PROVINCIAL COMMITTEE NOW HAS BELGIAN RELIEF IN HAND

Organization Completed Wednesday With Hon. John E. Wilson as Chairman—Cash Gifts to be Forwarded at Once to Belgian Ambassador in London—No More Perishable Groceries, Apples or Potatoes.

Wednesday, Nov. 4.

The Provincial Belgian relief committeen will meet in the local government rooms here this afternoon at 4.30 o'clock for organization purposes. The officers will be elected and plans for extending the fund and securing co-operation in every county of the province will be considered.

Owing to the large quantities which have been received, further shipments of perishable vegetables like potatoes, turnips and also fruits, is not desired, so donators are advised that other contributions would be more acceptable at the present time.

The local committee sent to Halifax for shipment in all three carloads, containing 236 cases of clothing and 83 barrels of foodstuffs. There are on hand here now 140 cases of clothing, besides a large quantity of potatoes, etc., which are to be forwarded at the very earliest opportunity.

The following is a list of goods received by the Belgian relief committee, St. John (N. B.), up to and including October 28:

From city churches—Charlotte street Baptist, West End; Victoria League of Connection Friends of Victoria street church; Carleton Presbyterian; St. Luke's; St. James; St. John's Presbyterian; St. David's; Centenary; Portland Methodist; Carleton Methodist; Main street Baptist; St. Stephen's; Trinity; Waterloo street Baptist; St. John's Episcopal (Stone); Girls of St. Judes W. A.; also, Canadian Ordnance Corps per Major Anderson, 1 case; Militia stores, 1 bundle blankets; goods collected by Mrs. R. R. Patchell and Miss E. Patton.

From outside points—David Patterson, Central Hampstead, five cases, two bundles; E. B. Palmer, one case; F. I. Dingee & Sons, Gagetown, 2 bags potatoes; Citizens of Gagetown, three cases clothing; James A. Piercey, Dorchester (N. B.), one case; S. J. Vallis, Hibernia, six cases clothing; G. W. Crawford, Westfield, two packages; Mrs. A. Kirkpatrick, Westfield, one package; St. Mark's church, St. George, two cases; W. A. Sterritt, seven barrels; Friends, Long Reach (N. B.), 14 barrels; Upper Hampstead church, two cases; Mrs. C. Josman, Hillsboro, one case; Harvey & Robert McFarland, White Head, four packages; G. F. Walton, Oak Point, one bundle; Friends, Lower Jemseg, one case; Upper Gagetown and Burton, three cases; A. J. Ganong, Williams Wharf; F. B. Gorham, Cedars; people of Grand Manan, eleven barrels, Women's Institute, Welsford, 6 bags, 1 case; Mrs. J. Kelly, Petersville, 1 case; M. W. Caldwell, Bristol, 1 case; G. Appleby, Woodstock, 1 barrel flour; Greenwich (N. B.), 3 cases; ladies of Bonny River, 1 case; Bocabec (N. B.), 1 case; E. F. Shaw, Bath (N. B.), 1 case; Mrs. H. L. Squires, Bath, 1 case; Codys (N. B.), 1 case; Mrs. J .E. Coy, Upper Gagetown, 1 case; Sheffield (N. B.), 1 case; Mrs. S. B. Hunter, Harvey Station, 1 case; Mrs. Geo. Smith, Hilandale, 1 bundle; Holy Trinity church, St. Martins, 3 cases; friends, Westfield, 5 barrels, 7 bags, 5 cases, 1 bag; Mrs. Ballentine, Westfield, 1 box; Nerepis, 6 bags, 1 parcel, 13 bags; Brown's Flats, 2 cases; Millville (Rev. I. E. Vanwart), 9 cases, also 1 car assorted vegetables; J. L. Black & Son, Sackville, 1 case; C. B. Kingston, Eastport (Me.), 1 case; Sea Coast Packing Company, 5 cases; Jemseg, 2 cases; J. H. White, White's Wharf, 1 barrel; Roy H. Foster, Kingston, 1 bag; F. R. Roden, Long Reach, 3 bags; R. V. Bennett, Hopewell Cape, 1 box; G. B. Nevers, Lower Jemseg, 1 bundle; W. E. Calhoun, Cape Station, 1 case; Women's Institute, Grand Harbor, 1 case; Harvey Auxiliary, Harvey Station, 2 cases; Belgian Aid Society, Woodstock, second lot, 5 cases ,also 10 packages; ladies of Hatfield's Point Sewing Circle, 1 case, also 2 boxes (new dry goods); C. T. White & Son, Alma, 8 cases; friends in Queenstown (N. B.), 1 bale, 5 barrels; W. Hubbard, Burton, 10 barrels; friends of Maugerville, 8 cases, 1 bale; friends of Sheffield, 36 bags, 2 barrels; W. F. Wright, Hopewell, 1 case; Mrs. J. White, Petitcodiac, 1 case; friends in district of Woodman's Point, including Cheyne Settlement, Public Landing and Westfield, 26 packages; Rev. C. A. S. Warneford, Annidale, 4 cases; A. G. Dickson, Central Napan, 14 packages; postmaster, Hillsboro, 1 package; Long Point, Kings Co., 1 package; people of Hampton, 2 cases children's footwear; Red Cross Society of Aroostook, 2 cases; ex I. C. R., W. A. McKnight, 5 packages; A. W. Currie, Penobsquis, 4 cases, 2 barrels; Miss K. I. Bell, Taymouth, 1 carload containing 10 cases, 108 barrels, 1 bag; E. W. Seely, Bath, 4 boxes; Mrs. Laura Green, McAdam, 1 case; Rev. J. P. Crabtree, Grand Falls, 3 cases; J. W. Wooster, Grand Manan, 1 box; Women's Auxiliary of Clifton, 1 box; Rev. L. N. Dugal, Church of St. Basile, 3 carloads, 598 barrels potatoes, 6 cases clothing, 1 barrel, 1 box, 2 barrels flour, 2 barrels beef, 2 bags beans.

