

HIS HOLINESS POPE PIUS HIS DEAD

GERMAN FORCES PUSHING BELGIUM

Reports Though Conflicting in Detail Appear to Agree that Kaiser's Men are Menacing Brussels — Arm of Belgian Forces is Now to Concentrate on Antwerp—Main Body of Allies Apparently Not Yet Engaged.

(Special Cable to The Standard through International News Service.) Brussels, Aug. 19.—Refugees arriving here state they saw large masses of German infantry supported by artillery and cavalry within twenty miles of the capital. The sound of heavy firing has been heard for the past twenty-four hours and every indication is that a battle of large proportions is going on along the entire Belgian front. It is believed here that the German movement is composed of the combined armies of Mouselle and Meuse and is directed toward the task of splitting the allies' centre when an effort will be made to crush the forces individually. The war office is without any word from Liege but believes that the forts still hold out. The Belgian main line is now established between Brussels and Antwerp with headquarters at Malin. The allied army is fronting on the roads near Waterloo. The German advance is slow, their infantry entrenching every strategic point because of the destructive artillery resistance they are meeting. It is reported that the German advance suffered a reverse at Gembloux today, pushed back by the Belgian bayonet charge. This place is only twenty miles from Brussels.

Paris, Aug. 19.—Gen. Joffre has officially confirmed the evacuation of Saarburg by the Germans and its occupation by the French the enemy falling back on Strasbourg which is strongly fortified and should stand a most protracted siege. Saarburg is also fortified but the Germans made no effort to defend the town. The official news bureau of the war office announced that it has established absolutely that the burning of villages and the putting to death of civilians by the Germans are acts generally practiced by the invaders. That the shooting of Germans which has been given as the cause for these reprisals was done by French troops and that the order for executions was given by the German commanding officers. The abandonment of Brussels which is persistently reported here is made light of by the war office which states that this news "is nothing grave even if true which is improbable." The statement adds that the Belgian plan of defense was made with Antwerp as the base therefore concentration there was to be foreseen.

London, Aug. 19.—With the Belgians driven back to the north the German troops are advancing in great numbers to attack the forts of Namur, and the second line of defense of the Belgians and French, profiting by their repulse at Liege, the Kaiser's forces have brought up a quantity of the heaviest artillery with which to silence the forts. With Namur in their possession the Germans will be in a position to give battle to the allies' army at Gembloux without fear of an attack from the rear. Disregarding their heavy losses the German lines have advanced so far that Louvain and Brussels are being threatened. One report stated that both these places have been evacuated by the Belgians, but this is unbelievable. All battle details are being suppressed, but it is known that heavy masses of Germans are near Brussels supported by artillery and cavalry.

The principal Belgian forces have retreated to the North and West preparing to defend Antwerp to the last. Their war office minimizes the importance of the retreat, saying that con-

centration at Antwerp had been expected. The German belief in the ultimate triumph of their arms remains unshaken. The Cologne Gazette, the official organ, states that while the advance through Belgium has been delayed, it has not yet been stopped at any point. Reports that Brussels had fallen were widely circulated today, but emphatically denied at official quarters. All communication with the Belgian capital is now cut off.

Brussels, Aug. 19.—An engagement is reported to have taken place in northern Limburg. An important Franco-German battle is expected.

London, Aug. 19.—A despatch today by the Marconi wireless press bureau from Berlin says that in an encounter near Stallupohnen, east Russia, August 17th, a division of the Russian army corps defeated the German force, capturing 1,000 prisoners and six machine guns. Many Russian guns which could not be taken by the Germans were destroyed.

Rotterdam, Aug. 19.—Large contingents of Austrian troops including mountain artillery of which the German army does not possess have passed points along the Rhine on their way to the front.

Brussels, Aug. 19.—A German monoplane was brought down by riflemen at Sierrebeck, only a few miles to the east of Brussels. The pilot, an officer, had in his possession three revolvers, bombs and interesting military notes. His legs were broken by the fall, but notwithstanding his injuries he endeavored to discharge his weapons.

San Francisco, Calif., Aug. 19.—The Japanese cruiser Idegami from San Diego entered San Francisco harbor this afternoon. She was boarded inside the gate by the Japanese consul-general.

Brussels, Aug. 19.—Four German girls were arrested here today on the charge of spying.

Paris, Aug. 19.—Joseph Caillaux, the former premier and minister of finance, who had the rank of sergeant in the reserve, has been promoted to subaltern lieutenant. He is serving in the financial inspection department of the army.

DEATH OF SUPREME PONTIFF OF CATHOLIC CHURCH OCCURRED AT 1.20 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING

Grief Over Outbreak Of European War And Failure Of Efforts To Bring Peace To Warring Nations Aggravated Illness And Hastened End—Elected To Succeed Leo XIII On Aug. 4th 1903—His Reign An Eventful One In Point of Spiritual Achievement

Rome, Aug. 20, 1.20 a. m.—His Holiness Pius X., spiritual head of the Catholic Church died this (Thursday morning at 1.20 o'clock.

The news of his passing came as a shock throughout the world. A report was current yesterday that the end had come but was later denied, after midnight, however, came another bulletin announcing that the Holy Father was dead.

He had been in poor health for some weeks past, but only yesterday reassuring news of his condition was given by his physician. His advanced age, the cares of office, and especially his grief over the European war had aggravated the illness and hastened the end.

The Pope's last illness began almost coincidentally with the great war in Europe. Those close to him believe that grief over the situation brought on the fatal crisis and so overwhelmed him that he was unable, in his 80th year, to withstand still another attack of his old enemy gouty catarrh.

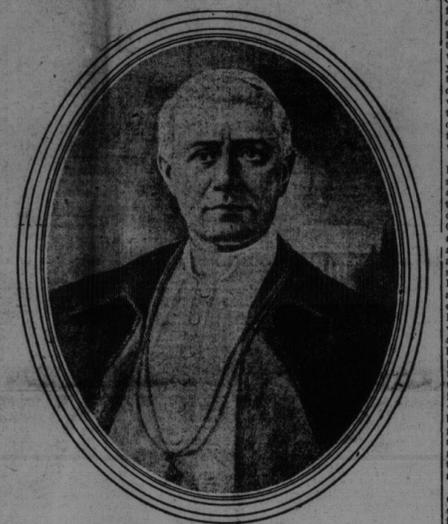
His health had been the pontiff's lot for many years, and intermittently the world has prepared several times to hear of his passing. During the summer there had been numerous denials from the Vatican that his indisposition was serious. As late as August 10 last upon the occasion of the eleventh anniversary of his coronation Pope Pius granted numerous audiences.

Two days later it became known that he had cancelled practically all engagements. His attendants reported that he was unable to work, and that he sat listless and silent for hours, evidently brooding over the great clash of arms in Europe.

His physician, Dr. Marchisava, ordered His Holiness to bed on August 16, when it was announced that the war and the intense heat in Rome had combined to depress him. In bed, he continued to dream of the conflict by night and to discuss it by day.

"I shall not cease to implore God to put a stop to this inhuman butchery," he declared. His physicians had to deal with this mental condition as well as physical suffering.

Arrangements were made by which Cardinal Merry Del Val, the papal secretary of state, would render His Holiness a daily report on the war situation. The Pope desired to see some-



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When at the meeting of the sacred college on Aug. 4, 1913, the voting pointed to the election of Cardinal Sarzo, he was so overcome with emotion that he broke down, and with tears rolling down his cheeks declared such honor and responsibility was not for him and that he must refuse to accept. He was so palpably sincere that consternation reigned in the conclave, and the cardinals spent the whole evening in convincing him that his election was the will of providence and that he must accept.

On the final ballot he looked a statue of resignation. When forty-two votes had been recorded for the patriarch of Venice, the scrutineer lifted his red zucchetto, saying: "Habemus pontificem." But from many sides cardinals cried out "Continue." As the vote approached fifty, however, the cardinals, as of one accord, surrounded the new pontiff, and according to tradition demanded to know if he would accept the pontificate. Cardinal Sarzo's lips trembled so that he could hardly articulate, but after a visible effort, he said: "If this cup

CANADA UNITED WHEN HONOR OF EMPIRE AT STAKE

Stirring Scene in House of Commons Yesterday When Sir Robert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier Voice Canada's Loyalty to England—When the Motherland is at War, So Too is Canada—Great Britain Battling for the Rights and Liberties of Mankind—Premier's Words Thrill Listeners.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Aug. 19.—"Not for the love of battle, not for lust of conquest, not for greed of possessions, but for the cause of honor, to maintain solemn pledges, to uphold principles of liberty to withstand forces that would convert the world into an armed camp, yea in the very name of the peace that we sought at any cost, save that of dishonor, we have entered into the war, and while gravely conscious of the tremendous issues involved, and of all the sacrifices that they may entail, we do not shrink from them but with firm hearts abide the event."

These words uttered by Sir Robert Laird Borden at the conclusion of his speech that will be historic, produced a scene in the House of Commons this afternoon unprecedented in Canadian parliamentary annals. Liberals, Conservatives, Nationalists—Peace-at-any-price and peace-with-honor men—all joined in a demonstration of loyalty to the Motherland that swept the surface and stirred the depths of the House. It was a spectacle to thrill and thrill with patriotism crowded galleries and a crowded Commons. Party differences were cast to the winds, politics—everything but Canada's duty to the Motherland in her hour of trial—forgotten. A united parliament proclaimed to the world that the "wards of the outer march, the lords of the lower seas" are rallying to England's call that "also we blood and endures, I shall know that your good is mine, ye shall feel that my strength is yours. In the day of armageddon, at the last great fight of all, that our house shall stand together and the pillars do not fall."

Today will be historic in the annals of the Canadian parliament. The occasion was the debate on the address in reply to the war speech from the throne. The result was never before so forcibly declared, nor so unanimously admitted that when Great Britain war Canada is at war. In the hour of stress Canada found herself British to the core, loyal to the Motherland, ready to fight the battles of the empire in the sacred cause of liberty and freedom, united against the common enemy, strong in her declaration of the world he was a self-made man.

Burning patriotism fell from the lips of not only the prime minister, but also from the French Canadian leader Sir Wilfrid Laurier. It was not the call to arms, but the announcement that Canadians of all men in Canadian political history. It was the tribute to the leader of a nation and not to the leader of a party, an appreciation of a man who had faced fearlessly and calmly the great announcement that Canadians of all

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creeds and nationalities had already rallied around the old flag of liberty and civilization and progress. "I hasten to say," said Sir Wilfrid in referring to the reason for the assembling of parliament, "that to all these measures we are here to give an immediate assent." The Liberal chief-tain assured the House and the country that the opposition would take no exception, and offer no criticism so long as there was danger from the foe. "It is the duty of the Canadian people to let Great Britain know that we are of but one mind," was his comment. Canada stands behind the Mother country knowing that she did engage in this war but to save the world from the unbridled lust of conquest and power.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's declaration as to the part which Canada must play in the arena of empire was heartily cheered on the government side, and he left no doubt in the public mind that the Liberal party is wholeheartedly British. "Ready, aye ready, is the answer of Canada," he put it. "We are British subjects and we are face to face with the consequences of our citizenship. We have long talked that when Great Britain is at war, Canada is at war, now we have the realization."

