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London, June 18.—The official report from British headquarters in France tonight reads: "We captured twenty-one prisoners this morning in the course of the enemy's unsuccessful attempt to regain his lost positions on Infantry Hill. Our troops gained ground slightly last night on the Messines battle front, in the direction of Warneton."

Paris, June 18.—The official communication issued by the war office tonight reads: "Marked artillery activity was displayed in the region of Laffaux, Pantheon and the sector of Craonne-Chevreux." In Champagne we carried out this morning a local operation which rendered us masters of a system of German trenches which formed a salient in our lines on a front of about 500 metres between Mont Carnillet and Mont Blond. In the course of this action we took 40 prisoners one of them an officer."

Local and Other Items

The steamer Natronco of Toronto was sunk in the Detroit River Monday afternoon, after collision with the passenger steamer Eastern States.

C P R Montreal has loaned the Imperial Munitions Board ten million dollars to assist in meeting its financial requirements for the purchase of munitions in Canada, during next year.

Mr. A. A. McLean, M. P., has been home for a week or more, attending the Supreme Court at Summerside, where he is engaged as Counsel in several important cases.

Train traffic and even highway circulation is suspended through certain sections of Beauce County, P. Q. along the Chaudiere and Gukbert Rivers, since Monday noon, through the excessive high level of the water.

A fire which started early Monday morning in the waterfront district of the town of Sorel, P. Q., destroyed property estimated at \$250,000, including the shops of the Canada Steamship Company and a number of small vessels.

The booms of the Beauséjour Lumber Company of Chaudiere River broke Monday morning, through floods and thousands of cords of pulp and lumber wood are afloat on the St. Lawrence. Two persons, a young man and a girl, have been drowned.

Mr. Donald Nicholson, M. P., arrived home Saturday evening on a brief visit. He left on return for Ottawa yesterday morning. His many friends here were pleased to see him and to know that he has quite recovered from his recent indisposition.

It has been made known in New York that all male British subjects, between 18 and 45, now in the United States, are to be compelled to join the British colors. Lists of men available are being compiled.

The Cross of the Legion of Honor has been conferred by the French Government on Cardinal Lucon, Deputy Mayor of Bruges and Ch. Verbonneau and Mr. Damas, Editor, whose newspaper continues to appear during the bombardment of Rheims.

A Hague despatch to the London "Daily Mail" quotes a Kiel newspaper as finally admitting the loss of the commerce submarine "Bremer" saying she left Hamburg last August and has not since been heard of. It is added that she carried a large parcel of American securities.

Captain William McEwen, son of Mr. Horace McEwen, ex-Superintendent of the Prince Edward Island Railway has been appointed Commander of the S. S. "Parvia" of the Cunard Steamship Line. Captain McEwen has been going to sea for some sixteen years and he is exceedingly young to have won the command of a steamship in the Cunard service one of the most particular and famous steamship lines in the world. Captain McEwen was mate on one of the Cunard ships, torpedoed last year. He has been Chief for some time past and now has the highest office in the service. The "Parvia" is now sailing out of English ports.

Local And Other Items.

Last week 725 recruits for the Canadian army were obtained in Boston, chiefly for the 230th Kilties.

Two grain elevators at Thamesville, Ont., were destroyed by fire a few days ago, loss \$20,000. About 1500 bushels of wheat were stored in them.

It is reported from Berne Switzerland that the abdication of King Constantine of Greece has sent the German mark tumbling 67.5 francs for one hundred marks a loss of 44 per cent.

Harold Sidney Harnsworth, first Baron Rothermere and brother of Lord Northcliffe, is understood to have been chosen by the British Government food controller.

An additional \$25,000,000 was loaned by the U. S. government to Great Britain on the 14th. This loan brings the total amount advanced to Great Britain up to \$500,000,000 and the total to the allies up to \$948,000,000.

While milking cows in a pasture on the 14th, at Cape Magdeleine, near Three Rivers P. Q., Wilfrid Vaillancourt, a farmer, was killed by lightning. His body was found hours later when his family went in search of him.

President Wilson has signed a three billion dollar war budget bill which carries appropriations for the new army and other war preparations. It is the largest appropriation measure ever enacted by any government.

The Washington liberty loan has been over-subscribed by many hundreds of millions of dollars. Treasury officials on the 15th estimated that the total of subscriptions would be at least \$2,500,000,000, an over-subscription of twenty-five per cent.

It is reported from Montreal the Canadian Car and Foundry Co., has definitely closed the contract for five thousand freight cars for the Canadian Government Railways, the price agreed upon being understood to be \$12,500,000.