In addition to the above they received from the following steamers and railways goods without any advice of shippers: Victoria, Champlain, May Queen, Majestic, Elaine, D. J. Purdy, Oconee, Connors Bros., C. P. R., Shore Line, I. C. R.

Donations were received from the following firms in St. John and elsewhere: Connors Bros., Ltd., 25 cs cardines; J. A. Tilton, 10 bags beans; Puddington, Wetmore & Morrison, 2 cases, 1 barrel; J. Pender & Co., nails; Haley Bros. & Co.; Schofield Paper Co., paper and twine; Globe Publishing Co., tags, etc.; St. John Milling Co., 5 barrels flour; Frank Skinner, 1 case hats; Scovil Bros. & Co.; White's Express Co.; Brock & Patterson; Marr Millinery Co., Geo. Martinson, Macaulay Bros. & Co., J. W. Clayton, Fred Isaacs, The Two Barkers, Wilson Box Co., Murray & Gregory.

In addition to the above they received 717 packages in the city of St. John, mostly clothing.

Services were given by White's Express Co.

Local Committee.

A meeting of the local committee was held yesterday in Mayor Frink's office to get affairs in shape for co-operation. Those present included Mayor Frink, G. E. Barbour, D. Mullin, K.C., John Keeffe, Senator Daniel, James Gilchrist, Mrs. J. H. Frink, Mrs. F. S. White and Miss Travers. Mayor Frink reported that the total cash subscriptions were $11,585.44, of which $2,103.50 has been expended for additional supplies. There was a discussion regarding the use to which the money would be put, but nothing is to be decided until the provincial committee is organized.

Mayor Frink reported receipt yesterday of the following subscriptions for the Belgian Fund:

Brussels street Baptist church, per Frank Fales, $21.60; Mrs. H. C. Spears, St. James street, $10; Friend, $1; Mrs. Daniel N. Helms, Hallowell, Me, $3; Gandy & Allison, $5; Basket social Upper Kent, N. B., $155; Friends from Maplehurst per G. B. Hillman, $11; concert, Waterford, N. B. per Rev. Frank B. Gaskill, $41.50; Baker Lake, Madawaska, per Rev. Father Richards and Mrs. Pius Michaud, $29.25; pie social and dance at Quispamsis, per Miss Marguerite A. McDade, $20.83; from Titusville, N. B., per Rev. R. M. Hodson, R. E. Gray, $1; Christian Endeavor Society, $1.60; W. A. H. $10; Sunday service, $3.04. Total 15,74.

The following amounts were received yesterday by the secretary of the Canadian Patriotic Fund: — St. John Local Council of Women, $50; a friend per Rev. J. S. P., 50c.; contribution from Sunday service in Titusville, per R. M. Hobson, $5.14; pie social and concert in the Methodist Sunday school, Young's Cove Road, $34.35; cash subscription to fund from Young's Cove road, Mrs. Judson Ferris, $1; Mrs. L. D. Ferris, $1; Miss Patterson, 25c.; Miss Earle, 50c.; a friend, $1; David Muir, $1; Mrs. H. Lewis, 25c.; Hanford Neal, 25c.; Edmund Elliot, $1; Friend, 60c. Total Young's Cove road, $41.20; G. W. Merritt, third monthly payment, $10; Mrs. D. U. Helms, Hallowel, Maine, per G. A. Kimball, $3; R. E. Armstrong, November payment, $5; Empire Novelty Company, fifth payment, $50;

From Employes Fraser Limited, Edmundston, N. B.

