

Local And Other Items.

The Northumberland has not gone to the Summerside Point du Chene route yet.

William Kennedy, New York, on the 18th won the marathon race in Boston in two hours, twenty-eight minutes, thirty-seven and one-fifth seconds.

The Car Ferry Steamer, reached here from Picton, on her first trip on Sunday afternoon, and is now plying between here and Picton making a round trip in two days.

Foreign Minister, Balfour and nineteen associates passed through Moncton early on Saturday morning for Washington.

Official notification of the Turkish government breaking of diplomatic relations with the United States was received on the 24th, by the State Department.

Writing on Premier Borden in Irish Life, a weekly illustrated published in Dublin R. J. Kelly, K. C., says: "Long before the war he as clearly as any statesman foresaw the course of events."

Mr. James H. Fletcher, formerly of this city, and at one time Editor of the Argus, died at his home, near Portland, Oregon on the 13th inst., aged 82 years.

The electric and transform that passed over this Province on Saturday night last, was one of the most severe ever experienced here; and considerable damage was done in different parts of the Island.

DIED.

MORRISON—At Flat River, April 16th, 1917, Ann MacKenzie, widow of the late Neil Morrison, in the 91st year of her age.

MCDONALD—Of 97 Richmond St. this city, on the morning of April 20th, Mary beloved wife of Mr. James McDonald, late of H.M.S. Custom, at the advanced age of 90 years.

BRADLEY—In this city, April 21st, Mrs. Michael Bradley, aged 72 years.—R. L. P.

ROSS—In this city on 21st inst., at her late residence, 149 Grafton St. Jean A. MacKenzie, widow of the late John Ross, aged 93.

BLACQUIER—In this city, on April 22nd 1917, Mrs. Leon Blacquier aged 52 years.

RYAN—In this city, on April 23rd 1917, Mrs. Dominic D. Ryan aged 56 years, leaving a disconsolate husband, one son and three daughters to mourn.

BUCHANAN—At Mt. Buchanan, Saturday, April 7th, Murdoch J. Buchanan, aged 79 years.

MURNAGHAN—At Fort Augustus on April 23rd 1917, Mrs. Bernad Murnaghan, aged 80 years.—R.I.P.

All kinds of Job Printing done at the Herald Office

British Parliament.

London, April 17—All possibility of the country being disturbed in the near future by a general election was removed to-night, when by a vote of 286 to 52, the House of Commons passed on second reading the bill for the extension of the life of parliament until November.

London, April 18—Today's sitting of the British parliament will be a historic landmark. Both the legislative houses adopted the House of Lords unanimously, and the House of Commons with one dissenting vote—resolutions expressing the profound appreciation of the British nation for the action of the United States government and people in entering the war in defense of the high cause of freedom and the rights of humanity.

The resolution in the House of Commons was moved by Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer. Former Premier Asquith seconded it in an eloquent speech. The resolution in the House of Lords was introduced by Earl Curzon of Kedleston, lord president of the council.

The Market Prices.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Butter, Eggs, Fowls, Chickens, Flour, Beef, Mutton, Pork, Potatoes, Hay, Black Oats, Hides, Calf Skins, Sheep Pelts, Oatmeal, Turnips, Turkeys, Pressed Hay, Straw, Ducks, Lamb Pelts.

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Progress of the War

Paris, April 17—Continuing their terrific attack against the German positions between Soissons and Rheims and east of the latter place today, the French carried German first line positions over many miles of front, captured powerfully organized heights, occupied the important village of Auberville, and on this part of the front, about two miles in extent, took more than 2,500 prisoners.

Paris, April 19—The southern part of the Hindenburg line in France continues to crumble or fall back before the forces of the French general, Nivelle. Thursday witnessed additional important gains by the French at numerous points from Soissons eastward to the old Champagne, and also the capture of men and guns.

London, April 20—The official statement issued by the war office this evening says: "Beyond mutual artillery activity at a number of places along the front there is nothing of importance to report."

The great offensive of the French army against the Germans from the bend in the line in France from Soissons eastward into the Champagne continues unabated. Numerous new points of vantage have been taken, prisoners and guns captured, and violent counter-attacks put down with heavy casualties.

seven different regiments. In their flight the Germans left behind much war material. Here the French captured nineteen cannon.

