

The Army of Austria-Hungary in Flight; Whole World Awaits Armistice Terms

AN ANNOUNCEMENT OF ARMISTICE TERMS EXPECTED VERY SOON

Until Versailles Conference Speaks Whole World Will Remain in Suspense --- Armies in Field Await Decision—Much Disorder in Austria, Which Now Wants Peace With Italy—New Czecho-Slovakian State Proclaimed at Prague, Bohemia.

(By Arthur S. Draper).

Special Cable to New York Tribune and St. John Standard. London, Oct. 30.—Until the Versailles conference speaks the whole world will remain in suspense. An announcement of the armistice terms is expected momentarily. It is believed that Germany will give a prompt reply and the world will know within a week whether there is to be a campaign in 1919.

The soldiers are awaiting the decision with the same interest as do civilians as their plans are dependent upon the events of the next few days. Until Foch and Greener, Ludendorff's successor, know the result of the diplomatic exchange they are doing little more than mark time.

Riots in Hungary.

Within Germany there is the same uncertainty and restlessness. Socialist papers publish a manifesto by workers' organizations throughout the Empire demanding peace and declaring that the workmen will oppose war by every means in their power.

The Dual Monarchy is in a state of mental unrest. Riots amounting almost to a general uprising have broken out in Budapest, where the Germans are helping in the effort to maintain order. The archducal power is in control, but students and crowds of workmen are parading the streets crying "Up with a republic."

Trouble in Montenegro.

Martial law has been proclaimed but it looks as if the people would get out of hand. Even in Montenegro there are riots. The Austro-Hungarian forces are retreating rapidly, but large numbers of prisoners are falling into the hands of the Italians, who are pressing forward at a wonderful pace. At some points the advance exceeds twelve miles. While the Italians are getting revenge for the defeat of a year ago the Turks are quietly withdrawing from Baku without a fight.

LOAN FIGURES.

Ottawa, Oct. 30.—Reports tonight brought Ottawa's Victory Loan total to \$1,258,400. Canada's 1918 Victory Loan is well on the way toward the hundred million mark. The total number of subscriptions officially reported up to midnight of the third day of the drive were \$68,497,500. These figures include a total to date from Ontario of \$46,614,000. Toronto subscriptions now stand at \$18,054,000 of which \$2,250,000 was subscribed today. Montreal subscribed \$6,581,150. The figures for the other provinces so far received are: British Columbia, \$2,707,200; Alberta, \$1,141,155; Saskatchewan, \$1,200,000; Quebec, \$8,127,500; New Brunswick, \$1,000,000; Nova Scotia, \$1,082,450; Prince Edward Island, \$109,800.

SERBIANS AT DANUBE.

Balonik, Oct. 30.—Serbian cavalry have reached the Danube east of Semendria (34 miles southeast of Belgrade) and occupied Posharevatz, headquarters announced today. London, Oct. 30.—Apart from outpost and artillery activity, there is nothing to report, says Field Marshal Haig's communication of tonight dealing with the operations of the British on the western battlefield.

THE AUSTRIAN REPLY.

Washington, Oct. 30.—The official text of the Austrian government's note to President Wilson renewing the plea for an armistice and peace was made public today by Secretary Lansing. It does not differ substantially from the unofficial version as transmitted by The Associated Presser from Vienna, Austria.

Austrian Ranks Broken By Entente Onslaught

It Is Not Unlikely That Many More Enemy Soldiers Are Doomed to Capture or Extermination Before They Reach Border of Their Own Country

(By The Associated Press.)

Over a front of some sixty miles from the Brenta River in Northern Italy to the vicinity of the Adriatic Sea, the Austro-Hungarians are being violently attacked by Italian, British, French and American troops. In the mountain region the enemy is retreating desperately and holding ground fairly well, but east of the Piave River he is in flight across the plains of Treviso, changing his course over the same territory through which he drove the Italians a year ago and reached the eastern edge of the plains of Veneto.

Already numerous towns have been liberated. 33,000 prisoners have been taken and large numbers of guns and machine guns and huge quantities of stores have fallen into the hands of the Allied forces. Far behind the lines Allied aviators are heavily bombing enemy columns in dense masses, which are in retreat over the badly congested roads leading eastward toward the Austrian frontier.

Enemy Front Broken.

Judging the situation from the rapid advance the Allies are making it would appear that the entire enemy front has been broken east of the Piave, and that with the cavalry operating far in advance of the foot troops the enemy is being driven south-east to reform their battle line until the Austrian border is reached. It is not unlikely that many of the Austro-Hungarians are doomed to capture or extermination by the Allies.

On the western front in France and Belgium there has been a marked diminution in the intensity of the infantry action. Along the British line there have been only patrol en-

counters and reciprocal bombardments. The French, however, are engaged in another attack on a front of about seven and a half miles between St. Quentin-La-Petit and Herpy in the general direction of the enemy's communication lines running eastward from the old St. Quentin and Laon sectors and also with the purpose of driving a wedge into this part of the southern battle line and thereby cutting the enemy's rear just his front through Champagne to the Meuse.

Americans Active.

Around Grand Pré, north of the Argonne Forest, the Americans have materially bettered their positions in attacks against the Germans. The Bellefleur Farm, which for several days had been No Man's Land, now is virtually all held by the Americans. East of the Meuse Liege also has been considerable fighting, but it has resulted in no great change in positions. The big American guns are continuing to heavily shell German positions far behind the lines and bombing the enemy's communication lines. In air fighting the Americans Wednesday sent 21 German aviators crashing to the ground. Two of the American fliers are missing.

In both Serbia and Mesopotamia the Allied troops are still harassing the enemy. Serbian cavalry has arrived at Danube, a short distance south-east of Belgrade. In Mesopotamia the British advance has proceeded 150 miles up the Tigris River from Basra.

It is reported that Turkey has invited the Allies to send their fleets into the Dardanelles and also to land a small detachment of troops to supervise the demobilization of the Turkish army.

Personally he did not think liquor was an essential in the treatment of influenza; there might be cases where brandy or whiskey might do good, but in the majority of cases he did not think it needed.

A call had been received from the Bathurst Lumber Company for help. In three of their camps one hundred and fifty men were down with the epidemic, and the department was doing its best to send the needed help on the train leaving this (Thursday) morning, and if a physician could be secured he would be sent.

Dr. Roberts stated that some of this had already arrived at the provincial laboratory, and Tufts College had been asked to manufacture enough to treat 20,000 people. Efforts had also been made to obtain vaccine from Toronto University, and he understood samples were now on the way here.

No request for help had been received from Wilson's Beach, and on enquiry yesterday the department was informed that the epidemic was passing and no help was needed. No request had been made to the city public works department to have the streets sprinkled with disinfectants. There had been a request made to have the streets kept sprinkled to keep down the dust.

Dr. Malvin last night received the following reports:—Rothsay—Eleven cases. St. Stephen—No new cases, all improving. Dalhousie—Thirty-four new cases, total to date, 166 cases, 11 pneumonia, 5 deaths. Harvey, Albert county—Thirty-four cases, one death, two pneumonias; cases mostly mild. Debec Junction—Thirty-two cases, 6 pneumonias. Moncton—Thirty-eight new cases since last Saturday; average cases for last week, 22.12 per day; for current week 9.12 per day; average deaths last week 3 per day; current week 1.2 per day.

N. S. BOOSTS LOAN. Halifax, Oct. 30.—The Halifax Victory Loan allotment will be considerably over-subscribed in the remaining days of the campaign. To date four districts in Nova Scotia have passed their objectives and have been awarded honor flags. These are Glace Bay, Kingston, Conquerall and the Dominion Steel Corporation employees. Reports from all other sections of the province are most encouraging.

Hundreds of Guns and Innumerable Machine Guns Have Been Taken.

MORE THAN HUNDRED VILLAGES REDEEMED

In Albania Italian Army is Rapidly Advancing on City of Scutari.

Washington, Oct. 30.—Thirty-three thousand Austro-Hungarian machine guns and innumerable machine guns have been captured by Italian and Allied forces on the Italian front, said an official despatch today from Rome. The 33rd American Infantry Regiment has some into action and the fighting now extends practically all along the course of the Piave River. The Austrians are retreating stubbornly, throwing in many new divisions, but have not been able to stop the advancing forces.

The despatch follows: "Our offensive is developing farther south" said the despatch, "and stretches practically all along the course of the Piave. The Third Army is now in action successfully. The line is strongly held by the greater part of the Italian army alongside of which is the Fourteenth Army Corps of British troops and a French division. The 32nd American Infantry Regiment is now also in action."

Enemy Stubborn. "The enemy is retreating with exceptional stubbornness and is throwing out, however, being successful in holding back our troops. In the Orapija region the troops of the First Italian Army with the support of the 21st Army have been successful in beating the enemy at Segusino and have conquered Mont Gessen. The Eighth Army has occupied the narrow pass of Follina and has already reached the Vittorio. The Tenth Army after having established solid bridgeheads over the Monticchio River has crossed the river and is advancing along the road Consigiano Ordo. The Third Army after neutralizing the formidable artillery fire of the enemy has crossed the Piave at San Dona Di Pavenza and east of Zenson.

33,000 Prisoners. "The number of prisoners captured up to the present moment amounts to 802 officers and 22,198 men, hundreds of guns have also been captured. It is impossible to calculate the number of machine guns which have fallen into our hands."

"In Albania our troops, after beating the remnants of the enemy, have occupied San Giovanni Di Mersa, and are rapidly advancing on Scutari."

An earlier official despatch from Rome said that more than 100 villages and towns had been liberated in Italy since the offensive began.

Enemy in Disorder. The Austrian army corps on the left wing has retired in disorder, leaving behind much war material and several hundred guns. The Sixth Army Corps is said to be in a very critical position, engaged in heavy defensive fighting on the hills between Valbobbiano and the Soligo River.

Aviators ar, active, assisting the Italian operations by bombing railway transport wagons in retreat.

Touching demonstrations by the populace of recaptured towns are occurring everywhere, as the Italian troops march in.

Cross the Monticchio. London, Oct. 30.—British troops in their offensive on the northern Italian front have at some places crossed the Monticchio River, the British war office announced this evening.

STEAMER GALIANO MAY HAVE SUNK

Anxiety for Safety of Government Vessel Expressed at Victoria, B. C.

Victoria, B.C., Oct. 30.—The naval authorities today received no word regarding the Dominion government steamer Galiano, which gives rise to anxiety for her safety. The vessel, which is in the lighthouse service, was en route from Triangle Island to Ikeda, Queen Charlotte Islands.

Last night a message calling for help was picked up from the Galiano by government wireless. The message said that the vessel was making water very rapidly. No further word was received. The vessel had a crew of thirty men.

Turkey Is Anxious To Withdraw From War

Reported in Constantinople That Ottoman Empire Has Commenced Official Negotiations for Peace—Allies May Enter the Dardanelles.

Amsterdam, Oct. 30.—The Constantinople newspaper Ikdam on Sunday printed a statement from a "competent source" that Turkey has commenced official peace negotiations with the Entente, adding that delegates already had left the Turkish capital. In other quarters in Constantinople, however, it is declared the negotiations are unofficial.

Reports are current that Turkey under the peace negotiations has invited the Allied fleet to enter the Dardanelles. Troops are not to be landed, it is said, with the exception of a small detachment to supervise the demobilization of the Ottoman army.

BOLSHEVIKI ASK ALLIES TO QUIT

Amsterdam, Oct. 30.—Russian foreign minister Litvinov, addressed a note to President Wilson of October 24, according to Petrograd newspapers, saying:

"As a condition of the armistice during which peace negotiations shall be begun, you in your note to Germany demanded the evacuation of occupied territories. We are ready, Mr. President, to conclude an armistice on this condition, and request you to inform us when you intend to withdraw your troops from the Murman, Archangel and Siberia."

London, Oct. 30.—Count Andriassy, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, has resolved to initiate direct peace negotiations with Italy. "Austria's sole antagonist," according to a Vienna telegram received in Copenhagen and transmitted by the Central News Agency.

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Saco, Me., Oct. 30.—Chief Justice Corliss of the Supreme Court has ordered another continuance of the trial of Rev. Henry A. Hall of Wells, under indictment charging him with the murder of his wife, Minnie O. S. Hall, at Wells on the night of June 11 last. Hall was indicted at the September term of the court held in Alfred and the trial set for Monday, Nov. 4, at Alfred. Justice Corliss, on account of the influenza epidemic, decided that it would be unwise to hold the trial at that time and ordered it continued to the January term of court in this city.

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W. A. McQUEEN OF DORCHESTER DEAD

Son of Former Sheriff Had Been Ill of Influenza and Pneumonia—Wife, Daughter of Late Hon. H. R. Emmerston.

Dorchester, Oct. 30.—(Special.)—W. A. McQueen, only son of former Sheriff Joseph A. McQueen, died at 11 o'clock tonight of pneumonia. He had been ill of the disease since Tuesday, following an attack of influenza. The deceased was well known in Westmorland County and was popular. He was 36 years of age, and is survived by a wife, formerly Miss Ber-nice Emmerston, daughter of the late Hon. Henry R. Emmerston. They were married last July.

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CANADIANS STILL AT VALENCIENNES

Have Not Entered City, But Remain in Western Outskirts—Troops Well Billeted.

With the Canadian Forces, Oct. 26, via London, Oct. 30.—(By J. F. B. Livesey, Canadian Press correspondent.)—As reported several days ago the Canadian troops are in the western outskirts of Valenciennes, but that is far from being in the city itself, for the Boches have now flooded the canal system and there is a wide water waste between us. Some adventurous spirits among the Canadians sought to cross into the city from the south by boat but returned with their boats' sides riddled with machine gun bullets. German engineers certainly know their job. All through these operations they have skillfully made the most of the opportunities provided by the canal system for flooding the country. Apparently now they have dammed across the Scheldt and the Canal De Conde in the neighborhood of Conde backing the water up well south of Valenciennes.

Saving City. So we sit opposite one another sniping and machine gun firing with an occasional duel of artillery, though we are scrupulously careful not to damage the city or villages, concentrating our fire on communications and areas of support, take a look at the map of Scheldt.

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east of Valenciennes within front of him the flooded area. Pressure from either the north or the south may make him fall back any day to what seems his prepared strong line between Mons and Maubeuge, or to other words between the water basins of the Scheldt and the Sambre. Meanwhile the Canadian corps is better billeted than ever before in its history.

THE OFFICIAL ACCOUNT OF THE BATTLE OF TRAFALGAR

Famous Sea Fight Fought Off Spanish Coast on October 22, 1805, in Which Great Fleets of Spain and France Were Destroyed—Renowned Victory Marred by Grief Over Lord Nelson's Death.

"We have fed our sea for a thousand years... And she calls us still unwell... For there's never a wave of all her waves... But marks our English dead... We have strewn our bait to the sea's unrest... To the shark and the shearing gull... Lord God! We have paid in full... On Monday, October 21, Britons the world over, seamen in particular, celebrated an event which changed the course of the world's history...

