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BRITAIN DEMANDS THAT U.S. TURN OVER TO BRITISH OWNERS STEAMER TAKEN BY GERMAN PRIZE CREW

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Was Pianist to Madame Edvina who Performed in Capital on Thursday Night—No Definite Charge, but Alleged He Had Incriminating Papers in Pockets—Ottawa Fire Chief Says "Fire Was Set, and Well Set."

Death List Remains at Seven But Not Known Yet How Many More May be Buried Under Ruins of Building.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 4.—It is understood that a man named Strong has been ordered arrested at Windsor, Ont. by the Ottawa authorities on suspicion of being connected with the destruction of the parliament buildings.

Col. Percy Sherwood, chief of the Dominion Police, was asked regarding the report but he refused to say anything at all on the subject. Strong left Ottawa last night by the C. P. R. train for western Ontario and his appearance aroused suspicion.

Fire Chief Graham of Ottawa holds strongly that the fire which destroyed the parliament buildings was incendiary. He says undoubtedly the fire was set. "It was set, and well set," he said today. "I distinctly heard five explosions, the like of which I never heard at a fire before."

One of the policemen told me that the fire ran along the floors just like a prairie fire. "Why when our men from No. 8 station (back of the city hall) got to Elgin street they saw the smoke and flames shooting forty or fifty feet above the buildings."

Premier and Hon. Mr. Hazen Both Had Narrow Escapes



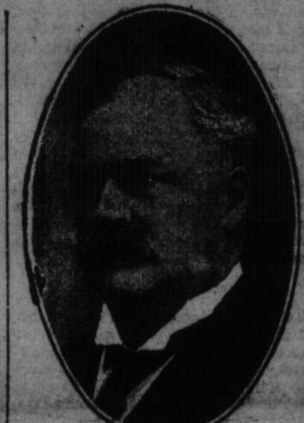
SIR ROBERT L. BORDEN

Special to The Standard Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 4.—The following account of the escape from the great fire of Sir Robert Borden and Hon. J. D. Hazen appears in today's Journal. Sir Robert Borden had no time to spare to reach safety. He was not in the chamber when the alarm was given, but was in his room in the northwest corner of the new western wing. He is far removed from noises, but he has at his door a faithful attendant, who notified him at once of the travelling flames.

Sir Robert had no time to get coat or hat, but when he saw that he was near being caught in a trap, he raced past the press room and made for the open space at the post office. He was driven out of there in an instant, however, and took up his stand at the head of the main stairway of the entrance hall.

The premier was the picture of woe. He kept asking the police and firemen regarding the safety of the various members of the house and he stayed there so long that at last he had to be requested firmly to leave the danger zone.

Hon. J. D. Hazen, who himself had a narrow escape, took him by the arm and led him out of the main entrance. Some one gave him a coat and somebody else a hat.



HON. J. D. HAZEN

It was long, however, before he could be induced to leave parliament hill. He stayed with Mr. Hazen near Wellington street for over an hour and finally was induced to go to the Chateau Laurier, where a meeting of the cabinet ministers was held.

Hon. J. D. Hazen had a very narrow escape. He was the minister chiefly interested in the debate on the government's intention to undertake general control over all shipping. This control, it adds, will not be on the same lines as the control of railroads and munitions manufacture, but will provide for a central committee, empowered not merely to check the monstrous growth in rates, but to do upon a larger scale for the country as a whole what is done by freight brokers and shipping agents responsible for regulating the destination and use of vessels employed in world trade.

London, Feb. 3 (Delayed by censor)—The Danish steamer Arnold Maerck, with a cargo of oil and bound from Savannah and Norfolk for FredericksHAVEN has been taken into Kirkwall.

House of Commons. Bowman B. Law is the one member of the House who lost his life in the fire. He had spoken in yesterday's debate, and had left the chamber with the intention of visiting friends. He was never seen again. It is supposed that he went to the room on the top floor occupied by the Nova Scotia Liberals, and that he died there, his escape being cut off by the fire and smoke which filled the staircase and elevator shafts.

Mr. Laplante occupied apartments on the second floor of the Commons wing, and went there from the chamber when the alarm was given. When last seen he had his coat off and was endeavoring to collect and save his papers. This cost him his life.

SIR DOUG. HAIG ON MISSION TO KING ALBERT

Will be Accompanied by Earl Curzon.

GOVT. TO TAKE CONTROL OF ALL SHIPPING.

Central Committee Will Hold Down Rates and Perform Work Now Done by Freight Brokers and Shipping Agents.

London, Feb. 3.—An official communication, made public tonight, says that Earl Curzon, lord privy seal, and Gen. Sir Douglas Haig, commander of the British forces on the continent, are to proceed on a special mission to the King of the Belgians, and that Earl Curzon already has left England for that purpose.

Government Control of Shipping. London, Feb. 3.—The cabinet has decided on the big guns of both the belligerent sides are hurling shells at opposing positions, and in addition there has been considerable grenade fighting and sapping operations.

ANOTHER 26TH MAN KILLED IN ACTION

Ottawa, Feb. 4.—The casualty list issued at midnight contains the names of the following from the Maritime Provinces: Fourteenth Battalion. Seriously wounded—Benjamin E. Glouais, Point Sapin, N. B.

Fifteenth Battalion. Severely wounded—Joseph Lynch, Chatham, N. B.

Twenty-sixth Battalion. Killed in action—Gordon M. Morrell, Belleisle, N. B.

FIRE ABOARD OIL TANKER OFF CAPE RACE NOW UNDER CONTROL

Ottawa, Feb. 4.—The marine department has received a message stating that a Head Line steamer has reported by wireless to the agent at Cape Race that the oil tanker Texas is afloat. The position of the distressed vessel was not given.

Halifax, Feb. 4.—A wireless message from the steamer Siberian says that the fire on the oil tanker Texas is under control, and the steamer with hatches battened down has resumed her voyage.

FIRE IN OTTAWA MUNITIONS PLANT OTHER BUILDINGS THREATENED

Bulletin—Ottawa, Feb. 5.—Fire has broken out in the large factory of Grant, Holden, Graham, Limited, Albert St., a firm which has large war orders. It is still confined to the building, which is filled with tarpaulins, woollens and military uniforms.

Bulletin—Ottawa, Feb. 5.—At 2.30 a. m. the fire in the Grant, Holden and Graham factory is working towards Queen street, and other buildings, wholesale and retail houses and dwellings are in danger.

Bulletin—Ottawa, Feb. 5.—The sparks from the fire are falling into Queen street and on the Citizen office building. The linotype machines have been put out of business owing to the feed wires and all lights are out.

ARTILLERY DUEL RAGES FROM BELGIUM TO VOSGES

OPPOSING FORCES HURLING TONS OF METAL AT EACH OTHER'S POSITIONS—LIVELY HAND GRENADE FIGHTING AROUND LOOS AND NEUVILLE.

From Belgium to the Vosges mountains the big guns of both the belligerent sides are hurling shells at opposing positions, and in addition there has been considerable grenade fighting and sapping operations. The British artillery has shelled the German trenches between the Somme and Arras rivers, and British sappers have countermined and destroyed by an explosion a mine crater held by the Germans north of Hulluch.

The Austrians are continuing their advance into Albania, with Durazzo their immediate objective, and have captured the town of Krova, some twenty miles northeast of Durazzo, in the place taken, as available maps show no such town as Kurva. The Vienna report says also that the Austrian vanguards have reached the Ishani river, which flows to the south of Krova.

In West Africa the British report the capture of additional German forces by the French, and declare that strong French columns are moving toward the Spanish New Guinea, to which country the Germans recently were reported to be in retreat. The British ambassador at Washington has formally requested the United States government to turn over to the British owners the steamer Appam, lying at Newport News.

Paris, Feb. 4.—A British official communication issued tonight says: "General Dobell, telegraphing from West Africa, says that eighty-five more armed deserters from the remnant of the German forces had surrendered to the French at the end of January, and that more are expected. Strong French columns are moving south to the Spanish frontier of New Guinea. One of these columns is already on the left bank of the Nso river. A column from Campo, it is reported, has already reached Ngou, sixty miles from the coast."

Quiet on French Front. Paris, Feb. 4.—The war office communication issued tonight says: "The day has been comparatively quiet. Our heavy artillery shelled a column of infantry and some enemy convoys entering the town of Roye. We have bombarded German organizations in Champagne in the region of Tahure and Mount Tete, in the Argonne, in the sector of La Harazee and Lorraine, on the front of Nomeny-Merville."

"There is nothing important to report from the rest of the front."

BRITAIN CITES ALABAMA CASE AS PRECEDENT

U. S. Must Not Permit Change in Equipment or Crew of Appam.

CONTENDS PRUSSIAN TREATY OF 1828 DEAD.

No Indication Yet that Washington Intends to Change Decision to Let Germans Have the Appam.

Washington, Feb. 4.—In the name of the British owners of the steamer Appam, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, today lodged with the state department a formal request that the ship be turned over to the British consul under the terms of the Hague Convention.

Notice also was served that it would be in violation of international law if the United States permitted the German prize, commander of the Appam either to increase the efficiency of that ship; add to her offensive power, or recruit his crew. Lieut. Berge has on board twenty-two men in his prize crew at present, a number insufficient to navigate a ship as large as the Appam, and that more are expected.

On the Alabama case as a precedent the British contention is that any changes either in equipment or personnel of the Appam which would, even in a limited degree, give her offensive power and enable her to prey on British commerce, would be a violation of law for which the United States could be responsible.

Although the British government did not finally ratify the Hague treaty governing the conduct of neutrals in maritime warfare, it is held that most of that convention, and especially the article under which the release of the Appam is demanded, is only a crystallization of principles of international law in existence before the conventions were drawn, and generally accepted since.

In evidence of its observance of the principle of denial to belligerents of sequestering prizes in neutral ports, the British government points to the Queen's proclamation of June 1, 1861, issued at the outbreak of the Civil War, when confederate privateers were preying freely upon the commerce of the northern states. The British government refused such prizes entry into British ports, which Secretary Seward, declared to be "the death blow of privateering."

The British contention is also that the old Prussian treaty of 1828 is obsolete. Nevertheless there was no indication today that the state department would alter its view, that the Prussian treaty guarantees the prize to Germany and Secretary Lansing declared the only point to be cleared up was how long an interpretation of the treaty would permit the Appam to remain in an American port.

THANKS MORGAN & CO. FOR GENEROUS GIFT TO PATRIOTIC FUND

Ottawa, Feb. 4.—Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Company, of New York, having subscribed twenty thousand dollars to the Canadian Patriotic Fund, the minister of finance, honorary treasurer of the fund, has written Messrs. Morgan & Company, expressing the warm appreciation of the fund for their generous donation.

If a man at the front refuses to face the enemy you would call him a coward. Well?

ANOTHER STUMBLING BLOCK IN LUSITANIA CASE

A VIEW OF SALONICA AS SEEN FROM DECK OF AN ALLIED DESTROYER



THE PICTURE GIVES A VIEW OF SALONICA, THE GREEK PORT HELD BY THE ALLIES, FROM THE DECK OF A FRENCH DESTROYER. IN THE BACKGROUND OF THE PICTURE IS THE MOUNTAIN RIDGE BEHIND THE TOWN.

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(Continued from page 1)
Attempts to Save Valuables Cost Them Their Lives.

The remains of the two ladies who perished in the Speaker's apartments, Madame Morin and Madame Bray, will be taken to Quebec tomorrow by Speaker Seigny.

Madame Morin and Madame Bray, it is said, lost their lives because they delayed their departure from the burning building in order to secure their furs and other valuables.

Madame Morin was the wife of Mr. Louis Morin, of St. Joseph de Beauce, a member of the legal firm of Morin & Paquet. She was formerly a Miss Clairmont, and was educated in Toronto.

Madame Bray was the wife of Mr. H. A. Bray, of Quebec. She was a daughter of the late Hon. G. Tansley. Her husband is the manager of the Factories' Insurance Company, and formerly resided in Montreal.

Those who discredit the theory of incendiary attribute the sounds of explosions to the force of the fire as it burst from corridor to corridor. The wooden flooring of the reading room had, it is said, been treated with some sort of oil dust layer. The aisles were covered with oilcloth, the partitions were all of wood, and the room was hung on every side with papers and magazines, in addition to these on the wooden stands.

It is believed that a blaze starting in the reading room either from a smoker's match or from the electric wiring, could be likely to result in just such a fire as yesterday's. Col. Sherwood is obtaining all the evidence possible as to what actually occurred, and will make his report to the government.

Loss Between 2 and 3 Millions.
There is no official estimate of the loss but Mr. Elliott, former chief dominion architect, stated it would be between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000. Very little was saved from the common wing but some of the furniture from the senate, including the throne were taken, together with a number of the paintings. The salvage workers did some queer things. One of them spent precious moments in lugging out a wooden

stand filled with railway time tables. It is understood that the government will lose no time in clearing the site and preparing the plans in readiness for the construction of new parliament buildings. The walls of the old building, including the masonry of the main tower, are still standing. Mr. Ewart, now consulting architect of the public works department, said he believed it would be possible to use the walls for a new building.

The opinion of many builders seems to be that the walls can be used in a fireproofed steel construction and take the optimistic view that the loss to the building itself was not a very serious one. There is no doubt but that with the growth of Canada, the parliament had outgrown the building and it was a constant problem as to how more room could be provided.