S. W. Pike, $2.75; Leon Leclerc, $1.75; William Hoyt, $1; Cy Guerette, $1.25; Paul Lajoie, $1.60; Hector Dufour, $2; Vic Cyr, $1.40; Florent Deschense, $2.25; Marcel Fillbert, $1.50; Willie Guerette, $1.60; Jos. Guimond, $1; Geo. Picard, 50c.; Anathese Guerette, $1.40; Jos. Desrosier, $1.50; Pat. Violette, $1.50; Sam Burpee, $3; Willie St. Pierre, $1.75; Fred Michaud, $1.50; Elph Painchaud, $2; Jos. Gagnon, $1.25; Jos. St. Amand, $1; Willie St. Onge, $1; Alex Rousel, $1; Xavier Violette, 50c.; Geo. St. Onge, 50c.; Has. Dugas, $1.60; Fred Roussel, $1; Alex St. Onge, $1.75; Alex Legacee, $1; Ev. Magoon, 50c.; Hilaire Bouchard, 75c.; Vital Picard, 50c.; Oliver Lajoie, 95c.; Jos. Belanger, $1.25; Hubert Cormier, $1.45; Fred Flourde, $1.30; Hypolite Legacee, $1.25; Alex Hendry, $1.75; Jas. McGrath, $1.50; Felix St. Amand, 60c.; Jos. Bosse, $2.25; Eusebe Lajoie, $1.60; Wilfred St. Onge, 35c.; Harold Magoon, $1.10; Thos. Lajoie, $1.15; Ev. Michaud, $1.75; Emile Desrosier, $2; Severn Bouchard, $2; Albert Berube, $1; Roy Saunders, $5; Leo Dionne, $1; Wilmot Curry, $8; Ernest Desrosier, $1.75. Total, $77.60.

From Dipper Harbor, N. B.

Alex. Corscadden, $5; John R. Corscadden, $5; Fred Chamberlain, $5; Edward Thomson, $2; George D. Thomson, $2; A. Anthony Thomson, $1; Douglas Jaynes, $1; Herby Carr, $2; William Janes, $1; Patrick Murry, $2; Michael Murry, $1; John Murry, $1; William J. Clark, $1; Addison G. Thompson, $5; Peter Devine, $1; Frank Frawley, 25c.; Leonard Thompson, 50c.; Mrs. James Boyle, 50c.; Clarence Calson, $1; Mathius Totton, $1; Daira Mawhinney, $1; Martin Martinsen, $1; Robert Thompson, $2.50; Gordon D. Thompson, $3; Fenwick Belmore, $1; Harris Mawhinney, $1; R. J. Mawhinney, $5; D. Campbell, 25c.; Walter Boyle, $1; Charles Thompson, $1; William Thompson, $2; Friend, $5 Mrs. Margaret Corscadden, $1; Friend, 25c.; W. A., Mace's Bay branch, $15.

Post Office Men.

Three months' payment from clerks in the post office as follows:—The Postmaster, $9; assistant postmaster, $3 Mrs. Reed, $3; Mr. Flaglor, Mr. Woodrow, Mr. Ring, Mr. Reed, Mr. Roberts, Mr. Maxwell, Miss Perkins, Mr. Jenkins, Mr. McCleverty, Mr. Buckley, Mr. Guild, Mr. Quinlan, Mr. Harrison, Mr. McMullin, Mr. Kerr, Mr. Copp, Mr. Clark, Mr. Joyce, Mr. Murdoch, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Levine, Mr. Lingley, Mr. Ryan, Mr. Shea, Mr. Murphy—each $1.50; Mr. Morrissey, $1—(two months) Mr. Malcolm, $1.50; Mr. Ferris, $1.50.

Letter Carriers' Contribution for Sept.

R. J. O'Brien, O. P. Mullin, T. Killen, E. G. Britton, J. LeCain, F. L. Giggey, H. C. Gardiner, J. McMonagle, G. E. Withers, J. C. Bond, J. W. Williamson, F. H. McIntyre, C. J. Gibbons, H. Russell, H. A. Morrissey, U. H. Kiley, R. O. Causton, G. C. Cosman, C. W. Magee, M. Macaulay, A. Long, D. Killom, C. Tower, M. P. Dalton, J. Butler, J. K. MacDonald, W. T. Tyner, W. T. Dunlop, J. E. Moore, C. F. Rogers, W. L. Fisher, each $1—$31.

The Patriotic Fund has received a check from the Empire Novelty Co., being the fifth amount contributed to this fund up to the present time.—C. B. Allan, Sec.-Treas.