Of One Mind and One Heart. Always eloquent, he was perhaps more eloquent and agitated than for many years. "We are one mind and heart," he told the Commons in respect of party the whole house cheered. "In this hour of danger and trouble let us proclaim to friends and foes that we are one at heart—that we are proud to be of an empire which has behind it in this war as noble a cause as ever impelled a nation to risk her all by the arbitrament of the sword—an empire that is fighting for freedom against oppression, for democracy against autocracy, for civilization against barbarism, for right against might."

But the climax of the day was not yet to come. Sir Robert Borden—the man of the hour in Canada was now to speak. With one accord the entire house greeted his rising with a reception such as has been accorded to few men in Canadian political history. It was the tribute to the leader of a nation and not to the leader of a party, an appreciation of a man who had faced fearlessly and calmly the great announcement that Canadians of all

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OVER FIFTEEN HUNDRED FROM MAR. PROVINCES

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 19.—Mobilization of the Maritime Provinces volunteers for overseas service begins tomorrow when various rural corps will dispatch their detachments to the different assembly points where special trains will be made up to take them to Val Cartier. Orders for a despatch of these corps were received by the headquarters staff of the sixth division here today and tonight when the final counts were in, a statement of the number of volunteers from the various units was given out which showed that so far from the Maritime Provinces have volunteered for active service in the Canadian contingent. Some units had not made made complete returns.

ALLIES SUCCEED IN DRIVING BACK EVERY 1/4 SOUTH, BUT NORTH GERMAN'S GAINING

London, Aug. 20.—1.20 a. m.—A Havas despatch from Brussels gives an official communication concerning the present state of the field operations in Belgium.

"After having lost much time and great numbers of men, and besides, important war mater, the communication says, the Prussian right wing has succeeded in gaining ground on both banks of the Meuse to bring them into contact with the allied armies. The German troops on the north bank of the Meuse comprise sections of different army corps whose efforts have been directed towards the capture of Liege and who are now disengaged. There also are bodies of cavalry, tanks to which the Germans have

been able to make considerable disturbance, and extend themselves north and south.

"On the south the allied Belgian and French armies have been able to repulse them, but on the north, on the contrary, they have had a free field and could penetrate in small bodies far into the country. In a word, the Germans have taken a number of our positions, but have wasted fifteen days in arriving at this result, which is greatly to the honor of our army.

"It is not a question of single battle evolutions or capture of certain parts of the country or of towns. These matters are secondary in regard to the object assigned our troops in the general dispositions. This aim cannot be revealed, and the most possible

trating minds will be unable to discover it, owing to the necessarily vague particulars furnished concerning the operations.

"Fighting is proceeding on the whole front, extending from Basel, Switzerland and Diest, Belgium, and in these numerous contacts, the more the opposing armies approach each other and the nearer come the deciding battles the more one must expect to hear of an advantage on this side and of yielding on that.

"In operations so vast, and with those engaged using modern arms, too great attention must not be paid to the operations in our immediate vicinity. Evolutions ordered in a particular previously determined aim is not necessarily a retreat."

CITIZENS AID THE FOREIGN SERVICE MEN

Will raise funds for benefit of Volunteers and their families—Insurance too.

The citizens' committee, to provide some suitable recognition of the services of the St. John men, who have volunteered for foreign service, met in the Board of Trade rooms yesterday morning and completed arrangements for collecting money to carry out their plans. James F. Robertson and G. S. Maves each donated \$1,000 towards the fund while the common council voted \$2,000.

The meeting was called to order soon after eleven o'clock by Mayor Frink and there was good attendance. R. E. Armstrong was appointed secretary pro tem.

Before opening the meeting, the mayor announced that the city had voted \$2,000 towards the fund and the announcement was received with loud applause.

The chairman read a statement showing that 119 men and two officers had left in the first contingent to South Africa from the whole of New Brunswick, and sixty-seven men and two officers in the second contingent, whereas it is expected that 400 men will go from this city alone in the near future. The South African contingent amounted to \$25,363 from the whole province, of which the city of St. John contributed about one-half.

It was decided that the fund would be used for the benefit of volunteers going from St. John City and County. Naval reservists will also be included in the number to receive a share of the benefit.

The question of insuring the men was discussed and a committee consisting of A. P. Barnhill, H. P. Robinson and M. E. Azar was appointed to look into the matter of insuring the men and to recommend a company. Insurance for the men will be one of the objects of the fund.

The other purposes for which the fund will be used will be designated by the executive committee.

The executive committee was then selected as follows: Judge Forbes, Col. E. T. Sturdee, W. P. Robinson, G. S. Maves, Mayor Frink, E. Allan Schofield, A. P. Barnhill, Richard Sullivan, L. P. D. Tilley, R. T. Hayes, G. A. Kimball, Miles E. Azar, C. B. Allan, R. S. Armstrong, Col. B. R. Armstrong and Col. H. H. McLean.

On motion it was decided to place the names of the city commissioners and the commanding officers of local corps on the executive as honorary members.

The Mayor—"I understand the men are to leave for Val Cartier tomorrow and we should prepare to give them a hearty send-off. We should not allow these men who are going away perhaps for the last time, to leave in cold blood."

It was the opinion of the meeting that some demonstration should be made on the departure of the soldiers, but just what form it should take and how it should be provided for was left to the executive committee to decide.

At the meeting of the executive Judge Forbes was elected chairman, R. E. Armstrong, secretary, and C. B. Allan, treasurer.

It was decided that about \$2 per man should be placed in the hands of the commanding officers for distribution. It was decided that besides having the subscription list at the mayor's office open, collectors would be sent out and that the executive would meet every morning at 11 o'clock.

Riecker-Scott.

Abraham Reicker, a popular employee of the St. John Ice Company, was married last evening to Mrs. Ella Scott. The ceremony took place at the home of Allan Baker, of Vishart street, West End. The happy pair will reside in Vishart street. They received many valuable presents, including a Morris chair presented by the fellow employees of the groom, a parlor lamp and silverware.

AN INVITATION.

Mr. Gastenquay of the Nova Scotia Tennis Club has given an invitation to the members of the St. John Tennis Club to participate in the tournament to be held at Chester, N. S. Mr. Gastenquay in speaking of the matches here this week, congratulated the players on their excellent work.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

Is this Why English Beauties Are So Fair?

(From London Herald)

Ever since the discovery that mercurials would absorb and remove a discolored complexion, it has been a substitute for bleaching creams has been used. Its beneficial effects are quickly apparent, and ladies who have been paying as high as a guinea a jar for "special bleach" from beauty specialists, soon recognize that mercurials are the real thing. It has become so popular that it can be obtained at all chemist shops in the British Isles. American druggists also have great demand for it. Its original name was "Castoria." The favorite way of using it is to apply it, like cold cream, before retiring, washing the face with soap and water. One uses powdered castoria in the same way. The favorite way of using it is to apply it, like cold cream, before retiring, washing the face with soap and water. One uses powdered castoria in the same way.

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PIUS X. AND HIS PRIVATE SECRETARY, WHO IS MENTIONED IN CONNECTION WITH THE SUCCESSION



THE POPE CARDINAL MERRY DEL VAL. The name of Cardinal Merry del Val, the Pope's private secretary, is mentioned frequently in connection with the succession to the Papal chair. He is the man nearest to the Pope, and the above picture shows them in the Vatican Gardens.

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In the second scene, in the first act, when, after an accident in the ring, Polly, Miss Elsie St. Leon, finds herself unexpectedly in bed in a room at the parsonage, attended by Mandy (Miss Rena Sanders) a good and faithful colored servant, the circus girl shows herself at her best. The parson, Rev. John Douglas, a part taken by Arthur DeLond, interests Polly very much when he reads to her in bed the story of Ruth and Naomi. The reading of this story from the Bible was but the beginning of her love for the young minister and of his love for her.

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In the second scene, in the first act, when, after an accident in the ring, Polly, Miss Elsie St. Leon, finds herself unexpectedly in bed in a room at the parsonage, attended by Mandy (Miss Rena Sanders) a good and faithful colored servant, the circus girl shows herself at her best. The parson, Rev. John Douglas, a part taken by Arthur DeLond, interests Polly very much when he reads to her in bed the story of Ruth and Naomi. The reading of this story from the Bible was but the beginning of her love for the young minister and of his love for her.

The gospel of deacons and choir people was more in evidence when the parson's interest in the circus girl became known to them, and there was much speculation as to the outcome of it all.

The really capable company has excellent support from Arthur DeLond. The complicated staging received the best attention possible, and the two trained horses, "Bingo" especially, were seen to advantage. The incidental music brought to mind how possible it is to bring together the relations between the church and the stage.

JAMAICA WILL EXPORT NO MORE SUGAR

Proclamation Forbids Sending It To Outside Places as it is Needed for Imperial Purposes.

Kingston, Ja., Aug. 19.—The governor has issued a proclamation forbidding the exportation of sugar from Jamaica. It is explained that the product is required for imperial purposes.

SUBSTITUTE RED ENSIGN FOR THE BLUE

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have requested all yacht clubs having Admiralty warrants to substitute the red ensign for the blue ensign for the present, and the R.K.Y.C. have issued instructions to this effect to all yachts of the squadron entitled to fly the latter.

The white ensign and the Union Jack may be flown only by ships of the Royal Navy and there is a heavy penalty for any other craft flying either.

The blue ensign is the flag of the Royal Naval Reserve and there is also a heavy penalty (500 pounds sterling) if it is flown by any vessel not qualified.

As regards yachts, the qualifications are that they must belong to a yacht club having an Admiralty warrant; the yacht must be registered and carry a warrant issued by the Admiralty through the club secretary.

The red ensign is the flag of the merchant marine and is flown by all vessels not entitled to fly the white ensign or blue ensign. This red ensign, or in Canada, the Canadian ensign, is the only flag that may be legally flown on yachts that have not warrants issued by the Admiralty. The pilot jack, which is the Union Jack, with a white border, may be flown at the stemhead of any vessel.

To further allay the suspicions of the public with regard to the subject in this signalling, I may say that I received formally by a telegram I received from Ottawa, I called yesterday on Lieut. Col. Armstrong, commanding officer of the district, with relation to this matter, and that gentleman assured me that there is not the least objection to the work being carried on, but in order to reassure the people in the neighborhood of the parties, he thought it would be well to make public the location of our lights and our authority for operating them. Hence this statement.

A. J. BRABAZON. In Charge Geodetic Survey. St. John, August 19, 1914.

JOS. QUINN'S DEATH DUE TO HIS OWN NEGLIGENCE, VERDICT OF JURY

Gagetown, Aug. 19.—A rather peculiar verdict was rendered by the coroner's jury which held an inquest here this evening into the death of Joseph Henry Quinn who fell from the steamer D. J. Purdy and was drowned recently. The jury found "that deceased came to his death by falling overboard, and that he was negligent in not putting the gangway in properly; that if he had put in the top rail he would not have fallen overboard, but that it was deemed unnecessary to have the top rail put in as it had been left off on previous occasions without causing an accident, but that the top rail had been put on he would not have fallen overboard."