The Montreal Gazette says: "The makers of Canadian cheese are convinced that the price of 21¢ a pound fixed as the rate to be charged the British buyers is too low. The consumers here and abroad who are asked to pay 30 cents and up think the figure quite steep, which shows that there are two sides to the cost of food question."

From General Sir Julian Eyns, the following reply has been received by the Governor General to his recent message: Your kind cablegram just received is most sincerely appreciated. It was with deepest feelings that I severed my connection with that splendid corps whose record during the last year fills me with pride and admiration.

Five thousand people farewell Col. Guthrie of New Brunswick and the men of his 230th Kilties, at the meeting in Mechanics Hall Boston on the 14th. Col. Scott chief of the Scottish clans of America, presented to Col. Guthrie a silk American flag. The Kilties will march in France flying the Stars and Stripes beside the Union Jack.

It was announced in the British Commons the other day that the Government had decided to release all prisoners taken in the Irish rebellion of Easter Sunday a year ago. In making the announcement Andrew Bonar Law, government spokesman in the Commons, said that all Irish prisoners would be released without reservation.

Lord Northcliffe, the coordinating head of all British War Missions in the United States has arrived and has paid an official visit to Secretary of State Lansing. Lord Northcliffe explained that he had been designated by the British War Council as head of all special British Missions with full power to direct their activities, negotiate with American officials and report to various ministers at home.

Local and Other Items

Baron Rhonda, the new food British controller, says his powers include, if necessary, the taking over of the food supplies of the country and the adoption of strong measures to check speculation in the necessities of life. He says that the first thing is to secure a reduction in the price of bread.

Three members of the family of C. L. W. Anderson of Dorchester Mass are dead as the result of a collision between a train on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad and their automobile at an unguarded crossing at Boston. Anderson attempted to slow down when he saw the train but he was unable to prevent it hitting a passenger car. Anderson's sister son and daughter were killed. Mrs. Anderson was seriously injured and he himself was slightly hurt.

DIED.

MORRISON—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital, on June 13th, Geo. Morrison, aged 67 years.

HACKER—At Falconwood Hospital June 12th, William Arthur Hacker, aged 32 years.

FINLAYSON—At her residence, 181 Hillsboro Street, on Wednesday 13th June, 1917, Agnes Blackwood Bethune, relict of the late Ninian Finlayson, aged 83.

WEST—In this city on June 15, 1917, Martin West aged 85 years.

MACFARLANE—At Marshfield June 14, 1917, Jean Robertson, relict of the late James MacFarlane, aged 76 years.

WAUGHAN—In this City on June 15, inst. Mary beloved wife of the late George Waughan, aged 82 years at her son-in-law's residence George McInnis, 192 Cumberland Street. She leaves to mourn one daughter Mrs. George McInnis.

MALONE—In this City, June 15th John Malone aged 58 years. R. I. P.

McLEOD—At High Bank on May 13th, Mrs. Jessie McLeod, relict of the late John McLeod, in the sixty-ninth year of her age.

McKAY—At 87 Francis Street, Waltham Mass, after a lingering illness, William McKay, aged 65 years. Funeral at Cable Head West P. E. I.

The Market Prices

Butter.....	0.38 to 0.49
Eggs, per doz.....	0.30 to 0.32
Fowls each.....	80.0 to 1.00
Chickens per pair.....	0.85 to 1.25
Flour (per cwt).....	0.00 to 0.00
Beef (small).....	0.10 to 0.16
Beef (quarter).....	0.08 to 0.11
Mutton per lb.....	0.11 to 0.00
Pork.....	0.16 to 0.18
Potatoes.....	1.50 to 0.00
Hay, per 100 lbs.....	0.75 to 0.90
Black Oats.....	0.35 to 0.9
Hides (per lb).....	0.16 to 0.18
Calf Skins (per lb).....	0.00 to 0.25
Sheep Pelts.....	1.50 to 2.00
Oatmeal (per cwt).....	0.00 to 0.00
Turnips.....	0.18 to 0.20
Turkeys (per lb).....	0.25 to 0.30
Pressed Hay.....	14.00 to 17.00
Straw.....	0.30 to 0.40
Ducks per pair.....	1.55 to 2.00
Lamb Pelts.....	0.00 to 0.00

LIME!

We have on hand a quantity of

St. John

LIME

In Barrels and Casks.

PHONE 111

C LYONS & Co

April 26, 1916—17

Mail Contract

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 27th July, 1917, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week.