Thursday, Nov. 5.

The provincial committee named to deal with the Belgian relief matters met yesterday afternoon in the government rooms here, and selected Hon. J. E. Wilson chairman, and Mayor Frink treasurer. Those present were: Hon. J. E. Wilson, convenor; Richard O'Leary, Richibucto; Dr. T. C. Allen, Fredericton; Irving R. Todd, Milltown; D. Mullin, Belgian Consul; Senator Daniel, G. E. Barbour and Mayor Frink, with James Gilchrist as secretary.

Plans for promoting the work were fully discussed. Special letters and circulars are being sent out through all parts of the province drawing attention to the necessity for continued interest in the needs of the heroic Belgian people and asking for gifts of money, clothing and non-perishable foodstuffs. Special attention is to be devoted to interesting churches, schools, clubs and so forth to raise money by means of concerts, socials, sales and collections.

Two thousand circulars have been printed and are to be placed in the post offices, railway stations, and other public places throughout the province. The notice invites assistance from everyone who can possibly give it. It mentions the names of the committee and the fact that they are conducting the work under the patronage of the lieutenant-governor and the clergy of all denominations. It also reads:

Cash gifts are especially solicited, and churches, clubs, societies, Sunday schools, day schools, and all organizations can assist by raising money through the medium of collections, socials, teas, sales, concerts, etc.

Also the collection of clothing of all kinds, new or slightly worn, boots, shoes, etc., bedding, quilts and blankets; and non-perishable food stuff, such as dried peas, beans, dried or evaporated fruit, dried or salt meant, canned goods, flour, etc., for the relief of the distressed Belgian people, to whom we are under such a great obligation.

Cash contributions to be sent direct to the treasurer, James H. Frink, mayor of St. John, and all freight to the Belgian Relief Committee, St. John. All freight is carried by the railways and steamers free.

Owing to the lateness of the season and the enormous quantity of potatoes and vegetables, and other perishable goods, already received, the committee does not care to accept any further consignment of these perishable goods.

Address all communications to the secretary, James Gilchrist, 102 Prince William street, St. John (N. B.), Box 204.

Co-operation Invited.

A letter has also been drafted and five hundred copies have been made of it to be distributed to mayors of the different places, clergymen, members of the dominion and local legislatures, senators, judges, wardens and the leaders of the Red Cross committees.

The letter reads in part as follows:

You are most cordially invited to give them your valuable assistance by promoting in every way possible this worthy object in your locality.

Objects to the committee:

1st. To secure information as to the present and future needs of the Belgian sufferers and to supply this information to all wishing to aid in the good work.

2nd. To secure the co-operation of all the different forces, individual and social, at present working independently throughout the province, so that our united efforts may better realize the object we have in view.

3rd. Cash contributions are the best and with this object in view would earnestly invite the assistance of all churches clubs, societies, Sunday schools, etc., and the people, young and old, to raise as much money as possible through the medium of socials, teas, sales, concerts, collections, etc.

4th. The collection of clothing of all kinds, new or slightly worn; boots, shoes, etc., bedding quilts, or blankets.

5th. Non-perishable food stuff, such as dried peas and beans, dried and evaporated fruit, dried or salt meats, canned goods, flour, etc.

A special committee was appointed to arrange for the shipment of all goods received, and it was decided that the cash donations should be forwarded at once to the Belgian ambassador at London. All Belgian relief organizations throughout the province are requested to forward their money or goods to the provincial committee. Further information regarding the matter can be obtained from James Gilchrist, secretary.

WEDDINGS

Mitchell-Dart.

Tuesday, Nov. 3.

In St. Luke's church on Saturday afternoon, Miss Edith Ellen Dart, of Exeter (Eng.), became the bride of Robert E. Mitchell, of Southampton (Eng.) The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. P. McKim. Miss Emma K. Nye was bridesmaid, and John A. Maxwell was best man. The bride was handsomely attired in Alice blue silk with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of white carnations and lilies-of-the-valley. She was given away by John E. Kelly. The bridesmaid wore a very becoming brown tailor-made suit with white hat and gloves, and carried a bouquet of white carnations. A dainty wedding luncheon was served at the home of Mrs. E. H. Nye, 44 Somerset street. The house was prettily decorated with flowers and Hallowe'en decorations. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell were the recipients of many beautiful wedding presents. The bridegroom's present to the bride was a gold watch and chain, to the bridesmaid a gold chain and pendant set with amethysts, and to the best man gold cuff links. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell will reside at 92 Somerset street.