Grieves Over Loss of Lord Nelson. Such a battle could not be fought without sustaining a great loss of men. I have not only to lament, in common with the British navy, and the British nation in the fall of a hero whose name was to be immortal and his memory ever dear to his country...

On Monday, the 21st instant, at daylight, when Cape Trafalgar bore E. by S. about seven leagues, the enemy was discovered six or seven miles to the eastward, the wind about west and very light... The commander-in-chief immediately made the signal for the fleet to bear out in two columns...

The action began at twelve o'clock, by the leading ships of the columns breaking through the enemy's line, the commander-in-chief, about the tenth ship from the van, the second in command about the twelfth from the rear, leaving the van of the enemy unopposed...

SEVERE RHEUMATIC PAINS DISAPPEAR. Rheumatism depends on an acid which flows in the blood, affecting the muscles and joints, producing inflammation, stiffness and pain... Hood's Sarsaparilla, the old-time blood tonic, is very successful in the treatment of rheumatism...

White. Ottawa, Oct. 29.—In connection with the Victory Loan campaign the minister of finance today said that he desired specially to emphasize the fact that the Victory Loan will be required to full extent even if peace should come within a few weeks or more as the nations will be on a war basis for a long time and it will take Canada a year or more to demobilize...

Contributed by J. L. McAVITY, LIEUT.-COLONEL.

J. H. DUNLAP, JR. PASSES AWAY

Assistant City Engineer of Moncton Had Influenza and Pneumonia.

Moncton, Oct. 29.—James H. Dunlap, Jr., assistant city engineer, succumbed this morning to an attack of influenza, followed by pneumonia with which he had been ill ten days. Deceased was the son of ex-Ald. James H. Dunlap, and was brother-in-law of the late Fred Shaw, whose death of influenza at Memramcook last week was reported in The Standard.

HUSBAND AND WIFE DIE OF PNEUMONIA

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Casey of St. Anne, Kent County, Pass Away at Lower Derby.

Newcastle, Oct. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Casey of St. Anne, Kent Co., are both dead of pneumonia at Lower Derby, where Mr. Casey was employed in the New Brunswick Fibre Sulphate Mill. The former died yesterday and was 34 years old. Mrs. Casey died this morning at the age of 27. They leave one child.

THE ALLIES TO BE UNITED AFTER WAR

Losses of Mercantile Tonnage Due to U-Boats to be Made Good in Part by Use of German Ships.

London, Oct. 29.—(British Wireless Service).—Resolutions unanimously passed at the recent conference of French, Italian, Belgian and British sections of the inter-Allied parliamentary committee recommended that the nations now united in the fight for liberty should maintain their close association until the dangers threatening them had been removed by the complete overthrow of the enemy powers.

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paramount importance that the governments of the Allied nations should forthwith proceed to prepare in consultation a scheme for the establishment after the war of machinery designed to secure and develop a "solidarity of nations" as a proper means for attaining a durable peace guaranteed by the joint action of free nations.

It was stated by the committee that the losses of mercantile tonnage due to submarine warfare should be made good so far as possible by the trans-shipment of enemy tonnage. The committee also urged on the Allied governments the necessity of constituting an inter-Allied independent air force for the purpose of overhauling, if need be, the last resistance of the enemy by a campaign of raids over his territory. The common industrial control of the production of aeronautical material was recommended.

Can the Soldier AFFORD To Lose An Arm, A Leg? Can He AFFORD to Lose His Life? What we can AFFORD cannot be the measure of our patriotism now. It's the one more Bond you CAN'T afford, the one more Bond that is so big it hurts, that is the only true measure of Canadian patriotism now. THAT is the bond that makes you a Canadian. The final hour is at hand—the last call to all Canadians to go over the top with Haig's men. There are many banks and branches conveniently located in all sections of this City. They are all open to you for Victory Loan purposes. Whether you have ever borrowed from a bank before or not, whether you have ever been inside a bank or not, GO INTO ANY BANK AND ASK. Simply to buy a bond and wear a Victory Loan button is no longer enough. The hour calls for patriotism that is measured by SACRIFICE. Our men are waiting for your answer. ACT. \$13,000,000 To Be Raised in New Brunswick

After you do your duty by your country look to your own comfort. PICK AN OVERCOAT While They're Ripe. Stock is now at the peak. Variety embraces every desirable style. Fabrics better than will be next season. Prices are not as high as you'd expect them to be: \$20 to \$45. Large selections at \$25, \$30 and \$35, made of dependable cloths. Gilmour's, 68 King St.

MINIATURE ALMANAC. OCTOBER—PHASES OF THE MOON. New Moon, First Quarter, Full Moon, Last Quarter. Table with columns for Date, Sun Rises, Sun Sets, H. Water A.M., H. Water P.M., L. Water A.M., L. Water P.M.

THE WEATHER. Maritime—Fresh to strong winds, mostly south and southwest; cloudy with occasional rain. Washington, Oct. 30.—Northern New England—Rain Thursday, Friday fair, cooler, strong south winds becoming west Thursday. Toronto, Oct. 30.—Pressure is comparatively low over the eastern portion of the continent and showery weather prevails from the Great Lakes to the Maritime Provinces.

MRS. BARRY ADAMS PASSES AWAY. Mrs. Barry Adams, of the Manawagonish road died this morning. Mrs. Adams was 25 years of age and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Tibbets, of Fairville. She leaves no family.

YANKS CROSS PIAVE. Italian Army Headquarters on the PIAVE Front, Oct. 30.—(By the Associated Press).—American troops under Major General Charles G. Frost, have crossed the PIAVE River. The Third Army has established their headquarters on the Lower PIAVE.

CHANGES IN GERMANY. Copenhagen, Oct. 30.—The German government, according to the Frankfurter Zeitung, despatched its latest memorandum to the government at Washington for the purpose of enabling President Wilson to more clearly understand the alterations recently made in the German constitution.

Paris, Oct. 29.—The capitulation of Austria, is the unvarying caption which the morning newspapers precede Count Julius Andriassy's note to President Wilson. The editorial while accepting this conclusion, urge caution lest there be a hidden snare behind the Austrian offer.

TWO SERIOUS CASES. Mrs. Sarah Burke now in the hospital as the result of a bad fall was still unconscious at midnight. Geo. Rogers recently shot at Barnesville, Kings Co., is reported in a critical condition and slight hopes are held out for his recovery.

BERLIN CLAIMS GAIN. Berlin, Oct. 30.—Via London.—German troops yesterday completely beat back the enemy on an eleven mile front from between May-Le-Comte and the River Aisne, the German General Staff announced today.

PERSONAL. Geo. Kincaid, 61, Richmond street, who was stricken Tuesday with influenza while at work in the 47 Third Plant, was reported yesterday to have passed the dangerous stage, and was resting quite comfortably.

THOUSAND FOUG... Great Race in Car... ment of Czech... Years of Enfo... Winnipeg, Oct. 30.—In Canada are preparing the re-establishment of a Slovak nation, after 10 years of enforced sub-bonvic rule. The recognition of the Allies of their nations was confirmed in a peace note of the American government. There are branches of the Czechoslovak Alliance in Canada, and in Winnipeg. The Czechoslovak people are thrilled with great joy over the proclamation of the world announcing the principles which are to govern the present republic. This is a fitting year for the spirit of all liberty-loving Czechs the world over.

Mr. Blaha also despatched a telegram to President Wilson, congratulating him on his victory. The Czechoslovak people are thrilled with great joy over the proclamation of the world announcing the principles which are to govern the present republic. This is a fitting year for the spirit of all liberty-loving Czechs the world over.

A LIVELY BATTLE IN RHODE ISLAND. Charles Caswell of the Watch and Key Co., was hit in the left leg from a window of the house in Cranston, captured 35 men and who had refused to give up. The occupants of the house were taken to the hospital. The soldiers then surrounded the house, smashed the window, broke the glass, pushed the man into the room, he refused to get up, the soldiers then surrounded the house, smashed the window, broke the glass, pushed the man into the room, he refused to get up, the soldiers then surrounded the house, smashed the window, broke the glass, pushed the man into the room, he refused to get up.

FRENCH PRO... Paris, Oct. 30.—The munition tonight was enabled to occupy trench and to approach running between Guise and Vervins.

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THOUSANDS OF CZECHO-SLOVAKS FOUGHT IN CANADIAN ARMY

Great Race in Canada Preparing to Celebrate Re-Establishment of Czecho-Slovak Nation After Three Hundred Years of Enforced Submission to Teutonic Rule.

Winnipeg, Oct. 30.—Czecho-Slovaks in Canada are preparing to celebrate the re-establishment of a free Czecho-Slovak nation, after three hundred years of enforced submission to Teutonic rule.

Thousands of men of the oppressed nationalities of Southeastern Europe have fought in the Canadian army.

The Czecho-Slovak army is in the fifth place numerically with the Allies fighting on the French, Italian and Macedonian fronts.

The white and red flag of the Czech people now floats over the historic castle of Hradchin, seat of former Czech kings, in Prague, symbolizing the dawn of freedom from Teuton rule and oppression which the Czechs have fought against with every means in their power for three hundred years.

Mr. Blaha also despatched the following telegram to Professor Masaryk, chairman of the Alliance, whose present headquarters are in Washington:

The Czecho-Slovak people in Canada are thrilled with great joy in reading the proclamation issued by you to the world announcing the fundamental principles which are to be adopted to govern the present Czecho-Slovak Republic.

The activities of the alliance since the outbreak of war directed to the

THE VICTORY LOAN GOOD INVESTMENT

Hon. F. B. McCurdy Explains the Issue and Its Prospects from a Business Standpoint.

The following letter from Hon. F. B. McCurdy speaks for itself: Ottawa, October 25th, 1918.

Dear Mr. Bethel—Anyone who regards his action in investing in Canada's Victory Loan at 5 1/2 per cent as a patriotic duty being performed, can take what need of pleasure he may from such contemplation.

The present Government of Canada has never had an opportunity of investing in Government bonds at all comparable with the present war loans.

Only a few years ago even 4 per cent bonds of small cities and towns sold at par. Does any one doubt that after peace comes, similar bond market conditions will return?

The answer to all three questions is emphatically "Yes. Victory bonds meet all these requirements:

1. All Canada, through its taxing power, is the security. 2. 5 1/2 per cent. Such high rates on Government bonds are obtainable only in times of great urgent borrowing, i.e. at present owing to war necessities.

Do you recall the parable of the talents? Its teaching is that every one's capital should not be wrapped up in a napkin, but wisely invested, save you ever pondered on the enormous importance of such investment and what power it carries?

There are many people in Nova Scotia who have during the whole of their lives been content to keep their money in the savings bank at 3 per cent. What would they gain if, instead, they placed their funds in the Victory Loan at 5 1/2 per cent?

At any rate I feel sure that those who buy Victory Bonds now will never rue their bargains; bargains they certainly are.

Some Differences at Versailles Conference, But They Are Not Important.

Paris, Oct. 30. (By The Associated Press)—The heads of the Allied governments and Colonel F. M. House, special representative of the United States government, with the military and naval advisers of the respective countries, continued their informal meetings today.

PERSHING BETTERS VERDUN POSITIONS

Aincerville Occupied and Country for Miles Dominated by United States Guns.

Washington, Oct. 30.—American troops operating north of Verdun have occupied Aincerville and established their lines north of the village, General Pershing reported late today in a communique for Wednesday.

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Do you recall the parable of the talents? Its teaching is that every one's capital should not be wrapped up in a napkin, but wisely invested, save you ever pondered on the enormous importance of such investment and what power it carries?

There are many people in Nova Scotia who have during the whole of their lives been content to keep their money in the savings bank at 3 per cent. What would they gain if, instead, they placed their funds in the Victory Loan at 5 1/2 per cent?

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FIERCER RIOTS IN BUDAPEST

Numerous Persons Killed and Wounded in Street Conflicts in Magyar Capital.

Berne, Switzerland, Oct. 30.—(By The Associated Press)—Numerous persons were killed and wounded in street conflicts between demonstrators and troops at Budapest on Sunday, according to a despatch received here tonight from the Hungarian capital.

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A LIVELY BATTLE IN RHODE ISLAND Troops Descend Upon Road House and Are Fired on—Officer Wounded—Sixty-Eight Arrests.

Woonsocket, R. I., Oct. 30.—Lieut. Hannibal Hamlin and a detachment of provost guardmen from Camp Stevens, forced their way into a roadhouse in Cumberland Sunday and captured 59 men and nine women who had refused to give themselves up.

The occupants of the house had fired upon the soldiers and had held deputies from the United States Marshal's office in Providence and members of the New England Watch and Ward Society at bay for more than an hour.

Lieut. Hamlin ordered his men to surround the house. He went to a window, smashed the blinds off and broke the glass, pushing his revolver into the room, he repeated his demand. The inmates, who had gone upstairs, refused to come out.

The soldiers then rushed the house, smashing in the front door. They went through the rooms, covering men and women with revolvers. Evidently frightened by this quick action, the inmates made no further resistance.

Several men in uniform were included among the prisoners.

Paris, Oct. 30.—The war office communique tonight says: "Local operations in the region south of Guise, enabled us to occupy several enemy trenches and to approach the road running between Guise and Heric-la-Vieville."

Our troops continued their offensive between Banogne and Harpy, taking prisoners. West of St. Pergeux and near Hill 45, very spirited engagements occurred. Our troops resist several enemy counter-attacks.

CARLETON CO. LAD DIES OF WOUNDS Barry Long, Son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Long of Long Settlement, Passes Away.

Special to The Standard. Wopstock, Oct. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. John C. Long, Long Settlement, Carleton County, have received the sad news that their son, Barry, died of wounds on September 28th.

Lance Corporal Barry Long enlisted together with his cousin, George L. Long, at Centreville, on November 12, 1915. He went overseas in June, 1916, with the 10th Battalion, under the command of Lieut.-Col. Fowler.

While in England he took a course at the Canadian Pioneer School at Seaford, after which he crossed over to France in the 15th Pioneer Battalion, where he was again transferred to the 1st Canadian Engineers.

In a recent letter home he stated that he had just returned to the line after being confined to the hospital for several weeks, suffering from influenza. Scarcely two months had elapsed before he was called to pay the supreme sacrifice, laying down his life for the cause of his country.

He was 26 years of age, a young man of sterling character, a kind and jovial disposition which made him a special favorite with all who knew him. Sometime before enlisting, he had taken his stand as a soldier of Christ, and later became a member of the United Baptist church at Tracy Mills, N.B.

His father and mother, two brothers, Guy M., of Jacksonville, and his twin brother, Leigh, at home, and three sisters, Mrs. Jesse Carpenter, Mrs. Harry Lang of Bloomfield, Mrs. Clyde Rideout of Hartland, N.B., to all of whom sincere sympathy is extended in their sad bereavement.

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Mr. Rundle secured a marriage license here a week ago Saturday. His bride was with him at the time. The couple were married by a local justice last Thursday and after a wedding breakfast in New York they returned to Mr. Rundle's palatial mansion in Danbury, Conn.