At the present time there are drawings in the office of the deputy minister of public works for large addition to the west end of the building conforming with the architecture of the remainder of that side and extending almost to the Queen Victoria monument.

Elevators were not in vogue when the building was constructed and consequently high buildings were not so much in use. It is pointed out that a building a story higher would be very much more impressive, and with the great amount of additional room, the chambers could be laid out advantageously. All this it is claimed could be done without impairing the artistic beauty of the old pile.

The Victoria Memorial Museum will be used as temporary parliament buildings for this session. An army of workmen have been engaged all day in refitting the interior for the use of the legislature. The museum exhibits are being packed and will be removed.

After the present session, and during the construction of the new buildings, the commons and senate will probably find a home in the new custom building on Sussex street.

Mr. Elliott, the Conservative member for North Middlesex, tells the story of the escape of the last half dozen members from the commons chamber. He was sitting at his desk which is situated in the "colony" of government members on the left of the Speaker's chair, when the alarm of fire was given. Mr. Elliott, Northumberland; James Douglas of Strathcona; Dr. Michael Clark, of Red Deer; W. S. Loggie, of Northumberland, who had been speaking, and Onesiphore Tardieu, of Gloucester, N. B. Mr. Elliott was inclined to think that at the time Mr. B. B. Law of Yarmouth was in the chamber, but there seems to be some difference of opinion on this point.

Mr. Elliott, when he heard the cry of fire, naturally went to the exit on the northeast corner of the chamber and nearest the reading room. He was driven back by the flames and smoke and crossed the auditorium to the northwest corner but could not make his way out by that door because of the heat and smoke. Suddenly the lights went out, leaving the chamber in darkness, save for the small dim flame of the little gas lamps used for Monaghan's seal letters. The glass was filled with smoke and Mr. Elliott was gasping for breath. He called, therefore, to the others that if they hoped to save their lives they should join hands and make a rush for liberty. They did so and escaped from the chamber by the central door behind the Speaker's chair. They were nearly knocked down by the volume of water which struck them when they emerged into the lobby but they pressed on in the darkness and left the building by a small door at the front west of the tower entrance.

A letter written by Mr. Law, probably his last, reached the acting minister of railways, Hon. J. D. Reid, this morning.

Hon. Mr. Burrell suffering from shock and burns.

Hon. Martin Burrell, the most severely injured of the members who escaped from the fire, is confined to his rooms at the Roxborough apartments, and although doing as well as possible, is suffering greatly from shock and from burns.

Despite the prevailing belief among members and attendants that the fire was of incendiary origin, the official view is to the contrary. The theory of incendiarism—the work of enemy agents—is based upon the extraordinary rapidity with which the fire spread and upon the belief by several members that they heard explosions. There are also a number of people who think they saw suspicious looking strangers about the Commons building, and upon the belief by several members that they heard explosions. Like shells.

Col. Percy Sherwood, head of the Dominion police, who has conducted an investigation on behalf of the government, however, believes that the fire was of accidental origin.

The exact location of the first blaze has been ascertained definitely. It was discovered by a Dominion policeman and was then so small that the officer thought he could extinguish it with an extinguisher. The reading room was divided transversely by wooden desk stands, upon which were files of newspapers. The fire was in the second of these stands, away from the door to the Commons corridor, and exactly opposite the house office of the Minister of Agriculture. The policeman got the extinguisher working, but the fire in the meantime had enveloped the stand, with inconceivable quickness, the reading room was in flames, and it was through this fire that Mr. Burrell, on leaving his office, had to pass.

dist church and ranked among its strongest supporters. But not in church circles alone will he be missed but in every charitable work within a wide radius he was always a cheerful, willing and generous assistant.

Mr. Law is survived by a wife and one daughter, Miss Dorothy, and the sympathy of many will go out to them in this shocking hour of bereavement.

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Bourse Reflects Tension.
Berlin, via London, Feb. 4.—German-American tension was again reflected on the Bourse, prices declining moderately in general, but war stocks more sharply. The afternoon newspapers abstained from discussion of the case, except the Lokal Anzeiger.

In a column editorial the Lokal Anzeiger says that a very grave situation has been caused by the Washington government suddenly insisting that Germany declare the sinking of the Lusitania illegal, and apparently suspending the negotiation of all other unadjusted matters until such a declaration be given, the situation therefore now looking like "stand or break."

Germany, declares the newspaper, has shown by indisputable facts, that she cherishes a sincere wish to live in peace with the United States. There has been no lack of words with a friendly ring from that side, it adds, but all the world now has "only one opinion of what American neutrality really means."

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Suffered Constantly FROM HEADACHE.

To suffer from headache makes life miserable, and it takes a person who has been or is subject to headache to describe the suffering and agony that goes along with it. The dull throbbing, the intense pain, sometimes in one part of the head, sometimes in another, is caused by some disturbed condition of the system, the stomach may go wrong, the bowels become constipated, the blood may not circulate properly, but whatever the cause, the presence of headache clearly shows that there is something wrong somewhere, and unless the cause of the headache is removed, some serious trouble is very liable to assert itself.

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BERLIN

L-19 Has Not Returned Trace of Her—Mate on Who Saw the Raider in North No Chance of Craft Being S

Berlin, Feb. 4, via London (9.55 p. m.)—An official communication issued today admits the Zeppelin L-19 has not returned from a reconnoitering flight, and that inquiries concerning the airship have been without result.

London, Feb. 4.—No trace has been found of the Zeppelin wrecked in the North Sea. British naval vessels have made a thorough search, and have returned to port with the report that they had seen nothing of the dirigible.

Considerable mystery attaches to the fate of the Zeppelin and her crew, but the statement by British naval officers of lack of success in the search made for her by British craft might lead to the assumption that the Zeppelin had sunk with all on board, since it seems impossible that she could be still afloat and undiscovered after the long search made.

George Denny, mate of the trawler King Stephen, which sighted the Zeppelin, stated today that he believed there was no chance of the airship being saved. The wind was rapidly freshening to a gale, when the trawler left the Zeppelin, and as the air and its machinery were wholly submerged.

The Cambridge Telephone Company, Limited, have been granted letters patent of incorporation to operate a telephone line in Queens County. The capital stock of the company is \$4,800, the incorporators being: Harry Mott, St. John; Morris Scovill, Gagetown; George B. Nevers, Mouth of Jemseg; John Holder, Lower Cambridge; George Colwell, Lower Cambridge; George L. Slipp, Cambridge, and Dr. J. A. Caswell, Gagetown.

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THE E-2 PHOTOGRAPHED IMMEDIATELY AFTER EXPLOSION.
This view was taken immediately after the explosion on board the United States submarine E-2. The picture shows rescuers swarming on the bridge over the wrecked submarine, from whose hold the dead and injured were being hoisted.

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BERLIN ADMITS ZEPPELIN NOT ACCOUNTED FOR

L-19 Has Not Returned to Base and No Trace of Her—Mate on British Trawler, Who Saw the Raider in North Sea, Believes No Chance of Craft Being Saved.

Berlin, Feb. 4, via London (9.35 p. m.).—An official communication issued today admits the Zeppelin L-19 has not returned from a reconnaissance flight, and that inquiries concerning the airship have been without result. London, Feb. 4.—No trace has been found of the Zeppelin wrecked in the North Sea. British naval vessels have made a thorough search, and have returned to port with the report that they had seen nothing of the dirigible. Considerable mystery attaches to the fate of the Zeppelin and her crew, but the statement by British naval officers that the airship was not seen since it was launched from the trawler King Stephen, which sighted the Zeppelin, stated that he believed there was no chance of the airship being saved. The wind was rapidly freshening to a gale, when the trawler left the Zeppelin, and as the car and its machinery were wholly submerged the swell of the sea would cause a terrific drag on the envelope, which apparently must eventually have been pulled under the water. Mate Denny said that all the men on the Zeppelin wore life lines, which were fastened above the hatchways. Well Known on West Coast. A despatch to Reuters Telegram Company from Copenhagen says the wrecked Zeppelin L-19, was well known along the west coast. It was formerly stationed at Hamburg and Pönder, and was frequently mentioned in newspaper reports received from some time the airship patrolled the area around Horn Reef, and relieved the wrecked Zeppelin L-18, at Pönder. The L-19 was first mentioned about two months ago, when, accompanied by L-7 and L-8, it stopped a Swedish steamer in the middle of the North Sea and sent a party aboard to inspect the steamer's papers. On this occasion the airship descended to within a few yards of the steamer, and launched a boat containing the inspecting officers, who brought some provisions on board the steamer.

NO TIME FOR CREW TO MAN A LIFEBOAT

Dutch steamer fired on by German Torpedo Boat which made no attempt to save crew of sinking ship.

London, Feb. 4.—A despatch to the Star from Rotterdam carries the story of a member of the crew of the Dutch steamer Artemis, which was torpedoed in the North Sea and arrived yesterday at the Hook of Holland in a leaking condition. The tanker, under water ballast, with no cargo sailed from the Hook of Holland for England at midnight on Tuesday carrying distinguished lights to proclaim her a neutral. After scarcely an hour's steaming, according to the seaman's account of her experiences, she was stopped by two German torpedo boats which crept up without lights showing and put two officers and two men on board to examine her papers. The officers expressed satisfaction and ordered the Artemis to take a certain course, the torpedo boats steaming along with her on either side to see that their orders were obeyed. About two hours later a third torpedo boat appeared from which, according to the narrator, came the order, "go for Zebrugge." The captain of the Artemis reports that he did not know the course. "Drop anchor; you have five minutes to leave the ship," was the reply, the seaman declares.

SAYS POLITICS BEHIND WORDS OF WILSON

Berlin paper declares nation will break with U.S. rather than make concessions.

Berlin, Feb. 4, via Sayville.—The Kreuz Zeitung interprets President Wilson's present warlike course, as dictated to some extent by political considerations. It says both the American and European press have regarded the president's attitude throughout the war as being influenced by the approaching campaign but that no one considered such an interpretation of his utterances as especially unfriendly to him, regarding it as a thing to be expected. Assuming a more serious tone, the Kreuz Zeitung adds: "At the moment it seems best to emphasize the point on which the German people are most completely agreed, namely, that nobody, of course, would regard a conflict with the United States as a slight matter, but that we are all resolved nevertheless to take up this new enemy if it cannot be avoided notwithstanding our self-respect and dignity without saying upon ourselves fetters that hinder our freedom of movement in the struggle for our existence."

EIGHT MEN ON ROLL OF HONOR YESTERDAY

Sergeant Knight and Rev. W. R. Robinson speakers last night at Recruiting Rooms.

At last night's meeting in the recruiting room, German street, S. H. Mayes acted as chairman; H. V. MacKinnon was pianist; songs were sung by Percy Cruikshank and John T. Kelley, and John Salmon and Lance Corporal Goo rected. The speakers were Sergeant Knight and Rev. W. R. Robinson. Sergeant Knight was the first speaker. He said that since he had been in the United States and had found a very large proportion of the people pro-British. He had been in a moving picture house in one of the American cities and the British troops thrown on the screen received an ovation, but German troops were received in silence or with hisses. He believed there were thousands of young men in Canada in civilian clothes who should be in khaki. There were plenty of them who could nevertheless expect with certainty that no decision will be taken calculated to cast doubt on the integrity of the German people or to interfere with their vital necessities."

QUICK RECOVERY OF MISSING GOODS

On Thursday William McLaughlin reported that he had lost a fur lined coat in the Gem dining room and lodging house on the corner of King Square and Charlotte street. The coat, he claimed, is valued at more than one hundred dollars. The police paid a visit to the Gem Thursday night but were unable to find the coat. The matter was placed in the hands of Detectives Barrett and Briggs yesterday and after a search of the premises the officers located the coat hanging up in a dark room. The coat was returned to the owner.

Last summer a girl was arrested on the charge of robbing McLaughlin of some money in the Ferris Hotel. The girl showed that she was a particular friend of McLaughlin and only took the money from him for safety. She was discharged from custody.

Here Is a Certified Cure Of Chronic Salt Rheum

By Use of Dr. Chase's Ointment—Also a Bad Case of Eczema Just Reported Cured. Eczema and Salt Rheum are different names for practically the same disease. Small pimples or vesicles form in groups, break and run watery matter, a crust is formed, itching is intense and the disease shows a strong tendency to spread over the body. Whatever may be the cause, Dr. Chase's Ointment will cure, for it heals and dries up the sores and leaves the skin soft and smooth. Mr. Geo. E. Compton, Brooklyn, Lot 61, P.E.I., writes:—"I suffered for two years with Salt Rheum. Though I consulted three different doctors and tried many medicines, it was all to no effect. A friend advised me to try Dr. Chase's Ointment, and I am glad to say that when I finished the sixth box the Salt Rheum was all gone. There can be no doubt that the cure was entirely due to the use of this ointment, and I want other sufferers from Salt Rheum and Eczema to know about it." Mr. Geo. Hume, J. P., Brooklyn, Lot 61, P.E.I., writes:—"This is to certify that I know Mr. Geo. E. Compton, and believe his statement to be true and correct." Mrs. Allan Weber, whose husband is proprietor of the Manitoulin Woolen Mills, Shequandah, Ont., writes:—"I have had a bad case of Eczema on my right leg below the knee. I tried all kinds of ointments and liniments, but to no avail, and was pretty well discouraged. Hearing of how Dr. Chase's Ointment is curing Eczema, I decided to give it a trial, and I am glad to say that it made a complete cure. The sores healed up completely, and I have had no trace of the old trouble for over a year." It takes a little patience to cure a severe case of Eczema or Salt Rheum, but you soon obtain relief by using Dr. Chase's Ointment, and you can see with your own eyes the benefits obtained once the healing process sets in. Dr. Chase's Ointment, 60 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Company, Limited, Toronto.

