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THE EXPORT OF NICKEL

It seems to be generally admitted that, let it have come from where it will, a considerable portion of the cargo of the German undersea freighter Deutschland, consists of nickel. It is asserted that none of this nickel is of Canadian origin, but is produced in the United States. If this is a fact, then the public are now learning for the first time that the United States possesses any nickel deposits.

It has hitherto always been recognized that the entire world's supply of nickel is confined to Canada and the French Settlement of New Caledonia, and of this supply, four-fifths are found in this country. In view of the absolute necessity of nickel for making armour plate, big guns, etc., it is impossible to find language sufficiently strong in which to condemn the Ontario Government which a few years ago allowed the control of the nickel deposits to pass into the hands of a Yankee corporation, the International Nickel Company. The British Empire needs these nickel deposits, and they should be commandeered and made a State monopoly. At present the International Company is making enormous profits out of this nickel, profits which if the industry was made a State monopoly, would mean a tremendous reduction in the taxation the people of Canada now have to pay.

According to geologists, there are five billion dollars' worth of nickel and copper in the Sudbury deposits. Why should these not be exploited for Canada and the British Empire, instead of the Krupps and the German Empire? It is authoritatively stated that Krupps own, in other people's names, no less than 25 per cent. of the stock of the International Nickel Company, which is the company exploiting the Sudbury deposits, and that the Krupps long ago had a secret agreement by which the International Nickel Company was to deliver 25,000,000 lbs. of Canadian nickel to their order. It is further stated that the price of Ontario nickel to the Krupps is only 20 cents a pound, while if sold to Canadian consumers the price is 50 cents a pound. On all nickel sold to the British Government Krupps makes a profit of \$350 a ton, and on all nickel sold in Canada a profit of \$600 a ton. The attempt to soothe Canada into a sense of false security again by promising to erect a

nickel refinery in this country for the needs of the British Empire ought not to succeed. We ought to refine every pound of Canadian nickel in this country, and to make the nickel industry a State monopoly.

ANOTHER MURDER CAMPAIGN

It is announced from Berlin that the Kaiser has ordered a new and more vigorous submarine and airship campaign. Whether this announcement is authentic or not, there is no doubt that Germany has been preparing for some time for further outrages upon humanity on the seas and from the air.

Every care has been taken to make it appear that the Kaiser's hand has been forced against his will by public opinion. The absurdity of such a plea is patent on the face of it, because the Kaiser is still the dictator in Germany, and no submarine or Zeppelin campaign would be allowed to be undertaken except upon his orders and with his sanction and approval. For months Germany has been preparing herself, so that she would be ready when the time came for "public opinion" to force her hand. "Public opinion," Pshaw—What are the German people allowed to know of the conduct of the war, upon which any opinion could be based? Did "public opinion" have anything to do with the Kaiser's declaration of war in the first instance? And could "public opinion" have kept the country out of it against the Kaiser's will?

Experience has shown that the Kaiser invariably endeavours by using his submarines and Zeppelins to create a diversion whenever things are not going well for the Central powers in the field. The time is now ripe for another such demonstration. As a factor in the situation, public opinion in Germany has no more right now than at any other time. The only opinion that counts at all is that of the General Staff.

Germany's enemies, despite the cessation of her submarine campaign which followed President Wilson's representations some time ago, have always gone on the assumption that the Kaiser would re-introduce submarine warfare in its most drastic form just as soon as it suited his purpose to do so. What decided Germany to hold her hand for a time was not that she had been brought to realize the immorality of her course, but prevailing conditions. These conditions change from time to time, and the Kaiser varies his actions to suit them.

Stephen Ginnish is Chief of Burnt Church. The election for Chief, on the Micmac Indian Reserve, at Burnt Church, Wednesday, resulted as follows: Noel Barnaby 21
Tem Cloud 16
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Progressive Road Policy Announced

Provincial Government Will Spend Large Sums on Highways

Premier Clarke issued a statement Wednesday in which he promised that the provincial government is to greatly enlarge its road policy, expend large sums of money on the highways and incorporate in the work as many features of a permanent character as possible. Attorney-General Baxter supplements the statement with a further statement regarding the work to be done in St. John county, which, he says, will include a permanent highway from the One Mile House to Brookville, extensive work on the Upper Loch Lomond road, repairs to the Spruce Lake road and work on the road between Musquash and Lepreau. Mr. Barter said the work on the Musquash road would start at once.

11,517,600 Acres of Wheat

Ottawa, July 25—A bulletin issued by the Censor and Statistics Office estimates finally the area sown to wheat in Canada at 11,517,600 acres, which is 1,328,000 acres, or 11.3 per cent. below the high record of last year, when 12,845,600 acres were harvested; but, 1,227,700 acres, or 11.9 per cent. above the harvested area of 1914, which was 10,293,900 acres. The acreages estimated as sown to other crops are as follows: Oats, 10,644,000 as against 11,365,600 last year; barley, 1,377,900 against 1,599,350; rye, 159,685, against 112,300; peas, 101,420 against 158,210; mixed grains, 410,770 against 466,800; hay and clover, 7,974,000 against 7,875,000; alfalfa, 89,900 against 92,630. Of late sown crops the acreages are as follows: Buckwheat, 355,500 against 342,800 in 1915; fax 723,000 against 806,600; corn for huskings, 183,700 against 253,300; beans, 34,490 against 43,310; potatoes, 448,800 against 478,000; sugar beets, 15,000 against 18,000 and corn for fodder, 197,079 against 347,499.