One night in the home finished married life for Gladys. She was gone after breakfast Friday, and no one has seen her since.

Mr. Rundle is reputed to be worth \$500,000. Mrs. Rundle is an attractive blonde. Her father, Austin Brown, now dead, amassed a large fortune in Washington, where the young woman made her debut in 1911. The family formerly lived in Orlando, Maine.

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That's the way the English drill sergeants train the men for bayonet fighting.

"Put every ounce of your weight into your thrust—jump into it with your whole soul—that's the way to save your own life and the only way to win."

We at home must jump into the Hun IN JUST THAT WAY, and help save the Nation's life and win the Nation's war!

Canada is up against a danger that is real, vivid, menacing. The only way to end it is "BY FORCE TO THE UT-MOST."

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AUSTRIANS ON LOWER PIAVE ARE IN CRITICAL POSITION

Enemy Retiring in Region of Conegliano, Leaving Many Big Guns Behind.

HOW CONEGLIANO CITY WAS TAKEN

Results of Victorious Advance of Allies in Italy Hourly Grows in Importance.

Italian Headquarters on the Piave, Oct. 30.—(By The Associated Press)—Austro-Hungarian forces are retreating in the region east of Conegliano. They are leaving behind them scattered along the roads toward Vittorio Veneto, seven miles north of Conegliano and Sella, further to the east, many big guns and ammunition wagons.

The capture of Conegliano by the Italians was important since that town is the centre of five highways and also is situated on the railway. The city is being used as a supply station for the Italians. From this city the Italians will be able to dominate not only the lower mountain region but also the enemy troops on the lower Piave.

Enemy Position Critical.

Large numbers of Italian cavalry already have crossed the Piave. The position of the enemy forces on the lower stream is becoming critical and they may be cut off.

The taking of Conegliano was effected by Italian troops which crossed the Piave south of the Nervesina region on Monday night in the face of an intense artillery fire. They cut their way through roads barred and blocked by barbed wire and machine guns.

The first troops to enter Conegliano were seven cyclists who were followed by the Como infantry brigade. The Italians were met by civilians waving Italian flags.

Victory Important.

Washington, Oct. 30.—Results of the victorious advance against the Austrians on the Italian front hourly increases in importance, says an official despatch to the Italian embassy from Rome. More than a hundred villages and towns have been taken.

The battle line is pressing closely upon the heels of the enemy, the message states, having reached yesterday the River Livonca, where the Austrians attempted to stand to save their threatened lines of retreat.

The Austrian army corps on the left wing has retired in disorder, leaving behind war material and several hundred guns. The Sixth Austrian Army corps is said to be in a very critical position, engaged in heavy defensive fighting on the hills between Valdobbiadene and the Soligo River.

Italian Statement.

Rome, Oct. 30.—The official statement issued at the war office last night reads:

"The enemy attacked frontally by the eighth and twelfth armies, and threatened on his flank by the tenth army, has been forced to abandon the heights on the left bank of the Piave, and, hard pressed by our troops, is retreating.

"Several more villages have been liberated. Closely following the enemy, who blew up the bridges across the Monticchio, we have entered Conegliano."

"To the north, on the right bank of the Piave, other troops, in cooperation with those on the left bank, have passed beyond the Calcinò torrent after a brilliant struggle. Bitter fighting is taking place in the region of Monte Grappa.

"The capture of another thousand prisoners is announced and more than 100 guns have been taken, many of them of medium and heavy calibre. A good part of those captured are already in action against the enemy."

ST. JOHN COMPANY.

Fredericton, Oct. 30.—A new company has been incorporated under the name of H. Mont Jones Limited, with capital stock of \$40,000 with head office in St. John. Those incorporated are Hugh Montgomery Jones, Mrs. Mary Rosiland Jones, Margaret Irene Kierwan, Florence Sylvester Kierwan and J. MacMillan Trueman. The company is authorized to take over the business conducted in St. John by H. Mont Jones and his wife as furriers.

Hop Lee and Hum Ton of St. John have entered into a co-partnership under the name of Hop Lee & Company to carry on business as importers of Chinese goods in the premises now occupied by Hop Lee and Tom Lee.

BEAVERBROOK ILL.

London, Oct. 30.—Baron Beaverbrook, whose resignation as head of the propaganda department of the British government was announced yesterday, has undergone an operation. The result is said to be unsatisfactory and his friends are much concerned over his condition.

DECLARES KAISER SHORN OF POWER

Another Note from German Government Reaches Washington — William Cannot Make War or Peace, It Says.

Washington, Oct. 30.—Another note from the German government reached Washington today. It supplements the last brief communication saying armistice terms were awaited, by reciting in detail governmental changes which have taken place in Germany as evidence that the Kaiser has been deprived of all power of making war and negotiating peace.

This time the Germans do not address President Wilson personally, but send the information for the American government, apparently recognizing that the stage of personal appeals has passed with the transmission of the armistice and peace plea to the Allies.

It reiterates that the actual power and responsibility of the government have been transferred to the Reichstag and describes the progress of the necessary constitutional changes.

The note probably will be forwarded immediately to Paris where the supreme war council already is reported to have formulated terms upon which the United States and the Allies might permit a cessation of hostilities.

As word of the new German move came it was learned that President Wilson was working today on a reply to the last note from Vienna, in which the Austrian government accepted all principles and conditions of the president and asked for armistice and peace proposals.

The reply is expected to inform the authorities at Vienna that on the basis of acceptance of all conditions, including actual independence and not mere autonomy for subject nationalities, their request has been referred to the governments with which the United States is associated.

FOUR OF FAMILY DIE.

New Glasgow, N. S., Oct. 30.—A particularly sad case amid all the other sad cases in these sad times is that of the Flynn family, of Thorburn. The head of the home, Mr. James Flynn, was killed in the Thorburn mine last December. Since then two fine, sturdy, stalwart sons have been "killed in action" at the front, and now a daughter, a young trained nurse of great merit and promise, took influenza while at her post of duty in Taunton, Mass., and died.

RELIEF WORK IN NORTHUMBERLAND

Miss Jean Aitken Agrees to Take Charge — Arrangements for Influenza Hospital.

Special to The Standard.

Newcastle, Oct. 30.—Miss Jean Aitken, who has been doing volunteer work among the serious cases of influenza in town for some time, has agreed to take charge of the relief work being organized by the joint committee of town council and board of health. She will endeavor to enlist several registered nurses and as many helpers as possible to take care of all cases of influenza not otherwise provided for within the limits of the town.

Ladies are asked to volunteer for nursing, preparing food, and doing housework for patients, and cash subscriptions and offers of light food such as milk and material for gruel and broth are requested.

Offers of assistance and cash contributions, also reports of anyone sick of influenza should be sent to the chairman of the committee, H. H. Stuart, or to Mayor Troy or George Stables, or the nearest nurse or helper.

Dr. F. J. Desmond, chief health officer, has obtained permission from the government to use the Marine Hospital in Douglastown for influenza cases, and several nurses are wanted for that undertaking.

ELECTION IN RED DEER.

Edmonton, Oct. 30.—J. J. Gaetz, Liberal supporter of the Stewart government, is elected by a majority of 879 over F. W. Galbraith, Unionist Independent, in the Red Deer provincial riding. Galbraith loses his deposit.

ARMISTICE TERMS EXPECTED SOON

Austro-Hungarian Situation Far from Clarified—Surrender Best Guarantee of Good Faith.

Washington, Oct. 30.—Although officials here regard the Austro-Hungarian situation as far from clarified and are inclined to question how far the government at Vienna now is qualified to speak for anyone, the understanding is that they are to be dealt with on the theory that as in the case of the Germans, acceptance of armistice terms amounting to surrender in the field, will be the best guarantee of faithful performance of any promises.

Frederick Oederlin, the Swiss chargé, received the German note and appeared at the state department shortly before noon to deliver it. It was stated that the new communication made no change in the situation. The next step is expected to be an announcement from one or all the capitulators of the co-belligerents of armistice terms.

NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, Oct. 29.—Ex-Alderman Thomas A. Clarke of Newcastle, and his niece, Mrs. Calvin Clarke of Chelmsford, spent the week-end in Campbellton, called there by the illness of the former's nephew and latter's brother, Lewis Clark of Upper Nelson, who died there on Sunday.

Mrs. David Petrie of Maple Glen, who has been ill the last four months—nine weeks at the Miramichi Hospital, and the last eight weeks convalescing at the home of her son, Arthur E. Petrie, returned to Maple Glen on Sunday.

Miss Delphine Clarke, who was reported ill with influenza at Mount Allison Ladies' College, is almost completely recovered.

Miss Katie Kirkpatrick, whose brother, Leslie, is very ill with pneumonia, came home to Douglastown Saturday from the United States.

Miss Bonnie Jeffrey spent the week-end with the Misses Irving, Chatham.

1,000 INVALIDED SOLDIERS.

Quebec, Oct. 30.—Two special trains passed through Lévis last night on their way westward to Montreal, with over a thousand invalided soldiers from overseas.

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CLOSE MEETING CUT UP FRONT SHOWING A BIT OF CRAVAT BAND.

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\$300,000,000. 5½% Gold Bonds

Bearing interest from November 1st, 1918, and offered in two maturities, the choice of which is optional with the subscriber as follows:

5 year Bonds due November 1st, 1923
15 year Bonds due November 1st, 1933

Principal payable without charge 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 and Victoria.

Bonds may be registered as to principal or as to principal and interest, at any of the above-mentioned offices.

Interest payable, without charge, half-yearly, May 1st and November 1st, at any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank.

Principal and Interest payable in Gold
Denominations: \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1,000

Issue Price: 100 and Accrued Interest

Income Return 5½% per Annum

Free from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

The proceeds of the Loan will be used for war purposes only, including the purchase of grain, foodstuffs, munitions and other supplies, and will be spent wholly in Canada.

Payment to be made as follows:

10% on application; 20% January 6th, 1919;
20% December 6th, 1918; 20% February 6th, 1919;
31.16% March 6th, 1919.

The last payment of 31.16% covers 30% balance of principal and 1.16% representing accrued interest at 5½% from November 1st to due dates of the respective instalments.

A full half year's interest will be paid on May 1st, 1919, making the cost of the bonds 100 and interest.

Subscriptions may be paid in full at the time of application at 100 without interest; or on any instalment due date thereafter together with accrued interest at the rate of 5½% per annum.

This Loan is authorized under Act of the Parliament of Canada, and both principal and interest are a charge upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

The Amount of this issue is \$300,000,000, exclusive of the amount (if any) paid for by the surrender of bonds of previous issues. The Minister of Finance, however, reserves the right to allot the whole or any part of the amount subscribed in excess of \$300,000,000.

Conversion Privileges

Bonds of this issue will, in the event of future issues of like maturity, or longer, made by the Government, during the remaining period of the War, other than issues made abroad, be accepted at 100 and accrued interest, as the equivalent of cash for the purpose of subscription to such issues.

Payments

All cheques, drafts, etc., covering instalments, are to be made payable to the Credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture, and the allotment to cancellation. Subscriptions must be accompanied by a deposit of 10% of the amount subscribed. Official Canvassers will forward subscriptions or any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank will accept subscriptions and issue receipts.

Subscriptions may be paid in full at time of application at 100 without interest; or on any instalment due date thereafter together with accrued interest to time of making payment in full. Under this provision, payment of subscriptions may be made as follows:—

If paid in full on or before Nov. 16th, 1918, par without interest, or 100%;
If remaining instalments paid on Dec. 6th, 1918, balance of 90% and interest, (\$90.48 per \$100.)
If remaining instalments paid on Jan. 6th, 1919, balance of 70% and interest, (\$70.80 per \$100.)
If remaining instalments paid on Feb. 6th, 1919, balance of 50% and interest, (\$51.04 per \$100.)
If remaining instalment paid on Mar. 6th, 1919, balance of 30% and interest, (\$31.16 per \$100.)

Denomination and Registration

Bearer bonds, with coupons, will be issued in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, and \$1,000, and may be registered as to principal. The first coupon attached to these bonds will be due on May 1st, 1919.

Fully registered bonds, the interest on which is paid direct to the owner by Government cheque, will be issued in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000, \$25,000, \$50,000, \$100,000, or any multiple of \$100,000.

Payment of Interest

A full half year's interest at the rate of 5½% per annum will be paid May 1st, 1919.

Form of Bond and Delivery

Subscribers must indicate on their application the form of bond and the denominations required, and the securities so indicated will be delivered by the bank upon payment of the subscription in full.

Bearer bonds of this issue will be available for delivery at the time of application to subscribers desirous of making payment in full. Bonds registered as to principal only, or fully registered as to principal and interest, will be delivered to subscribers making payment in full, as soon as the required registration can be made.

Payment of all instalments must be made at the bank originally named by the subscriber.

Non-negotiable receipts will be furnished to all subscribers who desire to pay by instalments. These receipts will be exchangeable at subscriber's bank for bonds on any instalment date when subscription is paid in full.

Form of Bonds Interchangeable

Subject to the payment of 25 cents for each new bond issued, holders of fully registered bonds without coupons, will have the right to convert into bonds with coupons and holders of bonds with coupons will have the right to convert into fully registered bonds without coupons, at any time, on application to the Minister of Finance or any Assistant Receiver General.

Forms of application may be obtained from any Official Canvasser, from any Victory Loan Committee, or member thereof, or from any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank.

Subscription Lists will close on or before November 16th, 1918

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But some days you don't need it all—some of it is wasted, other days you need more than the regular supply.

Surely, you will be interested in milk you can keep on your pantry shelves, and use as you need it. A safe, rich milk that is always fresh, always pure—and always ready to use.

Carnation Milk comes to you in sealed air-tight cans, safe from contamination, sweet, fresh, pure.

It is milk, rich, "whole" milk—nothing more.

It may be used in every way that ordinary milk is used.

But it is richer than ordinary milk, for Carnation Milk is evaporated to the consistency of cream.

Its quality may be judged by the fact that it "whips" beautifully—(when thoroughly chilled of course).

In coffee, tea, cocoa, with cereals or fruit it is used undiluted—just as it comes from the can.

Add an equal quantity of pure water to Carnation Milk and it is a rich,

wholesome milk—pure and safe for children to drink.

Remember Carnation is not artificially sweetened.

It "keeps" perfectly, because it is sterilized. No sugar or preservatives are added. And nothing but water is taken away.

So when you add water to Carnation Milk, you "bring back" the original fresh milk.

Used in preparing foods: cooking, creaming, vegetables, soups, gravies; Carnation Milk imparts a creamy richness—*without* the need of adding butter.

Carnation Milk takes the place, in your home, of cream and milk. Saves the waste of these perishable foods. Improves every dish you prepare with milk. Enables you to have always at your command, a perfectly safe, rich milk, in just the quantity you may need.

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Remember—Your grocer is the Carnation Milk man. Ask him to send you three or four cans (tall size). Try it and learn for yourself the many conveniences, and economies of using milk in a safe and absolutely pure form.