A Genuine Rupture Cure Sent on Trial to Prove It Don't Wear a Truss Any Longer

Even Soldiers from the Trenches of Europe Write to Tell How the Wonderful Brooks Appliance Cured Their Ruptures, Sound and Well. Sent on Trial to Prove It.

From the battle front in Europe comes a letter written by Private John Carter, whose home address is No. 2 Shaw View, Flinton, telling of his complete cure of rupture from wearing the Brooks Appliance. April 18th, 1915. C. E. Brooks, Dear Sir: I received your letter by first post this morning. I beg to thank you for your Appliance which cured me of my rupture. I have now been in Kitchener's army seven months, and I have gone through all the trainings and I have never felt anything and not had the slightest trouble. I remember when I passed the doctor he remarked: "There is nothing wrong with you, young man, you are in the best condition," and he sounded me all over, and I again thank you for the same, and I give my consent to use my letter as a testimonial to anyone, as I have been cured. Hoping you and your firm much success. Yours truly, John Carter.

If you have tried most everything else, come to me. Where others fail is where I have my greatest success. Send attached coupon today and I will send you free my illustrated book on Rupture and its cure, showing my Appliance and giving you prices and names of many people who have tried it and were cured. It is instant relief when all others fail. Remember I use no salves, no harness, no lies.

I send on trial to prove what I say is true. You are the judge and once having seen my illustrated book and read it you will be as enthusiastic as my hundreds of patients whose letters you can also read. Fill out free coupon below and mail today. It's well worth your time whether you try my Appliance or not. Make up your mind right now that you will never pay out another dollar for trusses. They are expensive, uncomfortable and actually harmful. And when you once try a Brooks Appliance you could never be persuaded to ever again wear a truss.

And here is a letter from a mother who is thankful because a Brooks Appliance cured her boy so he could go out and serve his country. 2 Orchard Road, Richmond, Surrey. April 11th, 1915. Mr. C. E. Brooks, Dear Sir: A line to thank you for what your Appliance has done for my son. After wearing it from December to the following September I can say he is quite cured and is now serving his country in France at his own trade, a shoemaker with you. You can make what use you like of these, my thanks. I am, yours, Mrs. H. White. (Mrs. E. Whittle.)

The above is C. E. Brooks, inventor of the Appliance, who cured himself and who is now giving others the benefit of his experience. If ruptured, write him today at Marshall, Michigan.

Rupture Thoroughly Healed. Ingersoll, Ont., Feb. 6, 1914. Mr. C. E. Brooks: Perhaps you will be interested in hearing what your Appliance has done for me. I know without doubt that my rupture has thoroughly healed after a term of sixteen years' suffering, and I attribute my restored and healed condition to the wearing of your Appliance, which held the bowel firmly and painlessly during the healing process. I have not worn it for months—neither do I feel in need of it. Yours truly, F. C. NOXON.

Child Cured in 3 Months. Brantford, Ont., Feb. 19, 1914. 11 Richardson St. Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich. Dear Mr. Brooks:—Just a line to let you know your Appliance has completely cured our little boy and we are very well pleased with it. We had it on him for about three months, and since he has had it off the rupture has not showed at all. Yours truly, MRS. G. STIDDABY.

Wouldn't Take \$100 for Appliance. Cranworth, Ont. Dear Mr. Brooks—I am pleased to write you and let you know what your Appliance has done for me. I think I am all right now, as I have not seen the first sign of it since last fall. I can now run, jump and lift all I like and I would not take \$100 for it if I could not get another. I do not wear it except when at hard work. Your Appliance is just as good as ever. You can use this letter as you like for the benefit of others. Yours sincerely, GEO. KENNEDY.

REMEMBER. I send my Appliance on trial to prove what I say is true. You are to be the judge. Fill out free coupon below and mail today.

FREE INFORMATION COUPON. MR. C. E. BROOKS 2394 State St., Marshall, Michigan, U. S. A. Please send me by mail in plain wrapper, your illustrated book and full information about your Appliance for the cure of rupture. NAME ADDRESS CITY OR TOWN Province

BEAUTIFUL HAIR, THICK, WAVY, FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Draw a Moist Cloth Through Hair and Double its Beauty. At Once.

Save Your Hair! Dandruff Disappears and Hair Stops Coming Out.

Immediate?—Yes! Certain!—that's the joy of it. Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after an application of Danderrine. Also try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderrine, and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or excessive oil, and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair. A delightful surprise awaits those whose hair has been neglected or is scraggy, faded, dry, brittle or falling out. Besides beautifying the hair, Danderrine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair, but what will please you most will be after a few week's use, when you see new hair—fine and downy at first—yet—yet—yet really new hair growing all over the scalp. Danderrine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful. You can surely have pretty, charming, lustrous hair, and lots of it, if you will just get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderrine from any drug store or toilet-counter and try it as directed.

SERGEANT KNIGHT HERE WITH BRIDE

Since last in St. John he went to Georgia for a wife—Hopes to go back overseas.

Sergeant Knight is with us again, and this time he does not come alone. Since he left St. John he has visited the State of Georgia and carried off one of his fair daughters in his helmet through life. On the 15th day of January last he was married at Carrilton, Georgia, to Miss Emma Ellen King, a graduate nurse from the Georgia Baptist Hospital. Sergeant Knight has been under treatment at Montreal, Chicago and Battle Creek and is feeling much improved and hopes to get back to the front again. His wife has offered her services to the country, and if the sergeant gets an appointment overseas will go with him and nurse in one of the hospitals there. If he does not go back she will serve in one of the convalescent homes here, as she is determined to help in some way.

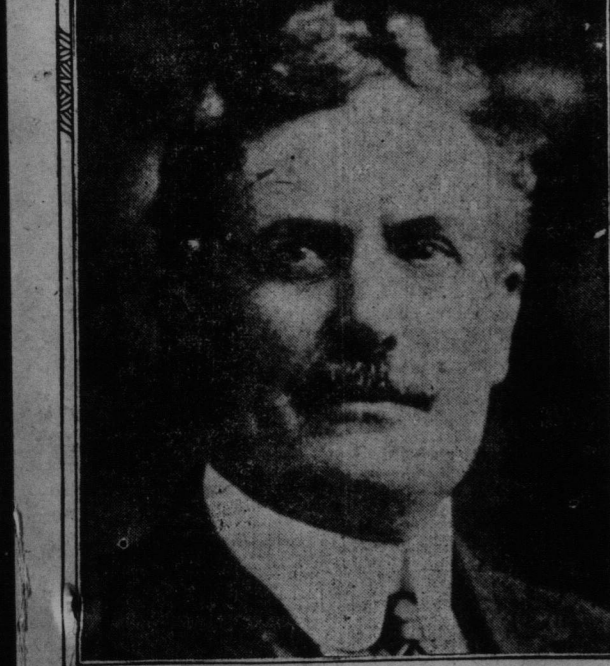
Drive and Dinner. The members of the St. John Law School held an enjoyable sleigh drive last night. About twenty-five were in the party and on their return to the city, about 11:30 o'clock, adjourned to the Japanese Room in Wanamaker's for lunch. Addresses were given by President Hamerbury, vice-president Mooney, and Secretary Smith; also by Messrs. Carter, O'Leary, Conlon, Wilkinson, O'Toole, McGuire, Coddington and LeBlanc. Messrs. McGuire and Hamerbury gave recitations and the party enjoyed themselves. It may be noted that all of last year's graduates, with but one exception, are on active service, and seven or eight students are now, or will be, in uniform.

A MOTHER'S DUTY TO HER DAUGHTER

Her Health Must Be Carefully Guarded as She Approaches Womanhood.

The mother who calls to mind her own girlhood knows how urgently her daughter is likely to need help and strength in the years between early school days and womanhood. It is then that growing girls droop because feeble, bloodless and nervous. Nature is calling for more nourishment than the blood can supply. Signs of distress are plainly evident in dull eyes, pale cheeks, weak and aching backs, fits of depression and often a dislike for proper food. These signs mean anaemia—that is bloodlessness. The watchful mother takes prompt steps to give her girl the new, rich, red blood her system calls for, by giving her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which transform weak, anaemic girls into a condition of perfect health, through the rich, new blood these pills actually make. No other medicine has ever succeeded like Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and thousands of weak, disheartened girls have proved their worth. Miss Mabel Sinclair, Coburg, Ont., says:—"About three years ago I was a very sick, nervous and run down girl. At the least excitement I would tremble and faint away, and the slightest noise would annoy me. I had severe pains about the heart, and would often take dizzy and smothering spells. I lost in weight and the color all left my face. My mother got all sorts of medicine for me, but all failed to do me any good and I was still going down hill. One day we read in the newspaper of a similar case cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and the next time my mother went to town she got three boxes. In a short time I felt the Pills were helping me, and from that on every day they helped me more. I took altogether nine boxes and felt like a new person. I was ready for all my meals, gained in weight; the color came back in my cheeks, and I was again enjoying perfect health, and have ever since enjoyed that blessed condition. I earnestly advise all weak girls to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial, as I am sure they will do as much for them as they did for me." You can get these pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR U. S. SENATE



MYRON T. HERRICK Myron T. Herrick, former Ambassador to France, has announced his candidacy for the republican nomination for United States Senator from Ontario.

CASE WAYS WILLARD BOUT

Tex Rickard is digging his heels into the pugilistic mat again. It is said he and Sam McCracken are seriously thinking of offering a purse of \$45,000 for a bout between Frank Moran and New Willard.

Heavy Artillery Duelling in West

London, Feb. 4.—The British official communication issued this evening says: "Our artillery today has been active against hostile trenches on the front between the River Ancre and River Somme. Our trenches about Eperardine (northwest of Ypres) were heavily shelled today."

The Cambridge Telephone Company

Limited, have been granted letters patent of incorporation to operate a telephone line in Queens County. The capital stock of the company is \$4,500, the incorporators being: Harry Mott, St. John; Morris Scott, Gagetown; George B. Nevers, Mouth of Passamaquoddy; John Holder, Lower Cambridge; George Colwell, Lower Cambridge; George L. Sillip, Cambridge; and Dr. J. A. Caswell, Gagetown.

TO BECOME BRIDE

Long Island, who is one of the best men, is to wed Mr. Quentin P. Peck, of metropolitan championship for the fourth Florida.

Black Cat

For tire of Black Cat they are so tasty. Cool—fragrant—free Drawing. et contains a Profit—upon, good for many fits. Write for free. Carleton of Canada Limited, 25 St. Lawrence St., Montreal.

LATEST FINANCIAL AND SHIPPING NEWS AND NOTES

STOCK QUOTATIONS ON N.Y. EXCHANGE

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Lists various stock prices including Am Beet Sugar, Am Cane Sugar, Am Loco, etc.

MARKET UNEASY OVER THE FOREIGN SITUATION MUCH GROUND LOST

Several Bearish factors including failure of number of Industrials to declare dividends - Sterling firm and sharp rally in francs.

CLOSING LETTER OF N. Y. MARKET BY E. & C. RANDOLPH

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, Feb. 4—Prices failed to recover much from the break of the morning caused by the unfavorable news from Berlin...

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE PRICES

Table with columns: High, Low, Close. Lists prices for Wheat, Corn, Oats, Rye, etc.



Winter in the West Indies. Not for many years has it been so important to Canadian people of delicate health that they should board a "Royal Mail" ship at Halifax...

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Victoria. J. F. Prescott, A. Dufoir, Sussex; D. A. Sherman, W. A. Simpson, Geo. Ballan...

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET SALES

Table with columns: High, Low, Close. Lists cotton market sales for various grades.

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

Table with columns: High, Low, Close. Lists Montreal transactions for various commodities.

MONTREAL MARKET

Table with columns: High, Low, Close. Lists Montreal market prices for various goods.

PRODUCE PRICES ON MONTREAL MARKET

Table with columns: High, Low, Close. Lists produce prices for various items like corn, wheat, etc.

FOREIGN PORTS

Cape Henry—Passed out Feb. 1, stmr Oritha, Newport News for Glasgow.

SHIPPING

Miniature Almanac. February Phases of the Moon. New Moon 3rd 12h 6m p.m.

AT IMPERIAL

Five Reels of Joy-Staff. "THE MARRIAGE OF KITTY". THE PLOT: Miss Ward, internationally famous...

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

AN OPPORTUNITY REOPENED.

Mr. J. B. Cudlip of the Cornwall and York Cotton Mills returned to St. John yesterday; the Messrs. Fleming of the Phoenix Foundry are also in the city. Thus, all the gentlemen mentioned by the Telegraph and Times in the charge that the Messrs. Fleming were compelled to pay a commission of ten per cent. to Mr. Cudlip or the Cornwall and York Cotton Mills in connection with a shell contract and that part of this commission has already been paid, are easily available if these newspapers care to accept The Standard's challenge to interview them and publish their statements.