New Teachers at U. N. B.

The Senate of the University of New Brunswick met at St. John last week and made a number of appointments to the faculty to fill vacancies. At Friday's meeting C. E. Popplestone, of Edmonton, Alberta, was appointed as teacher of modern languages, and E. A. Aldrich, of Cambridge, Mass., and A. F. Baird, at present with the Kansas Agricultural College, were added to the staff. Prof. A. J. Uppal has resigned as professor of modern languages. Prof. W. L. MacDonald, who holds the chair of English and modern history, has been given a year's leave and Prof. McGinnis is now in the United chair of physical and electrical engineering, has been given the same. Prof. McGinnis is now in the United States for his health, and Prof. MacDonald is with the 25th Battalion in Ontario, preparing to go overseas. Prof. John Stephens, who is professor of mechanical engineering and drawing, is taking an artillery course. He has not yet applied for leave, but may.

Recruiting Association Meets

Adopt Resolution Re Registration and Returned Soldiers

The monthly meeting of the New Brunswick Recruiting Association was held Thursday afternoon in the St. John Board of Trade rooms. Those present were: President, Richard O'Leary, Richbucto; secretary, L. P. D. Tilley, St. John; Titus J. Carter, M. L. A. Andover; E. A. Schofield, H. P. Robinson, St. John; G. W. Ganong, St. Stephen; S. H. White, Sussex; F. M. Thompson, Hillsboro; A. A. Davidson, Newcastle; R. A. Lawlor, Chatham; F. J. Robidoux, M. P. Richbucto; J. J. McCaffrey, Fredericton, and Major Lionel Hamington, Dorchester. It was decided to hold the monthly meetings on the third Thursday in each month, the place of meeting to be at the discretion of the president. A. A. Davidson and T. J. Carter, M. L. A., thought the time had come when the association should adopt some settled policy and know what they were doing. Mr. Davidson said he felt that up to the present the time which they had spent in coming to these meetings had, in a sense, been wasted. He was willing to take off his coat and work, provided there was something to show for the work. The association was not a recruiting agency, and all it could do was to say it approved of the plans of the recruiting officers. He understood that one of the reasons for the slackness in recruiting was the desire of a great many to join certain units. He referred to the fact that Col. McKenzie, of Chatham, was prepared to recruit a battalion, and had offered to work without pay until he had one thousand men, if he was given command of a battalion. Col. McKenzie was a thorough soldier, and he thought he should be given the opportunity he desired.

Registration
There was much discussion on the subject of registration in which Capt. Tilley and others took part. Captain Tilley suggested that the revisors should be invited to meet in St. John or elsewhere and meet the provincial committee with the object of inducing them, from a patriotic standpoint, to get the information which the recent legislation empowers them to obtain but does not compel them to furnish.

On motion of T. J. Carter, seconded by Major Hamington it was resolved: "That the local recruiting committees get in touch with the revisors and secretaries in the various school districts with the view of having made up proper recruiting lists, and that they be asked to report at once to the Provincial Recruiting Committee."

For Returned Soldiers
The following resolution proposed by E. A. Schofield, seconded by G. W. Ganong was passed unanimously:

"Whereas so little attention has seemingly been paid to this association's request to the government, municipal and civic bodies, that all vacant positions be kept open for returned soldiers, or that such appointments be made only temporary until such time as they return capable of filling such positions;
"Be it resolved that our secretary be requested to send a further notice to these bodies again drawing their attention to the importance of this request."

A further resolution was proposed by Mr. Schofield, seconded by Mr. Ganong, and carried. It was in the following terms:

"Whereas there does not seem to be any well defined method towards the end of arranging a home, or any special work for soldiers who may be returned and are unable to take up their usual work; and
"Whereas this has an injurious effect on recruiting;
"Be it resolved that a committee be appointed to take this matter up with the government to ascertain what has been done, and report at the next meeting."
On motion of T. J. Carter, Messrs. Ganong, Davidson and Schofield were appointed the committee for this purpose.

Some discussion took place as to the desirability of changing the character of the button adopted for use by those who have applied for enlistment and have been rejected, but no action was taken.

PERSONALS

Rev. S. J. Macarthur returned from P. E. Island yesterday.
Misses Inez Copp and Bessie Jeffrey, spent Wednesday in Chatham.
Mrs. Spencer, of Coal Branch, is visiting her husband, Train Despatcher, here.
Mrs. Edward Sinclair came home from California Monday, to visit her sons, Wm. and E. H. Sinclair.
Mrs. Simon MacLeod has written a letter to the auxiliary of the W. M. S. thanking them for the life membership certificate, with which they recently presented her.

Word has been received that Miss Anna MacLeod, returned missionary, of Japan, has undergone a serious operation at the General Hospital, Toronto. The latest report is that she is doing well.

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Late Mass with sermon, etc., 11.00 a. m.
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Vespers, with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, etc., 7.00 p. m.
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