Hemming-Grant.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 1—This afternoon Annie (Nan) Corriemony, daughter of Lieutenant Colonel J. A. Grant, A. D., and Mrs. Grant, and Captain R. H. Hemming, R. C. E., a son of Lieutenant Colonel Hemming, officer commanding the third division, Kingston, Ontario, were married here at one o'clock. Miss Grant is one of the most charming girls in her set and Captain Hemming is one of the most popular officers oh this station, where he has spent the last six years. He has been assigned to duty as adjutant in the eastern Ontario battalion of the Overseas Contingent.

The ceremony was performed at Colonel Grant's summer cottage in Marlboro Woods. Rev. R. W. Ross, of Fort Massey Presbyterian church, officiated. Miss Grant, who was given away by her father, wore a going away gown of grey suede cloth trimmed with sable and hat to correspond. Her bouquet was a shower bouquet of white chrysanthemums and lilies of the valley. She was attended by her sister, Miss Helen Grant, who wore a blue gown and carried a bouquet of crysanthemums. Mr. Doswell, R. C. E., attended as best man.

The ceremony was followed by a reception to which only relatives and a few intimate friends were invited. Later Captain and Mrs. Hemming left for Kingston. The bride wore Alaskan sable furs, the gift of the groom.

A collection of presents came from friends and well wishers in many parts of Canada.

Benjamin-MacClure.

A very pretty wedding took place in Boston on Nov. 1 when L. S. Benjamin, assistant electrician of the Atlantic Sugar Refineries here, was united in marriage to Mrs. MacClure, of the Mar Millinery Company, of St. John. The bride looked charming in a dress of white duchess satin with veil and orange blossoms. She was attended by Miss Nellie Fraser, of Boston ,while Roland MacClure, of Bridgewater (N. S.), son of the bride, supported the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin will return to St. John today and take up their residence in Britain street.

Evans-Dwyer.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized yesterday morning in St. Peter's church, at 5 o'clock, when Richard Henry Evans and Miss Mary Dwyer were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. Walsh, C.SS.R., with nuptial mass. The bride wore a cream serge suit with hat to match, with white ostrich feathers. Miss Margaret Christie acted as bridesmaid. She wore a navy blue suit with hat to match. The bride was given away by John Dwyer, her brother, who acted as best man. The groom's present to the bride was a check, to the bridesmaid a gold bracelet, to the groomsman gold cuff links. Mr. and Mrs. Evans drove to the home of the bride's parents, where a dainty breakfast was served, and then left for Moncton to stay for a few days, enroute to upper provinces. Theye will reside in St. John. The bride's travelling suit was of blue with hat to match.

Dysart-Chapman.

Dorchester, N. B., Nov. 4—(Special)—A fashionable wedding took place in Holy Trinity church here this evening at 6 o'clock, when Muriel Hazen, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Hazen Chapman, of Dorchester, became the bride of Hugh Dysart, of Boston. The bride entered the church on the arm of her father to the strains of "The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden," rendered by the organist, Mrs. L. McGrath, with a united choir. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. A. Robinson, and the church was very prettily decorated for the occasion by the friends of the bride, with chrysanthemums, ferns and potted plants.

The bride, who is one of Dorchester's popular young ladies, looked very charming in a handsome gown of ivory charmeuse stain flounced with chantilly lace, the bodice being draped with the same and pearl trimmings, the bridal veil falling from under a juliet cap of rose point lace trimmed with pearl and orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of roses.

Miss Lois Taylor of Charlottetown, and Miss Roberta Grimmer, of St. Stephen, both college friends of the bride, were the bridesmaids, and were dressed in pink crepe de chene over pink satin, and wore large velvet picture hats. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome set of ermine furs; to the bridesmaids, pearl and sapphire brooches, and to the ushers gold cuff links. The bride received a large number of beautiful gifts, including a mahogany chest of silver, the gift of her father.

Mrs. Chapman, mother of the bride, was gowned in black velvet trimmed with maltese lace. Allison Dysart, brother of the groom, was best man, and the ushers were A. S. Whiteley, barrister, of Boston, and C. G. N. Chapman, bother of the bride. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents, the color scheme in the dining room being pink and white. The bride's going-away gown was of saxe blue duvetyn with deep vest and revers of Roman striped velvet. The happy couple left on the Montreal express this evening for Montreal, New York and other American cities carrying with them the best wishes of a host of friends. Among the out-of-town guests present were Miss Dorothy Tennant, Miss Ida Tennant, Miss Vivian McLeod, Miss Marion Sterne, Amherst; Miss Elva Machum, St. John; Miss Evelyn Doherty, Moncton; Miss Georgie Sherrard, Moncton; Miss Minnie Tait, Shediac; Dr. and Mrs. Oulton, Shediac; Mr. and Mrs. Webster, Shediac; Dr. and Mrs. Murray, Shediac; Sidney Willett, Moncton; Misses Annie and Miriam Dysart, Cocagne (N. B.); Robert Dysart, Boston; Allison Dysart, Moncton.