The Standard stated several days ago that the charge was untrue, that there was no commission as alleged and that an interview with Mr. Cudlip or the Messrs. Fleming would prove the truth of The Standard's assertion. The Telegraph and Times, having given publicity to the original charge and editorially endorsed it, of course, refused to give Messrs. Cudlip and Fleming an opportunity of stating their side of the case but, instead, declared The Standard to be "bluffing."

If, in challenging the Telegraph and Times to adopt the only obvious course to prove their statements in connection with one shell contract where the information can most easily be obtained, The Standard is "bluffing," an interview with Mr. Cudlip or the Messrs. Fleming will establish that fact. If, on the other hand, the facts are as The Standard has stated them to be—that there was no commission of ten per cent., as charged—an interview with Mr. Cudlip or the Messrs. Fleming will establish that as well.

It must be remembered that the Telegraph and Times first insinuated the existence of something wrong in connection with this contract and The Standard challenged those papers to substantiate the charge. So far they have failed to do so. Instead, they continue to prate of the necessity of an enquiry into the whole question of munition contracts. That is a very easy course for them to adopt for they know full well that nothing they do might do could be of the slightest effect in bringing about an enquiry or preventing one. That is a matter not to be settled by newspaper controversy. But the Telegraph and Times can hold a little enquiry of their own into this particular contract, where the parties concerned are local men and available to representatives of local newspapers. Mr. Cudlip and the Messrs. Fleming are citizens of the best repute and highest standing in this community and there is every reason to believe that any questions touching upon the matter referred to, which a Telegraph or Times representative might fairly ask them would be fairly and truthfully answered. Refusal on the part of those newspapers to apply the test can be capable of only one construction. They are afraid of the information it might bring forth. Mr. Cudlip's return opens the opportunity to produce that information, but The Standard does not believe it will be embraced.

MR. HAZEN AND ST. JOHN.

All the members of the Board of Trade delegation who journeyed to Ottawa to lay the needs of the port of St. John before Hon. J. D. Hazen and other members of the Borden Government have returned to the city and the Times intimates that their visit was productive of little more than words. The report sent from Ottawa, and which has already appeared in this newspaper, was, The Standard has learned, agreed upon as the official report of their mission and it will be presented to the Council of the Board and later to the Board itself at a time to be arranged.

There is one thing the delegates did learn from their journey to the capital, and it is that Mr. Hazen and his colleagues in the Borden cabinet are fully alive to the needs of this port and not only willing but anxious to satisfy them just as soon as it can be done. It is realized by the Ministers, as well as by the Board of Trade, that the business of this port developed more rapidly than facilities could be provided to cope with it, and it is also well known to them that the trade is limited only by the ability to handle it.

It did not require a visit from the Board of Trade delegation to carry this knowledge to the Government, and now that the Board announces the fact it is to be hoped that pronouncements of officials of that body will be more in keeping with the real facts and less calculated to arouse political animus. Such terms as "way station" should no longer be employed to describe the treatment St. John has received from the Government.

THE RECRUITING CAMPAIGN.

The returns from the campaign for recruits in St. John and vicinity have shown a lamentable slackening. Yesterday eight names were added to the honor roll but in the two preceding days only three were secured. In the meantime the City of Toronto reports a record breaking rush to the recruiting offices. What is the matter with St. John? Those who have attended recruiting meetings during the past few weeks will testify that in the audiences gathered to hear the speakers there have been very few of military age and fitness. Yet a visit to the parks, the theatres and other places of amusement will reveal scores of young men enjoying themselves who should be in khaki.

It may well be asked why this situation exists and if it would not be advisable for those in charge of recruiting to consider the adoption of new methods. The Standard is forced to the belief that as a means of appealing to the class of men it is desired to reach, the recruiting meetings have failed of their purpose. Young men do not attend but, on the contrary, the audiences are largely made up of men who, while young in spirit, have passed military age or are physically unfit. The young men are to be found elsewhere.

In view of the existing conditions and the urgent necessity for speedily filling the ranks of the battalions authorized for New Brunswick it appears to The Standard that it would be well to consider the adoption of new methods, if this province is to do her full share of the work entrusted to her. What those methods should be is a question that has already drawn much thought and earnest consideration from the men on the Recruiting Committee.

It is also regrettable that a larger proportion of business men are not devoting their time and their talents to assisting the work of the committee. This war is not the business of a certain few, or of any special class in the community. It is the most important business facing the Canadian people today and it must be grappled with in earnest, business-like fashion if results are to be obtained.

A PACIFIC COAST VIEW.

Under the title "A Professional Acuser," the Vancouver News-Advertiser deals editorially with Mr. F. B. Carvell and the address he recently made in the House of Commons. The News-Advertiser says:

"Among members of Parliament who came west on the Canadian Northern excursion Mr. Carvell of Carleton, N. B., alone gave out a partisan interview. His spiteful utterances were the only inharmonious feature of a pleasant excursion. The like insatiable bitterness has now led Mr. Carvell to repeat in the grossest form the imputation of graft in connection with the purchase of submarines by Sir Richard McBride, and even to suggest in the meanest way that the former premier has escaped from the province in consequence of these accusations. Mr. Carvell knows that Sir Richard himself demanded this investigation, and took no action toward retirement until the inquiry had been held and the accusations disproved."

"Mr. Carvell's charges about hay contracts in his county must be considered in the light of his character and disposition. The contractor is one of his political opponents. The man who should have the contract, according to his claim, is a political friend. It may be that the contractor should have sold hay cheaper and paid more for it, but we may be sure that no Tory could pay high enough or sell low enough to escape a charge from Mr. Carvell; and it is equally certain that his political friend could have bought and sold at any price without fear of the member for Carleton. No presumption of wrong is ever established by an accusation made by Mr. Carvell."

"This is not the first time that the Imperial Government has bought hay

in Mr. Carvell's county for war purposes. Similar contracts were made during the South African war. Then as now they were made through the Department of Agriculture. On the former occasion they went to Mr. Carvell's favorite firm. We think that Mr. Carvell himself had an interest in some of the hay contracts. It was this alleged by Mr. Carvell's opponent that the farmer was compelled to sell his hay too cheap and that the middleman got excessive profits. When this question was raised in Parliament, Sir Whittard and his friends took the ground that the House had nothing to do with the matter, since the Department of Agriculture was merely acting as agent of the Imperial Government. This view prevailed. But it does not now influence Mr. Carvell.

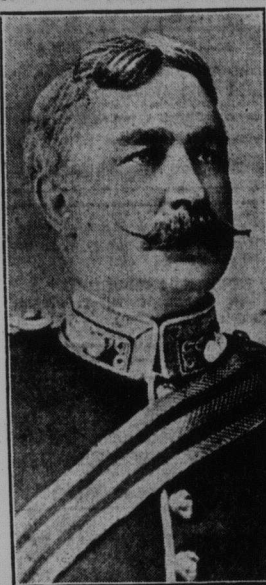
"It is not surprising that Mr. Burrell should have wished to avoid a controversy led by Mr. Carvell. Such a discussion could not be fair or dignified. It was certain that such a debate would be full of personal recrimination. Mr. Burrell knew what kind of retorts Mr. Carvell's vindictive party attacks would provoke. He could not help the hay contracts, if there is anything wrong about them, without stirring up a debate full of personal attacks and recriminations, thus embittering the whole session. But these are not Liberals of the method, record and motives of Mr. Carvell."

"If the Department of Agriculture has undertaken to purchase supplies for the British War Office it has assumed an obligation to buy providently and honestly. This service should not be used for party advantage or for the enrichment of individuals. We are sure that Mr. Burrell would not knowingly depart from this principle, and that he has tried to buy for the War Office as prudently as he would buy for himself. Whether he has been successful in the Carleton County hay contracts may be ascertained. But Mr. Carvell's discussion is calculated to produce more heat than light."

COL. M'LEAN, M.P. APPOINTED

Understood He Will Have Charge in New Brunswick, Which Becomes Separate Military District.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Feb. 4.—It is understood that New Brunswick has been made a separate military district and the man



COL. H. H. McLEAN, M. P.

appointed to take charge is Col. H. H. McLean, M. P. Col. McLean has been identified with military matters all his life and will bring to the office a wealth of experience and ability to do things that should result in a big improvement in the near future. The old plan whereby everything had to go

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BY LEE PAPE.

Well, mother, do you want to hear a good one, pop sed to ma after supper yesterday. If its sensibill, sed ma. Lissen closely, sed pop, if a Mexikin general had 49 soldiers and ony 48 guns, how cod he fix things so that each soldier had a gun. Goodness, I dont no, how, sed ma. Do wat, sed ma. Make apple sauce, sed pop. Theres no sents to that whatever, sed ma. I admit it, sed pop, but nevertheless its funny jest the same, you see the point, dont you. Theres no point to it, sed ma. Sertens thers is, sed pop, you no the old riddil about making apple sauce to divide 15 apples equally among 20 children, dont you. Sertay, thers sum sents to that, sed ma. Granted, sed pop, well, the point of my joak is, you ispekt me to say, Shoot one soldier, or sumthing sensibill like that, and instead of that, wat do I say, wy, I say, Make apple sauce. Well, and wats the point, sed ma. The point is its very lack of point, sed pop. Well, I may be dents, but if thats supposed to be a joak Im glad I am, sed ma. Thats the grandest peece of optermism Ive herd sints Mrs. Wiggs of the cabbage patch, sed pop. And he puffed on his segar and found out it wasent lit and lit it and started to red the paper.

out of town resulted in delay and loss. With the man in charge on the ground and thoroughly conversant with local conditions much better work can be done and no better choice could have been made by the authorities than Col. McLean.

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The regular quarterly meeting of the New Brunswick Provincial Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society was held on Thursday, the 3rd inst., at the Mayor's office at 12 o'clock.

There were present His Worship Mayor Frink, Allan Randolph, Esq., Lieut-Col. Sturdee, Philip Bonaman, M. L. A., Lady Tilley and Miss Clements.

His Worship could be present but a short time, and in his absence Lieut-Col. Sturdee occupied the chair. After the minutes had been read and reports presented by the secretary and treasurer, several matters of interest were brought to the notice of the board.

Notice was received that H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught had graciously consented to accept the presidency of the Canadian Red Cross Society, and the following resolution moved by the President, Mayor Frink, was adopted and will be transmitted to the Central Council at Toronto.

Resolved, That whereas H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught has graciously consented to accept the office of president of the Canadian Red Cross Society:

Resolved, The Provincial Red Cross express their appreciation and gratification at this announcement, feeling confident that under the guiding hand of H. R. H. the splendid work of the local branches in New Brunswick, and throughout the Dominion, will be impelled to a most successful issue, and also desires to express to General Ryerson, retiring president, their appreciation of his splendid work in the hour of the Empire's trial.

A letter was read from Lieut-Col. Noel, G. L. Marshall, chairman of the executive committee, stating that while he appreciated the honor done him by the Provincial Branch in electing him as its representative on the Central Council, it was felt that one more truly representing New Brunswick, should also be on the Council, and suggested that no more fitting person could be nominated for this position than Lady Tilley, if agreeable to herself and the board. At the unanimous request of the board Lady Tilley agreed to accept the honor.

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four barrels jam, and nine boxes of Field Comforts, and on an average we forward twenty cases each week.

The following list which includes the articles shipped direct by the local branch in St. John (which with its large number of auxiliary circles is doing excellent work), and by the branches at Moncton and Rothesay, will give an idea of what the province has done in the way of material supplies since October. It must be a matter of gratification to us to have such a record for New Brunswick:

16,228 Pairs socks
287 Pairs wristlets
30 Scarves
116 Caps and Hemlets
51 Pairs Mittens
177 Abdominal Belts
6 Rubber Caps
6 Pairs Slippers
7,980 Hospital Shirts
424 Night Shirts
1,932 Pairs Pyjamas
773 Day Shirts
131 Dressing Gowns
128 Nightgowns and Red Jackets
670 Pairs Socks
10 Convelescent Suits
105 Pairs Hospital Socks
353 Sheets
1,736 Face Cloths
6,875 Cheese Cloth Handkerchiefs
370 Linen Handkerchiefs
144 Dish Towels
76 Pneumonia
747 Operation Stockings
224 Rolled Bandages
15 Operative Caps
550 Hospital Caps
692 Personal Property Bags
14 Kit Bags
79 Hot Water Bottle Covers
6,739 Rolled Bandages
108 Triangular Bandages
115 Diagonal Bandages
14 T. Bandages
27 Silks
520 Wringers
24 Fomentation Cloths
20 Abdominal Binders
707 Surgical Kits
267 Assorted Pads
267 Dressing Gowns
60 Small Rolls Gauze
1,834 Compresses
40 Bundles Mouth Wipes
1,864 Sponges
696 Hospital Bags
168 Crutch Pads
3 Rolls Cotton Wadding
160 Lbs. Ether
819 Jars and two Bbls Jams and Pickles
172 Packages Tobacco
132 Tins Tobacco
55 1/2 Lbs.—Plug Tobacco
25 Figs Tobacco
494 Packages Cigarettes
120 Packages Cigarette Paper
58 Cigars
37 Cakes Soap
6 Boxes Chocolate
3,275 Envelopes
111 Writing Tablets

Welshpool, White Glen, Upper Jemsee, St. Croix per Mrs. Thomson.