The jury was in session till after midnight. Officers of the steamer and other eye witnesses gave evidence.

The jury was composed as follows: Thomas Burpee, Geo. H. Allingham, Richard Reid, David Moore, Michael Law, and J. W. Hamilton.

SIX MONTHS TREASURY BILLS MET WITH HEARTY WELCOME IN LONDON

London, Aug. 19.—4.35 p. m.—A sum of £75,000,000 in six months' treasury bills required for war purposes was offered to the public and met with a hearty welcome. The amount applied for was over \$210,000,000. Tenders at 98 1/2 were set about forty-eight per cent. of their application; those above that figure were allowed in full. The average rate per cent. was about 43 1/2.

Arrested Last Night

A man for creating a disturbance in a Pond street boarding house, and a vagrant were taken into custody by the police last night.

FLASHES OF LIGHT IN THE NIGHT.

The signalling which caused the Bald Mountain military investigation show at the Opera House last night, and which was reported in Monday's papers, is not being carried on by an enemy of the country but by a party employed on the geodetic survey of Canada, under instructions from the Department of the Interior, Ottawa. This survey was commenced here four or five years ago. At present there is in New Brunswick a signalling party on Lake Umbagog, near North Head, Grand Manan, and the one on Bald Mountain.

OPERA HOUSE TODAY—MATINEE AND NIGHT

"POLLY OF THE CIRCUS" WITH ELSIE ST. LEON

COMPLETE CAST AND PRODUCTION A Real Circus on the Stage

SPECIAL NIGHTS—Entire lower floor, \$1.00. Balcony 75c, 50c. Gallery 25c.

MATINEES—Orchestra, 50c seats, 50c. Balcony 25c.

Performance Over in Time for Suburban Train.

WED. UNIQUE THU. LYRIC THUR., FRI. SAT.

"Our Mutual Girl" UNDER TAKES

A DANGEROUS MISSION AND ALSO SEES THE LATEST STYLES IN SUMMER GOWNS AT STERN BROS.

Keystone Fun To Make You Forget the War

"20 MINUTES OF LOVE"

Diversions—Well I Reekon

FRI. EXCITING WAR DRAMA FRI. "The Colonel's Orderly"

Little Ada Taylor is again instrumental in causing Margaret to suffer from a terrible experience from the hands of East side gangsters.

The influence for Good Over Man by a Child—"THE BABY" Majestic

THE CONQUEST OF ENGLAND

Dr. W. H. Wallace, of California, now in city, tells of sights in Paris during war time.

To have a European trip and the opportunity of his daughter attending a college in Germany prevented by the declaration of war, is the experience of Dr. W. H. Wallace, who was at the Royal Hotel yesterday. While he is disappointed that his tour had to be interrupted and his daughter unable to attend to her studies in Germany, Dr. Wallace has undergone an experience that he will always remember and is happy that he is safe on this continent again.

Dr. Wallace is a former St. John boy, having left this city 31 years ago for California and is now one of the most successful physicians in Eureka, California. He last visited his old home fifteen years ago. He is a nephew of the late Dr. Steeves and a cousin of A. J. Gross, superintendent of the Railway Mail Service.

In speaking to a Standard reporter yesterday Dr. Wallace said that he had seen a great change in St. John since he attended school here. With the exception of older residents with many of whom he has had the pleasure of renewing acquaintance most of his boyhood friends are gone but among those he met here were Joseph Knowles and William M. McLean, inspector of schools. Mr. McLean, although only a couple of years the senior of the doctor, was at one time his school teacher in this city, and that was shortly after Mr. McLean graduated from the Academy at Fredericton. At the present time Dr. Wallace's daughter is visiting friends in Hillsboro, Albert County, and she will be joined by her father today.

About a month ago Dr. Wallace completed plans for an extensive tour of Europe with his daughter, and after their tour Miss Wallace was to remain in Germany to complete her studies. They did not get beyond Paris, owing to the war.

Speaking of scenes in Paris he said that there was the greatest excitement there while he was in that city. An attempt to proceed to Germany was out of the question, and the only thing to do was to hasten on his return to America. What appeared to be the best friend to the traveler while abroad at the present time, said Dr. Wallace is gold, and to see the official weight and scoop out gold in the Bank of England was a novel sight.

When the travellers reached Paris war had been declared and there was intense excitement. Dr. Wallace said he had the pleasure of being present at the grand review of troops in Paris and the sight was indeed wonderful. Never before did he realize what a grand army the French had. At this review there were 35,000 foot, and 5,000 cavalry and while these soldiers were being put through the march past, overhead were flying through the air like so many huge birds, a squadron of army aeroplanes of different patterns.

Dr. Wallace is a lover of horses and a good judge of horse flesh and says the French have much better mounts than the English or the United States cavalrymen.

Police Inquiry Postponed.

The further hearing of the charges against the chief of police, being conducted by W. B. Chandler, K. C., has been postponed until August 27 at 2 p. m. A session was to have been held yesterday afternoon.

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BIG BATTLE EXTENDING THE GREAT

A Story and Prophecy that Aroused and Thrilled Great Britain in 1875, after the Franco-Prussian War—Relied on Channel Fleet and was Caught Unprepared—Fleet was Destroyed by Floating Bombs—A Remarkable Similarity between Conditions as they Now Exist and those Described.

(Boston Globe)

A thrill and a shudder went through Great Britain in 1875 over a sort of prophecy of a German invasion that was published in Blackwood's Magazine at the time, and which, though published at a distance of nearly half a century, was clearly the work of some military man who had as rare a literary genius for narrative as Defoe. For it was so circumstantially and so vividly described that it seemed like the detailed report of one who had been, not only an eye witness of the events connected with the invasion of England, but also one who had taken part in the defense of the country in the capacity of a private volunteer soldier.

The narrative reflected the feelings in the minds of most of the people in England at the time; for it was just after the Franco-Prussian war, when the English were at the height of their confidence in the swiftness with which the German armies had rushed through France to Paris, crumbling up and vanquishing armies of the world at the time—the armies of the Emperor Napoleon III. England was then wondering what she could offer in the way of resistance to such armies had they been landed on her shores and the general verdict was that if the channel fleet could not protect England from any such attack, England like France must succumb for England was wholly unprepared on the land to meet such armies.

And somehow that curious article in Blackwood's nearly forty years ago seems just as trite today as it did then, and more so, for what did not then seem very much of a possibility is now an accomplished fact. Germany and England, and England is today relying on her fleet as much as she did forty years ago—that proud fleet, the destruction of which was told in such a dramatic manner. That fleet was destroyed by torpedoes and bombs, which the Germans had scattered in the night over the North Sea—just as they are trying to do today.

The title of the article was "The German Conquest of England in 1875, and Battle of Dorking." It was supposed to have been written fifty years afterward, when the glory of England was but a reminiscence, when she had been stripped of all her colonies and possessions and reduced to poverty by the tax and indemnity imposed on her by Germany. The subtitle of the article was "Reminiscences of a Volunteer, describing the arrival of the German armada—destruction of the British fleet—the decisive battle of Dorking—capture of London—downfall of the English empire. It is an eye-witness, in 1925."

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OLD DUTCH CLEANSER advertisement with image of a woman and product.

Princesses of War advertisement for slippers and combinations.

Minister Chime Clocks advertisement.

FERGUSON & PAGE advertisement for cutlery.

CUTLERY advertisement.

Window Screens advertisement.

McLAREN, LIMITED advertisement.

Brown's Crown Scotch advertisement.

Smartly, Stylish Shoes advertisement for early autumn wear.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO. advertisement for a special sale of slippers.

Special Sale Of Slightly Mussed Misses and Women's Princess Slips and Combinations.

CAST IRON COLUMNS AND Builders' Castings advertisement.

HOTEL ARRIVALS advertisement listing various hotels and services.

ROYAL YEAST CAKES advertisement.

WHEN THE OTHERLAND IS AT WAR, CANADA IS AT WAR

Article discussing the impact of war on Canada and the role of citizens.

Continued from page 1. Discussion of the war's impact on Canadian society.

Not a War of the People. Discussion on the nature of the current conflict.

German Autocrats Insulting Proposals Could Not Be Accepted. Critique of German actions.

For Freedom's Battle Once Begun. Reflections on the ongoing struggle.

Sir Robert Borden. Address by the Prime Minister.

Canada United in Duty to the Empire. Statement on national unity.

When Britain is at War, So Too is Canada. Declaration of solidarity.

As British Subjects, Canadians Had Long Enjoyed the Benefits of this Citizenship. Historical context.

Many of Volunteers From S. of E. Lodges. News of local volunteer efforts.

It is remarked that an unusual percentage of the soldiers who have volunteered for active service are members of the local lodges of the Sons of England.

CONTRIBUTION FOR BENEFIT OF SOLDIERS

Common Council grants \$2,000 as start - Will make prompt payment of interest on bonds.

Two thousand dollars was the amount voted as a preliminary contribution to the general fund for the benefit of St. John volunteers for foreign service.

Mayor Frink was authorized to pay the interest due on bonds and pay the necessary rate of exchange for the London owned bonds.

There was some discussion regarding the advisability of using the fund in this way or in making provision for the care of families left behind.

Commissioner Wigmore referred to the need of provision for the families of reservists who had been called up and who left their families destitute.

Extraordinary steps, which would require the attention of parliament, had been taken by the government on the outbreak of hostilities.

The Rainbow had been made ready for war and her crew supplemented by naval volunteers. Great praise is accorded to the men of the Rainbow.

In my telegram to the British government, with reference to the sending of a number of despatches to the front, I spoke of the united spirit of Canada.

"During the past week," the Premier said, "the government has been corresponding with Hon. Mr. Peley with a view to offering to France a hospital of fifty beds which we would establish in the city of London."

"As to our duty all are agreed," said the premier in conclusion. "We stand shoulder to shoulder with Britain and the other British dominions in this quarter."

The "Crownwell" and "Old Colony" patterns, our two newest designs, are beautiful examples of the "Silver Plate that Wears."

Remember, there are other "Rogers" and other makers of silverware, but there is only one 1847 ROGERS BROS. - the genuine.



Advertisement for dental services: This Adv. is Worth One Hundred Dollars (\$100) to Someone.

BLACKSMITH COAL advertisement.

CONSUMERS COAL CO., Ltd. advertisement.

STEAM BOILERS advertisement.

I MATHESON & Company, Ltd. advertisement for boiler makers.

CHOICE Carleton Co. Hay, Manitoba White Oats advertisement.

A. C. SMITH & CO., advertisement for printing services.

PRINTING advertisement for every description of printing.