Paris, April 22—French Infantry forces last night again pushed forward in the region north of Sancy and Jony on the St. Quentin-Rheims battle front, says the official statement issued by the war office today. Further east there was hand grenade fighting in the sector of Hurteboise.

The French war office reports that Wednesday night the Germans threw twelve divisions of fresh men into the fray between Soissons and Auberville in an attempt to hold General Nivelle's forces back, but that their efforts were unavailing.

London, April 20—An official communication is issued by the Canadian war records office on the capture of Vimy Ridge. It says: "Again the Canadians have acquired merit in the capture of Vimy Ridge, on April 9, as in the lesser action of Concreville, in September of last year, they have shown the same high qualities in victorious advance as they have displayed in earlier days in 'desperate' resistance on many stricken fields."

Paris, April 20—Hard fighting continues between the French and the Germans all along the southern front in France. The French war office, in its latest communication, issued this afternoon, records further progress for the forces of General Nivelle north of the Aisne, in Champagne, and in the Argonne Forest. More than 19,000 Germans have been made prisoner, and guns in excess of 100 have been captured by the French since the offensive began last Monday.

Chemin Des Dames: We have occupied the village of Nancy. About six o'clock this evening, after very violent preparation by their artillery the Germans launched an attack with large effectives on the region of Allies and Hurteboise, which was broken down by the fire of our artillery and machine guns and completely repulsed. The artillery fighting in this region continues very active.

The Live Stock Breeders

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SEALED TENDERS will be received at this Department until MONDAY, APRIL 23, 1917

From any person or persons willing to contract for the carrying of passengers, baggage, vehicles, horses, cattle, sheep, calves, swine, grain, flour, meal and vegetables over and across the above ferry for a term of one or three years from the 1st of April 1917, in the terms of the Act 3, William 4, Cap. 8.

Tenders must express the rates of carriage on the above severally, baggage, flour and meal at per one hundred pounds and grain and vegetables at per bushel.

The names of two responsible persons willing to become bound for the faithful performance of the service must accompany each tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned and marked TENDER FOR ANNANDALE FERRY.

L. B. McMILLAN, Secretary of Public Works, Department of Public Works, Charlottetown, P. E. I., Ap. 12, 1917. Ap. 18, 1917—21

THE "OCEAN LIMITED"

Daily Service Between Halifax and Montreal Restored

Commencing Sunday, April 1st the Ocean Limited will leave Halifax at 7.00 a. m. and will run daily thereafter to Montreal. Commencing Saturday, April 14, the Ocean Limited will leave Montreal at 7.15 p. m. and will run daily thereafter to Halifax.

Tenders for Fresh Provisions.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for Fresh Provisions" will be received up to noon of Monday the 30th April, 1917, for the supply of Fresh Provisions in quantities as required from time to time by ships of the Naval Service at St. John, Charlottetown, Sydney, Yarmouth, Shelburne, Liverpool and Grand, during the period from 1st of May to the 30th of November, 1917, inclusive, delivery to be made as demanded.

Following is a list of the supplies that will be required: 1. Bacon 7. Butter 2. Beef 8. Lard 3. Mutton 9. Milk 4. Pork 10. Potatoes 5. Fish 11. Vegetables 6. Bread

Forms of tender and all information may be obtained by application to the undersigned. G. J. DESSARATS, C. M. G. Deputy Minister of the Naval Service, Department of the Naval Service, Ottawa, April 4, 1917.

Canadian Government Railways

CHANGE IN TIME

Commencing Tuesday, March 20th, 1917 and until further notice, the following will be the service on Elmira Branch: Mixed train will leave Elmira on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at 5.50 a. m. for Souris; returning will leave Souris at 7.40 p. m. for Elmira.

Mixed train on Monday, Wednesday and Friday will leave Souris at 7.10 a. m. for Charlottetown, instead of 6.00 a. m. as heretofore.

District Passenger Agent's Office, Charlottetown, P. E. I., March 17th, 1917. March 21, 1917.—4i

Our store has gained the reputation for reliable Groceries. Our trade during 1916 has been very satisfactory. We shall put forth every effort during the present year to give our customers the best possible service. R. F. Maddigan.

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