Agar-Kerr.

The wedding of Miss Margaret Kerr, daughter of Mrs. William Kerr, formerly of this city, and Eric Agar, of Summerland (B. C.), took place in the Presbyterian church, Summerland, yesterday. Miss Kerr has many friends in the city who will wish her much happiness in her new life.

CONVICTION FOR SELLING CIGARETTES TO MINOR QUASHED

Fredericton, Nov. 3—(Special)—At this afternoon's session of the York county court, Judge Wilson handed down his decision in the case of the King, on the complaint of John R. McCollom vs. Robert Embleton, on an appeal from a conviction recorded in police court last month against the defendant for selling cigarettes to a minor. His honor decided that the conviction and the fine of $5 should be set aside but refused to grant the defendant costs of the appeal in view of the fact that police officers are charged with the duty of reporting all cases of violation of the law regarding cigarettes selling to minors.

The case of J. J. F. Winslow vs. John Giles, an action on a promissory note for $167, claimed to have been given the plaintiff in exchange for another promissory note in favor of John Sullivan, was also taken up before Judge Wilson this afternoon. Both plaintiff and defendant gave evidence. His honor reserved judgment and the court adjourned sine die. J. Beacon Dickson appeared for the plaintiff and H. Turner, of Sussex, for the defendant.

The woman who wears all white constantly in summer is sure of always appearing distinguished.

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Fine Young Deer Smashes Windows

(Evening Times, Thursday.)

The restful calm of peaceful St. John was disturbed during the early hours this morning by the riotous actions of a fine young buck, which, celebrating perhaps his first visit to exalted civilization, indulged in a whirlwind window smashing campaign which proved to be his own undoing.

The deer wandered into the city and started his tour by first visiting the select residential district. Here his career started.

After investigating the rear of the residence of Percy W. Thomson, the visitor decided that the back parlor looked very inviting. One well directed leap, which demolished the glass in the lower sash, placed him in the back parlor. From there he wandered to the front parlor, overturning in his passage a small table, but doing no damage. His exit was by means of the front window, much in the same manner as his entrance. This seemed to satiate his appetite for destruction in the residential districts, so he turned his attentions to the business section.

W. L. Williams' liquor store was the next point of attack. It was now about 6.15 o'clock, and one of the first street cars was making its way along Prince William street. The deer, frightened at the approach of this rather noisy vehicle, sought shelter. He picked the wholesale department of Mr. Williams' establishment as his haven and, with a flying plunge that would put a U. N. B. halfback to shame, landed head on in the middle of the plate glass front, shattering it.

When Mr. Williams and his staff arrived about 7 o'clock, they found the stranger curled up in the office at the back of the store, bleeding profusely from a gash in his throat. Their approach caused him to seek shelter in the warehouse, while the clerks plotted for his removal. A stalwart protector of the public peace, arriving on the scene solved the difficulty—almost. Procuring a stout rope from the basement, he endeavored to lassoo the agile beast, but speed out-manoeuvred brains, and the buck jumped lightly over several incumbrances and regained the outer store. With the same ability for demolishing glass as he had demonstrated throughout his entire city career, he passed gracefully, yet very forcibly, through the plate glass in the door of the shop and made his way along Prince William and Dock streets, turning down Union street and catapulated into the harbor from Gibbons' wharf, a sheer drop of thirty feet.

Worn out by his exertions, and weak from loss of blood, he was rapidly approaching the end of his existence. A few feeble struggles in the water and his life which, during the last few hours of his being had been crowded with adventure, ebbed and only his badly scarred body remained. With the aid of ropes Elihu Clark and William Hickey reclaimed the body from the tide, and with the permission of Policeman Ross, bore the carcass away.

TWO GERMANS IN BATTLE MISSING

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the Rohilla, gave testimony to this effect at an inquest held today.

This was the first hint that the hospital ship had struck a mine. It had been generally understood that the vessel got off her course near Whitby and piled on the rocks.

Captain Wilson said that when the Rohilla struck the mine he knew she had been badly hurt, and that had he not run her ashore she would have sunk, with the loss of all hands on board.

MINE SWEEPER PAYS PENALTY FOR CALLING.

London, Nov. 5, 4 p.m.—The British mine-sweeper Mary was sunk by a mine in the North Sea today. Six of the crew of fourteen were rescued. The survivors who were landed at Lowestoft reported heavy gun firing off the Yorkshire coast this afternoon.

GERMAN CAPTAIN HAD RUDE AWAKENING.