World's Shipping News

MINI-TURE ALMANAC

AUGUST—PHASES OF THE MOON. Full Moon, 5th... Sh. 41m. p. m. Last Quarter, 13th... Sh. 56m. p. m. First Quarter, 21st... Sh. 29m. a. m. New Moon, 29th... Sh. 52m. a. m.

Table with columns: Day of Week, Sun, Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat, Sun. Rows for various days of the month with corresponding times.

VESSELS IN PORT.

Brigantine, Maria Lorenzo, 299, R C Elkin. Schooners Not Cleared, Abbie C Stubbs, 295, A W Adams. Brina P Pendleton, 321, R C Elkin.

ALLAN LINER AT QUEBEC.

Allan liner Corinthian arrived at Quebec 3 o'clock yesterday morning. Due Montreal 7 o'clock this morning.

STEAMER CAPTURED.

Steamer Santa Catharina (Gerf), Dehr from New York July 25 for Rio Janeiro, Santos, etc., is reported captured.

BOUND HOME.

The steamer Andania sailed from Liverpool for Montreal on Tuesday with 1098 cabin passengers, including a number of St. John people.

FREIGHTS AND CHARTERS.

New York, Aug. 19.—Chartering was exceedingly light and only a limited demand prevailed for tonnage. Rates were firm and unchanged and suitable vessels difficult to secure.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Sailed Wednesday, Aug. 19. Steamer Calvin Austin, 2853, Mitchell, Boston via Maine ports. A E Fleming, pass and mdse.

BRITISH PORTS.

Plymouth, Aug. 16.—Arrd star Wladimir Reitz (Dan), Olsen, Newcastle, N B.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Vineyard Haven, Aug. 17.—Arrd schrs Rothesay, Newcastle for New York; St. Olaf, Cateret for St. John; Scotia Queen, Parrsboro for New York.

Frances Goodnow, Lane, Perth Amboy. Old Aug. 18, stmr Eslington, Stevenson, Parrsboro.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. Blue Hill Bay, Me. Long Island West Point Buoy, 6, spar, relieved August 14, heretofore reported not watching properly.

AN EXAMPLE TO OTHER MANUFACTURERS. Cowan Co. of Toronto announces no increase in price Cowan's perfection cocoa. No reduction in factory help.

The Cowan Co. of Toronto announce that there will be no increase in price of Cowan's perfection cocoa between now and Christmas and at the same time declare their confidence in the underlying stability of Canadian business conditions by stating that they expect to run their factory full time and at full wages.

It is to be hoped that other Canadian manufacturers will hasten to follow their lead. There is no room for excuse in this land of almost limitless resources for panicky action looking towards hard times or shortage in food supplies.

Bearing these facts in mind efforts toward quieting the present uneasiness and restoring food stuffs markets to normal will not only display a high order of imperial patriotism but will be demonstrated to be extremely good business.

PEACE COMMITTEE GOING AHEAD WITH PLANS FOR CELEBRATION

Ottawa, Aug. 19.—Despite the European war the Canadian Peace Association decided at a meeting to continue their arrangements for the celebration of a hundred years of peace with the United States.

YESTERDAY'S POLICE COURT PROCEEDINGS

John Walsh was remanded in the police court yesterday morning on a charge of assaulting William London. C. W. Smith reported for carrying on a fish business without having a license, said he would procure one.

PUT INTO NEW YORK FOR FEAR OF CAPTURE.

New York, Aug. 19.—The German bark Mazador, which left New Orleans July 29 for Bremen was reported outside New York harbor this afternoon by a pilot boat. It was presumed she had been informed that war had been declared and was seeking refuge here from capture although only yesterday a British cruiser was reported outside the harbor entrance.

Irons and Irony. First Caddy to Second Caddy on the green—Why don't you never put back the pin?—Does it make you dizzy looking down these 'oles?—Punch.

INABILITY TO FINANCE FOREIGN SHIPMENTS REASON FOR CONGESTION

High Foreign Exchange and uncertain credit, in most cases, ties up large quantities of freight in American ports—High ocean insurance in case of United Kingdom.

New York, Aug. 19.—Inability of American commercial houses to finance foreign shipments satisfactorily rather than difficulty in finding bottoms to carry such shipments, was decided by A. C. Fetterolf, outgoing freight manager of the International Mercantile Marine Company, yesterday, to be the real reason for the present congestion of European freight terminals on this side of the water.

ELEVATORS WORKING AT FULL SPEED IN MONTREAL YESTERDAY

Loading of Grain into Ocean and Lake Boats welcome indication of improvement in shipping conditions.

Montreal, Aug. 19.—Shipping conditions in Montreal show a great improvement this week. The elevators were working full speed today loading grain into ocean boats and a number of lake boats waiting to discharge their cargoes was steadily increasing.

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, Aug. 19.—CORN—American yellow, 88 to 90. OATS—Canadian western No. 2, 59 to 60; No. 3, 58 to 59. MILLFEED—Bran, 324; shorts, 326; middlings, 329; meal, 329 to 333.

MARITIME TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE COMPANY INCREASED FACILITIES

By the laying of the telephone cable between Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, the Maritime Telegraph and Telephone Company has extended their field of operation and given added facilities to their many patrons.

F. B. McCURDY & CO., MEMBERS MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE, 105 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.

Western Assurance Co. INCORPORATED 1851 Assets, \$3,213,438.28 R. W. W. FRANK - Branch Manager ST. JOHN N. B.

F. B. YOUNG, CIVIL ENGINEER AND LAND SURVEYOR, Special attention to sub-division surveys, timber estimating, drainage, etc. BANK OF B. N. A., ST. JOHN, N. B.

Liability and Casualty INSURANCE C. E. L. JARVIS & SONS 74 Prince William St.

LONDON GUARANTEE AND ACCIDENT CO. Ltd AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE CHAS. A. McDONALD & SON - Provincial Managers 49 Canterbury St. St. John, N.B. Phone Main 1536

THOMAS BELL & CO., St. John, N. B. PUGLEY BUILDING, 46 PRINCESS STREET Lumber and General Brokers SPRUCE, HEMLOCK, BIRCH, SOUTHERN PINE, OAK, CYPRESS, SPRUCE PILING and ORIENTED PILING.

STEAMSHIPS. STEAMSHIPS. STEAMSHIPS.

SUMMER TRIPS On the Salt Water

Splendid Steamships and First-Class Service

Why Not Make Your Summer Travel a part of Your Vacation Outing?

The Eastern Steamship Corporation operates 15 lines of steamers, connecting the principal summer resorts of the Maine coast, and linking the Maine Seaboard with Boston, New York and the Maritime Provinces.

Fast and Luxurious Steel Steamships Now in Service. BANGOR-BOSTON—Turbine steel steamships Camden and Belfast. PORTLAND-NEW YORK—Steel steamships North Sea and Old Colony.

Summer tourists returning home from this section will enjoy either the coastwise or the direct route of the "International" Line to Boston and the Metropolitan Line from Boston to New York—Or the splendid little sea voyage of the Maine S. S. Line direct from Portland to New York in connection with the coastwise sail from St. John, Eastport and Lubec to Portland.

International Line. Leaves St. John Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9:00 a. m. for Lubec, Eastport, Portland and Boston. Metropolitan Steamship Line. Twin Screw Steamships Massachusetts and Bunker Hill leave Boston daily at 5:00 p. m. for New York City direct, returning on the same schedule.

EASTERN STEAMSHIP CORPORATION City Ticket Office, 47 King Street L. R. THOMPSON, T. F. and P. A. A. E. FLEMING, Agt., St. John, N. B.

RAILWAYS. RAILWAYS.

"GOING TOURIST" IS A POPULAR WAY TO TRAVEL. Tourist Sleepers—light and airy, with big comfortable berths, accommodating two adults, if desired, are carried from Montreal on the Transcontinental Train for points in Western Canada, British Columbia, and on the Pacific Coast.

ST. JOHN-FREDERICTON ROUTE. ST. JOHN-WASHADEMOAK ROUTE. ST. JOHN-MAJESTIC ROUTE.

CRYSTAL STREAM S. S. CO. (LTD). ST. JOHN-FREDERICTON ROUTE. ST. JOHN-WASHADEMOAK ROUTE.

FURNESS LINE. From London July 4. From St. John July 22. From St. John Aug. 5.

STEAMER MAY QUEEN will leave E. Nash & Son's wharf, Indiantown, Wednesday and Saturday mornings at 8 o'clock until further notice, for Chipman and intermediate stops, returning Monday and Thursday.

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To reassure our customers and the Trade generally in the face of so many advances and rumored advances in the cost of food products, Tea, Coffee, etc., we have decided to announce definitely that there will be no advance in price of COWAN'S PERFECTION COCOA, 5-lb., 1-lb., ½-lb., ¼-lb. and 10c tins, between now and Christmas. Further than this we cannot look ahead.

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BEGINNING OF FUR FARMING

Some of the data secured by Professor Cameron and arranged in his report,

Some thirty years ago Benjamin Haywood succeeded, after some years, in rearing a litter of two young "Silver" from a pair captured in the wild. The pelts of these two were sold for \$75.00 and \$125, respectively. Owing to the cramped quarters and the unsuitable surroundings the parent foxes died and the enterprise was abandoned.

The real pioneers of the industry as we have it today were Charles Dalton and Robert Oulton. Mr. Dalton, now Hon. Chas. Dalton in the government of Prince Edward Island, began experimenting with red foxes in 1887. He was interested in the keeping his foxes in a small shed at Nail Pond. About the same time Mr. Oulton was pursuing similar experiments on Savage Island with a pair of silver foxes which were obtained from a trapper on Anticosti Island. In 1894 Messrs. Dalton and Oulton joined interests and together they worked unobscured and successfully with their animals on the isolated area of Savage Island in Alberton Harbor. The ranch was built in a cove of spruce and hardwood and there, for the first time, wire netting was used in the construction of the pens.

The ranch was built and equipped by Mr. Oulton. Mr. Dalton supplying two pairs of black foxes, one of which had been secured at Morrell, P. E. Island, and the other from Lewis Spence of Bedouque. The partners never experimented with western black foxes. They kept the strain pure, and to prevent too much breeding, secured from trappers from time to time native eastern foxes of good quality. Only the best were retained from year to year for breeding purposes. The first dens or nests were hollow logs brought to the ranch, but in time it was learned that this occasion to the breeding mother was unnecessary and the modern kennel was eventually substituted.

The problem of selecting the most suitable food for the animals had to be studied and solved. In this connection it might be said that one of the most important of the early discoveries was that whole wheat bread furnished a wholesome and complete food.

In the late '90's three other men, James Tuplin, James Gordon and Silas Rayner became interested in the possibilities of domesticating foxes cultivating their fur. They attained a medium of success rearing several litters of silver foxes. In 1897 Mr. Dalton built a ranch of his own at Tignish but still kept an interest in the ranch on Savage Island. At Tignish he developed into the chief fur-merchant of the island buying and selling skins and conducting the general fur business for the entire district.

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That 85 per cent. of all the silver foxes in captivity are in the ranches in Prince Edward Island.

