

Government of Roumania Reported To Be Negotiating With The Allies

ROUMANIA NOW ON THE BRINK OF WAR

King Ferdinand Reviews Army and Great Enthusiasm Prevails in Country Since Italy Has Decided to Join the Allies.

London, May 25, 2.44 a. m.—A despatch to the Daily Chronicle from Bucharest says: "The Roumanian government is negotiating with the Allies. King Ferdinand has reviewed the army. Great enthusiasm prevails."
ON THE BRINK OF WAR
London, May 25, 2.55 a. m.—"The general belief that Roumania is on the brink of war for the fulfillment of her national ideals has been strengthened by Italy's declaration of war against Austria-Hungary," says the Times' correspondent at Bucharest.
"Celebrations of the anniversary of the coronation of the late King Carol were held Sunday and were attended with unusual fervor. King Ferdinand and Queen Marie were present at a great military review. The troops wore their new field service uniforms of grey khaki instead of the usual parade dress uniforms."
London, May 25 (4.34 a. m.)—Germany and Austria-Hungary have formally notified the Swiss government that they will respect Swiss neutrality, according to a Berne despatch to the Reuter Telegram Company.

Italy's Naval Commander.



DUKE OF ABRUZZI.

The Duke of Abruzzi is in command of the Italian navy and in case of his country going to war with Austria would probably be found on the flagship of the fleet that made the first hostile advance against the Adriatic port. He is a thorough sailor.

Pharmaceutical Examination

Notice is hereby given that the board of examiners for the N. B. Pharmaceutical Society will meet for the examination of candidates for registration in the city of St. John on Thursday and Friday, June 10 and 11, and 9.30 a. m. Candidates must give notice to registrar E. R. W. Ingraham, West St. John, in writing, of their intention to present themselves for examination at least ten days before the date fixed for examination. Such notice must be accompanied by a fee of \$5.00 and by certificate which is satisfactory to the board that the candidate possesses the qualifications required by the fifth section of the Pharmacy Act. Candidates for re-examination are required to pay a fee of \$1.00.

DIED.

BROWN—At Lunenburg Heights, May 21, William F. Brown, in the 33rd year of his age, leaving a widow, little daughter, father, mother and three brothers.
Funeral Tuesday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock from his parents' home, Lancaster Heights, Interment in Greenwood cemetery.
COLEMAN—In this city, on the 23rd inst., William H. Coleman, in the 41st year of his age, leaving his wife, three daughters, five brothers and three sisters to mourn.
Funeral from the residence, 26 Orange street, this (Tuesday) morning at 8.30 to the Cathedral for high mass in requiem. Friends invited to attend.
CAPLES—Suddenly in this city, on the 23rd inst., Margaret Jane, wife of Thomas Caples, leaving besides her husband, five children to mourn.
Funeral from her late residence, 79 Leinster street, this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend.
MCRAE—In this city, at 34 Main street, Sunday morning, George E. McRae, thirty-two years of age, son of Mrs. Sadie McRae-Linton. Besides his mother, he leaves two brothers, one sister and two half-brothers to mourn his loss.
Funeral Wednesday at Bayswater on arrival of ferry leaving Millville at two p. m.
WALSH—In this city, on the 22nd inst., Edward Walsh, leaving five sons and three daughters to mourn.
Funeral this (Tuesday) morning at 8.30 from his late residence, Merritt street, to St. Peter's church for requiem or high mass at 9.00. Friends are invited to attend.
GILLIN—At her residence, 113 Sherbrooke street, on the 23rd inst., after a long illness, Mary E., daughter of the late William and Julia Gillin, leaving two brothers and three sisters to mourn.
Notice of funeral later.
WRIGHT—At Hampton, on the 23rd inst., Miss Amelia D. Wright, daughter of the late collector of customs, Chatham, N. B.
Funeral from St. Paul's church, St. John, at 2.30 this afternoon, 25th inst.
MULLIN—In this city, on the 23rd inst., at the residence of John Henderson, 38 Peter street, after a lengthy illness, Isabel, second daughter of the late James and Margaret Mullin, leaving one brother and four sisters to mourn.
Funeral today, the 25th inst., from 38 Peter street. Service begins at 2.30 p. m.
DOIG—In this city, on May 23, Charles H. Doig, aged sixty years, leaving his wife, four brothers and one sister to mourn.
Funeral Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from his late residence Stanley street.
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CLOSING OF MOUNT ALLISON LADIES' COLLEGE

Many Visitors Enjoy Delightful Programmes by Talented Ladies—The Graduates and Prize Winners.

Special to The Standard.
Sackville, May 24.—The event this afternoon in connection with the Mt. Allison exercises was the closing of the Academy, the oldest of the Mount Allison institutions. Principal Palmer presided.
Dr. Palmer in his report referred to the work of the year which had been very successful with an enrolment of 150, of whom 121 took the full course. A number of boys have taken the military drill.