From the Women's Institute Centre, Napan, Women's Institute Dalhousie, Willing Workers, Coldstream, Gibson and St. Mary's Perry Soldiers' Relief Knoxford Patriotic Society, Estabrook Women's Institute, Levesville; Ladies Sewing Circle, Penobscus Women's Institute, Women's Civic Council, Sackville.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) ELSIE V. N. CLEMENTS,
Secretary.

Report of Lady Tilley, treasurer of the N. B. Provincial Branch Canadian Red Cross Society, for quarter ending January 31st, 1916:

To the members of the New Brunswick Provincial Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society:—

Gentlemen:—

In presenting to you this quarterly report of the finances of the New Brunswick Provincial Branch, it gives me much pleasure to state that throughout the province there still continues the interest so very necessary for the successful carrying on of the Red Cross work.

From all our branches we are receiving the most loyal support, and the Women's Institutes and other patriotic societies are showing their interest and sympathy for this cause both in word and deed. We have received many special donations for the purchase of drugs and anaesthetics, and the prisoners of war department has also been remembered. During December and January we have been enabled to forward over a thousand dollars for particular funds, and this month we expect to send another contribution to our head office in Toronto.

The ever increasing demands upon the Canadian Red Cross in connection with emergency calls constantly arising, make these cash contributions towards its funds one of the most essential parts of the work. Beside this some of the branches have sent contributions direct to Toronto amounting to about sixteen hundred dollars, and each month the Provincial Branch receives its statement from Toronto.

The following is our financial statement for this quarter ending January 31st, 1916, and the further list of acknowledgements will serve to show that a desire to help the Red Cross prevails in all communities.

Financial statement for quarter ending Jan. 31st, 1916:

Sir E. M. Merewether.

Newcastle Red Cross Society 29.70
Britain's Aid Society, Fatter-son Settlement 30.00
Miss Lillian Steeves and help-ers Edgots Landing 17.40
McAdam Red Cross Society 15.75
Sussex Red Cross 15.00
L. R. Ross, Esq. 15.00
Bloomfield and Central Norton Red Cross Aid 10.00
Lord's Cove Red Cross Aid 9.00
Sussex Red Cross 7.00
Proceeds of concert, Thornton School, per Miss Cody, Coles Island 10.40
C. T. Pepper, Sunny Brae 6.00
Miss E. A. Ross 6.00
Sunny Brae, Lewisville and Humphry's Mills 5.00
Collection at Patriotic Meeting Posterville 5.00
Upper Jemsee Girls Club "Netherwood" Red Cross Society 4.50
Arthur Fairweather, Hampton James Hoy, Est, Hampton 4.00
Mrs. Mary Ross 3.00
E. J. Ross 3.00
Mrs. Mark Ferguson 3.00
Bay du Vin 3.45
Osborne Corner (special) 4.00
Petitcodiac Red Cross Society 25.00

Big Drawing!

This is the last month before the big drawing which takes place Dec. 31-15. Now is the time to get your teeth and incidentally get a free opportunity to win a big trip or \$100 in gold.

Consultation free.
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Bal. in bank of Nova Scotia, Nov. 1st, 1915 515.50
Interest on deposit Dec. 31st, 1915 8.45
Receipts for general Red Cross Work 1,041.30
Receipts for special funds 1,008.44
Sale Red Cross pins 15.00
Express refunds 5.19
\$2,621.19

EXPENDITURES.

Forwarded to Toronto for Special funds 1,001.26
To Dr. Murray McLaren per request 75.00
General expenses 268.10
\$1,344.36

Balance in Bank of Nova Scotia, Jan. 31, 1916 11,222.58
Cash on hand Jan. 31st, 1916 53.85
\$2,621.19

(Signed) ALICE TILLEY,
Treasurer.

Lady Tilley as treasurer, wishes to acknowledge receipts for November, December and January, as follows:

Chatham Red Cross Society 846.00
St. Andrews Red Cross Society 190.50
Longville Red Cross Society 100.00
Dunktown Red Cross Society 100.00
Ladies of Red Bank 100.00
New Denmark Women's Institute 97.89
Women's Institute, Glassville 91.00
Proceeds of concert at Beaufort and Foreston 89.50
Result of Tag Day in Edmundston 72.80
Burn Church Red Cross 70.00
Proceeds of social at Hatfield Point 64.25
Proceeds of concert at McKinleyville 53.00
St. Stephen Red Cross Society 50.00
Woodstock Red Cross Society 50.00
Clippan Red Cross Society 40.15
Proceeds of concert Belyea's Cove 31.25
Proceeds of social at Bagdad 30.75
For bed in Duchess of Connaught's Hospital to William Henry Clark, subscribed by his daughters 50.00
Collected at Hopewell Cape 25.85
Milton Red Cross Society 25.00
Sackville Red Cross Society 25.00

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Demand That the Complexion Be Made Clear and Clean and Nothing Aids the Skin Like Stuart's Calcium Wafers.

All styles of dress this year make it necessary that every woman remove pimples, blotches, etc. This condition is brought about by reason of the fact that the colors used and style of hair dress throw the face in a position of prominence that will make pimples, etc., very hideous if they exist.

The impurities arising in the body are thrown off in four ways, through the pores of the skin, the lungs, the kidneys and bowels.

Stuart's Calcium Wafers will make the blood clean. They will throw open the pores and in only a short time you will find the entire system free from marks of blood impurity.

The fresh, red, rose hue of the blood flowing freely close to the skin will give you the complexion you desire. Obtain a box from any druggist anywhere. Price, 50 cents.

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Social Notes of the Week

Each week now, as usual, the ladies of the different societies and churches are busy meeting, knitting, sewing and planning for the comforts of our soldier boys now in our midst and for those far away from home and loved ones. The Soldiers' Club this week is being ably looked after by the ladies from St. David's church. The ladies' committee in charge of the club have different societies, booked to take charge until March, everybody so eager and willing to assist in this worthy work. This week brought a large amount of mail from our brave boys "Somehow in France," all so cheery and uncompaining. The ladies recruiting meeting was held on Monday evening and was very largely attended and most enthusiastic, different committees were formed and a great deal of good, will without doubt, be accomplished.

Mrs. Frederick Ryan (Vancouver) who has been visiting her old home in Sackville, was a guest at the Royal this week.

Dr. McCausland (Boston) spent a few days in the city, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. MacNeill.

Mrs. James F. Robertson entertained on Wednesday evening at her residence, Carleton street, in honor of her niece, Miss Bethel. After several games of bridge, dancing was enjoyed by the guests. The fortunate winners of the daily prizes were Miss Kemp, Miss Lillis Raymond and Lieutenant Miss Lillis Raymond. The guests were Miss Portia, Mackenzie, Miss Mary MacLaren, Miss Madeline McSorley, Miss Dorothy Jack, Miss Edith Schofield, Miss Lois Grimmer, Mrs. T. E. G. Armstrong, Miss Annie Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hooper, Miss Price, Lieutenant Kerr, Lieutenant Hooper, Lieutenant Bruce, Lieutenant Schofield, Mr. Bevis Turnbull, Mr. Caldwell, Mr. Mercer, Mr. Payson, Mr. Keator and Mr. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Rankine are visiting in New York and other American cities.

Miss Catherine Bell, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bell, returns to her studies in Boston today.

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Miss George (Demarara) who has been the guest of His Worship the Mayor and Mrs. Prink called on the Pretorian for England this week.

The illustrated lecture to be given by our gifted speaker, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, on Tuesday evening in St. David's church lecture room in "Belgium Then and Now" under the auspices of the Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. O. E., the proceeds for the "Homeless Belgians" is looked forward with much pleasure by many. Already many tickets have been sold. Mr. and Mrs. Smith several years ago visited the scenes she will show that evening and the devastation wrought by the Hun on the same cities since. Members of the chapter will act as ushers and appropriate music will be rendered during the evening.

Many friends in this city were pleased to read that Miss Carolyn W. Stockton has won the \$25 scholarship in the competition at the Margaret Eaton School of Literature and Extension, Toronto, for her interpretation of the "Defence of Othello."

Mrs. W. I. Fenton entertained the members of the committee for returned wounded soldiers at her home West St. John at the tea hour on Tuesday evening when a delightful time was spent.

Mrs. W. L. Busby has been elected

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Miss Laura Davis entertained at the tea hour on Wednesday last. Miss Margaret Calder of Campbellton has been a recent guest of Miss Pearl Mallock.

The Women's Canadian Club met in Memorial Hall on Friday evening, Jan. 29. After a business meeting the president, Mrs. Fred Andrews, introduced the speaker of the evening, Rev. Mr. Blackall of Oak Bay, who delivered a very interesting and instructive address on "The Destiny of the Unready," at the close of which a vote of thanks moved by Mrs. D. G. Hanson was tendered the speaker.

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Herbert Jacques, who enlisted in the first contingent, met with an accident at Valcartier and was sent home, volunteered again last week and was accepted. He does not know yet what company he will be attached to.

Mrs. A. W. Fields and little daughter Marion are visiting friends in New York.

Mr. Willard L. Carr spent Tuesday in Hartland.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Smith have returned from a visit to Maryland. Mrs. John Wallace is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Boyer, Boston.

Mrs. Andrew Williams and Mrs. D. V. Storm spent the week-end with Supt. Williams at Brownville Jct., and also spent a few days in St. John before returning.

Miss Elizabeth Anderson, Denton, is the guest of Miss Aurelia Gibson.

Mrs. George Weeks will be going down stairs in her new residence, Elm street, Thursday, fell and broke her ankle.

Mrs. H. M. Belyea and daughter Madeline are spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Allen Hillman, Waterville, Me.

Mrs. J. S. Leighton, Sen., who has been very ill since the death of her husband is somewhat improved.

Mr. John Mowat of Bayville, Charlotte county, and Mr. Frank Mowat of Houlton spent Thursday and Friday in town.

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Mrs. A. Crawford of Sussex, who was here attending the funeral of her uncle, Mr. J. S. Leighton, returned to her home on Saturday.

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ROTHESAY

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On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Blanche entertained a few friends quite informally at tea. Red Cross knitting was as usual much in evidence. Some of those attending were Mrs. M. Robinson, Miss Cameron, Miss Lee, Miss Walker, Mrs. Daniel, Mrs. Donville, Mrs. Fred Crosby and little daughter Jane, Mrs. J. R. Miller, Mrs. Kenneth Forbes and others.

Miss Nan Brook is in Fredericton this week, guest of Bishop and Mrs. Richardson.

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Miss Grace Trynor returned to her home in St. Stephen on Tuesday after spending a week here as the guest of Miss Ida Spear.

Mr. Joseph Murray, St. John, is spending a few days in town.

Miss Laura Connors, Black's Harbor, is spending a few days in town as the guest of Miss Alma Coffey.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McVicar and daughter, of Manitoba, arrived here a few days ago and are visiting at the home of Mr. E. A. Gearson.

Mr. D. S. Curtis, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, left for his former home in Portland, Me., where he will undergo special treatment. His place is being filled by W. Gleason from the State of Michigan.

Mr. Geo. McDevitt returned to Sydney, N. S., on Wednesday after spending a few weeks at his home here.

Mr. Ralph Doyle left on Thursday for Gasperaux Station where he will be employed for some time.

Mrs. Wm. Gamble is visiting friends in Black Bay.

Pie, J. C. Spear of the 104th, Sussex, is home on a visit.

Mr. John Conley, Parrsboro, N. S., is visiting at the home of his brother, Stephen.

Miss Alice McVie is enjoying a few weeks vacation at her home in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Daniel Riordan was called to Calais on Monday on account of the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Drinen.

Mr. Frank Gamble left a short time ago for Old Town, Me., where he has accepted employment.

MONCTON

Moncton, Feb. 3.—The marriage of Miss Millicent Madge Henderson and Lieut. Pell O. D. Steven, took place in the First-Baptist church, on Wednesday evening at 8.30 o'clock. Lieut. and Mrs. Steven left for points north on a short wedding trip, after which they will reside in Sussex.

Miss Read, Boston; Mrs. E. W. Barnes, Amherst; Mrs. R. W. Loring, Macaan; Mrs. J. S. Addy, St. John, and Mrs. Beatrice Payson of Brookville, Ont., attended the Steven-Henderson nuptials on Wednesday evening.

Mr. W. S. Hopper, of the 14th Battalion, who has recently enlisted was presented with a wrist watch and piece of gold by Mr. H. H. Meisner, general passenger agent, and office members.

Miss Kathleen Knight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Knight, of this city, expects to sail Feb. 15th in company with a large number of nursing sisters for No. 6 General Hospital, Laval.

Mr. H. T. Mitchell, teller of the Bank of Montreal here, has been transferred to the branch at Grand Falls.

Miss Beatrice Payson, formerly of this city, but now of Brookville, Ont., is in the city for a short time.

Mrs. A. D. Allingham, who has been in the city for a few days with her husband, Lieut. Allingham, returned to St. John on Wednesday.

Miss Greta Steeves, of Baddock, C. B., has arrived home to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Steeves.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jessup, upon the arrival of a baby boy in their home, Feb. 2nd.

Mrs. F. M. Dayton has returned from New York where she has been spending the past two months with her sister, Mrs. Bert Crandall.