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The chief point of interest for the thousands of tourists who visit Charlottetown is the Dennis farm. It is situated about ten minutes drive from the city on an eminence overlooking the harbor and consists of one hundred and sixty acres of land. It is chiefly of interest because the fox ranch which occupies ten acres of woodland on the highest point of this farm is the largest in the province and its owner has the reputation of being the most successful of all fox breeders. There are at the present time 26 pairs of old foxes and 58 young making a total of 110 in the Dennis ranch.

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The ranch has an enviable history of success. Last year seven per cent. of the island's increase of young foxes were born in this ranch. This year Mr. Dennis has secured 85 per cent. of the island's young foxes. It is not much wonder he is called the "Wizard Rancher."

The Official Report on Fur Farming in Canada

A comprehensive report has been submitted to the Trade Commission which shows the present status of the business, especially in Prince Edward Island.

Professor Cameron has submitted to the Royal Dominion Trade Commission a comprehensive report on fur farming.

To Prince Edward Island belongs the credit of domesticating the Silver Black fox, one of the most valuable of fur-bearing animals. The success which attended the efforts of breeders in this line has induced many to take up other branches of fur farming and with marked success. Among the latter might be mentioned the farming of mink, marten, skunk, fisher, beaver, muskrat and karakul sheep.

The practical mind of the Prince Edward Islander was quick to grasp the truth that Nature's riches are not inexhaustible. Before arms of example, and skilfully made traps neither beast nor bird can endure.

Figures prepared by Alfred Fraser of New York from the London Fur Sales, of C. M. Lamson & Co., show that the supply of raw skins, especially of the valuable fur-bearing animals is rapidly decreasing. For example, during the last twenty years the supply of silver fox pelts has fallen off 80 per cent.; sea-otter 85 per cent.; fisher 95 per cent., and the common mink 20 per cent. On the other hand the demand in commerce for fur-bearing animals is on the increase, the prices of the pelts of the better species having advanced about 100 per cent. during the same period.

The following table prepared by Alfred Fraser of New York is based on the London Sales of C. M. Lamson & Co.:

Kind of Skin	Percentage Increase in Prices	
	1902-1911	1902-1911
Fox, Silver	56	200
Cross	100	125
Red	85	245
Blue	145	100
White	100	350
Marten, pine	15	580
Fisher or pekan	430	430
Mink	150	300

The superiority of farm-pelts over those from the wild is due mainly to their evenness of coloring and brightness of sheen. This of course is the result of selective breeding and the taking care of the pelts when the coat is at its best.

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HARTLAND HAVE ELECTRIC LIGHT

Promoters looking over with view to installing plant—Hospital Fund increases by our contributions Carleton and Victoria

Hartland, N. B., Aug. 17—day evening last there was serious automobile smash-up at Woodstock. A party of R. dies in an auto driven by burg of Woodstock were on the beauties of the country rounding the corner at a p. clip ran into an auto driven by Curtis of Hartland, which in the opposite direction, latter's machine piled up on side as so much junk. The /is companion, Mr. Anth were violently thrown out, ed with nothing worse than scars, while the occupants er auto did not come out so couple of the ladies were qly injured but were able to Woodstock in their car, not badly disabled. Consist speed that both cars were the escape without more jury was only a little short.

The Rebekah ladies will to remember their visit to Lodge at Woodstock this y. The big picnic by the Har was held on Burt's flat Fri noon despite the weather, w ched the arbor and reduced that would have been in very considerably. However, a good attendance and a good time. For one thing has revived the interest sports. There were several led off for handsome prizes by the merchants. There was a shooting gallery, doll rack, all of which did a business when the showers pit. There was a smart gal ball between teams from P and Hartland, which was v former. And to cap the ch was a supper, the like of not been spread in the open. The net results to the ban will be about \$100.

The women of Centreville up on the hospital plant, enthusiastically and in three week raised over \$265, and not done yet. At Victoria, the river from Hartland, the efforts of Mrs. E. C. Jenkin of \$20 was raised on Wedn there is more to come. In the movement in connection with the new church. A meeting of the People's Agricultural Society is called nesday at the office of Dr. Matters relating to the imp- live city and fertilizers for son will be discussed as well matters of vital interest to er, and a good attendance for.

Mrs. C. E. Allen and daughter have gone to Durham Bridge County, to visit for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Wiggin of guests of Mrs. Wiggin's son A. W. Kyle. Mrs. Shannon field is also visiting her daughter.

A meeting of the congregation of the Church of England is on Wednesday evening to matters in connection with the new church. Bishop's visit last Sunday it thought advisable to start w edifice at once, so that the n may be ready for occupancy ing winter.

The prospects are that in future Hartland will have electricity. Mr. Charles A. soh of Ashland, Me., both electricians, have been he past week looking over for an electric plant. Presque Isle stream is likely source of power, and if the receive sufficient encourage will be able to supply lights for less than two cents per evening and for residential cent and a quarter per lig average cost for an evening. The great drawbacks of the lack of light and power nights in the week the place most stygian darkness and available small power is the engine.

OBITUARY.

John Quirk. The death of John Quirk years, took place at 18 High yesterday morning after a illness. He was a native of and came to this country seventy years ago. He is survived by two daughters, Sister Mary St. Vincent's Convent, Louvina, at home. Two bro ward and Michael, of this two sisters, Mrs. Patrick C this city, and Mrs. J. M. Portland, Maine, also sur news of Mr. Quirk's death heard with sincere regret by circle of friends in the city.

Walter J. Finn. The news of the death J. Finn, aged 26 years, at B received in the city Wedn was formerly of this city a son of the late Jeremiah many years employed in the tel. The body will be bron John on Thursday and the fr take place directly from the

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THE NORMAL SCHOOL ENTRANCE EXAMS

Following are the names of candidates for first class normal school entrance, July 1914, who made fifty per cent. and upwards on their examinations.

First Class: Dorothy Geddes, Harcourt, Kent county; Ceila M. Wetmore, Centre Blissett, Sunbury county; Estella V. Fox, Centre Kingsclear, York county; Edna G. Mills, Halbesville, York county; Waldo H. Swan, Harvey, York county; Bruce M. Berry, Moncton, Westmorland county; Beale E. Hill, Millerton, Northumberland county; Margaret I. Barbour, Riverside, Albert county; Fennie A. Wathen, Harcourt, Kent county; Mabel M. Wood, Rustagornis, Sunbury county; Harold Lawrence, Lr. Dumfries, York county; Julia T. Crawford, Kingston, Kings county; Stanley Hetherington, Castalia, Charlotte county; Wilfred M. Addison, Petticoat, Westmorland county; Gladys McGowan, Wilson's Beach, Charlotte county; Kathleen Attoe, Aphaqui, Kings county.

Second Class: Second class candidates who made fifty-five per cent. and upward on second class papers. Those marked with an asterisk wrote a paper in French, one-eighth of the marks of which are added to the average as a bonus. Those whose names are bracketed made the same average. Arranged in order of highest standing: Theodule Lejeune, Haut Laneque, Gloucester county; Mary S. Grant, Grand View, York county; Edith M. Black, Harcourt, Kent county; Yvonne Daigle, Cornville, Kent county; M. E. Jean Woodworth, Durham, York county; Marian Ellis, Bathurst, Gloucester county; Ernestine Lander, Upper Pokemouche, Gloucester county; Edith M. Currier, Oromocto, Sunbury county; Edith M. Little, St. Stephen, Charlotte county; Hazel E. Patterson, Fairfield, St. John county; Jennie M. Chapman, Florenceville, Carleton county; Wilfred Fletcher, Upham, Kings county; Claude Lavole, St. Basil, Madawaska county; Elvieve St. Pierre, Bouchette, Kent county; Fred A. Patterson, Grey's Mills, Kings county; Lillian M. Patterson, Fairfield, St. John county; Annie L. Murray, Doaktown, Northumberland county; Marie C. Sullivan, Woodstock, Carleton county; Farvin L. Murray, Lord's Cove, Charlotte county; Gladys Kilburn, Fredericton, York county; Marguerite Gilles, Cupid, Victoria county; Heloy H. Gillmor, Bonny River, Charlotte county; Fay M. Brooks, Grand View, York county; George H. Branscombe, Somerville, Carleton county; Nellie B. Wilkin, Harvey, York county; Ada D. Boyer, Victoria, Carleton county; Margaret D. Kirkpatrick, Debec, Carleton county; Florence Gaudet, St. Joseph's, Westmorland county; Basha Giberson, Bristol, Carleton county.

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OBITUARY. John Quirk. The death of John Quirk, aged 76 years, took place at 18 Middle street yesterday morning after a lingering illness. He was a native of Ireland and came to this country about seventy years ago. He is survived by two daughters, Sister Mary Loretta, of St. Vincent's Convent, and Miss Lovinia, at home. Two brothers, Edward and Michael, of this city, and two sisters, Mrs. Patrick Canning, of this city, and Mrs. J. Murphy, of Portland, Maine, also survive. The news of Mr. Quirk's death will be heard with sincere regret by a large circle of friends in the city.

OBITUARY. The news of the death of Walter J. Brack, aged 26 years, at Boston, was received in the city Wednesday. He was formerly of this city and was a son of the late Jeremiah Plan. For many years employed in the Royal Hotel. The body will be brought to St. John on Thursday and the funeral will take place directly from the train.

ANY DYSPETIC CAN GET WELL

By Taking "Fruit-a-tives" Says Capt. Swan.

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NATIONS FEAR FAMINE MORE THAN BULLETS, EXPERT SAYS

England, Germany and France, Dependent for Subsistence on other Nations, have Sought to Safeguard Supply.

By Rutledge Rutherford.

(Food Expert Who Recently Toured Europe Studying Food Conditions.)

Should the armageddon come, it will be a war of foods. Already the famine scare has seized parts of Germany and England, and it would not be surprising if it soon developed into a panic. France, too, remembers the days of 1871, when meat sold at \$30 a pound, is feeling tremulous, and President Poincaré has signed decrees prohibiting the exportation of grains and foodstuffs and extending until August 1 the terms for the payment of obligations due within that time. Similar action has been taken by Germany.

In many cities we read the food prices have already been trebled. Even in the nations not implicated in the war there will be dependent mainly on their own resources. This country, too, will feel the pressure, though it ought not to be serious.

To England and Germany the problem is of most momentous concern, for these two nations are dependent on the outside for most of their sustenance. "Starvation, not invasion, is the danger of the country," declared A. J. Balfour several years ago in arguing against the Declaration of London. The declaration will prevent America from contributing prominently to the relief of the war-ridden nations. England expects to gain by her treaty with Russia more than she will have lost through the restricted relations with the United States, and maybe in this she has shown wisdom. That remains to be determined.

England's Serious Problem.

It is the most serious problem England has to consider, the continuation of her food supply. With her it is not a question of quantity, hence little attention is paid there to the purity of foods. The food laws are lax and inadequately enforced. Chemical preservatives are used freely. A report of the local government board of Scotland shows that of the hundred and one food samples of British origin submitted to chemical analysis, one hundred and fifty-eight were found to contain borax compounds, and twelve preservative sulphites. Any means of obtaining the requisite amount of food and making it safe as long as possible is welcome in England. Should the nation's food supply be shut off by any means, starvation would immediately ensue.