Over Rural Mail Route No. 2 from O'Leary Station, P. E. Island, from the Postmaster General's pleasure. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of O'Leary Station, Glenwood, Lot 8, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

JOHN F. WHEAR, Post Office Inspector, Ch' town, 14th June, 1917. June 20, 1917—31

Mail Contract.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 3rd August, 1917, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week. Over Rural Mail route No. 2 from Bonshaw, P. E. Island, from the 1st October next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Bonshaw, and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector.

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JOHN F. WHEAR, Post Office Inspector, Ch' town, May 29th, 1917. June 6th, 1917—31

JOB WORK

Executed with neatness and Despatch at the HERALD Office.

Charlottetown P. E. Island

Check Books

Dodgers

Receipt Books

Just Received 4 Cars Hay

(GOOD-NEW BRUNSWICK QUALITY)

1 CAR OF Black Oats

A Limited Quantity of Bran Middlings Cornmeal, Oilcake Meal

All selling at the Lowest Possible Prices.

Due to Arrive at an early date LARGE SHIPMENT OF

Flour, Bran and Feed Wheat.

F. J. Holman & Co. Ltd

Cor. Great George and Kent Streets

June 6, 1917.

Through Car Service Moncton to Levis, via Edmundston—Good Connection for Fredericton

Summer Time Table Canadian Government Railways

With the summer time table in effect Sunday, June 10th, passengers will be able to leave Moncton 4.00 p. m., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday and travel in through car, via Edmundston, to Levis, arriving there at 10.25 a. m. the following day. Returning the through car will leave Levis Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 4.30 p. m. and arrive at Moncton at 12.05, noon, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

By the same trains and on the same days from Moncton there is a good connection at McGivney for Fredericton, passengers arriving in the Capital City at 9.45 p. m. Returning passengers can leave Fredericton at 6.40 a. m. and arrive in Moncton at 12.05 noon, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday—the quickest time between the two cities—Moncton and Fredericton.

June 20th, 1917.—31

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Supplying Coal for the Dominion Buildings," will be received at this office until 4.00 p. m. on Tuesday, July 3, 1917, for the supply of Coal for the Public Buildings throughout the Dominion.

Combined specification and form of tender can be obtained on application at this office and from the caretakers of the different Dominion Buildings.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so or fail to complete the contract. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned.

By order, R. C. DESROCHES, Secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, June 9, 1917.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

June 20, 1917—21

All kinds of Job Printing done at the Herald Office

Grand Opening!

L. J. Reddin begs to announce to his Customers, in and out of Charlottetown, that he has opened his New Dry Goods Store at 164 Richmond Street, Newson Block.

I Must Sincerely Thank

all those who have given me such liberal patronage in the past, and hope to receive their support in the future.

My intention is to offer my Customers Good Service, Splendid Values, and as expenses will be greatly reduced, all patrons will benefit by the reduction in Profit.

We offer many Snaps both in Men's and Ladies' Goods, and notwithstanding the steady advance in all classes of Dry Goods, many of our lines will be sold Cheaper than ever.

Come In and See Me

You will receive a Cordial Welcome even if you are no in a Buying Mood.

A Word of Cheer or a Welcome dear Helps some, my Boy, helps Some.

L. J. REDDIN.

June 6, 1917.

Carter's Tested Seeds For 1917

Sold by nearly 200 Reliable Merchants in Prince Edward Island and at our Seed Store, Market Square and Seed and Grain Warehouse, Queen Street, Charlottetown.

Carter's Seeds are Tested

At the Dominion Seed Laboratory, Ottawa, as to growing qualities, purity, etc. We keep on file in our office, reports of the different tests each season, which can be seen when required.

Clover and Timothy Seed

Cannot be sold by merchants or farmers unless it grades either No. 1, No. 2 or 3, and must be marked so. We have obtained our stocks from the best seed-growing centres of Ontario.

Seed Wheat, Clover, Oats, Barley, Vetches, Buckwheat, etc.

Our stock of Timothy Seed this year is Island-grown and Imported. We have also a supply of choice Island-grown

Oats and Wheat

Which we offer at lowest prices. Our aim in the

Seed Business

Has always been to put

Quality and Value First

Price is a secondary condition.

Poor Seed is Dear Seed

At any price, "BEST BY TEST" is our MOTTO. Don't buy Seed because it is offered at a low price. It is poor Seed, low grade, and you are paying much more than it is worth. Our 37 years experience in the Seed Business enables us to know where and how to get the

Best Seeds Grown

CARTER & COMPANY, Ltd.

P. O. Drawer 38

Phone 70

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McLean & McKinnon

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