The Alumni mathematical scholarship was won by Percy M. Clarke, Durham Centre, N. B.
The H. A. Powell prize of \$25 for best standing in English and allied subjects was won by Edgar Duff, Carleton Place, Ont.
The anniversary exercises of Mt. Allison Ladies' College were held in plain, fully a thousand people being present. After devotional exercises, conducted by Rev. B. J. Porter, Parrsboro, a delightful programme was successfully carried out. Diplomas were given the following graduates:
Graduate in Mistress of Liberal Arts, Mildred Elizabeth Barker, Sheffield, N. B.
Graduate in Expression, Helen Grace Ford, Sackville, N. B.
Graduates in Household Science, One year course—Pearle Akersley, Norton, N. B. Two year course—Gertrude Harper Kilburn, Kilburn, N. B. Annie Evelyn Metherall, Summerside, P. E. I. Eleanor Magdalene Roach, Sussex, N. B. Mary Olga Spongale, Middleton, N. S. Mary Ethel Stanford, Dartmouth, N. S.
Graduates in Music, Piano—Mary Alma Boyd, Stanley, N. B. Rhoda Marie Innes, Liverpool, N. S. Marjorie Ellen McCarthy, Moncton, N. B. Mary Adelaide Silver, Lunenburg, N. S. Beatrice Eleanor Swan, Halifax, N. S.
Vocal—Annie Belle Ford, Sackville, N. B. Vera Mathilde Gronlund, Sackville, N. B. Mary Hazel Mowat, Campbellton, N. B.
Drawing, Ivy Selina Richardson, Sackville, N. B.
Graduates in Arts and Crafts, Minnie Hulda Blenkhorn, Canning, N. S. Ada Wells Ford, Sackville, N. B. Mrs. E. A. Smith, St. John, who was present, delivered an admirable address on woman's part in the war. The closing number "Hiawatha's Wedding Feast," by a choral class of a hundred voices and orchestra of thirty pieces all under the direction of Prof. Fritz Read was beautifully rendered, being one of the finest things ever heard at Mt. Allison.
The F. W. Summer prize in household science was won by Miss Mary Howard, of Sackville.

EXECUTIVE OF W.C.T.U. MEETS AT FREDERICTON

Fredericton, May 24.—A meeting of the sub-executive of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island W. C. T. U. is being held here this evening to arrange for the convention to be held in New Brunswick in the early fall and also other important matters in connection with the Union.
Those present are Mrs. J. S. Perry, vice-president, Summerside, P. E. I.; Mrs. L. R. Hetherington, corresponding secretary, Newcastle; Mrs. Olive E. Lindon, recording secretary, St. Stephen; Mrs. A. C. M. Lawson, treasurer, Fredericton.

WHY MODERN WOMEN'S HAIR IS GETTING THIN

By Mdm. Beaupre.
Wigs, switches, curling tongs, artificial waving, singeing, etc., have combined to ruin the hair of many women, so there is decidedly an increase in baldness. But proper care will develop heavy, beautiful hair upon any head. In washing the hair do not use a makeshift which may remove more than the excess oil, leaving the hair dangerously dry, but use something which is made for shampooing only. A perfectly safe, economical, invigorating shampoo, that makes the hair so fluffy it seems much heavier than it is, can be had by dissolving a teaspoonful of canthrox, which every good druggist sells, in a cup of hot water. This mixture cleanses gently, yet thoroughly, removing all dandruff, excess oil and dirt, giving to the scalp and hair the vigor that insures scalp health and hair beauty. Canthrox shampoo makes the hair look good, very beneficial where hair is faded, dull or brittle, and the regular use of canthrox will greatly enrich the color of the hair and give a beautiful gloss and softness.

DON'T USE SOAP ON YOUR HAIR

When you wash your hair, don't use soap. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.
The best thing to use is just plain mulsified coconut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats soap or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.
Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy, and easy to handle. It loosens, it loosens, and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

FLEMING HAS EDGE ON FREDDIE WELSH.

Montreal, May 24.—Frankie Fleming, La Prairie, Que., Canadian lightweight champion, conceded fourteen pounds to Freddie Welsh, world's lightweight champion, in a ten round bout before the Canadian Athletic Club members tonight and made such a good showing that the bout was regarded by many of those present as practically a draw.
Welsh's weight was 138 pounds and so used it to advantage against the Canadian boxer. Roche of New York referred the contest at Welsh's request.