Think what it would mean to London alone! London with its environs has a population of nine millions which receives its sustenance from the London markets and produces no food at all. Not in history is there a situation like this—such a vast assemblage of people huddled together in such a small area on an island and all dependent for their food on outside sources.

If London should be besieged as was Paris in 1871 famine would set in immediately. This mighty swarm of people consumes each day five million loaves of bread; four thousand tons of potatoes; 350,000 gallons of milk; nearly a million cabbages, and in season 30,000 pecks of peas and beans. All over the world people are busy growing the grain, raising the cattle, looking after the poultry, catching the fish and tending the fruits and vegetables to keep London and England supplied with their foods from day to day. America has been supplying an enormous proportion of it.

Rearrangement of Food Avenues.

But there must be a great rearrangement of the food avenue in case of war. The way to America is long and perilous. This perhaps is the cause of certain articles in the Declaration of London. It helps to explain the cause of England's alliance with Russia so soon after the Russo-Japanese war when we found her a firm ally of Japan. Britain's main source of supply in case of war will be Russia and the British colonies that are not too far distant.

This is one great disadvantage with most of the British colonies. They are so far away that it is difficult to keep many routes open and protected. Far simpler it would be to maintain one direct route of supply from Russia paralleled by the most powerful of England's war-ships. It was for such purpose that they were built. It is for such purposes that they will be used if war is to be. Considering England's position, then, we must admit that she has been far-sighted in building a mighty fleet of battleships and forming an alliance with Russia, the greatest food producing nation on earth.

Russia with her vast area of 8,647,457 square miles, comprising one-sixth of the land surface of the globe, can produce enough food to feed the world with considerable left over. Double the combined territory of the United States and all its possessions, and still it will lack 1,200,000 square miles of equalling the area of Russia. Russia is strictly an agrarian country. Most of her people have been born and reared on the farm. She imports most of her farm implements from America and is far advanced in agricultural methods, further advanced than any other nation excepting America.

Four-fifths of Russia's population reside in rural districts, all engaged in agriculture. She exports food products to all the world, our own importations from there amounting to \$20,000,000 a year. Extending from the arctic to the tropics the domains of the "Great White Bear" produce an endless variety as well as abundance of food. Russia's wheat production is fifty million bushels more a year than that of the United States, notwithstanding all our boasts of being the world's greatest wheat producer.

Russia is Self-Reliant.

With her own self-sustaining resourcefulness Russia depends on no country, and with England's ships to fight for her she will make a formidable fleet in a most effective manner.

In necessity, then, conservation plays an important part in the nation's administration. It governs everything and everywhere.

With an area of less than 208,780 square miles—less than the State of Texas—Germany has seventy million mouths to feed. What this means can best be understood by comparison with our own country. America, with a population of 90,000,000 has an area of 3,624,022 square miles, of more than seventeen times that of Germany. America has 22.67 acres of land to every inhabitant, Germany only 1.9 acres.

And this is true notwithstanding the nation's great efforts toward conservation. Every foot, indeed almost every inch of Germany's area is called upon to contribute its share toward the nation's subsistence. All possible sources of waste are avoided. Owners of vacant lots are compelled to lease them to tenants at regulated prices for garden purposes. The trees along the highways and country lanes are food bearing trees and the shrubbery in so far as consistency permits, yields berries and other edibles. The fruits cannot be plucked except at specified times and by licensed persons. Even the wild nuts and berries of the forests are governed by such restrictions, and any one gathering them without a license is liable to arrest and fine. Since most of the soil is poor in quality, the government has given a great deal of encouragement to the raising of potatoes, as this vegetable can thrive in poor land. Potatoes, geese and sugar beets are three of Germany's most important sources of economy.

France alone can keep Germany pretty busy while England and Russia are doing execution to Austria-Hungary and Italy. The outcome cannot well be but one way. It will be all for the Triple Entente. The Triple Alliance will soon be reduced to subjection, and Germany thereafter must occupy a very humble position in the world's history.

And Russia's great store of food for England and France to draw on would do more than anything else to determine the issue.

True, Austria-Hungary is a great food producing country herself, but nothing to compare with Russia. Then the art of agriculture is but poorly developed. In many parts the people are in a state of semi-civilization. It is a country where the women go barefooted and do most of the work while the men drink beer in nearly all respects the nation is like the other great Powers of the world. Italy is largely dependent on outside sources for her food supply, and a very weak nation from many standpoints.

Food Supply Chief Factor.

Germany's alliance with Austria, like England's with Russia, is for the purpose of assuring a food supply in case of war. Austria-Hungary is Germany's cupboard, and Russia is England's. Germany's cupboard is more accessible but less productive. Long Germany has realized her weakness in this respect and she has taken heroic measures to remedy it. Despite all this, however, Germany's capacity for producing food is exceedingly small compared to her population. The whole nation might be compared to a great manufacturing centre, producing little food for herself, but calling on the outside world for supply, just as cities call upon the surrounding farms.

Test for Germany.

Now, with war on hand, Germany has a chance to test the efficacy of her conservation scheme as well as her other prearranged schemes for preventing a food famine. Each city and village as a unit, is commissioned to look out for its own population. Likelihood that the railroad system will be blocked to ordinary traffic has caused each to take steps to increase the stock of provisions within its own jurisdiction. The Berlin City Council has commissioned a number of firms to purchase and bring in supplies of grain and flour. Most of the other municipalities have followed suit.

But England is far less self-sustaining than Germany. Four-fifths of the wheat consumed in England is supplied from abroad. In seven years, the imports of beef and veal rose from 3.31 pounds, for each person to 22.61 pounds. Imports of eggs in the same period rose from eight to fifty-three for each person. The total expenditure on imported foods amounts to more than \$30 a person a year. The figures reach the enormous sum of \$1,362,000,000, by which \$238,000,000 is for meat of all kinds and \$428,000,000 for grain and flour.

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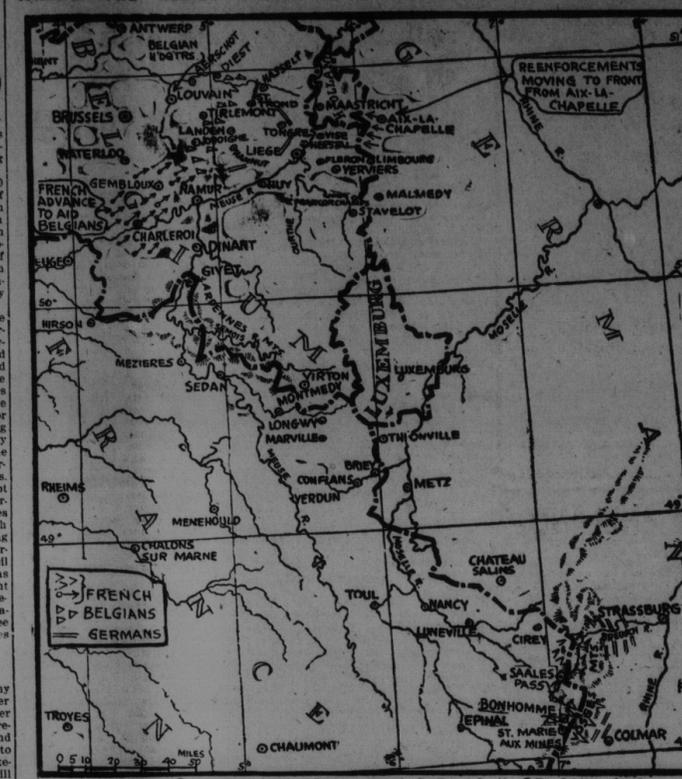
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America at a Disadvantage.

It is to be regretted that America has not her own commercial fleet that she might now combine philanthropy and finances by helping to feed the war-ridden nations and at the same time realize the fair profits of traffic. The scheme proposed at Washington to transport foods in foreign ships flying American flags will be frustrated by this declaration, which makes it obligatory for the vessel to prove that there has been a bona fide sale. Article 55 of the declaration states:—

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be obviated. But dependent as she is on the ships of other nations to haul her supplies, she faces the danger of being excluded from European commerce while the war is on.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York 7; Cleveland 5.

At New York:

Cleveland . . . 00000000-5 9 2
New York . . . 00100060-7 14 2
Batteries—Steen and Egan; Keating Brown and Sweeney.

Boston 3; Chicago 1.

At Boston: First game.

Chicago . . . 10000000-1 6 0
Boston . . . 00200100-3 8 1
Batteries—Benn and Schalk; Leonard and Carrigan.

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Chicago . . . 10000000-1 9 1
Boston . . . 00300200-4 8 1
Batteries—Scott and Schalk; Wood and Cady.

Philadelphia 7; Detroit 6.

At Philadelphia:

Detroit . . . 02000400-6 10 2
Philadelphia . . . 50000020-7 9 2
Batteries—Cavet, Oldham, Williams, Bookler, Dause and Stange; Baker, Pennock, Bush, Bressler and Schang.

St. Louis 8; Washington 5.

At Washington:

St. Louis . . . 10040110-8 11 2
Washington . . . 10000040-5 11 4
Batteries—Mitchell, Bentley, Welland and Agnew; Shaw, Barron, Harper and Almsmith.

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Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	72	36	.667
Boston	61	47	.564
Washington	58	51	.532
Detroit	56	55	.505
Chicago	55	48	.537
St. Louis	53	55	.491
New York	50	61	.450
Cleveland	37	79	.319

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg 5; New York 1.

At Pittsburg:

New York . . . 00100000-1 11 0
Pittsburg . . . 00200000-0 0 0
Batteries—Fromme, Wiltse, Demaree and McLean; Cooper and Coleman.

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Boston . . . 20010000-3 6 1
Cincinnati . . . 00001001-2 8 4
Batteries—Tyler and Goody; Ames and Clark.

Brooklyn 6; Chicago 0.

At Chicago:

Brooklyn . . . 13000200-6 9 0
Chicago . . . 00000000-0 8 3
Batteries—Atchison and McCarthy; Vaughan and Bressler.

National League Standing

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	59	45	.567
Boston	50	52	.490
Pittsburg	50	52	.532
Chicago	46	52	.519
Brooklyn	49	56	.467
Cincinnati	48	57	.457
Philadelphia	43	60	.417

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Chicago 5; Baltimore 4.

At Chicago:

Baltimore . . . 20000000-4 3 0
Chicago . . . 30100000-7 5 6
Batteries—Conley, Russell; Jacklisch, Henderick, Wilson.

At Indianapolis:

Indianapolis . . . 10100010-3 7 1
Indianapolis . . . 10002000-3 5 1
Batteries—Cammis, Falkenberg, Riardon and Schultz.