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We are within sight of Victory, and now, less than ever, can we afford to rest in a false atmosphere of security.

Now is the moment for a grand rally, an irresistible push forward with men and money.

The men are there—and always fresh ones go. They must continually be fed, clothed and supported with ammunition. The work of supporting them, the EASY PART, is ours. Shall any one of us fail them at this end?

NO, A HUNDRED TIMES, NO!

And what are we asked to do? What is it that Canada asks of us?

Simply to LEND to our own country, more money, that the great fight may be finished for us, and that the sacrifices made for us in four years of war shall not be in vain. No thinking man or woman who realizes this can fail to respond to the limit of his or her ability.

And Canada makes it very easy for us to do this through

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She will pay us interest at 5 1-2 per cent. on any amount we lend. She offers us Bonds backed by the country itself, the highest security in the world, Bonds issued in convenient denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1,000 repayable in 5 or 15 years, as we may desire.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1918.

"We are fighting for a worthy purpose, and we shall not lay down our arms until that purpose has been fully achieved."—H. M. The King.
TO THE PEOPLE OF THE EMPIRE—Every fighting unit we can send to the front means one step nearer peace.

THE FACTS OF THE MATTER.

Because this newspaper has ventured to criticize the work of the Provincial Department of Public Health, in connection with the present epidemic, the esteemed Telegraph charges us with being animated by partisan politics, while the Times, erratic and irresponsible as ever, devotes a column of its editorial space to an eulogy of Hon. Dr. Roberts, and abuse of the Standard. The eulogy or condemnation of the Times is of little moment, it is purchasable and has been purchased by various political parties, its editor pitching his tune to suit whatever music is placed in front of him. As for the Telegraph, the office boy who now conducts the editorial columns of that sheet is to be excused. He knows no better than to take for granted what is told him and to blindly follow the instructions placed before him, namely to commend everything connected with the Foster regime and, to the best of his limited ability, to pour out the vitals of his wrath upon all who venture upon honest criticism. He possesses zeal, but lacks intelligence, and let that suffice. This newspaper is not aggrieved at his criticism, for he is doing the best he can. The lad is trying to make an impression and we believe in giving him a chance.

Now as to the facts of the matter. The Standard agrees that the present situation is so serious to be used as a pretext for the manufacture of political capital. Our criticism of the Provincial Department of Public Health was not influenced by political considerations, and we hope that the frenzied defence of Hon. Dr. Roberts indulged in by the Telegraph and Times is equally free from ulterior motives. We would shudder to think, for instance, that our Canterbury Street contemporaries, while realizing that the Department of Health has not dealt satisfactorily with the present situation, were forced to defend the minister in charge on the ground that "while a poor thing it is mine own." To allay any anxiety from Canterbury Street we may say that the Standard's criticism was absolutely sincere and justified, and as time goes on abundant evidence of that will be forthcoming. This morning, for instance, we publish a few facts.

What is the situation in the province outside of St. John? Does the Department of Health know? We do not believe it. What is the situation at Miramichi, where the only available emergency hospital accommodation for influenza victims up to a few days ago was a miner's cottage of three rooms, and in which patients were placed without having their outside clothing removed. Has the Department of Health done anything to remedy conditions there, or does it expect voluntary workers from this city to go into that community and labor against such odds?

What is the situation at Wilson's Beach? The statement published in last evening's Times was that the cases there were improving, and that no assistance had been sent by the Department of Health because none had been asked for. What is the Department of Health for? Is it a fact that that department will do nothing unless an appeal, officially presented, comes to the Minister in charge? The Standard would not like to believe that, but the lame excuse put up by the Times leaves the way open to no other opinion.

And, finally, what is the situation in this city? What has the Department of Health done to justify its existence? The Standard is in a position to know that the major portion of the work here has been done by private physicians who have gone outside of their own practice and worked hard to fight the scourge that is now upon us. In this connection many could be mentioned, and it is but fair to say that Dr. Roberts is one of these. As a practicing physician he has done what he could, but what has he done as Minister of Public Health? We refuse to believe, as the Times would intimate, that Dr. Roberts desires to make an excuse of the fact that he is serving in his official capacity without salary. If that is his excuse we desire to remind him that when the Opposition in the provincial legislature found his top-heavy health bill to be a standstill at the last session, he came back to the House the following day and offered, if his bill was permitted to pass, to work without remuneration. In fact he pleaded for the opportunity. Now he has it, and should be the last to excuse the inefficiency of his department on the ground that there is no money in it for him. We do not believe that Dr. Roberts suggested this defence.

rather are we inclined to the opinion that it was the product of the fertile brain of the editor of the Times who, unable to find a better excuse endeavored to make a grandstand play for one of the Fosterite ministers on the ground that he was working without salary. Dr. Roberts should curb the zeal of his newspaper supporters. It is rather unfortunate that at this time they should remind their readers of his fiasco of the last session.

But, aside from that, the fact remains that the Department of Health in this province has done nothing to justify its existence. That department either does not know of conditions or has made no attempt to remedy them, or does know and has made the attempt, and failed. If the first supposition is correct the department is to be censured. If the latter is the case Dr. Roberts should have let the public know of his failure.

The Standard asks these questions of the Minister of Health: Does he know that the Parks Hospital, so called, now being used as an emergency hospital for influenza cases, is inadequately supplied and what steps has he taken to have the condition remedied? If the matter is in the charge of the local Board of Health, has he taken steps to see that conditions are what they should be?

Does he know that great inconvenience has been caused by reason of the fact that there is no liquor vendor in the North End, and that whatever he personally may think of the value of liquor in an epidemic such as this the best medical opinion in America has declared that it is useful, and that no obstacle should be placed in the way of its being easily obtained by those who legitimately require it? If he knows this, and has not acted, it may be asked why?

What is the situation in Victoria County? Why was it necessary for the Mayor of Grand Falls to make an appeal to private citizens to do what the government, of which Dr. Roberts is a member, should have done? And why was that appeal, if justified, withdrawn after The Standard had publicly called attention to the fact that it should never have been made?

Why has the Minister of Health not ordered that the streets should be cleaned and sprayed with disinfectants, regarded in other cities as one of the best preventatives? Why has he not ordered that the by-laws against expectation should be strictly enforced?

These are things that it would appear to a layman a live department of health would do without being told. If the provincial department has not done them the inactivity of that department can be open to but one explanation—there is the wrong man at the helm.

As before stated The Standard has no desire to approach this question from a political standpoint. We do not want to make a partisan attack upon Dr. Roberts. Nor will we permit the Telegraph and Times to go on challenging us unanswered if they persist in defending him from political motives solely. We realize, perhaps better than most, the true seriousness of the situation, and are willing to aid in any way to meet it. But we do not believe that the Provincial Department of Health, or the Minister in charge of that department is taking all the precautions that should be taken, or is doing all that might be done by more aggressive operators.

We state this with regret for, as already said, the situation is too genuinely serious to be made the subject of political discussion.

IT WOULD BE POPULAR.

It is currently reported in military circles that General Macdonnell, the present commandant of Military District No. 7 is to receive well-merited promotion and is soon to be named as commandant of the Important Military District No. 2, with headquarters in Toronto. An equally interesting report is that he is to be succeeded in this district by Lieutenant-Col. James L. McAvity, at present officer commanding the New Brunswick Depot Battalion, and regimental commander of the 7th C. G. R.

The Victory Loan Is Golden Opportunity

To the Editor of The Standard: Sir—Golden opportunities are rare, and this is a golden opportunity, particularly for those having deposits in savings banks. Have you carefully looked into the returns and security of Victory Bonds? Income—\$1,000.00 invested in a fifteen year Victory Bond will return you in interest in fifteen years \$825.00. \$1,000.00 deposited in the savings banks will return you in interest in fifteen years \$450.00. You will receive \$375.00 or about 37.5 per cent. more interest on your Victory Bonds than you would receive if the amount was deposited in the savings banks. Security—Your security for a Victory Bond or a deposit in the Dominion savings banks is the same, all the resources of this fair Canada, which is undoubtable security. You may register your bond, making you absolutely safe from theft or loss in any way, and you will receive your interest by cheque half-yearly. From a purely business standpoint (not forgetting our obligations to our brave men who have and still stand ready to sacrifice their lives for our freedom) don't you think this is worth your seriously considering subscribing for Victory Bonds to practically the limit of your deposits or resources?

A BIT OF VERSE

HELPING "MA."
It truly is a wondrous sight
When armed with bag and "dough,"
On Saturday the trusty Dad
A-marketing would go;
He takes a list of things to get
Which Ma has written down
And something's doing all the time
When Dad buys up the town!

A BIT OF FUN

Discounting the Future.
"What are all of these women doing here?"
"A soothsayer is having a bargain day."
"Her usual fee for telling fortunes is \$2, but today she's reducing the future for \$1.99."
During Hot Fighting.
Mrs. Dick—I wonder how soldiers in the trenches manage to get their clothes dry when they wash them.
Mrs. Stick (cheerfully)—I suppose they hang them on the firing line.

A Happy Release.

Basili was a bore and a brainless one at that. He looked dreamily at the charming girl on whom he was endeavoring to make a favorable impression.
"Did you ever long for death?" he asked, in a low and moving tone.
"Whose?" inquired the charming but practical young person.

A Life Saver.

"Splendid girl, Edith! I saved her life once."
"Indeed? How?"
"She said she would sooner die than become my wife and I didn't insist."
Nat a New Idea to Him.
"Now, Lieutenant Tompkins," said the general, "you have the battalion in quarter column, facing south—how would you get it into line, in the quickest possible way, facing north-east?"
"Well, sir," said the lieutenant, after a moment's fruitless consideration, "do you know that I've often wondered?"—Boston Transcript.

Words Could Not Hurt.

"James," said Mrs. Mellow to the man servant, "can you find out whether the tinned salmon was all eaten last night? I don't want to ask the new cook, because she may have eaten it, and then she would feel uncomfortable."
"Please, ma'am," replied James, "the new cook ate all the salmon, and no matter what you was to say to her you couldn't make her more uncomfortable than she is now."—Baltimore American.

Little Benny's Note Book.

By LEE PAPE.
Sid Hunt came around yesterday with his fox terrier, Teddy, and we played a good trick with him, making a lot of lather with soap shaving soap and smearing it on Teddy's face and then Sid picked him up and carried him out on the street, Teddy licking off some of the lather but not being able to reach most of it, and we went up to some lady waiting along and Sid stuck Teddy up at her, saying, "Hey, lady, can you tell me the matter with this dog, please?"
Goodness, heavens, its not the hydrophobia, put him down, keep a hold of him, hes mad, sed the lady loud as anything.
I didnt do anything to him to make him mad, he sint mad at me, sed Sid. And a lot of people stopped and stood around us as if something was the matter, everybody tawking at wunts and saying wat to do, some skipline man saying, get some salt and put it on him, chat the best thing does he get them awften? and me saying, Only about twice a day.
Douse him in cold wattr, sed a little man with big eye glasses. He dont like cold wattr, sed Sid.
Wich jest then who did I see standing there looking at a with a ferease expression but pop, and I quick sed, Its only shaving soap lather, pop, Its only shaving soap lather. And pops expression got even worse, and he took a hons of my arm and pulled me home; me saying, But it was only shaving soap lather, pop.
Whose? sed pop.
Sir? I sed, and pop sed, No, shving soap.
Yours, I sed.
I suspected it, sed pop. And I had to go to bed rite after supper, without any dizzert, my being rize puddng enyhow, being one of my leest popular dizzerts.

BITTER FIGHTING AT VALENCIENNES

Slower Progress Made—British Make Raid and French Take Prisoners.
London, Oct. 29.—In a successful raid made by its morning north-east of Englefontaine we made prisoners of more than 70 Germans and inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy, says Field Marshal Haig's communication of this evening dealing with the operations in France.

TURKEY PRESENTS PEACE PROPOSALS

London, Oct. 29.—Turkey has independently presented peace proposals to the Entente nations, according to a report from Constantinople forwarded by the correspondent at Copenhagen of the Exchange Telegraph Company. It is added that the negotiations are expected to end soon.

LEMON JUICE WHITENS SKIN

Girls! Make beauty lotion at home for few cents
Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best bleaching and skin whitening lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

STEFANSSON GIVES REPORT TO GOVT

Explorer Obtained Much Valuable Scientific Information and Data.
Ottawa, Oct. 29.—After a period of over five years, spent in exploring the vast, previously unknown territory of the Arctic regions, Vilhjalmur Stefansson, commander-in-chief of the Polar expedition which left Canada in June, 1913, arrived in Ottawa today and reported officially to Deputy Minister Desbarats, of the department of naval service. Mr. Stefansson's work has resulted in the collection of valuable scientific information and data.

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Victory Loan subscribers at headquarters for the city of St. John for the campaign totalled \$94,700 came bonds and \$400,000 was stala, and the balance by the ward canvassers since only one report was today. Charlotte County the third day of the campaign making a total for the 000. From unofficial report by S. A. Thomas, secretary of the Young Men's Association, close to a million dollars had been subscribed although half that amount has today it is his intention as to get in touch with chairman and he hopes report from every county. The influenza situation to a large extent with the province and the slow progress is ascribed to that cause.

SPLENDID PAUSE

Last night a large crowd on the King Square programme was provided the weather it was not the projection booth roof. There no pictures were made up for this lack.
F. A. Dykeman president provided by the Depot. The first number was Blenda Thompson, "The Old Flag Fall"; she by A. M. Belding in a in the course of which the Young monument was represented. Fred Young life because some one their lives and we at home the rope and it was that none of them were we let go the rope. The solo by Mrs. L. M. Curthwaite gave some of the citations and the closing given by W. J. Mahon the amount of \$2,500 was lobby of the theatre.

THE OFFICIAL RETURNS

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MORE THAN HALF SEA GULLS

Greedy Birds Caught Weir at Welch's bello.
More gulls have been bay during the past week this fall and this plenty of small herrings hundred gulls were dropped, a few days ago in one of the large just off Welch's, and, and large number birds were brought a men Great numbers called to the fish weir herring swimming near water, blocked up the and marine enclosure, and, then dropped into were drowned, and that this has happened times when herring were ing to be removed by the

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"What's that?"
"It's a sort of dys some."

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CITY AND COUNTY SUBSCRIBES \$904,150 FOR FIRST TWO DAYS

Hands of Clock Last Night Showed \$1,100,000 for St. John, and \$1,500,000 for Province—How Women Can Help—Official Amount Received and Number of Subscribers.

Victory Loan subscriptions reported at headquarters for the City and County of St. John for the first two days of the campaign totalled \$904,150; of this amount \$94,700 came in through the banks and \$809,450 was classed as appeals, and the balance was obtained by the ward canvassers. For the province only one report was received yesterday. Charlotte County reported for the third day of the campaign \$23,100, making a total for the county of \$187,000. From unofficial reports received by E. A. Thomas, secretary of the provincial committee, he estimates that close to a million dollars has already been subscribed although only about half that amount has been reported. Today it is the intention of Mr. Thomas to get in touch with the county chairmen and he hopes to have a full report from every county before night. The influenza situation has interfered to a large extent with the work in the province and the slowness in reporting is ascribed to that cause.