Queenstown, Nov. 5, 6.17 p.m.—The German sailing ship Melpomone, which sailed from Tocopilla, Chile, July 8, laden with nitrates, was towed into Queenstown today by a British cruiser, which had captured her.

Captain Ingleman said neither he nor his crew had heard that a war was in progress.

GERMAN OFFICERS IN U. S. ON PAROLE.

Washington, Nov. 5—The German officers and two men of the crew of the German cruiser Geier, now at Honolulu, who have been held for some time at San Francisco, will be paroled, but must remain in the United States until the end of the war.

The German embassy was so informed today by the state department.

NO USE FOR THESE HONORARY ADMIRALS.

London, Nov. 5, 5.15 p.m.—Emperor William and Prince Henry of Prussia, both have been removed from the ranks of Honorary Admirals of the British fleet.

Their names are elided from the November navy list, which has just been issued.

SAYS KARLSRUHE HAS WIRELESS DEPOT.

Cardiff, Wales, Nov. 6, via London, 12.40 a.m.—An officer of the Cardiff steamer Cornish City, which was sunk by the German cruiser Karlsruhe, in the Atlantic, says the Germans had a depot on an island off the north coast of Brazil, and that with this base, and with powerful wireless apparatus on their scout ships, they were well informed concerning the movements of the British steamers and cruisers.

Waterville School Standing.

Codys, N. B., Nov. 4—Following is the quarterly report of the Waterville school, Queens county:

Perfect attendance for August, September and October—Cecil Richardson, George Mitchell, Eileen Fisher.

Highest standing—Grade V., Cecil Richardson; grade IV., Frank Starkey, 1st; Margaret Somerville, 2nd; Myrtle Noddin, 3rd. Grade III. a, Hazel Somerville, 1st; George Mitchell, 2nd; Mildred Noddin, 3rd. Grade III. b, Eileen Fisher, 1st; Eldon Somerville, 2nd. Grade II. a, Gordon Starkey, 1st; Thelma Hoddin, 2nd. Grade II. m, Ralph Richardson, 1st; Lee Trebble, 2nd. Grade I. a, Viola Worden, 1st. Grade I. b, Marguerite Crawford, 1st; Arthur Smith, 2nd; Margaret Mitchell.

To remove shoe blacking that has been spilled on clothing use vinegar.

GERMANS RETREATING ON FORTIFIED POSITIONS

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surprise in store for them. The British batteries had not as yet come into action. They were cleverly hidden in the fields and covered with brushwood. Then the guns spoke and many German soldiers went down to rise no more. The British shells made great rents in the oncoming closely packed ranks of the Germans. Their advance stopped dead and the survivors of the attacking columns went to earth, where they proceeded franticaly to dig themselves into cover with their entrenching tools. The British infantry rifle fire found them by this time and punished them terribly.

The attack was under imperial and royal auspices for the Kaiser and the King of Saxony were present at the local German headquarters. The Germans, after digging themselves in, were ordered to make a second advance but hesitated after their previous ordeal.

Here it was that the British chance came. The terrible punishment sustained in the advance had practically demoralized the Germans. Suddenly the British artillery and rifle fire ceased.

A low word of command ran along the trenches. The mud-covered English appeared above the ground; they clamored into the open; other lines followed the first; bayonets were fixed, and the khaki swarms swung forward. The commanding advance of the British stimulated the hesitating German infantry into activity. They fired one volley, then sprang to their feet and went to the right about. One line sought to cover the retreat. With fixed bayonets they faced the advancing British. A long low murmur of satisfaction ran along the British front. The men broke into a cheer as they closed with the Germans, and bayonet met bayonet.

There was thrust and parry and a swaying mass of struggling men in khaki and grey at death grips. Now it separated into two lines and broke clear. The men in grey were running and those in khaki were cheering—or attempting to cheer, for a stiff cross country run with a bayonet fight at the end is trying to wind and limb. Back went the Germans and in pursuit went the British.

The Germans rallied around the mortars which earlier had been so active in shelling the British. A desperate hand to hand struggle took place, the British devoting all their energies to capturing the gun. Its German defenders had fallen, and the prize was in English hands.

GERMANS NO NEARER CALAIS DESPITE TREMENDOUS LOSSES

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age leaving Antwerp. Last night a number of men who attempted to escape to Holland were arrested.

"All the hospitals in Antwerp have been emptied, and many trains with German baggage have left that city. It is rumored that the Burgomaster is being held as a hostage.

"The thunder of guns can be clearly heard at Roosendaal."

PRISONERS' CONDITION TO BE INVESTIGATED.

Washington, Nov. 5—The United States will undertake to clear up misapprehension over conditions of prisoners of war in Germany and England, the State Department announced today. Chandler Anderson, of the London embassy staff, was ordered to Berlin to investigate conditions in Germany.