Misses Dora and Della Steeves, of Hillsboro, are the guests of Miss Lotie Steeves, Gordon street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Calder, of Coronation, Alta., who have been spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McLeod, left this week on their return home.

Miss Miriam Cameron, of Charlottetown, who has been spending some time in this city, left this week for Toronto, to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Paver have arrived safely in Hollywood, Los Angeles.

Mrs. A. G. King, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Steeves, for some time past, left Tuesday on her return to Regina, She was accompanied by her sister, Elizabeth Steeves, who will be absent several months.

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"Scout's Nose" (S. for B. p. 129; Scouting Games, p. 45.) Let each Patrol leader have several pads, numbered, and each containing one of the substances mentioned above. Let each Scout have a piece of paper numbered from 1 to 10 or 15 according to the number of things you use in the test.

The Patrol-leader puts the bags, one after the other, under the nose of the Scout and says the number. The Scout writes down what he thinks each bag contains, scoring a mark for each named correctly.

Suitable articles are:—Pepper, ginger, coffee, cocoa, sage, vinegar, peppermint, cloves, orange peel, Indiarubber, carbolic soap, onion, tea, paraffin, lavender, camphor, saff, cinnamon.

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Those which are not very efficient and well managed will probably slack off and do no work, till their Scoutmasters come back, but I expect there will be very few of these. In troops where Patrol-Leaders are worth their salt, things will go on much as usual, except that the Leaders themselves will take extra pains and have a certain amount of extra work on their shoulders, says Baden Powell in "Scout".

I am not speaking from imagination, but from what is happening in a very large number of troops today. The Patrol-leaders take real charge of their patrols and train them to be efficient, and see about getting new Tenderfoots in order to keep up the numbers. Also the Courts of Honor meet regularly to carry on the business of the troop in the absence of the Scoutmaster.

All I want to do in mentioning this is to ask all Patrol-leaders to stick to their work and carry it out to the best of their ability, and so to be Prepared to carry out any public duty that the Government may call upon us to do at any time; and also in order that when their Scoutmasters return at the end of the war, they may find their troops not only still carrying on, but in a better state than ever in the matter of numbers and efficiency.

I am sure your Patrol-leaders can do this if you like, and I only hope you will.

Scout News.

Fredericton Troops. A. C. Skelton, and the Rev. H. A. Cody, have just returned to the city after a visit to Fredericton, when they took the opportunity of visiting the two troops organized there. The boys are under the able command of Professor Styles, and as they assembled last Wednesday afternoon they were the subject of most favorable comment, in fact the visiting scout officials were very much taken up with the high standard of discipline, and evidence of sound training.

My first attempt. I am twelve years old. Your new niece, Hildred Rathburn.

A Little Man's Big Name. I am a new member to your Corner. Will you let me in? I think you will have to make your coupons a little bigger. As I have a big name for was named after a big man. Well I must say good-bye. From your nephew, John Douglas Hason Holder.

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Scout's

Letters to a Patrol Leader.

My Dear Jim—I am glad that my last letter was of some use to you, and I will write to you every fortnight about one of the Scout Laws in order that you may have plenty of ideas to put before your patrol.

Your Scoutmaster is quite right to tell you that you can do without a second for the first month. He is going to carry out the Chief's wishes by letting his Leaders choose their own Seconds, and until you have got to know your Scouts very well you would not be certain as to which was the best boy to assist you. It will be some time afterwards to have had a month before making your choice.

What a Scout is.

This week you are going to make a start on the 1st Scout Law.

One of your brother Scouts may raise the question as to why the Law is not put in the form of other laws. A law is usually put in the form of a command, and instead of "A Scout's Honor is to be Trusted" and "A Scout is Loyal to the King," one might expect to find "A Scout must always speak the Truth" and "A Scout must be loyal to the King."

The difference between Scout Laws and ordinary laws is this: A Scout Law is not a law in the ordinary sense of the word, but a Scout who is continually breaking the laws of his country; but a Scout who continually breaks his Law will not remain a Scout. This is a very important point to remember.

When the Chief says, "A Scout's Honor is to be Trusted," he means that, unless a boy's honor is to be trusted, the fact of his wearing Scout uniform and of carrying out Scout practices will not in itself make him into a Scout. The ten Laws are worded as facts.

The Chief tells you what a Scout is. A Scout is a boy who is honorable, loyal, useful, a friend both to human beings and to dumb animals, courteous, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, and clean.

A boy who is not trying to do these things is not a Scout, however many badges he may wear on his arm. This should be made clear to every boy in the Movement, and I know that you can be trusted to make it clear to your patrol.

Petty Dishonesty.

When the Chief wrote the first Scout Law, he had a vision of a world filled with a new race of boys and men who had no secret thoughts kept in the background, no secret aims or hidden ends.

Everything would be open and straight and clear as the day for the brotherhood of men would be a brotherhood of Scouts, and a Scout's honor is to be trusted.

You will read about brave men and brave women who have sacrificed their pleasures, their comfort, even their lives, for honor's sake, and Scouts will try to be prepared to do the same if ever called upon.

A boy will tell you that he is working at a hosiery shop. A customer comes in and asks for socks, and he finds that he has not got the size required. His boss expects him to take the nearest size in stock, and to tell the customer that they will fit, even if he knows this to be untrue.

Ten Year old Kiddie Wins Romper Shoes

Great interest has been shown in the "Phrase Contest," in which Messrs Waterbury and Rising, very kindly offered a splendid pair of Romper shoes and the large number of entries submitted, testified to this form of competition, and the style of prize offered, as being very popular.

The pair of Romper Shoes has been awarded to MALCOLM LE WALLACE, Warrville, N.S.

Certificates of Merit. Harriet Vanstone, St. Stephen, N.B.; Ivy Mantle, 117 King St., East City; Jean A. Brown, Salisbury.

Special Mention. F. Muriel C. Killam, Geraldine Correy, Muriel Vasey, Robert Morell, Grenville Craft, Lena G. Fowler, Kathleen Folklin, George Jeffrey, Lawrence Elliott, Ethel Ward Elliott, and Lee R. Lewis.

You Can't Work with hand or brain when the body is poorly nourished. Get warmth and strength for the day's work by eating for breakfast Shredded Wheat with hot milk. Contains all the body-building material in the whole wheat grain prepared in a digestible form. Its crisp goodness is a delight to the palate and a life-giver to tired brain and jaded stomach. Made in Canada.

WOMEN'S REALM

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For Cleaning Bedspreads. A dishmop dampened with kerosene will clean bedspreads satisfactorily.—Sent in by Miss Emma M. Carson, St. Martins, N. B.

Two Good Hints. A lemon can be made to yield nearly double the quantity of juice otherwise obtainable, if it is heated thoroughly before squeezing.

If a box of linen is set in the closet in which preserves, jams and the like are stored, it will prevent mold from gathering on the linen.—Sent in by Miss Rosa E. Nason, Upham, Kings Co., N. B.

Before Squeezing Lemon. Heat a lemon thoroughly before squeezing, and you will obtain double the quantity of juice, had it not been heated.—Sent in by Mrs. Ingles H. Killam, Sussex Kings, Co., N. B.

Two Helpful Hints. To remove grass stains from white fabric, soak in paraffin before putting in wash-tub.

To remove the inside skin off oranges, pour boiling water on them, let stand for five minutes, peel the oranges and it will be smooth and clean.—Sent in by Mrs. Y. Bridges, 679 Main St., City.

To Remove Apple Stains. To remove apple stains from the hands, rub with the peels.—Sent in by Jennie M. Gale, Cumberland Bay, Queens Co., N. B.

A Lemon Hint. To obtain double the quantity of lemon juice that you would otherwise receive, heat lemons thoroughly before squeezing.—Sent in by Mrs. Will Hiertly, Loggieville, N. B.

When Cooking Cabbage. To prevent the unpleasant odor when cooking cabbage, leave the cover off, and place a dish containing vinegar on the back part of the stove.—Sent in by M. Keith Wilson, Oaktown, N. B.

To Extinguish Burning Chimney. To extinguish a chimney on fire, throw a large handful of salt on the fire. The fumes will put out the fire quickly.—Sent in by Grace R. Chapman, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 13, Sussex, Kings Co., N. B.

To Make Chocolate Tea. Melt chocolate, add milk, and last a pinch of salt will help to give a fine flavor. This has been tried and found very beneficial.—Sent in by Clara Brown, Ridge Road, Chipman, N. B.

Mrs. John D. McLean, of Centerville, Carleton Co., N. B., also sent in a number of suggestions, which come under the above class, and we hope to publish same, together with several others received, next week.

Fashion Notes.

Shoulder and waist depth capes, cut usually are seen on many of the new models, from neckwear to coats. In neckwear they are dainty shoulder capes, with an attached standing collar which is cut out in front. A smart little bow of moire silk is posed at the neck. On outside coats the cape comes in the waistline at the back, but the edge generally curves up in front so that the cape is somewhat

The Daily Fashion Hint.

Across the front of the skirt; they stop at the side fronts. This flattens the dress in front, which would otherwise hang too stiff and full and be ungraceful when the wearer was seated.

In some of the summery types of new dresses the skirts are composed of two flounces. The lower flounce is attached to a short net drop skirt. The upper flounce falls over the lower one.

An up-to-date trimming feature of one of these dresses was bordering contrasting folds, hanging from the hem. This particular frock was of figured cotton voile, a big, splashy pink rose design on a white ground. Below the Valenciennes lace insertion, outlined by the braid, fell two bands—a six inch single one of pink lawn, pleated, and a narrower one of white folds, net posed over it. This idea of adding colored folds—not ruffles—to wash frock hems is both practical and stylish and is a good idea also for blouse and corsege edges.

A new drop skirt distender is introduced in several of the first imported dresses to come over. A black taffeta afternoon dress on early Victorian lines has an equally long drop skirt of white taffeta. On this drop skirt hem there is a very full ruche of the taffeta bordered quantity with a narrow black velvet ribbon. This same ribbon is placed on the drop skirt in parallel rows about an inch apart above this ruche.

This drop skirt holds the outer skirt out just enough for its amplexous and shows only when the wearer wists or turns suddenly.

Last winter a well known dancer launched a new style of evening dress. It was made to stand out in exaggerated curves over the hips, while the front and back remained comparatively flat. In the new silhouette the gown flares all about equally except for a slight fattening just in front by tying back the encircling ruche in the manner of the oldtime "pull back."

There is plenty of fullness at the back; indeed at times a tiny bustle is needed to make the correct contour.

The beehive silhouette is very new. It is really the contour of the Spanish skirt, the greatest width coming about five inches below the hips. At this level it is held out by some support, visible or invisible.

A very simple and decorative manner of doing this is by encircling the skirt on the outside at this depth with a full ruche. This holds the skirt out, which is cut full and not pored—or, at the most, very slightly—in this beehive shaped contour.

Big full ruchings of ribbon, or the gown material, are already seen in the new afternoon and evening frocks. One of the prettiest ways to use this ruche is to place it about half way down on the full skirt. This keeps it held out nicely at the right depth. A velvet ribbon is sometimes placed under this double ruching and shows a little bit below.

Once more the graceful tulle scarf, of immense width and length and of grossamerlike fragility, is being liked and used. It is wound about the arms, the shoulders or the head, just as it happens to be needed.

Some new ones seen the other day were radiant in color; and each had a fresh touch; namely, a very narrow hemband of solid or silver thread, jetted chenille, or something equally effective.

A rosy cloud of brilliant tinting, with gold braid, has a fascinating beauty of its own and another lovely choice which would suit a girl with a pale brown or fluffy golden hair. Madonna, hemmed with the very narrowst silver braid. It seems to be essential that "pure" colors should be used for these picturesque scarfs, but black ones are available, of course, with the jetted hem that is so fashionable a punctuation of all gossamer fabrics.

We are to have hoop skirt fashions without the hoops. More modern and conservative means are now taken to hold the skirt out. The billowy fullness of the spring and summer skirt of 1916 is kept in the "bell," or "beehive," silhouette sometimes by visible, sometimes by invisible means, says the New York Herald. But the "cage" of wires that used to hold out the old distended skirts of the middle of the last century is, so far, nowhere in sight.

Trimming bands and folds, encircling and trimming the skirt in parallel rows and made of firmer material than the skirt itself is one way of keeping the new fullness in check. One new afternoon frock for the south has a white chiffon skirt almost covered with these encircling bands. In this case they are made of white broadcloth. These bands grade in width from wide seven inch bands at the hem to narrow ones, about two inches in width, near the belt. This makes the chiffon skirt hang gracefully in a bell-like flare. Such a skirt would fall nicely on stout figures.

Another one of these banded skirts made of yellow linen, is encircled with several eight inch rows of white plique bands. The upper bands do not

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Scalloped Parsnips. Four or five good-sized parsnips, 1 tablespoonful butter, 1 teaspoonful salt, 2 tablespoonfuls milk, 1 teaspoonful black pepper, 1 tablespoonful finely chopped onion, bread-crumbs.

Boil the parsnips until tender, and mash smooth. Add the butter, salt, pepper, onion, and milk. Butter a baking-pan and cover the bottom with a layer of parsnips; sprinkle over this layer of bread-crumbs, then another layer of parsnips. Cover the top with bread-crumbs, and dot with butter. Brown in the oven and serve hot.