Splendid Programs. Last night a large crowd gathered on the King Square where a splendid program was provided. Owing to the weather it was not possible to get the projection booth ready and there were no pictures but other features made up for this lack.

F. A. Dykeman presided. Music was provided by the Depot Battalion Band. The first number was a solo by Miss Blenda Thompson, "We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall"; she was followed by A. M. Belding in a spirited address in the course of which he referred to the Young men and the spirit it represented. Fred Young had lost his life because some one let go a rope. The boys overseas were venturing their lives and we at home were holding the rope and it was up to us to see that none of them were lost because we let go the rope. The next was a solo by Mrs. L. M. Curran; Steve Matthews gave some of his inimitable recitations and the closing address was given by W. J. Mahoney. Bonds to the amount of \$2,500 were sold in the lobby of the theatre.

The hands of the clock were shifted for the first time last night and set at \$1,100,000 for the city, and \$1,500,000 for the province. These figures are higher than the official returns, but are included amounts obtained

yesterday which are not in the official figures. Among the canvassers for Landonville Ward the name of H. G. Weeks was omitted when the list was published.

Scrubwoman Buys. One of the Victory Bond salesmen yesterday informed The Standard that a woman who makes her living by scrubbing floors called on him and purchased a two hundred dollar bond, stating that she could pay for it in installments as she was satisfied that she could arrange matters and she could not see any difference in paying a certain amount each month for a bond and putting the same amount in savings bank. The salesman pointed out that the purchasing of these bonds was easily within the reach of all persons, rich or poor.

How Women Can Help. To consider what share women could take in assisting the Victory Loan campaign a small meeting in accordance with the Board of Health regulations was held last evening at the Board of Trade rooms. Miss Josie Church, president of the Y. W. P. A., presided and representatives of several patriotic societies were present.

After some discussion of the various ways and means and the peculiar disadvantages which exist at the present time in regard to the difficulties of organizing the representatives of the Y. W. P. A., S. C. A., and West Side Field Comforts decided that it would be possible for them to undertake a campaign just now. The Y. W. P. A. owing to the fact that many of their members are in the business world, have submitted a proposition to the central committee of the Victory Loan. This plan will be considered by the committee today and if decided upon will be carried out the last week of the campaign. The Y. W. P. A. have been offered the assistance of one hundred and fifty travellers who would give their services to the society.

Those who were consulted last evening among the women's societies promised to use their influence or to help in any possible way with the selling of bonds and owing to the prevalence of influenza it can be readily be seen that the difficulties of organization are very great.

THE OFFICIAL RETURNS.

The official returns for the city and county for Monday and Tuesday, both as to amount subscribed and number of subscribers are:

MONDAY.		TUESDAY.		
Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	
Victoria	4,800	8,700	41	
Wellington	4,600	19,000	51	
Prince	24,500	8,150	40	
Dufferin	8,650	4,350	27	
Queens	43,500	61,550	44	
Dukes	11,250	7,500	28	
Brooks	13,000	2,250	14	
Guya	10,800	8,850	24	
Kings	15,400	25,150	40	
Lorne	18,400	10,150	48	
Sydney	5,250	6,500	28	
Stanley	4,800	12,050	26	
Lansdowne	.....	51,150	77
Fairville	.....	2,400	11
Beaconsfield	.....	7,500	41
Simonds	.....	.....	.....
Lorneville	.....	300	4
Banks	.....	43,500	.....
Specials	400,000	1,300	.....
	\$623,750	425	\$280,400	548

MORE THAN HUNDRED SEA GULLS DROWNED

Greedy Birds Get Caught in Weir at Welchpool, Campobello.

More gulls have been in the lower bay during the past week than at any time this fall and this is a sign of plenty of small herring. More than a hundred gulls were drowned, or smothered, a few days ago in a strange manner at one of the large brush fish weirs just off Welchpool, Campobello Island, and large numbers of the dead birds were brought ashore by boatmen. Great numbers of the gulls, called to the fish weir by the small herring swimming near the top of the water, blocked up the top of the brush and marine enclose and were smothered, then dropped into the water and were drowned, and fishermen state that this has happened at previous times when herring were in weirs waiting to be removed by the fishermen.

Heard at The Club "Poor Jones is troubled with rheumatism." "What's that?" "It's a sort of dyspepsia of the lome."

ROYAL YEAST CAKES

Now that the new government standard flour is in general use, the quality of the yeast you use is more important than ever. Use Royal Yeast Cakes. Their quality is absolutely reliable. Bread made with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other.

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LIST OF VOTERS.

The completed list of voters for this year, with the comparison of totals for last year is:

Wards.	Final Final	Final Final
Primary Added.	1918.	1917.
Guya	853	874
Brooks	742	765
Sidney	733	735
Duke	806	833
Queens	990	1,009
Kings	729	756
Wellington	1,176	1,215
Prince	1,483	1,524
Victoria	939	963
Dufferin	1,242	1,283
Lansdowne	1,208	1,218
Lorne	1,346	1,365
Stanley	299	303
Totals	12,640	12,910

AUSTRALIA FIRM.

Melbourne, Oct. 30.—(Canadian Press despatch from Reuters Limited)—The city council of Melbourne has unanimously passed a resolution to the effect that the people of Australia would not be satisfied unless Germany unconditionally surrendered, and request that Great Britain insist on adequate indemnity for Australia. The British navy to see to it that no German flag be permitted on any ocean until such indemnity be paid. The returned soldiers' association is forwarding this resolution to every municipality in Australia, requesting its adoption.

FUNERALS

The funeral of Mrs. John Peters took place yesterday morning from her late residence, Pitt street. Services were conducted by Rev. H. A. Goodwin, and interment was made in Fernhill.

The funeral of Mrs. Andrew M. Foster took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence, Cranston Avenue. Services were conducted by Rev. Neil J. McLaughlin. Interment was made in Cedar Hill.

The funeral of Mrs. Ernest Alderman took place yesterday morning. Services were conducted by Rev. J. C. Appel. Interment was made in Cedar Hill.

Mrs. Thomas Theodore Baker was buried yesterday afternoon, funeral from the residence of John McGinley, Bridge street. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

Toronto Lady Makes Affidavit

MRS. BURNETT has sent in this letter from a generous desire to serve others by giving them the benefit of her experience. Her sufferings resulted from a greatly rundown nervous system, and because she was a long time in finding a cure, she feels that she can now point others to the way of health. This letter came entirely unsolicited, and in order that strangers might fully realize the sincerity of Mrs. Burnett's statement we had her verify her letter before a Commissioner.

Mrs. A. Burnett, 303 1/2 Gerrard street east, Toronto, writes: "I really feel it a public duty on my side to state, and without the slightest fear of contradiction, the wonderful benefits I have received from your remedy, Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I am a woman now in the prime of life, and I don't think any of my sex have suffered the agony that I have. I can give proofs of doctors who have advised and given medicine to me, but none have ever come near the relief that I have gained since taking your Nerve Food. Without doubt it is as represented, a sure cure. I am a younger woman by far since I have taken them. I always was dizzy, shaking and sick, with a shocking, splitting headache. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food has made me a different woman. I shall always tell any of my friends who are run down to get this Food cure, as I consider it is worth its weight in gold."

This statement will come as a message of hope to many thousands of women who are suffering somewhat as Mrs. Burnett did. There is every reason to expect equally good results in your own case, because Dr. Chase's Nerve Food cures in Nature's way by forming new tissues and building up the exhausted system.

For this very reason a little patience is required in using this treatment. Do not expect too much from the first box, but it will not be long before you will experience benefits that will encourage you to use the Nerve Food regularly until restoration is complete. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto. Look for the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., the famous Receipt Book author, on the box you buy.

SITUATION AT MINTO NOT SATISFACTORY

Three-Roomed Cottage Serving as Emergency Hospital—Proper Facilities Sadly Needed—Provincial Health Authorities Inactive.

Despite the assurances of the Times and Telegraph the situation in the province as regards the Spanish influenza epidemic are not satisfactory. It is said that the department of health will assist wherever assistance is required, yet The Standard knows that at Minto this week emergency hospital requirements were met by a three-room cottage into which the patients had been taken from the mines without even having had their clothing removed. A nurse who was at Minto on service early in the week is now in this city ill, largely as a result of her experience there. Others have been taken to the hospital, but it is to be hoped they have better fortune. So far as known the Provincial Board of Health has taken absolutely no action in Minto, except to tell the newspapers that the disease is being satisfactorily combated. A thoroughly equipped emergency hospital is sadly needed at once.

HONOR ROLL.

Reported Missing. Francis Collin, 295 Duke street, West Side, has received word that his son, Pte. P. A. Collin, infantry, had been officially reported wounded and missing Sept. 28th. Pte. Collin was from Buffalo to enlist at Hamilton, Ont., and crossed overseas in 1917. He is twenty-one years of age. A brother, Frank, is attached to a unit at Montreal.

Pte. Alfred Evans. Private Alfred Evans, who went overseas with the 1st Canadian Field Ambulance Corps in the first contingent, leaving St. John in August, 1914, has been officially reported killed in action on September 27. After two years constant service at the front, he was wounded and gassed in March, 1917. He was invalided to England and after treatment in the Canadian hospital in Liverpool and other hospitals he returned to the front in August of this year.

Pte. Wm. Harris. John Harris of this city has received news that his brother, Private William Harris, was killed in action on September 29. Private Harris, who was twenty-six years of age, had resided in Fredericton until a few years ago, following trade of bookbinding. He removed with other members of his family to Roxbury, Mass., but heard the clarion call of the 236th Klitties and returned to Fredericton to enlist in that unit. After crossing the ocean he was transferred to another unit and was soon at the front. In March of this year he was wounded but had returned to the front not long ago and met his death in the recent battle. He is survived by his mother, two sisters, Mrs. H. B. French, whose husband was killed while fighting with the 26th and Mrs. Ida, in Roxbury, Mass., and three brothers, Norman in Chelsea, George of Fredericton and John in this city.

THE CUBAN AND LOUISIANA SUGAR BELOW THE AVERAGE

Member of Food Board Control Also Says That Javan and Australian Fields Are up to Average.

That the Cuban and Louisiana sugar crops are far below the average this year was the information learned yesterday by The Standard from a member of the Food Board Control. The same individual stated that Javan and Australian fields were up to the average of past years, but on account of the difficulty in procuring ships, or bottoms, for transporting the raw material to markets, this crop would not alleviate to any extent the shortage on this side of the water, and he believed that a greater scarcity might exist in sugar and sugar products, in the future, never before experienced in Canada.

The Sugar Commission, to meet exigencies and supply the sugar product to our soldiers overseas, had taken steps which would lessen sugar consumption in Canada, and at the same time lighten the prevailing scarcity overseas by shipping all surplus sugar for our soldiers overseas. Cuba and Louisiana alone were the only places which could supply the growing needs overseas, and Canadians and Americans were being forced to use but a stipulated quantity per capita, which was 92 and 80 pounds respectively for each individual in the above mentioned countries. Thus the present year's crop might warrant a greater reduction in sugar consumption at home so as to meet the demands overseas.

All classes from the consumer to the refiner and broker were being governed by the clauses advanced by the Sugar Commissioners, who placed on each certain restrictions governing the sale and consumption of this foodstuff.

The consumer was restricted, as he was allowed to buy only a certain quantity at a time, which was a supply not to exceed what might be consumed in fifteen days, also a certain amount of brown sugar, in the ratio of 1 to 4, which had to be used with the granulated products.

The retailer again was allowed but a few days' supply, and was governed by rigid restrictions, which when violated called for heavy penalties or the nullifying of his license.

Next the wholesaler and broker were handed coupons, and were only given the right to purchase an amount yearly equal to eighty per cent. of the purchases made in sugar during the previous year. The coupons were checked at each purchase made by a wholesaler or broker, and once he had purchased his allotment allowed by the Sugar Commission he was not entitled to make any further purchases.

The refiners are also being restricted in the sales of purchases of raw material, the being given the right to purchase but eighty per cent. of the amount of raw material purchased in the previous year, and which was causing some speculation as to the present, as the poor crop might not

MANY NOVELTIES FOR HALLOWE'EN

This is the Night When Young People Enjoy Themselves—Various Shops Are Showing Attractive Cards, Etc.

This is Halloween and for some few days past various shops, particularly where postcards and similar novelties in the card line are sold are unusually novel and attractive this year. Bright orange and black witches scamper over various counters and tables of companionable terms with flag-decorated solders cards and the variety of place cards is unusually complete. The ban is not lifted on public gatherings, so there will be no large celebrations tonight, but the young people know how to enjoy themselves without gathering in large numbers. The children will be out with the weird jack-o'-lantern and pumpkins, big and small are now being selected for the fantastic parades.

Classic mythology, Druidic beliefs and Christian superstition are joint partners in the mysterious happening known as Halloween. Away back in the days of ancient Rome the Romans had a celebration on Nov. 1 in honor of Pomona, the goddess of fruits and seeds. It was at this time that the stores laid up during the summer were opened. This, no doubt, fully accounted for the connection of nuts and apples, and probably pumpkins, with Halloween.

Nov. 1 was also the time of the great autumn festival of the Druids. They believed that on the eve of this festival the Lord of Death called together the wicked souls that had been condemned to be put into the bodies of animals for punishment during the preceding year. Hence the persistent belief of the gathering of spirits of the departed on Halloween, even to the present day.

Modern spread of education has, however, driven before it much that formerly made of Halloween and its ritualistic observation replace merely an event dedicated to general jollity, pranks and antics, mostly of a semi-serious prophetic nature.

suffice to supply each refiner with an amount equal to eighty per cent. of his 1918 purchase. The new crop which was reckoned in December of the present year, and in the first month of the ensuing year, might not be sufficient to warrant the granting of the allowances mentioned above to the refiners, and was daily being discussed by the refiners, etc., relative to the scarcity of raw sugar, which might cheat them, or some, out of their 1919 allotment given by the Sugar Commissioners.

TENDERS ARE OPEN. Tenders, calling for the necessary alterations, to the Deaf and Dumb Institute, lately purchased by a hospital authorities to be used as a hospital for military patients, are yet open, but will be announced this evening. Tenders are also being let for the necessary alterations to the Ford Motor Plant at Coldstream, which will in about a month's time be utilized as a barracks.

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RECOGNIZES CZECHO-SLOVAKS

Basel, Oct. 30.—Count Andrássy, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, has entered into diplomatic relations with the members of the Czecho-Slovak government in Paris, according to the Hungarian newspaper, Norodyi Liety.

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THE INFLUENZA SITUATION IS IMPROVING IN MANY PLACES

Disease Caused Total of Eleven Thousand Deaths in Massachusetts.

