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MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

Alexander Ribot has formed a new French cabinet. He is premier and minister of foreign affairs.

The British casualty lists for February show 417 officers killed, 881 wounded and 877 missing, a total of 1,285. This brings the aggregate losses in officers since the commencement of the war to 55,985. Of this number 36,221 have been wounded, the rest killed, died or missing.

LOCAL NEWS

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, MAR. 20.

A.M. P.M.
High Tide... 9:04 Low Tide... 3:26
Sun Rises... 6:32 Sun Sets... 6:32
Time used is Atlantic standard.

The congregation of St. John's Presbyterian church and the congregation of St. Stephen's met last evening to discuss the terms of union.

A thirteen year old boy charged with breaking into two houses at Little River and stealing therefrom was before Magistrate Adams in the Brookville court last evening. As the boy had a previously good name, he was allowed to go provided he make good the damages.

Those who took part in a fish programme in the vestry of the German street Baptist church last evening under the auspices of the Willing Workers included: Mr. Catter, Miss Kee, Mrs. Kee, Dr. P. Bonnell, Mr. Kee, Miss McDavitt, Miss Piers, Mrs. Geo. Currie, Misses Alice Rising, Vivian Daley and Miss Emma Colwell. Two papers written by James Estey were much enjoyed.

CARLETON AMATEURS PRESENT GOOD OLD PLAY, "HAZEL KIRKE"

The popular drama, "Hazel Kirke," was presented by the Church of the Assumption Dramatic Club in St. Patrick's hall, West St. John, last evening. The hall was crowded to capacity. The play lost none of its popularity in the performance of last evening; in fact it made new friends, and the manner in which the members of the cast did their work throughout showed both talent and dramatic skill.

E. Trainor, in the roll of Lord Travers, gave an excellent interpretation of the part and deserves special mention. His acting was a feature and he won well merited applause. He was ably supported by F. J. Joyce, J. J. O'Toole and W. J. Quigg. The lady members of the cast acquitted themselves in a most commendable manner and all were instrumental in the success of the production. Between the acts specialties were enjoyed. The cast of characters were as follows:

Hazel Travers..... Miss S. Murphy
Mersey Kirke..... R. McNeely
Lady Travers..... Miss S. Murphy
Dolly Dutton..... Miss M. Tobin
Clara..... Miss A. Collins
Dunstan Kirke..... F. J. Joyce
Lord Travers..... E. Trainor
Pettus Green..... J. J. O'Toole
Squire Rodney..... W. J. Quigg
Barney O'Flynn..... W. Ring
Met. Higgins..... J. Haley
Joe..... S. Haley
Dan..... W. Tobin

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Of wall paper at McArthur's, King street, Wednesday, March 21. 3-21

A large assortment of boys' suits, as well as men's at Turner's, out of the high rent district, 440 Main street. 3-22

Dr. J. T. Dalton of Fairville has opened office at 384 Main street, North End. 3-22

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CARPENTERS' ATTENTION!
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LOCAL NEWS OF SOLDIERS

Fifty members of the 16th Field Ambulance Depot were entertained at the Baptist church in Fairville last evening. Sergeant P. O'Rourke, who has been in St. John for the last few months recruiting for the Bantam Battalion, left last evening for Amherst, having been transferred there.

Miss S. Calhoun, daughter of Mrs. H. Lawrence, who has been in charge of the surgical ward in a large New York hospital, has received an appointment in an overseas Canadian hospital and will proceed to England to take up her new duties.

At a Rotary Club luncheon yesterday R. E. Armstrong said that the returned soldiers' reception committee had distributed 2897 parcels to soldiers from November to March 16.

Thirteen recruits were secured in the city yesterday: William Patchell, St. John, R.N.V.R.; J. E. Robinson, St. John, Machine Gun Section; Anthony Debeau, Yarmouth; David Gatten, Australia, Canadian Engineers; James Bryson, St. John, 218th Battalion; C. E. Gray, St. John, No. 9 Siege Battery; Leonard Valentine, St. John; Richard Walker, England; Patrick Cunningham, Ireland; R. Walter Scott, Tower Hill; Clinton Rice, Newcastle; Joseph Barrett, Sydney, Australia, 290th Battalion, and Fred James, St. John, No. 16 Field Ambulance.

In the St. James street military hospital Private James H. Dick of the 108th Battalion, "Canadian Buffs," died yesterday from pneumonia. The body will be taken to his home in Oakville, Ont. Lieut-Colonel F. D. Wedderburn of this city, formerly O. C. of the 119th Battalion, has been appointed commandant of No. 2 regimental command depot in England.

The midnight casualty list contains the name of eight New Brunswick men: Wounded, S. Carter, Westmorland Point; presumed to have died, E. W. Saunders, Hilyard street, St. John; wounded, J. K. Long, West St. John; M. L. Beck, Hunter's Home; B. W. Blutte, Collins.

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30 " 15th May, 1917;
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Forms of application may be obtained from any branch in Canada of any chartered bank and at the office of any Assistant Receiver General in Canada.

Subscriptions must be for even hundreds of dollars.

In case of partial allotments the surplus deposit will be applied towards payment of the amount due on the April instalment.

Receipts, non-negotiable or payable to bearer in accordance with the choice of the applicant for registered or bearer bonds, will be issued, after allotment, in exchange for the provisional receipts.

When the scrip certificates have been paid in full and payment endorsed thereon by the bank receiving the money, they may be exchanged for bonds, when prepared, with coupons attached, payable to bearer or registered as to principal, or for fully registered bonds, when prepared, without coupons, in accordance with the application.

SUBSCRIPTION LISTS WILL CLOSE ON OR BEFORE THE 23rd OF MARCH, 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA, March 12th, 1917.

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The issue will be exempt from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

The bonds with coupons will be issued in denominations of \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Fully registered bonds without coupons will be issued in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000 or any authorized multiple of \$5,000.

The bonds will be paid at maturity at par at the office of the Minister of Finance and Receiver General at Ottawa, or at the office of the Assistant Receiver General at Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary or Victoria, or at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

The interest on the fully registered bonds will be paid by cheque, which will be remitted by post. Interest on bonds with coupons will be paid on surrender of coupons. Both cheques and coupons, at the option of the holder, will be payable free of exchange at any branch in Canada of any chartered bank, or at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

Subject to the payment of twenty-five cents for each new bond issued, holders of fully registered bonds without coupons will have the right to convert into bonds of the denomination of \$1,000 with coupons, and holders of bonds with coupons will have the right to convert into fully registered bonds of authorized denominations without coupons at any time on application to the Minister of Finance.

The books of the loan will be kept at the Department of Finance, Ottawa.

Application will be made in due course for the listing of the issue on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges.

Recognized bond and stock brokers having offices and carrying on business in Canada will be allowed a commission of three-eighths of one per cent on allotments made in respect of applications bearing their stamp, provided however, that no commission will be allowed in respect of the amount of any allotment paid for by the surrender of bonds issued under the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915, or in respect of the amount of any allotment paid for by surrender of five per cent debenture stock maturing 1st October, 1919. No commission will be allowed in respect of applications on forms which have not been printed by the King's Printer.