PLENTY OF ICE IN PORT HAWKESBURY, SAYS CAPT. CALDER

Captain Aubrey Calder of Welshport, Campbell, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Port Hawkesbury, N. S., and brings a tale of cold weather, snow storms and plenty of ice. Captain Calder said last evening that old residents along the straits of Canoe tell him that never in their history have they experienced such a spring as this. At Port Hawkesbury and along the coast as many as forty vessels are held up by the ice, and the owners of the vessels are losing a great deal of money as a result. Two weeks ago a fishing vessel made an attempt to get to the Magdalen Islands and was caught in the ice, lost both anchors and had her keel torn off. The captain said he visited the breakwater at Point Tupper and would not believe there was such a quantity of ice there unless he had witnessed it. The breakwater is about fifteen feet above the water and the ice has been driven against it in such quantities that it is piled high on top of the rocks. One piece of ice which had been driven up on the breakwater was measured by a man who estimated that the cake would weigh two hundred tons. It is a common thing for the sailors to climb from the side of their vessels and walk ashore on the ice. A week ago the vicinity was visited by two heavy snow storms and the fall of snow was so great that it had to be shoveled from the decks of the schooners. The weather is cold and proves a great contrast to that of yesterday in St. John.
Captain Calder says he and another man chartered a vessel in Halifax six weeks ago and set sail for the Magdalen Islands where they intended purchasing a cargo of herring which was to be taken to Campbell and smoked for the West Indies trade. They reached as far as Port Hawkesbury and were forced to remain in that port along with a number of other vessels on account of the ice.
In addition to vessels looking for

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cargoes of fish there are a number of other vessels which are bound along the straits for lumber cargoes and all are being held up and losing money. With any kind of luck a vessel that could make a good trip and not encounter ice would find the carrying of herring from the Magdalen a very profitable trade. Captain Calder is on his way to Campbell and has not decided if he will return to Port Hawkesbury again.

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THE MOVIE MAN and The Actress TED and CORINNE BRETON

In Snappy Snatches of Musical Comedy and Monologues.

Canadian Casualties Fewer Than Supposed

Special to The Standard
Ottawa, Ont., May 24.—Later information which has been cabled over regarding the fighting in which the Canadian troops were engaged last Thursday night shows that the casualties were not so numerous as supposed.

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PERSONAL

It is expected that Mrs. Hurlburt, president of the Women's Canadian Club of Montreal, and Dean of the Women's College, McGill, will visit this city in June.
W. Wray Barraclough, son of Rev. W. H. Barraclough, has successfully passed the Toronto University examination of the third year of medicine.
Miss J. Patterson of this city is the guest of Miss Warwick of Ononetto.
M. V. Padlock has left for Boston where he will spend a three weeks' vacation.
Mrs. D. J. Shea, Miss M. Shea and Mrs. R. T. Walker spent the holiday in this city, registering at the Royal Hotel.
Elmer Belding, 6th Canadian Mounted Rifles, Amherst, came to the city yesterday for the holiday.
Major Osborne, 56th Battalion, Sussex, arrived on the C. P. R. yesterday afternoon.
C. B. Allan returned to the city yesterday afternoon.

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Austr GEN. HUGHES PLEASED WITH THE "55"

Put men through severest test yesterday at Camp Sussex, and praised their work and appearance.

Special to The Standard
Sussex, N. B., May 24.—"The body of recruits I have seen in this country are in splendid shape for time of training they have had," the criticism of General Sam Hughes after his inspection of the 55th Battalion at Camp Sussex this morning.
General Hughes arrived at the camp shortly after nine o'clock in his private car and immediately proceeded to the camp grounds by auto. coming was entirely unexpected. The camp was so well understood that the car would be held a few minutes at the depot while he glanced over the battalion which was to be marched down to meet him.
Orders were only changed a few minutes before his coming, therefore unexpected inspection of the battalion in company, the general himself giving orders, was a severe test for new recruits to stand and their lent showing under the circumstances was worthy of more than ordinary merit. The Minister of Militia is only about an hour on the ground but during that time he made thorough inspection of the troops in company and battalion drill seemed greatly pleased with what he saw.
Col. Kirkpatrick has been away a couple of days in connection with the recruiting campaign and Major S. Jones, pro tem commanding officer, was after the inspection, highly complimented on the efficiency of his officers and the splendid appearance and training of the men.
This afternoon field sports were held at camp. All the events were keenly contested and it was evidenced by the showing made at its ranks. Many visitors were present, including a large number of ladies and everybody appearing greatly enjoy the sports and the pliability extended by the officers. Tomorrow (Tuesday) will be a big patriotic recruiting meeting to be held in the Sussex Opera at which Sergt. Major Ford and other prominent speakers will take part. The Citizens Band will also be out to furnish patriotic airs and from all sections of the county invited to be present. Hundred sturdy New Brunswickers are to be the 55th and the response is prompt. It is a fine regiment one which any young man should proud to join.

The men of Kings county have well by the Empire. They are upon to keep up the good work for Jones, Weyman and Wetmore. Lieut. Brooks are among the county officers who will have of the regiment. They are all to the members of the militia have been drilling at Sussex for the men who have been them at the various camps show now hesitate to place the train have received at the disposal of country. The answer at tonight's big meeting should be and decisive. A public meeting be held at Sackville on Wednesday at which Lt. Governor will preside. It is expected that in the next ten days the 55th up to strength.

PEACE CENTENARY PARADE AT 'F'

San Francisco, May 24.—A day of peace between America and Britain was celebrated today. Panama Pacific Exposition by a in eight divisions, representing eight major British possessions was a big illumination tonight.

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GRAVEL
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