MARKED DECREASE IN CITY OF HALIFAX

Toronto and Quebec Also Report Brighter Outlook and Fewer Cases.

Boston, Oct. 30.—Approximately 11,000 deaths from influenza occurred in this state during the two months that the disease was prevalent, according to the final report of the emergency public health committee, organized to combat the epidemic. The committee, which was headed by Henry B. Endicott, executive secretary of the state public safety committee, was dissolved today. In his report, Mr. Endicott said that a force of 1,000 nurses and assistants were engaged in the fight against influenza, of whom 232 were still in the service. They came from many sections of the United States and Canada. In addition nearly 900 other persons, many of them trained, volunteered and assisted in various ways. Eighty of the workers were stricken with the disease and three died.

Decrease in Halifax.

Halifax, Oct. 30.—There was a marked decrease in the number of new cases of suspected Spanish influenza reported to the city health board by local physicians today. Up to twelve o'clock the board had been advised of 17 new cases, as compared with 46 reported yesterday forenoon. The military report to the board this morning, which covered all cases since yesterday noon, showed 45 new patients. Since Monday there have been ten deaths from the disease in Halifax.

Will Remain Closed.

Montreal, Oct. 30.—At a meeting of the provincial board of health today it was decided that it would be unwise to remove the ban placed on church services and all other public gatherings on account of the influenza epidemic for some time yet. The deaths reported today in Montreal were 35 and new cases 65.

Brighter in Toronto.

Toronto, Oct. 30.—Although six more deaths from influenza and pneumonia were reported at city hospitals than were recorded in yesterday's total, the situation still appears to be brighter. While the admissions are numerous the number discharged from the hospitals is steadily gaining. In the province the disease has now apparently reached its crest, and a decline is to be expected from now on.

Over in Quebec.

Quebec, Oct. 30.—Statistics emanating from the municipal board of health show no deaths from the grippe in the last few hours, and such a limited number of new cases that it may be stated that the epidemic is over in this city.

CASUALTIES.

- Ottawa, Oct. 29.—Casualties: Engineers. Died—McDonald, Mabou Ridge, N. S. Forestry Corps. Ill—P. Meuse, address not stated. Services. Died—S. Waite, O'Leary Road, P. E. I. Medical Services. Died—P. A. Hennessey, Charlottetown, P. E. I. Infantry. Killed in action—W. Bryan, L'Ardoise, N. S. Wounded—H. S. Seelye, address not stated. R. M. Linder, Glassville, N. B. D. Levanque, Port Felix, N. S. S. Lapointe, Nash Creek, N. B. C. Lake, Kemphorne, N. S. J. H. Lavigne, Bathurst, N. B. E. A. Ison, Sackville, N. B. D. Isonor, Truro, N. S. E. Daughy, St. Andrews, N. B. W. R. Friars, Sussex, N. B. M. McFarland, Belleisle, N. B. A. Gallant, Charlottetown, P. E. I. E. C. Gibson, Margareville, N. S. M. C. Greenough, Milton, N. S. R. L. McCullough, address not stated. G. P. Geddes, Tatamagouche, N. S. J. Drummond, Chaplin Island Road, N. S. F. W. Groscup, Lower Granville, N. S. W. Colburn, Folly Lake, N. S. J. Cowan, Lunenburg, N. S. E. W. Carnell, address not stated. B. A. Chambers, Campbellton, N. B. D. Mitchell, North Sydney, N. S. J. MacLeod, Warren Hill, N. S. C. Bauer, Moncton, N. B. J. Agnew, Fredericton, N. B. D. Poirier, D'Escoisse, N. S. F. Harris, Fredericton, N. B. Wounded and gassed—J. McGowan, Sydney, N. S. Gassed—W. Comear, Oak Point, N. B. Corporal S. Edwards, Joggins, N. S. Injured—Sergt. M. Nulse, Yarmouth, N. S. Engineers. Died of wounds—H. Irving, Truro, N. S. Gassed—Corporal J. Globe, Dartmouth, N. S. Cavalry. Wounded—F. Walker, Halifax. Artillery. Gassed—J. Henderson, St. John, N. B. Wounded—E. Staire, Waterville, N. S. J. McLean, Pelers' Road, P. E. I. J. Hoar, Moncton, N. B. Machine Gun Company. Wounded—M. McKinnon, Inverness, N. S. E. Christie Arzyle, N. S. P. Goodfellow, Newcastle, N. B.

N. B. WEIRMEN MAKE SOME GOOD HAULS

Campobello Fishermen Rake in \$18,000 and Letete Man Several Thousand Richer.

Eastport, Oct. 30.—The past week was one of the most satisfactory of the fall for the many Canadian weir owners, boatmen and sardine canners of this section, as large quantities of fish reached here and late in the week some of the boatsmen were obliged to arrive light and leave herrings in some of the weirs until later as the factories had supplies enough to last until Saturday. The herring arriving here were both small and large, and in a few weirs down the bay the larger size, suitable for smoking, were caught and are in demand, but the fish dealers are somewhat reluctant to pay the regulation price of \$25 a hoghead which has been the rule during the season. Many of the weir-men have made small fortunes this season, and it is known of several Canadians who have earned several thousand dollars each this season.

Two Milkish Men Make Raids at Norton, the Narrows, Shannon and Lower Millstream—J. E. McAuley's Store Robbed.

Special to The Standard. Norton, Oct. 30.—Heber Richardson, a farmer living about one mile above this village, on going to his barn about 5 o'clock on Tuesday morning, found one of his horses had disappeared during the night, and a strange horse feeding around outside. On going across to acquaint his neighbor, Mr. W. J. Robertson, of the fact, they found in the darkness Mr. Richardson's horse feeding in the field. Mr. Robertson on returning to his own barn, found the door open and his most valuable horse gone. After telephoning some time he learned that two men had gone in the direction of Hampton. Taking an auto, Mr. Robertson started in pursuit. On arriving at Hampton he secured the services of Constable Boydard, sending him down via Milkish. Mr. Robertson proceeded to Rothsay. Constable Boydard traced the team to Mr. Worden's at Milkish, where two men in khaki had had breakfast and fed the horse. Leaving there they went on down the road some distance.

Hid in Woods.

Constable Boydard found the wagon hidden in the woods, and the horse feeding in a field. Mr. Robertson then ferried across to Milkish, and proceeded on his way to Norton with his horse. At Hampton he swore out a warrant for the arrest of the two men, both of whom he had seen in the woods. It has since been learned that these same men had taken a horse from Mr. Blizard at the Narrows, Queens Co., and went from there to Mr. Allison's in Shannon, taking a horse from him. At J. E. McAuley's, Lower Millstream, they broke into his store, stealing a quantity of goods. They came to Norton, where they got Mr. Robertson's horse.

CANADIAN TRADE.

Ottawa, Oct. 30.—Statistics compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics show that for the year ending Sept. 30, goods to the value of \$85,728,837 were imported into Canada, as compared with \$1,044,290,884 for the previous twelve months, and \$685,248,705 for the twelve months ending Sept. 30, 1916.

For the twelve months period, closing Sept. 30, the exports of the Dominion were to the value of \$1,362,749,580, as compared with \$1,681,517,976 for the previous twelve months, and \$1,031,940,004 for the year ending Sept. 30, 1916.

QUEBEC DOING WELL.

Quebec, Oct. 30.—With barely two and a half days of campaigning, Quebec district has already subscribed over forty per cent. of its quota in the Victory Loan drive.

Heaviest Electric Storm of Year Hits Aroostook County—Many Fires Seen.

Presque Isle, Me., Oct. 30.—The heaviest electric storm of the season prevailed for nearly two hours last night, with heavy thunder and sharp and long continued lightning.

The barns on the farm of Cloves Seelye, about two miles out on the Centre line, fine, large modern structures and other out-buildings were struck and burned with contents of hay, grain, farming tools, and equipment, a loss of \$10,000 or more. Firemen from town went out in the motor truck and saved the house.

Farm fires were seen in various directions from this town but with many telephone wires out of commission could not be located.

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NOTICE TO SOLDIERS ON HARVEST LEAVE

Attention is directed to a recent announcement published in the Press by the Military Service Branch, Department of Justice, regarding extensions to be granted to men EXEMPTED AS FARMERS.

It is pointed out that this DOES NOT IN ANY WAY AFFECT MEN WHO HAVE BEEN ORDERED BY THE REGISTRAR TO REPORT TO DEPOT BATTALIONS and who have therewith received leave of absence from the Military Authorities.

Once a man has been ordered to report for duty by the Registrar he leaves the jurisdiction of the Registrar and comes under that of the Department of Militia and Defence, and is to be considered as a soldier. This applies to men in the 20 to 22 Class who have been ordered to report by the Registrar in virtue of the cancellation of exemptions by the Origin-council of the 20th April last, as well as to those ordered to report in the usual way on refusal of claim for exemption, or on expiration of exemption granted.

All men, accordingly, who have been ordered to report, and are therefore SOLDIERS, and who have subsequently been granted harvest leave by the military authorities, MUST, NOTWITHSTANDING THE NOTICE ABOVE REFERRED TO, REPORT ON THE EXPIRATION OF THAT LEAVE, unless they are notified to the contrary by their Commanding Officer or by general notice published by the Department of Militia and Defence.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA AND DEFENCE.

BERLIN TO BLAME FOR ATROCITIES

Change in Programme Apparently Shows That There Was No Indiscipline in Army.

London, Oct. 30.—(Canadian Press despatch from Reuters' Limited)—In the House of Commons Mr. Alden asked whether the German government had kept its recent promise to President Wilson regarding the breach of international law on land and sea, and if the government would obtain information proving or disproving statements of destruction of villages contrary to international law.

Right Hon. Bonar Law was also asked whether the loss of merchantmen since Germany had replied to President Wilson would throw any light on Germany's promise to change her methods of sea warfare.

Mr. Law replied that the time was needed to make a full reply, but that he believed it was a fact that there recently had been a change in German methods of evacuation and there was for the time being a cessation of submarine attacks on passenger steamers. Replying further to the question, Mr. Law said there had been submarine attacks on other vessels in the past.

Mr. R. MacNeill: "Does not the change in Germany's methods of evacuation show that destruction hitherto was not the result of the indiscipline of the German troops, but of definite instructions?"

Mr. Law replied that such was a very reasonable inference.

RHENISH GERMANS IN PANIC FLIGHT

London, Oct. 29.—(British Wireless Service)—Civilian departures from the lower Rhineland and part of Westphalia, which began on a small scale when the first Allied bombs hit Cologne, have developed into a panic flight, according to The Hague correspondent of the Daily Mail. All the banks are being stormed by depositors who are withdrawing their savings in German banknotes of as high a value as are obtainable, the 100 mark note having appreciable market value over lower currency. But even small notes of one mark, are being taken eagerly.

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P. E. I. ATHLETE WAS KILLED

John F. Blanchard, Winner of Many Trophies, Paid Supreme Sacrifice on October 19.

Clement Blanchard, Charlottetown, received a despatch stating that his son, Gunner P. Blanchard, aged 26, of the 11th Siege Battery, had died of wounds on October 19th. Gnr. Blanchard left here with the 8th Siege Battery and was wounded and gassed in July of last year. He returned to France as soon as possible after his recovery and took part in many of the heaviest battles since. His death was due to a gunshot wound in the head. There will be widespread regret among the many friends of this splendid young man upon his death.

He was well and favorably known, especially in athletic circles, having been a prominent member of the Victoria Hockey Club and one of the Island's speediest cyclists, having won many cups and medals in various athletic meets. Before enlisting he was employed with the firm of Morris, Smith and Beer.

ST. JOSEPH NOW FREE.

St. Joseph, Oct. 30.—Dr. Alfred Gaudet reports that in Memramcook parish and its environs, the influenza is decreasing, and that the University of St. Joseph is free from the disease which was very mild there.

SECOND DEATH IN A FREDERICTON FAMILY

William Lipsett, Jr. Dies of Pneumonia—Two Deaths from Disease in French Village.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Oct. 30.—The second death in the family of William Lipsett took place this afternoon, when William Lipsett, Jr., passed away from pneumonia following influenza. The deceased was thirty-six years of age and unmarried. His brother died a few days ago.

Two deaths from pneumonia took place at French Village today, when G. Solomon, aged six, and Joseph Sapier, aged one, two Indian children, passed away.

The situation in Fredericton today shows decided improvement so far as pneumonia is concerned. There are now five diphtheria cases in the city.

THIRD BROTHER NOW IN UNIFORM

Ezra Brown, of Waterville, reached the city yesterday, and will today appear in the uniform of the Depot Battalion. His exemption granted until November 1, 1918, was not extended, and he reported at once for duty.

Two other brothers are in the uniform. Erid, now overseas, who left here in the early part of the year in a draft from the Depot Battalion, and Clifford, a member of the 7th Canadian Garrison Regiment.

These young men resided in the near vicinity of the Cogswell boys, who were given such notoriety in the press, when they strongly resisted the military police, whom they were evading, by camping in a covered boat on the upper Oromocto River; and when captured put up a resistance, which ended in one of the young men being wounded by the M. P.

Later the three were quite docile, and today are over the pond doing their bit, and state they like the military life fine.

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NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

LET'S TALK IT OVER. THE WAR DIET.

It has been said lately both in the American Press and among our citizens that one reason of the rapid spread of the Spanish influenza is that people are weakened by the war diet and so are not in a fit condition to stand against any infection.

Let us talk this statement over, and consider whether it is absolutely correct. It is correct what we are going to do about it? To begin with, have we as yet really noticed any radical change in our diet? True the bread baked at the bakeries is not quite as white as it used to be, our sugar is a little restricted and we have to make use of cornmeal flour, rice flour, cornmeal, oatmeal and other substitutes. Then, too, we have had to give beef when possible and for a time bacon was cut off our menus.

What about the other side of the shield? If the bread, however darker, have we not been told by all health writers that the whiter the flour the less nourishment it contains? It is argued that the whole wheat flour is far better and that the process of whitening the flour has removed from it much of the body-building properties. Then, too, the substitutes make a beneficial variety in the diet.

Take sugar next. It is stated on excellent authority that more diseases come from the use of too much sugar than can be traced to any other source, therefore it is for our good to curtail the portions of sweetening. Better teeth will show the result of such abstinence and in many ways the general health will be greatly improved.

As for beef, while it is the staple dish of so many homes or was, are not all rheumatically inclined persons warned against it? And when we do not eat beef we are very apt to substitute fish which is good both for our nerves and for our digestions.

It is the duty of every housewife not only to accept the substitutes given to us by the government but to make it her personal task to see that they are used and used in the right ways. It is no credit to cook with the materials we have always had at hand but it is a fine thing to put upon our tables new and attractively prepared dishes made of the regulation foods mixed, as the old painter said, "with brains." We should be on our mettle to do this and do it cheerfully as a small sacrifice and service for our country's sake.

What do you think about it?

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V. A. D. QUARTERS MOVED YESTERDAY

Diet Kitchen is Now in Rooms Formerly Occupied by Red Triangle Club — Eighty Families Provided for.