Parsnip Balls. Parsnips, salt, pepper, 1 egg, 1 tablespoonful butter, drippings.

Boil the parsnips until tender and run through a colander. Add salt, pepper, and butter until well seasoned. Beat the egg and add with the

tin or dish and bake in a quick oven 20 minutes.

Reliable Recipes. Grapefruit Trifle. Remove the pulp from two firm ripe grapefruit; spread some macaroons with apricot jam and line the bottom of the compartment with them, cover with a layer of grapefruit, pulp and sprinkle with powdered sugar. Make a boiled custard and when it is chilled cover a delicate cream with Breton coloring, heap the top with this and garnish with candied mint leaves and candied violets.

Stuffed Cabbage. One cabbage, salt and pepper, one hard-boiled egg, cream sauce, butter, bread-crumbs.

Remove the heart of the cabbage and boil it in salt water until the leaves are tender. Let the heavy outer leaves that have been left intact steam for a few minutes in a kettle of boiling water, but not enough to make them soft. It is merely to take away the raw look. Mash the heart finely and season with salt, pepper, butter, and bread-crumbs, with the hard-boiled egg chopped into it. Stuff the cabbage shell and run it into the oven until the top is brown. Serve with or without cream sauce.

Cauliflower With Cheese. Cauliflower, grated cheese, cream sauce.

Boil the head of cauliflower whole in salt water, changing the water two or three times to keep it firm and white, also to insure a mild flavor. When the cauliflower is tender, remove from the water and drain, cover with a cream sauce, sprinkle a generous quantity of grated cheese over the top, and run it back in the oven until the cheese has melted.

Cauliflower With Bread-Crumbs. Cauliflower, butter, white sauce, bread-crumbs.

Cook the cauliflower as suggested in the former recipe and lay whole in a baking-dish. Cover with a layer of bread-crumbs, dot with butter, and brown in the oven. Serve in a baking-dish with a white sauce poured in around the cauliflower. Both these ways of serving cauliflower make an excellent variation in the dinner menu.

Cheese Puff. Make a cream sauce by blending one tablespoonful each of butter and four and a cupful of sweet milk; add the beaten yolks of six eggs and six tablespoonfuls grated cheese, and season to taste with salt, pepper, paprika, etc. Cook and stir until this mixture is thoroughly smooth and well blended, then remove from the fire. Next fold in carefully the well beaten whites of six eggs, pour into buttered angel cake

Glazed Onions.

Six medium-sized white onions, sage or bay-leaf, 1 cupful brown stock, bread-crumbs.

Boil the onions in water for 15 minutes, then remove and dry. Butter a baking-dish and, after putting in the onions, pour over them the stock. This can be made from a bouillon cube if necessary. Sprinkle bread-crumbs over the top and cook until the onions are soft. A little sage or a bay-leaf adds to the flavor of this dish.

Cabbage Cake. One cooked cabbage, cold; 1 tablespoonful butter, 1 well-beaten egg, salt, hard-boiled egg as a garnishing, hot water or milk, red pepper.

Run the cooked cabbage through the colander into a wooden spoon, adding a little freshly boiled water or milk, if necessary add the butter, egg, salt, and a touch of red pepper. Bake for 20 minutes in a buttered dish, and serve in a cake on a flat platter. A cold cabbage, a wooden spoon, adding a little freshly boiled water or milk, if necessary add the butter, egg, salt, and a touch of red pepper. Bake for 20 minutes in a buttered dish, and serve in a cake on a flat platter. A cold cabbage, a wooden spoon, adding a little freshly boiled water or milk, if necessary add the butter, egg, salt, and a touch of red pepper. Bake for 20 minutes in a buttered dish, and serve in a cake on a flat platter.

Hints for Housewives.

Stale bread crumbs are very useful for removing finger prints from wall paper. If there are no finger prints on your wall paper, your children need the services of a physician.

Never use the ash sifter for sifting flour. It makes the bread too lumpy.

Vacuum cleaners should always be kept in a dry place. Otherwise the vacuum gets rusty and the machine is useless.

In putting up preserves of any kind be careful to put them up on the top shelf. They will keep longer there.

A sleeping porch enclosed in glass and heated by steam is the latest novelty. It enables one to be fashionable without sacrificing one's comfort.

An economical friend of ours who is very fond of reading at night saves half his electric light bills by shutting off the current when the eye reaches the end of a line and turning it on again when he begins the next one.

If your hardwood floors are too slippery, the defect may be remedied by dragging a harrow over them. Another good way is to cover them with a mixture of sand and glue.

A pretty mat for the center table may be made out of the crown of father's old straw hat. Father may want the hat to wear in the garden next summer, but what do you care?

A wife should always insist upon her husband giving her an allowance even if it is only one-tenth of his salary. She can always borrow the rest.

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After reading in a newspaper of the search being made for him by detectives for murdering his wife and daughter in a boarding house, Nathan Fullman, a retired New York City, killed himself by leaping from a fourth story window of a hotel in New York City. From the fact that he spent his last night in the hotel room writing incoherent letters the police believe that he was insane when he committed the double murder, though there were evidences that domestic troubles may have been responsible for the crime.

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Rich with your favorite filling, good pie crowns the meal it graces. Housewives who excel in pastry will tell you that pie is at its very best only when wrapped in a FIVE ROSES crust. So hard will the children find it to catch up with their appetites, that never again will you be satisfied with a lesser flour than

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You who have so successfully used FIVE ROSES in other foods, try it now in pies and pastry. Let your folks enjoy the flower of the pie family, a truly succulent, tasty article that retains till eaten its crisp freshness.

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IN PULPIT AND PEW

BAPTIST

Rev. R. C. Benson, Mrs. Benson and their two young children, have arrived in Ontario on their tour from Indiana. They will make their headquarters with Mrs. Benson's people, 34 Mountain Park Avenue, Hamilton, Ont.

The Mayor of Cleveland, Ohio, recently made interesting but useless efforts to induce his pastor to accept office as director of public welfare. The pastor is Rev. A. Frank Hoiser of Trinity Baptist Church.

Rev. Dr. MacDonald, chaplain in France, recently gave these lines to his readers in the Maritime Baptist: "O statesman, guard us, guard the eye, the soul Of Europe, keep our noble England whole, And save the one true seed of freedom sown Beside a people and their ancient throne."

The failure of the Pittsburgh Bank for Savings carried with it the savings of several Baptist ministers and perhaps of those of other denominations. We know of one Baptist minister who began depositing small sums in that bank eleven years ago and who has withdrawn a dollar of his deposits. It is now all swept away.

The venerable Dr. Clifford of London recently answered the interviewer's question as to what life had meant to him. He said: "To put it into one word, it has meant, right away from boyhood, opportunity—opportunity for self-culture, through that self-culture service, through the Kingdom of God. The religious note in life came to me in my home through my mother. Alongside this view of life as opportunity there has been another view. I have always entertained the notion which I inherited from my parents—a sense of life as a discipline, an education. The varying experiences of life are meant as tests of faith, as occasions for the development of character. I have always been always interested in life as something pleasant, happy—even jolly."

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jubilee this year. Dr. Grant is a brother of the late well known Principal Grant of Queen's University, Kingston, and began his ministry in St. Andrew's church, Halifax, N. S., in 1898. Later he spent a short time as a missionary in Bengal, under the India Committee of the Church of Scotland, returning to Scotland on account of his health. He has had a fruitful ministry of many years in Scotland, and is still in active service.

Welcome to New Minister.

The congregation of St. Andrew's church, St. John, tendered a reception on Tuesday evening last to their new minister and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. F. S. Dowling. A large attendance of the members of the congregation filled the lecture hall of the church and the spirit of the gathering was most cordial. The chairman, Mr. B. R. Macdonald, presided at the dinner given in the hall of the congregation to Mr. and Mrs. Dowling, while several of the ministers from the other Presbyterian churches in the city joined in congratulations to St. Andrew's church and its new minister.

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Sargent, A. W. Morrow, H. B. Griffiths, J. D. Kelly, Theophilus Harens, were mentioned twice and have received the military cross. The last named was severely wounded when seeking to rescue men who were buried under masonry by the explosion of a bomb. He is a distinguished brave man who saved many lives.

Hon. Capt. Rev. M. E. Conroy, M. A., who so nobly entered the overseas forces as a private, has been appointed chaplain to the 14th Battalion. His many friends are congratulating him.

Capt. A. J. Newcomb of Fairville has taken his place in the ranks and will do his part when the time comes.

Sir Wm. Middlebrook, M.P., Lord Mayor of Leeds, Eng., in 1910-11, was knighted at the New Year. He is a life-long Methodist, very simple in his tastes, and his hearty welcome to the congregation to Mr. and Mrs. Dowling, while several of the ministers from the other Presbyterian churches in the city joined in congratulations to St. Andrew's church and its new minister.

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Rev. Charles Flemington of Gibson, N. B., represented the N. B. branch of the Dominion Alliance at the recent conference held in Ottawa.

Judge Robert B. Carman, County Judge of Lunenburg, Ont., died suddenly while waiting for a street car at St. Catherine in Jan. 24th. He was a brother of the venerable and Rev. Dr. Carman, General Supt., emeritus, and was 72 years of age.

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GREAT WEALTH IN CANADA'S FISHERIES

Hon. Mr. Hazen at Montreal Banquet Shows How Industry is Developing.

GREAT POSSIBILITIES YET TO BE REALIZED

Minister of Marine points out many opportunities Dominion has to take first place.

(Montreal Star, Feb. 1.)

"One of the good things that is coming out of this great war is the development of the Canadian fisheries and the opening up to the fishermen of Canada of markets that were not possible to them before the war," said the Hon. J. D. Hazen, Minister of the Naval Service, speaking at the second annual banquet of the Canadian Fisheries Association, held last night at the Windsor Hotel and presided over by D. J. Byrne.

"The Millia Department of Canada has made arrangements under which there will be shipped thousands of pounds of fish every week now from the port of St. John, N. B., and in the summer months from the St. Lawrence river ports, for the purpose of feeding our troops who are at the camps in England. Is there a man interested in fisheries who does not believe that once our fish are introduced in the British Isles or Europe, the more will lead to the permanency of the industry, because of the superiority of the fish in the waters that wash the eastern and western shores of Canada?"

Mr. Hazen says that despite the fish wealth of the Dominion, the industry had not developed as rapidly as it should have done. One of the reasons was that the population of Canada, especially in the western parts, did not realize the value of fish as a food, although through a campaign of education and publicity there had been a great change in the last few years.

A Great Harvest.
People were beginning to realize now that meat was costing so much, the value of fish as a food, and the result would be very much to the advantage of those who went down to the sea in ships and made their livelihood in great waters, and who were able from the wonderful and fertile waters of the Atlantic and Pacific to reap one of the greatest harvests in the world had ever possessed.

The Minister spoke at length of the value of the fish inspection act, that came into operation May 1 last, which provided for the inspection and branding of pickled fish, and said that the act was doing a great deal to put the Canadian herring, which was of a quality admittedly second to none, in a proper condition on the market.

"On account of the careless and inefficient way in which our fish are handled, particularly herrings," said the Minister, "and the cheap and leaky barrels in which they are usually marketed, they are rightly regarded with suspicion by the dealers, and bring a low price. Consequently, instead of progressing, the industry has continued to languish for many years."

HOW RUSSIANS ARE DRIVING BACK TEUTONS IN GALICIA



The Russians in Galicia and Bukovina have renewed their offensive and have been fighting desperately from Czernowitz to Tarnopol. The Austrians seem to have weathered this storm, however, and the relative positions have changed little. The Bukovina capital remains in Austrian hands and the Stripa continues to mark the western boundary in Galicia of the Russian held territory.

nothing that had not been presented for inspection, the packers would not fail to do their part in putting up goods for the brand; and soon pickled fish would be put up in the approved manner and would be equal to those produced anywhere, not excepting Scotland. The herring industry in Scotland was developed by just such legislation as was passed at Ottawa two years ago, and the provisions of the act must be lived up to and the present methods of fishing as well as packing must be revolutionized."

Mr. Hazen spoke of transportation facilities, and looked to the time when there would be a reduction in freight rates—estimating that the time was not far distant when the Government would cease to pay one-third of the cost of transportation charges. He gave details of the millions of fish eggs that had been put into the hatcheries and the consequent increases in the supply of fish of all kinds, and said he would welcome information from the small fishermen as to whether, in view of the exceptional weather of this winter, an extension should be given for ten days for the small fishing in the Maritime Provinces.

Other speeches were made by Prof. E. E. Prince, Dominion Commissioner of Fisheries; A. Sheriff, Deputy Minister of Fisheries for Ontario; W. A. Found, superintendent of Fisheries; J. A. Paulin and A. H. Brittain of Montreal, all of whom emphasized the importance of educating the public into the idea that fish was not a food that should be relegated to one day a week, but because of its value as a brain producer, should be eaten by all as frequently as possible.

An excellent musical program was given.

