to join Japan and China in blocking Teutonic encroachments upon Asia. What Mr. Lloyd George said at the banquet to the delegates to the Imperial Conference in London regarding the united purpose of the British Empire applies in large measure to all the Allies. The ties of common aim, sympathies and ideals hold the many British countries together. It is common aims and ideals that unite Britain, France, Italy, the United States and Japan against the ideal of Germany. Ottawa Journal Press.

Change of Time

Commencing Friday, June 28th, 1918, and until further notice, the Car Ferry Prince Edward Island will be withdrawn from service between Borden and Tormentine, and the S.S. Northumberland will be placed on the Summerside-Pr. du Chene route. Trains west will therefore be changed and run daily, Sunday excepted, as follows:

Leave Charlottetown 6.25 a. m., arrive Summerside 8.50 a. m., leave Summerside 12.20 p. m., arrive Tignish 6.05 p. m. Leave Charlottetown 4.00 p. m., arrive Summerside 7.20 p. m., leave Summerside 8.50 p. m., arrive Tignish 11.55 p. m. Leave Tignish 5.30 a. m., arrive Summerside 8.35 a. m., leave Summerside 9.10 a. m., arrive Charlottetown 11.55 a. m. Leave Tignish 12.05 p. m., arrive Summerside 5.35 p. m., leave Summerside 8.45 p. m., arrive Charlottetown 11.10 p. m. Leave Borden 6.20 a. m., arrive Emerald 7.20 a. m., arrive Charlottetown 10.15 p. m. Leave Charlottetown 12.15 p. m., arrive Summerside 4.10 p. m., leave Summerside 6.10 p. m., arrive Emerald Jct. 7.20 p. m., leave Emerald Jct. 9.45 p. m., on arrival of night train from Summerside and arrive Borden 10.45 p. m. Trains between Souris, Georgetown, Murray Harbor and Charlottetown will continue to run as at present. District Passenger Agent's Office, Charlottetown, P. E. I. July 3, 1918 li.

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