"The most strenuous day yet," is the description given at the V. A. D. headquarters of yesterday's activities.

"What did you do today?" the committee was asked. "We moved," was the answer, "as well as doing the cooking and providing for eighty families."

The new rooms at the Red Triangle are all equipped and ready for work today, everything necessary for furnishing well cooked foods is there and all that could be desired for convenience in doing the large amount of work has been so great an asset to the community. The new telephone number is Main 3464, and with the increased facilities for replying to demands it is hoped to be able to render even more assistance.

In fitting up the rooms it was aided by the ladies in charge that they could not use their money as everything they went to buy was immediately donated. The kindness of the citizens is another example of what generous people St. John has in its midst.

A young man who had been ill with influenza stated to a lady who had been supplying cooked food that if it had not been for the V. A. D. he most undoubtedly must have died, as he had no one else to care for him.

ANDOVER

Andover, Oct. 29.—Mr. William Matheson went to Edmundston on Tuesday.

Mrs. Thomas Bedell and children, of St. John, arrived on Thursday to spend some weeks with her parents, Sheriff and Mrs. James Tibbitts.

Mr. and Mrs. Leffaron Hopkins are receiving congratulations from their friends on the arrival of a daughter, Maxine Gwendolyn, on October 19.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Campbell, Miss Kathleen Kennedy and Mr. Frank McAdam of Hartland, spent last week-end with Rev. and Mrs. C. N. Barton. On their return they were accompanied by Miss Irene McAdam who is visiting Mrs. Campbell for a time.

Mrs. Hedley Sloat was called to Burt's Corner the past week on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Jones.

Mr. Alfred Morrison, St. John, was in town last week.

Mrs. A. L. Sawyer of Port Fairfield, visited relatives here during the week.

Lieut. Arthur Wade, of Halifax, has been spending a few days here.

Mrs. Margaret McKay, of Ashland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Tibbitts Jr.

Miss Ruth Pirie, Grand Falls, visited.

REQUESTS FOR MOSS SAMPLES

New Brunswick Sphagnum Moss Attracts Attention in Vancouver — Philadelphia Museum and Para. Brazil. Want Samples

That New Brunswick sphagnum moss is well known in South and North America was evidenced this week when William McIntosh, chairman of the local committee, received letters from Para. Brazil, Vancouver, B. C. and Philadelphia, Penn., asking for information about the moss.

The letter from Vancouver was from W. F. Best, chemist with the Victoria Chemical Co., at a former resident of this city. It reads in part as follows: "Please accept my thanks for the samples of Sphagnum moss that you sent Oct. 17th, and which reached me. I am having the samples displayed in a prominent window of our leading drugstore where a printed card gives all necessary information about the moss."

The Commercial Museum of Philadelphia, in asking for a sample of the moss, sent a sample of a surgical dressing prepared from fibrous peat in Holland. The sample sent is very soft to the touch and is reddish in color. These peat dressings are used in Holland in their army and small quantities are sent to Germany. Though this moss is used to some extent in Germany they rely mostly on the Sphagnum moss dressings.

The letter to Mr. McIntosh from Mr. Fleber, assistant curator of the Commercial Museum, was in part as follows: "I have seen in the U. S. Government Commerce Report that you have been directing the collection of Sphagnum moss for the preparation of surgical dressings. The report then went on to state that the museum had the largest collection of peat and peat products in America, and they were desirous of adding to this collection samples of surgical dressings which are prepared in New Brunswick."

A letter was also received from Para. Brazil, asking that a sample of the moss be sent to that city.

WEDDINGS.

MacDonald-McGrath.

At the Cathedral yesterday morning at 7 o'clock, Sergt-Major J. T. MacDonald and Miss Margaret McGrath were married by Rev. Wm. M. Duke, rector, with Nuptial Mass. Miss Lilian Peterson, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid and Henry Cronin, also a cousin of the bride, was the groom's assistant. After the ceremony the bridal party had breakfast at the home of the bride's brother, Vincent McGrath, Wall street. The groom, a returned soldier, hails from Repton, and is secretary at Military Headquarters No. 7. The bride, who is a daughter of John McGrath, now a resident of Boston, has been a popu-

lar member of the staff of Mullolland's store, Waterloo street, for several years.

Dunham-Maguire.

At St. John the Baptist church, yesterday morning at 8 o'clock, Thomas Emale, Dunham and Miss Annie Frances Maguire were married, with Nuptial Mass, by Rev. F. J. McMurray. Miss Alice Abbott and Joseph Abbott, cousins of the bride, were the witnesses. The ceremony breakfast was served at the home of the bride's uncle, John Abbott, 87 Britannia street, with whom she had resided for some years. The groom was formerly employed with the N. B. Telephone Co., and is now in the telephone department of the C. G. Railways, Moncton. The bride has been a popular operator with the N. B. Telephone Company, and is a daughter of the late Joseph and Margaret Maguire. The happy couple left for Halifax and other points on their honeymoon and on their return will live at Moncton.

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od her aunt, Mrs. George Dionne the past week.

Miss Emma Miller is spending a few days in Woodstock.

Mrs. Almira Hatheway, Mrs. Thornton, and Mary Fleming died the past week at the Junction from the epidemic.

Miss Cecil Simon is visiting relatives in Port Fairfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitlock have returned from Grand Falls where they were called by the death of their son, Albert Whitlock.

Miss Morris of Limestone, Me., has been visiting Miss Jessie Jamar.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. George Edwards died of influenza on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards have the sympathy of all in their affliction.

Mr. Wallace McLeod has returned home from spending a few weeks in Rosedale, Sask.

Miss Marion Kilburn, student at Sackville, is home on account of the epidemic.

Miss Carolyn Armstrong has re-

turned home after spending a few days at Wapake.

Mrs. Wellington Kierstead, Prisque Lake, Me., is the guest of Mrs. Robert Ervin.

Mr. George Lockhart, St. John, spent the week-end here.

Miss Fanna Pardee, of Pittsfield, Mass., who has been very ill with pneumonia, came home on Wednesday. Her friends are pleased to learn of her improvement.

Mr. Leffaron Anderson spent the past week in Boston.

Misses Grace Black and Muriel Bird were guests of Mrs. E. Witherly at Weaver last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Waugh returned from Florenceville on Thursday and are guests of Mrs. Edward Waugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hayden, of Riley Brook, were in the village during the week.

Mr. Fred Pirie, of Grand Falls, was in town the past week.

Mr. James Cluff, of Woodstock, spent part of the week here.

HARTLAND

Hartland, Oct. 28.—Douglas Currie, who has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Lydia Currie, left on Monday for his home in Arlington, Boston.

Mrs. Mary Parker is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sydney Hagerman.

Misses Jean Miller, Mabel Morgan, students at the Acadian Institution, Wolfville, have returned to their homes here, to remain until the epidemic of influenza has passed over.

The flag on the post office, which had become very much tattered and torn has been replaced by a new one. The flag staff has been newly painted.

Miss Sadie Jensen is visiting at Bridgewater, the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Packard.

Rev. A. H. Trafton is on a visit to his son, Rev. P. J. Trafton.

S. S. Miller, Frank R. Kelley and J. E. McCollum were in Woodstock on Tuesday on Victory Loan business.

Harry Taylor has severed his connection with the Bank of Montreal,

and enlisted in the Royal Flying Corps. Mr. Taylor has lately been stationed at Grand Falls, but is home now for a few days before leaving for the training camp.

The Farmers' Telephone Co. have fitted up an attractive and up-to-date set of offices in the old Morgan stand on Lake street. Finished in hardwood, well lighted and well arranged with every modern convenience and comfort, the establishment is a decided credit to this enterprising company of which George V. Britton is the manager.

Another new office just newly fitted up is that of the Western Union Telegraph Co., which is now located at an independent office in Hatfield & Scott's recently enlarged premises. Miss A. B. Estabrook of Sackville, was appointed.

Weldon Ward, student of the boys' academy at Wolfville, who has been spending a few days with his parents, recently enlarged premises, Miss A. B. Estabrook of Sackville, was appointed.

Friday evening to resume his studies at the Acadian Institution.

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 for leave to discontinue its service
 down Rodney Wharf, and to remove
 its tracks and trestle therefrom, will
 be heard on Wednesday, the 27th day
 of November, A. D., 1918, at 10:30
 of the clock in the forenoon, in the Government
 Rooms in the City of Saint John,
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R. C. DESROCHERS,
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 Ottawa, October 28, 1918.

MT. PLEASANT
 Mount Pleasant, Oct. 29.—Mrs. Addie
 Campbell's young son was the guest
 of her mother, Mrs. Allen Greer.
 Mrs. Jane McKinnon is visiting her
 daughter, Mr. Judson Barlock, also
 her sister, Mrs. Ben Burick.
 We are very sorry to hear that Has-
 sell Greer is very sick at Woodstock
 with pneumonia and the Spanish in-
 fluenza.
 Miss M. Nevers, who was visiting
 friends here, has returned to her home
 at Rockland.
 Mr. S. W. Smith was a caller to this
 place Thursday of last. Mrs. James
 Taylor and Mrs. William A. Grandmire
 have sold their place to Emery Kent
 and Mr. and Mrs. Grandmire and
 family are going West where their par-
 ents are. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Par-
 dentre in a few weeks.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Mary Williams.
 Special to The Standard.
 Newcastle, Oct. 30.—The death of
 Mrs. Mary Williams of Chatham Head
 occurred yesterday, after an illness of
 typhoid-pneumonia. Deceased was 44
 years of age and is survived by an
 adopted daughter, Helen, also by one
 brother, Philip Le Gallina, Newcastle.
Mrs. A. F. Malby.
 Special to The Standard.
 Newcastle, Oct. 30.—Mrs. A. F. Mal-
 by, who had been ill several days with
 pneumonia, passed away yesterday.
 She was formerly Miss Carrie Math-
 son, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs.
 Charles Matheson. Mrs. Malby's ac-
 tivities will be much missed in the
 Methodist church, the Red Cross So-
 ciety and the Women's Institute.
Miss Cassie Russell.
 Special to The Standard.
 Newcastle, Oct. 30.—The death of
 Miss Cassie Russell, daughter of Mr.
 and Mrs. Frank Russell, occurred yester-
 day of influenza, at her home in
 Doaktown. Deceased was 18 years of
 age. She leaves the following brothers
 and sisters: Harry, William, Miller,
 Amy, Henrietta, Isobel and Francis.
Mrs. Mina Mitchell.
 Frederickton, Oct. 30.—Mrs. Mina
 Mitchell died on Tuesday at her home
 in North Devon. She was aged thirty
 years and is survived by her husband,
 two sons and one daughter. Death
 was caused by pneumonia.
Miss Mildred Parsons.
 Special to The Standard.
 Alma, Oct. 30.—Mildred Parsons,
 daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Par-
 sons, died on Sunday, aged 20 years.
 She had been ill a few days with in-
 fluenza which developed into pneu-
 monia.
 Ellyery Jones.

Ellyery Jones of Gerow's Wharf,
 Kings County, passed away in the
 General Public Hospital Tuesday af-
 ternoon, following an operation. He
 was a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Jones,
 and is survived by three brothers, C.
 G. Jones of this city, R. W. of Cal-
 gary, and Dr. A. E. Jones of Kansas
 City; also two sisters, Mrs. Roy Rob-
 ertson of this city and Miss Grace at
 home.
Lieut. Geoffrey Lake.
 Ottawa, Oct. 30.—Lieut. Geoffrey
 Lake of Sydney, N. S., is reported by
 the Department of Naval Service as
 having died in hospital.
Lieut-Col. Thomas Mowbray.
 Halifax, Oct. 30.—Lieut-Colonel
 Thomas Mowbray, at one time com-
 mander of the Halifax garrison artil-
 lery, for forty years representative
 of the Macdonald Tobacco in Nova
 Scotia, and for the last seventeen
 years grand secretary of the Grand
 Lodge, F. & A. M., died at his home
 here last night as the result of an at-
 tack of Spanish influenza. He was
 eighty years of age.
Edward Arnold.
 Edward Arnold, a prominent farmer
 of Kings County, died yesterday at
 the residence of his sister, Mrs. C. W.
 Stockton, Sussex, after a lingering ill-
 ness. Mr. Arnold belonged to the
 well known family of Arnolds in
 Kings County, who were among the
 original settlers of the county. He
 took an active part in the affairs of
 the county and his death will be
 felt with regret. He was fifty-
 eight years old and leaves one daugh-
 ter, Miss Pauline, and several broth-
 ers.
Edward J. Byrne.
 Word was received here last evening
 by relatives of the death in Chic-
 ago of Edward J. Byrne, who in his
 young days was a resident of this
 city. At one time he was a member
 of the City Council. He is the son
 of St. John over thirty years ago. He
 was about 64 years of age and unmar-
 ried. Mr. Byrne is survived by a
 brother, J. W. Byrne, and a sister,
 Miss Mary Byrne, both of this city.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson.
 The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Thomp-
 son occurred suddenly yesterday morn-
 ing at her home, 23 Dufferin Row.
 She had been ill only one day and
 death was caused by heart trouble. A
 particularly sad circumstance is that
 her husband, William L. Thompson,
 who is on the checking staff of the
 C. P. R., is in Montreal, engaged in
 duty of their only son, Robert
 A., is a soldier overseas, having crossed
 with the 115th Battalion.
Mrs. Thompson was a daughter of
 the late John Steel, of his day, from
 Walter Peterson, a young man of Mil-
 lerton, about 24 years old, son of Mr.
 and Mrs. Charles Peterson, occurred
 this morning of pneumonia. Deceased
 was a brother, George, in action in
 France two years ago. He leaves his
 parents, one brother, Karl, in the
 West, and two sisters, Mrs. Albert
 Hill, Millerton, and Miss Daisy, at
 home.
Amos Vye.
 Special to The Standard.
 Newcastle, Oct. 29.—Amos Vye, the
 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. How-
 ard Vye of Doaktown, died this
 morning in the Miramichi Hospital
 here of pneumonia. He leaves his
 parents, one sister, Gertrude, (Mrs.
 Howard Devereux) of the United
 Doaktown, and three brothers, Thomas,
 Douglas, and Hiram and Fred, at
 home.
Senator Richardson.
 Kingston, Ont., Oct. 29.—Senator
 H. W. Richardson was found dead in
 bed Sunday morning, the cause of
 death being heart failure. He was
 hunting Saturday afternoon, and play-
 ed billiards Saturday evening with Dr.
 Anglin, and retired about ten-thirty
 o'clock.
 Deceased was the head of the well
 known grain firm of J. R. Richardson
 and Sons, Ltd., and was one of the
 best known business men in the coun-
 try. He was born here sixty-three
 years ago, and spent his whole life
 here.
Mrs. James W. Brewster.
 Moncton, Oct. 29.—Mrs. James W.
 Brewster, one of the oldest natives of
 Moncton, died this morning at her
 home on Main street, after being ill
 falling health some time, death being
 due to general debility. Deceased
 was 85 years old, and had lived in
 Moncton all her life, being conversant
 with the city's growth from its early
 days.
 She was the widow of James W.
 Brewster, who was a well known mer-
 chant and who died some fifteen years
 ago. Two sons, Henry T. Brewster,
 merchant, and John, the tailor, and
 one daughter, Mrs. J. Fred Kilduff,
 survive.