HILLSBOROUGH

Hillsborough, Feb. 1.—The Misses Dora and Della Steeves are visiting friends in Moncton.
Mr. P. Mitchell and little sons Dittmar and Rolf are guests of Mrs. Fred Kinneer in Ottawa.
Miss Ethel Bleke was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. A. D. McCully at Salisbury for the week-end.
Mr. Frank Edgett of Moncton is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edgett.
Miss Alice D. Marven of Chatham is the guest of Misses Laura and Kathleen Steeves.
Mrs. B. J. Dash returned last week from New York where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. Dooey.
Mrs. Grover Miranda and Muriel Baldwin left last week for Bangor, Me.
Mrs. Frank Taylor is the guest of friends in Boston, Mass.
Mrs. Margaret Randall is in Albert. The guest of her sister, Mrs. R. C. Atkinson.

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QUEENSTOWN WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MEETING.

The Queenstown branch of the Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. F. W. Palmer on Jan. 26th. This Institute held a bean supper on Jan. 21st, from which they realized \$45.00, which was sent to the Belgian Relief Fund, St. John, N. B. During the Soldiers' Comfort Association special "sock week" they contributed 20 pairs of socks and \$6 in cash, besides this 22 pairs of socks and 24 hospital shirts were sent to the local Red Cross Society in St. John during the month. A small collection of kid gloves, etc., is being sent to Mrs. Hooper, St. John, to be used as a sort of interesting for vests for the soldiers. This institute has only a small membership but is doing excellent work. Any person desirous of helping the good cause along by knitting, etc., can obtain yarn at any time from the secretary, Helen B. Davis, Queenstown.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following transfers of real estate have been recorded:
St. John County—Canadian Consolidated Land Company, Ltd., to Harold Groom of all property in Lancaster; Joseph Kenney to C. W. Howe, property in St. Martins; D. M. McInerney to P. L. Boone, property in St. Martins; E. W. Wilbur to Mrs. Ada C. Willet, property in Mecklenburg St. Kings County—Blanche R. Branscombe, \$1,700, property in Havelock; W. J. Bull to J. M. Bull, property in Hampton; Frances Flewelling to J. J. Hutchings, property in Hampton; D. S. Riecker to F. W. Reicher, property in Kars.

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Building Season.

Rumor has it that the year 1916 will be brisk in the building line in spite of war times. As Rothsay three new modern houses are to be erected and in the city quite a number of houses will be built by the different companies already engaged in this line.

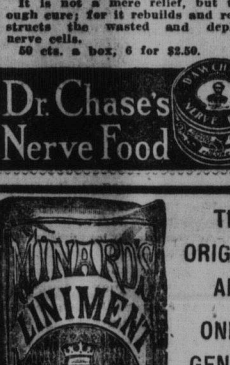
An important announcement is made by Gandy & Allison that they will start the erection of a number of their "Thermos" Concrete Dwellings at Crescent Heights, Lancaster as soon as the weather permits. Prospective builders will do well to remember that this enterprising firm carry the largest exclusive Builders' Supply stock in the Lower Provinces and will be glad to quote them favorable prices or send samples of any materials required upon request.

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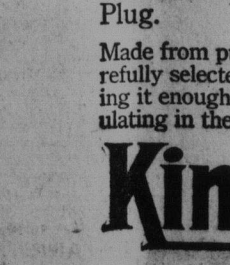
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THE WEATHER.

Forecasts
Maritime—Fresh westerly winds; fair and moderately cold.

Toronto, Feb. 4.—A shallow area of low pressure is approaching the Great Lakes from the westward. The weather has moderated a little in British Columbia with a light snowfall, while in the western provinces there has been practically no change. From Ontario eastward it has been fine and moderately cold.

Temperatures.	
Min.	Max.
Dawson	40
Prince Rupert	24
Victoria	30
Vancouver	26
Kamloops	16
Calgary	4
Edmonton	12
Moose Jaw	28
Regina	21
Prince Albert	12
Winnipeg	13
Port Arthur	14
Toronto	8
Kingston	12
Ottawa	13
Montreal	13
Quebec	20
St. John	8

—Below zero.

Around the City

Soldiers Detained.
Two soldiers were taken into custody last night and detained at police headquarters on the request of the military police.

Electric Lights Stolen.
Some person entered the Seaman's Institute on Prince William street Thursday and stole a number of electric light bulbs.

A Horse Shot.
Patrolman Spinney last night shot a horse in a barn on Winslow street, West St. John, on the request of the owner, George Clark. The horse had been unfit for use.

Deserter Arrested.
Earle Crossman of the C. M. S. C., on Partridge island, was locked up in police headquarters last night and charged with deserting.

Four Men for 15th.
Two men from McAdan and two from Woodstock, who have enlisted for the 15th Battalion, arrived on the Boston train last night.

Bootlegger Arrested.
William Lewis, colored, was arrested in the army last night, having been given in charge by Detectives Barrett and Briggs for supplying liquor to soldiers in uniform.

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Ten prisoners occupied the cells at police headquarters last night, the prisoners being charged with different offences, from drunkenness to breaking and entering. This makes over fifty persons arrested during the last four days.

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The military police made a raid on Mrs. Annie King's house, 76 Brussels street, last night and captured three soldiers who were there. Mrs. King was locked up at police headquarters and will be charged with keeping a disorderly house.

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HUNS SHOWED THEIR VENOM BACK IN 1913

British officer, here on Corinthian, tells of Germany three years ago.

After a very stormy passage the Royal Mail steamer Corinthian arrived in port yesterday morning and docked at No. 3 berth. She brought five officers and a number of soldiers. Some twelve of the soldiers were suffering from nervous breakdown and will be in hospital here for treatment. The officers were Major A. C. Young of Ottawa, C. A. M. C. in charge, Lieut. Wheatley of Wyburn, Saskatchewan, Lieut. Grant-Suttie of Halifax, Lieut. Chevalier of Montreal and Capt. Cameron of Edmonton.

Lieut. Grant-Suttie was the only Maritime Province man on the Corinthian. Before the outbreak of war he was attached to the regulars at Halifax. He spent several months in the trenches and is now home on sick leave. Major Young has come over on a very pleasant mission, the taking into himself of a wife, and the bride to be, Miss Myrtle Gratton of Pictou, N. S., was waiting on the wharf to greet him. Miss Gratton, who is a returned nurse, spent several months in the Canadian hospitals in France and only came home about six weeks ago.

Major Young said that the Canadian troops were just as brave in the hospitals as in the field. They had made a name for themselves that would live as long as the world lasted, both as men and as fighters.

Lieut. Wheatley was one of the men sent to reinforce the Canadians at Ypres and at the battle of Festubert was wounded in the face but continued to lead his men until the battle was over. He also saw service in the previous Balkan war with the British Red Cross Society. For his services there he was decorated with an order of military distinction by King Ferdinand of Bulgaria and also received a Red Cross medal from Queen Alexandra. He said that in one battle between the Bulgarian and Serbian troops on one side and the Turks on the other the former lost 16,000 and the Turks 18,000. In 1913 the Red Cross Society were ordered back to England. On their way home they passed through Germany and were surprised to see signs of military activity in evidence there. On their arrival at Frankfurt on Main they were met by the British consul and advised to leave the depot as there was considerable feeling against England.

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CAPE SPENCER FOG ALARM IS PREY TO FIRE

Marine Department Agent hears of destruction of Station and Oil Warehouse.

John C. Chesley, agent for the Department of Marine and Fisheries, received word last evening that the fog alarm station and oil warehouse at Cape Spencer had been totally destroyed by fire in the afternoon. The house of the keeper, John Collins, and some other property belonging to the station were saved. The loss is serious, as the station is a large and important one. Mr. Chesley was unable to give precise details last night as to the extent of the damage done to equipment, or as to the cause of the fire. The plant, he said, was worth at least \$4,000.

JOHN TRAVIS ONCE MORE IN POLICE GRIP

Arrested last night for breaking and entering Chipman's Hill building—Has police record.

John Travis was arrested about eleven o'clock last night, on the charge of breaking and entering the Schofield building on Prince William street, and in his capture the police officers believe they have taken into custody a very dangerous man.

The Schofield building is situated on the east side of Chipman's Hill, and is being used as the city rifle range, and also as a storeroom for W. H. Thorne and Co., Ltd., which firm has a large quantity of goods stocked there. While going the rounds last night Patrolman Kane saw Travis enter the building by breaking a window in an alley on the ground floor. As Travis had entered the building Officer Kane hastened down the street and summoned Patrolman Hendrickson, and returning to the building, intended to capture Travis when he left the building, or while one officer would guard the broken window the other would enter the building in search of the criminal.

As the officers neared the building Hendrickson saw Travis run out of the alley and up the hill towards Union street. The policeman gave chase but was outdistanced by Travis. On Mill street Officer Hendrickson informed Officer Colwell about Travis' escape and the two policemen went in search around the wharves. Hendrickson then left Colwell and intended to return to the building and see if anything had been stolen. It was not long, however, before Policeman Colwell located Travis near the corner of North and Hill streets and near his home. The officer immediately placed Travis under arrest.

After kicking the policeman and causing a severe cut on the right shin, Travis reached for a pocket, at the same time saying: "There will be murder here tonight." Policeman Colwell, who is a strong man, grappled with Travis and threw him to the ground. Travis resisted violently but the policeman managed to take him as far as J. Benson Mahony's drug store on the corner of Deck and Union streets when Travis fell unconscious. He was carried into the drug store, the patrol wagon was summoned, and the city detectives also arrived on the scene. The prisoner was taken to police headquarters and Dr. Loggie summoned. After working on the man for a while Travis regained consciousness and he was locked up.

It could not be learned last night whether Travis had stolen anything from the building, but it is thought he had seen him entering the building, and when Policeman Kane went away for help, tried to make his escape.

A couple of months ago Travis was liberated from Dorchester prison where he served a term for breaking and entering.

Excellent tea and band in the Victoria Rink this afternoon.

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DISCUSS PLANS TO GET THE MEN INTO UNIFORM

Citizens' Recruiting Committee thoroughly canvassed situation at yesterday's meeting.

At the meeting of the Citizens' Recruiting Committee held in the Board of Trade rooms yesterday afternoon there was general discussion on various matters concerning recruiting. T. H. Estabrook presided. It was decided that meetings of the committee should in future begin at 3.15 instead of 3.30, and that there should be no meeting until next Tuesday afternoon. W. H. Golding said he would be glad to assist in every way possible to aid the recruiting movement by exhibiting moving pictures which the Ford Company of Canada had offered to supply. Mr. Golding, A. O. Skinner and Captain Tilley were appointed a committee to attend to this feature.

The chairman remarked, that in his opinion, the results attained at present were disappointing. He pointed out that, after all, the recruiting committee had no official backing and was handicapped because the ordinary citizen might, with perhaps good reason, resent interference by an unauthorized body. He said he thought that any system of registration of men should be done by governmental authority along the lines of Lord Derby's plan as adopted in Great Britain. In cases where a man's name appeared on the register compiled under competent authority it might be possible, he thought, for members of the committee to approach the individual with more prospect of success. With regard to personal canvass by persons clothed with no authority he thought that although it might have advantages there was the possibility of results antagonistic to the aims in view, the average citizen preferring to retain freedom of action in such an important matter as enlistment. He could say, in short, "this is my business, you have no authority in this matter."

It was decided that a full enquiry into the subject of registration should be made at once and that the committee of ways and means should deal with the matter.

D. McArthur said he had interviewed the chief of police as to how far the body under his control could be utilized to perfect a plan of registration. Chief Simpson stated that he would be glad to co-operate with the recruiting committee in every way possible.

It was announced that Sergeant Knight had undertaken to resume work in the interests of recruiting and would act in this capacity for an indefinite period. E. A. Schofield and Captain Tilley were appointed a committee to arrange meetings to be addressed by the sergeant.

Rev. R. J. Haughton said he thought unremitting effort should be made to influence the home in favor of members of the household flocking to the colors.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

F. A. Dykman & Co. are clearing out everything they have in men's wear and they are putting on sale some odds and ends of wool underwear at one-half the usual price. Also a lot of boys' undershirts. These goods have advanced in price very materially, but you can buy from this lot at about one-half the old price. Some pure wool Nova Scotia mills products are in the lot at 75 cts. a garment. The regular price now is \$1.50.

THE PEN WRITTEN business letter is out of date. Its use suggests antiquated methods. If you have not a typewriter, why not buy one of the REBUILTS to start with. Low price and good service. A. Mine Fraser, Jas. A. Little, Mgr., 37 Dock street, St. John, N. B.

DIED.

DONE—In this city, on the 3rd inst., in the thirty-third year of his age, Rev. John B. H. Done, of Manchester, England, lately priest-in-charge of the Mission Church of St. John Baptist. Requiem at 7.30 a.m. Saturday.

Funeral at 2.30 p.m. from the Mission church, Paradise Row. Requiem in Page.

McNALLY—In this city, on the 3rd inst., Daniel McNally, aged 87 years, leaving three sons and three daughters to mourn.

Funeral services at his late residence, 73 Queen street, on Friday evening at eight o'clock. Interment in Fredrickton on Saturday morning. (Fredericton papers please copy.)

JONES—At Armstrong's Corner, on the 3rd inst., John J. Jones, aged 77 years, leaving one brother to mourn.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lydon, of Lake-wood, wish to thank Doctors McCourt, Crawford and Emery who so successfully performed two serious operations on their two children, Carmela and Barry. They also wish to thank the good nurses, Misses Gregory, McIntosh, Andrews and Bird, who by their kindness and loving care made pleasant for the children while convalescing in the General Public Hospital.

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