His mission was at the request of the British government.

Charges of mistreatment of prisoners arriving from both sides of the conflict were responsible for the Department's order.

RUSSIAN CAVALRY SHOW GREAT DASH.

London, Nov. 5, 7.30 p. m.—Professor Bernard Pares, the British government's representative with the Russian headquarters in the field, sends the following report:

"Trustworthy eye-witnesses speaking with great enthusiasm of the conduct of the Russian troops on the upper Vistula river, where more serious fighting is to be expected.

"Here again the German heavy artillery commands respect, but the Russian field guns and howitzers are served with remarkable precision and alertness, and meet with great success. The complete confidence of the Russian infantry in the effectiveness of the Russian artillery is a striking and general feature.

"The men are always training in bayonet work, which the enemy often avoids. The Russian cavalry has, by different accounts, shown great dash, and has been handled with speed and skill. In raids beyond the river on the enemy's communications Russian cavalry divisions have several times disturbed German forces, taking many prisoners. Large numbers of stragglers have been taken by the Russians.

"A Hungarian division put up good resistance for three days, but then collapsed.

"The population in Southern Poland is in a state of profound distress and the Russians are organizing extensive relief work.

"The Germans compel captured officers to work with the men, and spit at them and drive them about, bare to the waist.

"In East Prussia the German communications are very good. Underground telephones are frequently discovered. Large forces are in close contact here, and the Russian counter-stroke has much impressed the enemy.

"The Polish population shows the greatest alacrity in assisting the Russian troops, both in the country and in the towns. The Russian advance is now much more complete in Southern Poland and is better lined up with the forces in Galicia.

"All this advance tends to secure the Russian position on the northern frontier where any German initiative becomes more hazardous.

"The ordinary fresh yearly Russian contingents mean an increase of a half million men.

"The arrangements for the wounded provide, if necessary, for over a million."

MORE NOBLEMEN ON ROLL OF HONOR.

London, Nov. 5, 8.45 p. m.—A casualty list, dated October 31, issued here tonight, gives the names of fifteen officers killed and twenty-two wounded. Among the killed is Captain the Hon. H. B. Bruce, of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders. In the list of wounded appear the names of Lt.-Col. E. P. Lambert, of the Royal Field Artillery, and Major the Hon. A. C. Weld-Forester, of the Grenadier Guards, third son of Baron Foretser.

While the army list of Great Britain gives no Captain H. B. Bruce, it does contain Captain the Hon. Henry L. Bruce, of the Third Royal Scots, heir of Baron Abendare. This Captain Bruce, in 1906, married Camille Clifford, an American actress, whom he met while she was playing in an American musical production in London.

Amsterdam, via London, Nov. 5, 10.36 p. m.—Prince Joachim Albrecht of Prussia, son of the late Regent of Brunswick, has been wounded while fighting in France, according to the Telegraaf.

Geneva, via Paris, Nov. 6, 12.25 a. m.—Lt.-Gen. Berthold Von Deimling, the German commander, has been slightly wounded in the thigh by shrapnel on the firing line, according to the Wolff Agency. He continues in command of his troops, however.

BOMBARDMENT OF OSTEND EXPECTED.

London, Nov. 6, 2.56 a. m.—According to the Daily Mail's Rotterdam correspondent the inhabitants of Ostend have been ordered to take to their cellars, with five days provisions.

3,000 BELGIAN CONSCRIPTS ESCAPE.

Havre, via Paris, Nov. 6, 1.15 a.m.—More than three thousand Belgian conscripts, belonging to the class of 1914, have escaped from the territory occupied by the Germans, at the risk of being shot, and joined the colors here.

King Albert sent an equerry to compliment the youths.

SPAIN NEUTRAL BUT PATRIOTIC.

Paris, Nov. 6, 12.40 a. m.—A despatch to the Havas Agency from Madrid says: Premier Dator declared in the Chamber of Deputies today (Thursday) that Spain would continue to observe the strictest neutrality, and maintain friendly relations with all the belligerent countries.

"I do not believe Spain will be attacked," the premier added, "but if she is, we will all give our lives to save our country."

SEND PROFESSORS TO UNITED STATES.

Geneva, via Paris, Nov. 6, 12.25 a.m.—It is reported here from Strassburg that funds are being subscribed in Germany to enable a number of university professors, who speak English, to visit the United States unofficially at Christmas time to give lectures in the chief towns on German culture, and also to explain the war.

AMERICANS LAND MARINES AT BEIRUT.

Paris, Nov. 5, 4.55 p.m.—The Temps has received a report stating that Americans have been landed at Beirut, Syria, for the protection of American interests.

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