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NOTICE
 Letters testamentary of Herbert
 William Smith, late of Glen Falls, in
 the City and County of Saint John,
 Blacksmith and Grocer, have been
 granted to the undersigned Executors
 by the Probate Court of the City and
 County of Saint John; all persons
 having claims against the said Estate
 are required to file the same duly au-
 thorized at the store of the late Herbert
 William Smith, No. 224 Waterloo St.,
 City of Saint John, three months from
 this date, and all persons indebted to
 the said Estate are requested to make
 immediate payment to the undersigned
 at said store, at which a person duly
 authorized to give receipts therefor
 will be present.
 Dated this twenty-fifth day of Octo-

AROUND THE CITY SHOWERY.

THE STEAMER PREMIER. The steamer Premier has been towed to Hilyard's blocks where repairs will be completed. It is hoped to have her back on her route in a few days.

VENDOR APPOINTED. Robert W. Hawker, Druggist, 221 Main Street, is acting as a temporary vendor during this epidemic. W. D. Wilson, Chief Inspector, made the appointment last evening.

TENDERS FOR BALCONIES. Tenders for the erection of balconies on the St. John County Hospital will be called for at once. These balconies will be erected on the north and east sides and will be enclosed with glass, making them available both winter and summer.

PREMIER BROKEN INTO. The manager of T. Collins & Co., wholesale grocers and commission merchants, North Market Street, reports that the premises have been broken into five times within two weeks, and a quantity of goods stolen. The most recent break was on last Monday night.

BELL FOR ROTHESBAY SCHOOL. Captain J. H. A. Fairweather, now in England, has sent home a good sized bell, which he found in a trench which had been used to bury the Huns in a gas attack. The bell has been received by Percy Fairweather and is a presentation to Rothesbay Collegiate School.

THE TOTAL RECEIPTS. The total receipts of the big fair recently held in the St. Andrew's rink were \$7,000.88. Of this amount \$4,325.01 was required to defray expenses, leaving \$2,675.87 profit. This amount was divided as follows: Trades and Labor Council, \$840.00, and Great War Veterans' Association, \$1,835.87.

BIG FALL IN POTATOES. Prerequisite, Me., Oct. 30.—I cost O. J. Bishop just \$1,000 to move five thousand barrels of potatoes which rolled out of his warehouse on a Canadian Pacific siding when the walls of the building collapsed under the great weight. The damage to the stock was slight.

STOPPED AT BORDER. Thomas McPherson, of Harcourt, who was in the city a day or two ago on his way to Boston to receive surgical treatment, was not permitted to pass the border by the United States immigration officials. Mr. McPherson had been a patient at the Moncton hospital, and had been advised to go to Boston for treatment.

FRANCES STETSON ESTATE. The inventory of the estate of Mrs. Frances Stetson, late of Bangor, Me., has been filed in the office of the probate court. The appraisers were Isaiah R. Stetson, William W. Palmer, Otto H. Nelson, and Hayward Stetson, named as executor.

EXCESSIVE PRICES. Comment prevails on the excessive prices being asked by dealers and grocers on such lines as lemons and oranges. Yesterday oranges in one shop sold at \$1.30 per dozen, and lemons 70 cents per dozen and found a ready sale. The proprietor of the shop on which we were asked stated that lately these foodstuffs had climbed the ladder of price on account of the enormous duties being asked for transportation, and to various other causes.

HOW WINDOW WAS SMASHED. A young married woman called on the Standard yesterday and said that she wished to make an explanation regarding an article which stated that a young woman who had been attending a dance in a St. Patrick street house had fallen out of a window. She said that it was not a dance that was taking place at the house but a card party and instead of a woman falling out, the window was broken when a table was pushed through the pane. She claims that it was a peaceful party that they were not playing pool but only cards. Nevertheless, she says she has more than five persons here at the present time not allowed by law, but there were more than that number at this party and perhaps they were ignorant of the health regulations.

THE POLICE COURT. Charles Ross appeared before the police magistrate yesterday morning on a charge of being drunk and violently resisting the police. Policeman Cook who made it arrest on Brassey street stated Ross resisted and was considerably injured. The prisoner pleaded guilty to being drunk but denied guilt to the second charge. As he became ill in court he was sent before Judge George Meade who ordered on a charge of assaulting P.C. Buckingham, was remanded for further hearing. Buckingham stated Meade asked him if he took an X-ray out of a shed at Reid's Point, and without waiting for an answer Meade hit him, knocking him down. The case which was to have been continued in the afternoon did not come up for hearing.

KIMONA VELOURS. Just these kinds of morning—does not appreciate their soft warm thick-ness. Rich tones of Rose, Blue, Grey, etc., developed in square designs, backs, and various necks. A great wealth of two tone coloring to choose from. Very special at 60c. per yard. This is the same price as we sold them at last year. We were fortunate to be able to secure them to sell at this price, don't you think?

Diaper VeLOURS, sufficient for a baby, or Kimona complete with tassels. Comes in pretty border designs. Price, complete—\$6.75. Better buy your Victory Bond today. DYKEMAN'S.

MAJ. GEN. MACDONELL FOR TORONTO; LIEUT. COLONEL McAVITY TO SUCCEED HIM?

This is interesting rumor in Military Circles — Promotion for Major General Macdonnell Would be Popular Move as He Has Done Splendid Work in This District — First Commander of "Fighting 26th" To Be Next Headquarters Commandant in New Brunswick

Although it has not yet been officially announced The Standard understands that there may soon be a change in the military headquarters in this district. There is a vacancy in the command of Military District No. 2, Toronto, and it is reported that Major General Macdonnell may be appointed to that command. The Toronto vacancy was caused by the appointment of Major General Loggie to the Supreme Court of Ontario, while his named successor, Col. Bickford, has been given an appointment in the Siberian contingent. It is understood that Major General Macdonnell has been favorably mentioned in connection with the promotion to the Toronto district, and that his appointment will be announced in due time. His successor in this district is expected to be Lieut.-Col. James L. McAvity, commander of the "Fighting 26th," and now officer commanding the New Brunswick Depot Battalion.

and regimental commander of the 7th C. O. R. of which Lieut.-Col. Wedderburn has been named battalion commander. That Major General Macdonnell would soon be promoted to a more important district was apparent to all who were familiar with his excellent work here. This will be succeeded by Lieut.-Col. McAvity is also expected for the popular officer who recruited and took to France the "Fighting 26th" certainly has claims that cannot be questioned. Col. McAvity's military career is too well known to be recounted here. Suffice it to say that he has had thirty years of active service. He has a war record second to none in a New Brunswick and a St. John man whose promotion would give great satisfaction, and that he possesses all the qualifications necessary to successfully administer the important office to which this newspaper learns he is soon to be called.

NEW ASSESSMENT Will Go Into Effect Tomorrow — Forms and Schedules Are Being Printed — The Provisions and Requirements.

Tomorrow the new assessment law for the city of St. John comes into effect. The new law will be made up by the citizens will be made up under its provisions.

Speaking yesterday with E. Murray Olive, chairman of the board of assessors, The Standard learned that all the forms and schedules required under the new act had been made up by his staff and were now in the hands of the printers. It was the intention of the board to place in the hands of every rate payer a form for each rate which would show the assessors of all taxable property and income, and this return must be made before February 10th next, or else the penalty provided by the law will be invoked. Each return sheet bears on it in red ink a warning to this effect, and the amount of the penalty.

Failure to make returns under the new law does away with the poll tax, but in its place provides that every person must pay on at least \$100 income. The exemption of \$500, the property of widows and spinners, only applies up to a value of \$2,000 under the new act, while it was up to \$5,000 of value under the old act. Under the new act the new income means the total amount of money received by the taxpayer, no matter what the source and each person must in making out his return fill in the net amount of this income.

The taxes on real estate remain the same under the old law. Household furniture is exempt altogether, under the new law, while under the old it was assessed the same as personal property. Taxable personal property other than household furniture is taxed as under the old law, stocks in trade are taxed on the personal property, and intangible income at the prevailing tax rate, instead of on the principal as under the old law.

LOCAL HOSPITAL IS NOT EQUIPPED

Parks Convalescent Home in Bad Shape to Care for Influenza Patients — Private Generosity Now Depended Upon — Standard Will Receive Subscriptions.

The conditions in connection with the methods of fighting the epidemic of influenza in this city and province are not satisfactory, despite what the Times and other subsidized organs of the Foster government may say. In this city the Parks Convalescent Home has been designated as a source that facilities at that hospital are not at all what they should be and that no effort has been made by the department of Health to improve them.

On Tuesday night patients in that hospital required milk. There was none to be had through official sources and but for an appeal to private generosity none would have been forthcoming. Yet milk is an essential article of diet with the majority of the cases there.

The situation as regards ice is the same. Some of the patients on Tuesday night required ice compressed, yet no ice was to be had, and if ice was procured there were no facilities for keeping it in the hospital. It is this condition was brought to the attention of the responsible authorities, but it was said that the money appropriation for the hospital had been expended and nothing further could be done.

At the present time there are four infant patients in the hospital who require night clothing. On Tuesday night they were put to bed in men's nightshirts because of the lack of infantile clothing. A lot of flannel or flannellette is also required. These are things that, no matter what device may be put up, should be publicly supplied if the hospital is to be properly equipped. Yet the supply is not forthcoming and private citizens are now asked to assist. The Standard will be pleased to receive subscriptions to fill the needs at this institution, and will forward all goods received without delay.

ORDERED TO CANADA. The friends of Lieut. Harold L. Nixon will be glad to learn that he has been ordered to Canada. Lieut. Nixon spent eighteen months at the front, was wounded in February last and has spent the time since that in hospital in England.

NOTICE Commercial Travellers of New Brunswick.

As a preventive measure we would ask you at the present time if at all possible to stay off the road for at least two weeks. Those who find it impossible to comply with the above request we would ask to avoid the towns and places where the influenza is prevalent. We would also ask the wholesale houses and manufacturers of New Brunswick to cooperate with us to assist the health board to stamp out this epidemic. W. H. SMITH, President, W. V. McKENNEY, Assistant Secretary.

THE COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS WILL REFRAIN FROM WORK

"Knights of the Grip" Decide to Remain Home for Two Weeks on Account of Epidemic—Over Five Hundred Expected to Comply With Request of the Association.

Realizing the gravity of the present epidemic in the Province, the Maritime Travellers' Association, wishing to cooperate with the Provincial Health Department, have publicly requested their members to "refrain" from their work for a period of two weeks, so as to alleviate in a manner the radius of contagion to others, who have up to the present escaped the disease. The desire of the travellers to cooperate came to a climax yesterday when some of their members consulted Hon. Dr. Roberts, Minister of Health, who was in hearty accord with the wishes of the "Knights of the Grip," and outlined the only method which was a "restraint" from their duties for the present time, during the epidemic, so as to avoid all contagion, and perhaps widen the sphere of the epidemic by even contracting it themselves, ultimately bringing the epidemic to others quite susceptible to it.

The majority have readily given their assent to co-operate. In so acting, the travellers are to be highly commended, as it means their pecuniary losses to great extent, but considering the precautions which should be exercised the men considered their losses were but a side issue. All the New Brunswick centres will be affected by yesterday's action on the part of the travellers, of whom about 500 men are in New Brunswick. Aside from the number of men at hand on must consider the great number of aerostatic houses throughout the whole province which are respectfully requested to consider the decision, and by co-operation to assist in all possible manner, so that the ravages of the epidemic may be effaced.

Not content with the New Brunswick travellers refraining from their proposed journeys, they then proceeded Premier Foster, requesting him to co-operate by notifying the Health Departments in the other provinces curtail all operations, if possible, during the epidemic. Premier Foster heard the requests of the men, and presented them his cooperation by his notifying all chambers of commerce of the several outside health departments of the action of the New Brunswick travellers, and to urge, request, or exhort the travellers in their respective districts to at once cooperate with those in New Brunswick by ceasing their duties for a time. The publicity given in the press will reach near and distant centres regarding the co-operation which is being exercised between the Health Department in New Brunswick and the "Knights of the Grip" which may serve to set an example to outside associations by at once stepping in line. The decision of the Travellers Association of New Brunswick is not a committal, but in the form of an exhortation to their members, of whom

Some of the travellers affected by the decision reside in the city, while these now out on business will immediately return to their homes. Those living in other places will adjourn to their respective domiciles until the present danger has been passed, and all danger of contagion abated. It is pointed out, however, with respect to all travellers that those from outside centres should cooperate since they are not doing so would infringe on the sales of the New Brunswick men, and this fact alone should serve to induce them to refrain from the sales of those who have, in justice to their conscience, and to the safety of the community at large, found it fit to co-operate with others in the epidemic. Accordingly all trips will remain for a time quite undisturbed, and their owners will in this manner advance the health precautionary measures, as all precaution is necessary at the present stage.

ANOTHER BOOST IN MILK PRICE MOST PROBABLE

Citizens May Expect to Pay Additional Two Cents Per Quart—Kings County Producers Ask for Conference.

St. John citizens will probably be called upon in the near future to pay an additional one or two cents per quart for milk, according to information received by The Standard. Recently a delegation of the Kings County Milk and Cream Producers Association approached a number of the city milk dealers and asked for a conference on the matter of price and intimated it was their intention to raise the price now being charged the dealers. It was pointed out that no conference could be held just now as the health regulations forbade public gatherings of all kinds, and the matter stands in that position at present.

FATALLY CRUSHED UNDER CAR WHEEL

Frederick Cooney, the 12-year-old son of Edward Cooney, an engineer on the C.P.R. railway was fatally crushed under a freight train at Brownville, Me., at 8:40 Monday morning. He was going across the C.P.R. yard with two of his young friends and he was very anxious to get across, as there was a freight train in the way. Two boys he was with crawled under the freight train and Frederick made the same attempt. He was the last one under. As he went under a car an engine came along and started the train. The boy's body was cut completely in two, yet he lived three hours and was able to talk and utter faint cries. It is reported that he said that he felt no pain whatever. No doctor was called, but the services of a trained nurse, Miss Amy Knox, were obtained.

It is understood the members of the association are unanimous that there must be an increase in the price per quart, but are not agreed as to amount of the increase, some have suggested two cents per quart, and some one cent per quart. At the present time the price paid the farmers by the dealers is seven cents per quart, or fifty-six cents per can, and the retail price to the consumer is twelve cents per quart. Should the price be increased by the farmer, and the dealer be satisfied with the same margin for handling, ninety-five cents per quart, the price to the consumer will be either thirteen or fourteen cents per quart, and the producers may elect. The present price of seven cents

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