Federal League Standing

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	61	49	.556
Indianapolis	59	49	.546
Baltimore	57	49	.538
Brooklyn	48	55	.463
Buffalo	53	52	.505
Kansas City	51	60	.459
St. Louis	49	61	.445
Pittsburg	45	61	.424

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Toronto 11; Newark 0.

At Newark:

Toronto . . . 30020000-11 14 0
Newark . . . 00000000-0 6 6
Batteries—Hebert and Kelly; Folminkus, Lee and Wheat.

International League Standing

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Rochester	68	45	.596
Providence	66	45	.595
Baltimore	64	58	.521
Buffalo	62	52	.545
Newark	57	53	.518
Toronto	54	57	.488
Montreal	40	73	.354
Jersey City	36	75	.324

SHAMROCK'S CREW WILL GO TO WAR

The Shamrock IV, Sir Thomas Lipton's America Cup challenger, interested at New York by war, has been disarmed preparatory to laying up for the winter.

The work of stripping the boat of her sea-going ketch rig was rapid. The hoists of this man was in it. With their country in a life-and-death struggle with Germany for commercial supremacy and command of the sea, their thoughts are not on yacht racing, much as they would like to see their boat measure powers with America's best.

Col. Duncan F. D. Nell, who brought the Shamrock safely across the ocean, is an officer in the British army. He formerly commanded a Scottish volunteer regiment and is now eager to get back to respond to the call to arms. It is probable that he will be ordered to service in the field at once. On a war footing, he holds the rank of captain.

Capt. Albert Turner, Shamrock's professional skipper, may also be called to the service of his country.

He said Monday afternoon, "we people who live near the North Sea never can tell what to expect."

Capt. Turner's home is at the famous old yachting port of Wivenhoe in Essex.

If that coast is attacked, or merchant sailors are wanted to swell England's auxiliary fleet, it is more than probable that the Shamrock's skipper may soon be holding the wheel on some auxiliary craft of the royal navy.

With the Shamrock stripped, she is ready for housing. It is not yet decided how she shall be stored for the winter. As she is of composite construction, with wood skin, she probably would winter better outdoors than inside, if properly sheltered from snow and ice by a board roofing. Her racing spars and gear are all here. These will be stored with her. All connected with the Shamrock are hoping that by next year the war in Europe will be over and the boat may be rigged for racing off Sandy Hook.

Should such a happy turn in events be witnessed it is highly probable that Sir Thomas will ask for a race early in the season, when winds are brisk and true.



August Clean Sweep Sale of Semi-Ready "Lonelies"

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THIS DATE IN RING ANNALS

1812—Yankee Sullivan defeated William Bell in 18 rounds at Hart's Island, N. Y. This was the first bout in America in which a belt emblematic of the championship was hung up. Col. Hiram Johnson, a well known sport of that period, donated the trophy. The battle was a desperate, rough and tumble affair, and lasted 40 minutes. Sullivan, who was of Irish descent, but a native of London, was acclaimed American champion by his Irish admirers, but his claim to the title was not universally recognized. Yankee was not a bona fide member of the Sullivan clan, some ring historians give him his real name as James Ambrose, and others as Frank Amor. He began his ring career in England, where he became middleweight champion. After coming to America he opened a saloon in Division street. Tom Hyer kept a rival bar, and first fought Sullivan in a saloon brawl. In 1849 they went to Rock Point, Md., to fight it out and Hyer became recognized champion of America, while Yankee went to a hospital.

1851—Tom Sprine, ex-champion of England, died in London.

1900—Peter Maher defeated George Haines in 5 rounds, foul, at Trenton, N. J.

1900. He is a member of the Baseball Players' Fraternity, and one of the directors of that warlike and militant organization.

RACE POSTPONED.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—Races for the Sir Thomas Lipton trophy, which were to start this afternoon, under the auspices of the Columbia Yacht Club, have been cancelled. It was announced today, in respect of Sir Thomas' wish. The Lipton cup was given to the Columbia Yacht Club fifteen years ago, and had been raced for annually. Officials of the club asserted that in view of the fact that England was engaged in war it had been found proper to cancel the event.

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"We all want the lion's share."

"Yes, that's the main thing."

Within the Truth.

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What Ails Jones?

Kneaker—What is the matter with Jones?

Bocker—If he takes a vacation, they wonder how he can afford to, and if he doesn't, they wonder if his accounts are straight.—Judge.

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SPORTOGRAPHY BY "GRAVY"

American League players who have stuck in the game for more than a decade are not quite so infrequent as molar in the jaw of a hen, but at the same time they are pretty much to the rare avis, and getting no less so fast. Among the ancient and honorable veterans who still look good for a number of annus more as Ban Johnson's slaves is Samuel Crawford, leading the league of the Detroit Tigers. Sam will celebrate his thirty-fourth birthday today, having been born at Wahoo, Nebraska, on August 20, 1880. The midge outer garden—he is only six feet and half an inch in altitude—is still able to paste the ball at will over the 360 mark, and at various times this season the venerable patriarch has made a noise like lined soldiers hither and thither until the native son made his triumphant entry into professional baseball away back in the last century, playing with Chatham, Ont., in the Canadian League. His batting average for the season was .370, and in '99 Columbus grabbed him for its Western League Club.

Sam Crawford, Veteran Outfielder, 34 today.

He finished the season with Grand Rapids, swatting .334, and in 1908 he broke into the National League with the Reds. He batted well over .300 during his Cincinnati pilgrimage. After the close of the 1902 season he jumped the National League and signed on with the Tigers, and has been hitting them out well over .300 most of the time since then. His fat year was 1911, when he rolled up an average of .378. In 1908 he led the league in home runs, in 1910 and 1913 he led in slugging, and in 1909 he achieved the greater feat of leading the league in fielding. His four American League right fielders four years—1905, 1906, 1911 and 1912. In 1907, when he played center garden, he was the star of the circuit in that position. Sam has also covered first base for the Tigers on occasion, and did very nicely, although his lack of the eclat of his outfield performance. He has helped the Tigers to top three pennants. Mr. Crawford is said to receive a salary in the neighborhood of five thousand bones per annum.

THE WEATHER.

Table with weather forecasts for Maritime, Toronto, and various Canadian cities including Vancouver, Kamloops, Calgary, etc.

AROUND THE CITY

Arrested For Assault. William Lacey was arrested yesterday afternoon on the charge of assaulting Edward Cosman on the King square.

Hospital Ship Fund. Mayor Frink yesterday received a contribution of \$5 for the hospital ship fund from Joseph Miller, of Newcastle Bridge, Queens County.

For the Soldiers. George A. Kimball has given Capt. Sturdee of the Foreign Service Company of the 62nd Fusiliers, \$100 to be used for obtaining comforts for the men of the company.

A Pleasant Evening. A very pleasant evening was spent at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. Robertson Whipple, of Summer street, West St. John, in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamm, and little son, of Vancouver, B. C., who are their guests while in St. John.

Taken to Hospital. Henry Phillips, a well known farmer of Cole's Island, was brought to the Public General Hospital yesterday with a fractured leg. Mr. Phillips was attending to his cattle when he was kicked by one of them. He is over 70 years of age, and suffered greatly from his injuries. He was reported to be resting comfortably last evening.

Non-Ratepayers Reported. Inspector Crawford has reported the following persons for working in the city without a license: A. C. Palmer, St. John Hotel; E. Murphy, St. Joyce, 288 Germain street; E. Schofield, W. F. Yetman, L. S. Benjamin, Sugar Refinery; J. S. Melzard, 191 Charlotte street; M. E. Hutchinson, Queen Hotel; Robert Senton, 109 Charlotte street; F. S. Hough, 15 Orange street; L. J. Stewiecker, 182 Germain street; J. W. Gibbons, 34 E. Elliot row, and D. Hunt, 274 Germain street.

MAJOR POWERS PRESENTED WITH WATCH

Members of St. John Knights Templars express their appreciation of fellow member.

St. John Encampment, Knights Templars, met in the Masonic Temple last evening and G. A. Kennealy, commander of the Encampment, on behalf of the members presented Major Thomas E. Powers, who is to go into foreign service with the signalers, with a handsome military wrist watch. Major Powers made a suitable reply. There was a large number of members present and a social hour was spent. The members of the encampment expressed their appreciation of Major Powers and hoped he would soon return to take his accustomed place in the community.

PRIVATES ON ACTIVE SERVICE ARE TO BE PAID \$1 PER DAY

Mayor Frink received a wire from Col. H. H. McLean at Ottawa stating that the rates of pay fixed by the Militia Department for men on active service would be as follows: Privates, \$1.00 per day; corporals, \$1.10 per day; sergeants, \$1.35 per day.

SCHOONER CAPTAIN LOSES SHIP'S TENDER

The captain of the packet schooner Lizzie Magee, lying in the Market slip is mourning the loss of his tender. On Tuesday night while the captain and crew were asleep some person softly stole on board and departed with the tender. The captain did not know of the harbor thieves' work until he arose yesterday morning. He then made a search of the wharves on the western side of the harbor but up to last night failed to find any trace of the boat. He has reported the matter to the chief of police and is forced to go to sea this morning without his small boat. It is thought that the boat had been taken by some person who missed the last trip of the ferry Tuesday night and it is feared that after the person managed to land safely on the west side he turned the boat loose and it drifted out into the bay.

ST. JOHN VOLUNTEERS WANTED TO FIGHT EMPIRE'S BATTLES

First draft of men will start for Val Cartier tonight—Infantry and Artillery to follow on Tuesday—Col. H. F. McLeod will probably command New Brunswick Infantry.

The first detachment of men from St. John for service in Europe with the British forces opposed to Germany will leave this city tonight for camp at Val Cartier, where the Canadian contingent will be mobilized. The detachment will include men from the Army Service Corps, the Signallers and the Field Ambulance. Orders for the departure of the men came yesterday to the commanding officer and these units will go away tonight on a special train leaving at seven o'clock. The Artillery and Infantry contingents will likely leave here on Tuesday, but no definite orders have yet been received. Forty men from the Army Service Corps under Lieutenant Olliphant will be in the first party. Major Powers will be away about forty signallers, while about seventy-five men of the Field Ambulance will go from here. The men for the Army Service Corps are volunteers and Major McKean will still have his detachment at full strength for home defense, and if needed, the whole corps may be taken for active service in Europe. Should the second call come it is likely that all the officers and men will be taken. Major Powers will take away practically his whole detachment and as they were among the best signallers in Canada, it is expected that they will give a good account of themselves in active service. The volunteers for the ambulance detachment were taken wholly from that body and the vacancies left by the volunteers will be filled immediately by recruits. Many of the men who will go to Val Cartier tonight were in the army last evening and when they heard that the time of their departure had been fixed there were general expressions of satisfaction. Since they volunteered the men have been in constant training and those who were at all backward in their drill became highly proficient. For the most part, however, the men selected for foreign service were well up in their duties and there was little trouble getting them into shape. It is expected that the volunteers for the ambulance detachment will be supplemented and the whole Canadian contingent brought up to a state of satisfactory efficiency. Captain Percy Guthrie of the Fredericton company for foreign service was in the city yesterday. In conversation with a Standard reporter he said he understood that the infantry would be sent forward at once and he and his company expected to leave Fredericton on Thursday evening. He understood that Hon. H. F. McLeod, M. P. had been given the command of the New Brunswick contingent of the infantry.

OFFER MEN AND BOATS TO CANADA

Power Boat Club will provide 100 men for Naval Reserve and speedy boats for defence purposes.

The St. John Power Boat Club at a meeting last evening passed a resolution placing its fleet of boats and equipment at the disposal of the minister of marine and fisheries to be used in any way Mr. Hazen may direct in the service of Canada and the empire. More important than this, however, the club offered the services of 100 of its members as the nucleus of a naval reserve corps for the defence of the Bay of Fundy coast or of St. John harbor if occasion should arise. The meeting was held in the club house, 141 Water street, under the Commodore S. P. Gerow in the chair. In opening Commodore Gerow addressed the gathering, referred to the conditions existing in the empire and pointed out that it was the duty of every citizen to do his part in the cause of empire defence. He then read the following resolution which was moved by John Thornton, seconded by George Reynolds and unanimously adopted: "Whereas an unhappy state of war exists between the German empire and Great Britain, and "Whereas as a result of this war the safety and well-being of the empire is threatened, and "Whereas it is the duty of every British subject to contribute his share to the defence of the empire by whatever means are at his command; "Be it resolved that we the members of the St. John Power Boat Club, realizing the grave nature of the situation, and being desirous of doing what we can towards the defence of the empire do place at the disposal of the honorable the minister of marine and naval affairs, all boats and equipments connected therewith of this club to be used by him and under his directions as conditions may require; and "Be it further resolved that this club offer the services of one hundred of its members who are eligible for naval reserve service, and "Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded forthwith to the minister of marine and fisheries and naval affairs." The following telegram was sent to Hon. Mr. Hazen: HON. J. D. HAZEN, Ottawa. The St. John Power Boat Club at a special meeting tonight placed the fleet and equipment at the disposal of your government and also offered the services of 100 men for harbor defence. Resolutions following by mail. (Signed) S. P. GEROW, Commodore. W. L. Bagnell, secretary. The idea of the offer of the boats is that they might be found useful as despatch boats or for towing purposes. The fleet numbers some boats of high speed which would be well adapted for the purpose intended.

TO ORGANIZE A DOMINION SOLDIERS FUND

Lt-Gov. Wood brings project to attention of Mayor Frink—St. John's offer to cooperate accepted by Gov-General.

The project to organize a Dominion Soldiers' Fund under the patronage of the Governor General was brought to the attention of Mayor Frink yesterday by His Honor Lieut-Governor Wood who wired His Worship requesting that he send a telegram to His Royal Highness in regard to the matter. His Worship accordingly sent a telegram to the Governor General, expressing willingness to cooperate in the organization of a national fund. Last evening he received the following reply: His Royal Highness desires me to thank you for telegram, and to say that he hoped the organizers of the St. John fund will arrange their organization so as to be able to co-operate with the Canadian Patriotic Fund when organization here is completed. Hope this will be in a few days. (Signed) ARTHUR F. SLADEN, Private Secretary.

GOOD TEMPLARS CONCLUDE SESSIONS

Over Seventy-five attended meetings—E. N. Stockford elected Grand Chief Templar.

The fifth and last session of the International Order of Good Templars of New Brunswick came to a close yesterday afternoon at four o'clock. The sessions were well attended and more than usual interest was manifested in the deliberations. The register showed that seventy-eight members of the jurisdiction were present at the different sessions. The officers for the ensuing year are as follows: E. R. Stockford, grand chief templar; Rev. W. G. Lane, grand counselor; J. V. Jackson, grand secretary; Mrs. M. E. Murray, grand vice-templar; Michael Kelly, grand electoral superintendent; John D. Scammel, grand superintendent of juvenile work; J. E. Mitton, grand treasurer; M. N. White, grand marshal; Rev. J. G. A. Belyea, grand chaplain; A. C. M. Lawson, grand assistant secretary; Miss E. R. Carpenter, grand deputy Marshall; H. W. Roberts, grand messenger; T. C. McKenzie, grand sentinel; Miss Maud Watson, grand guard; L. R. Hetherington, P. G. C. T.; A. C. M. Lawson, D. I. C. T.

BAGGAGE RATES TO BE DEALT WITH BY RAILWAY COMMISSION

Western cities taking up idea of Dominion Board of Trade—St. John asked to send delegates to meeting.

The Board of Trade was notified yesterday that the Dominion Board of Railway Commissioners will meet in Ottawa on September 15th to hear complaints in regard to rate on baggage. It is not likely St. John will make any complaints. The idea of forming a Dominion Board of Trade is being taken up by western cities, and the St. John board have been asked to send delegates to a meeting to be held shortly at Fort William.

The Last Week. For bargains that are bargains at Bassett's biggest merchandise sale at 207 Union street, Opera House block.

WOMEN TAKE HAND IN WORK FOR SOLDIERS

Red Cross Society and Women's Canadian Club at work yesterday providing comforts for foreign service men.

The women of St. John have taken up the work of providing for the comfort of this city's volunteers at the front with their usual enthusiasm and in the short space of time so far available have made wonderful progress with their plans. The members of the Red Cross Society met in the Stone church yesterday afternoon and completed their plans for aiding the men. Materials for the fashioning of pajamas and other articles of wear were secured and given out to different women to complete. The following committee was appointed to supervise the needle work: Mrs. D. B. Pidgeon, Mrs. Frank S. White, Mrs. F. J. Harding, Mrs. John E. Moore, Mrs. R. R. Patchell, Mrs. R. O'Brien, Mrs. R. S. Hooper, Miss Patton, Mrs. D. A. Pugsley, Mrs. F. L. Kenney, Mrs. E. H. Robinson, Mrs. MacLaren, Miss Tingey, Miss Lillian Hazen and Mrs. F. B. Ellis.

CITIZENS CONTRIBUTE GENEROUSLY TO THE SOLDIERS' FUND

Mayor Frink opened a subscription list for the soldiers' fund in his office yesterday and received the following contributions: E. A. Schofield, \$100; J. R. Brock, 10; Dr. E. Crawford, 10; Mayor James H. Frink, 50; Paul Longley, 10; Bowyer S. Smith, 100; Dr. Murray MacLaren, 50; Sir Frederic Barker, 50; Geo. A. Kimball, 100; T. H. Estabrooks, 100; H. E. Wardroper, 5; Mrs. H. E. Wardroper, 5. Other members of the public committee are soliciting subscriptions and will make returns at the morning meeting to be held each day.

FEATHERS FROM FRANCE

Directly before the war broke out there were shipped from France a lot of very beautiful feather boas addressed to F. A. Dykeman and Co. The steamer that brought them successfully dodged the German war vessel that chased her and eventually the shipment arrived at its destination. These marabou and ostrich roughs and boas are without doubt the most attractive and comfortable neck pieces that one can use for the early fall. The prices are only a fraction of the cost of fur, and feathers are more stylish than fur, \$2.00 to \$12.00.

Y. M. C. A.'S GENEROUS OFFER

The members of the Y. M. C. A. wishes The Standard to announce that the privileges of the Y. M. C. A. building are freely offered to local or outside men who have volunteered for military service. All those who will be at perfect liberty to make full and free use of the reading room, recreation room, bath, etc., while they may be in the city.

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB

Members of the Women's Canadian Club will desire to aid in the making of the abdominal belt for the soldiers may obtain material and instructions from the committee in charge at the Imperial Theatre on Thursday morning, August 20, between eleven a.m. and one p.m. (Signed) MARY POWELL, PARK HOTEL, KING SQUARE.

O-Cedar Mops and Polish advertisement. O-Cedar products have become most popular and the demand for them is steadily increasing. The mop does not spread the dust but absorbs it. The polish is splendid for all kinds of furniture. Mops, - - - - \$1.50. Polish, 25c, 50c, \$1.25, \$2.00, \$3.00. W.H. THORNE & CO. LTD. MARKET SQUARE & KING ST.

Ladies' White Outing Shoes advertisement. We have a full line of ladies' white buckskin and canvas shoes, boots and pumps for the warm weather. \$2.50 to \$5.00. Slater Shoe Shop - 81 King Street. R. P. SWEETMAN, Manager

BRITISH FIREPROOF WARE advertisement. The most complete line shown in our city. TEA POTS, OVAL CASSEROLES, ENTRE DISHES, BEAN POTS, MOULDS, PUDDING PANS, CUSTARD CUPS, PIE PLATES. SEE OUR WINDOWS. Emerson & Fisher Ltd.

THE WORLD FAMED "BURBERRY" OVERCOATS FOR MEN advertisement. We are now showing a greater range than ever of these world-famed English-made Coats, and the models now in stock afford many novel features. Long, loose-fitting Ulsters are featured with wide convertible collars and wind-shield sleeves for storm protection. Another style has kimono cut body and a half spliced sleeve effect, something very new and attractive. PRICES RANGE FROM \$28.00 to \$47.00. BURBERRY COATS in lighter weights for early Fall wear, in Tweeds, Cheviots and Saxons, all the leading shades in fancy mixtures, stripes, checks and plain weaves. All weather-proofed, cut on loose, easy-fitting lines; ideal garments for motorists. PRICES FROM \$23.00 to \$40.00. MEN'S CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

"Viyella" Flannel is now offered in all the newest delicate shades and designs for Fall including plain colors, stripes and plaids. This fabric will not shrink or fade and is ideal for Ladies' and Children's garments. WASH GOODS DEPARTMENT.

New Velveteens and Corduroys for Fall advertisement. Velveteens and Corduroys are again to the front for Ladies' Costumes and Dresses, also for Children's wear, and we now offer a complete showing of these serviceable materials: BLACK VELVETEEN, 24 inches wide, Yard 65c, 80c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.10. BLACK VELVETEEN, 27 inches wide, Yard \$1.25, \$1.45. BLACK VELVETEEN, 32 inches wide, Yard \$2.00, \$2.25. BLACK CORDUROY, 22 inches wide, Yard \$1.10. COLORED CORDUROY, in white, bronze, navy, mid. brown, Copenhagen, dark brown; 22 in. wide, Yard 65c. COLORED CORDUROY, in white, Copenhagen, mid. brown, navy, purple, fawn; 22 inches wide, Yard \$1.10. COLORED CORDUROY, fine cord, in navy, taupe, bronze, purple, white, black, ivory; 27 in. wide, Yard \$1.25. COLORED VELVETEEN, in Copenhagen, dark brown, mid. brown, navy; 2 inches wide, Yard 75c. COLORED VELVETEEN, in mid. brown, Copenhagen and dark brown, navy, bronze, purple, mid. grey, golden brown; 24 inches wide, Yard \$1.15. COLORED VELVETEEN, in bronze, taupe, mid. brown, navy, light brown, grenat; 24 inches wide, Yard \$1.35. SILK DEPARTMENT—SECOND FLOOR. Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited