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ALLIES MADE PROGRESS ALONG ENTIRE FRONT YESTERDAY EXCEPT AT ONE POINT

That is Cheerful Report From French War Office—Russians Repulse Stubborn Attacks by Enemy But Evacuate Lodz -- German Warships Said to Have Left South Atlantic

Paris, Dec. 9.—The French war office announces: During the day of December 8, there was artillery firing from the sea coast to Lyons. In the region of Arras and farther to the south there was nothing to report. All the positions won by us, during the last two days, have been organized and consolidated. In the region of the Aisne artillery exchanges and fighting by our infantry resulted in appreciable gains for us. Several German trenches were occupied; we made progress along the entire front, with the exception of one single point, here the enemy blew up one of our trenches with a mine. On the heights of the Meuse, our artillery showed itself distinctly the master of the artillery of the enemy. In this region as well as in the Argonne, we have made progress along the entire front and occupied several of the German trenches. The same thing happened in the forest of Lepretre. In the Vosges, we repulsed several attacks to the northwest of Senones. In the remainder of the segment of the Vosges, the enemy made no endeavor, during the day of December 8, to deliver any serious attacks on the positions occupied by us. Russia.—The stubborn attacks of the Germans against the front from Ilow to Lovicz and from Strykow to Lodz, and also along a line running north and south, sixteen kilometers (10 miles), to the west of Piotrkow, were repulsed. Nevertheless, because of the exposed position of Lodz at the end of a wedge, the Russians have found it advisable to evacuate this city. In Galicia the Austrians, who appear to have received German reinforcements, have resumed the offensive in the region of Neu Sandec, to the southeast of Cracow, against the Russian left wing. Serbia.—The Serbian armies are making progress in the upper valleys of the Eastern Moravia, and on the left bank of the river Ljika. They have taken possession of the heights of Melfen, capturing numerous prisoners and also taking cannon from the enemy. In the region of Kozma, the Serbians are in contact with the Austrian troops.

RUSSIANS ANNOUNCE A VICTORY.

Petrograd, Dec. 9.—An official communication given out by the general staff says: Engagements which have developed in the region of Przasnysz and Cieszanow (east of the east Prussian border and Mlawa), have not yet terminated. In the fighting in the region of Piotrkow, we were only partially successful. The battle which commenced on December 5, southeast of Cracow, in the region of Wlodziwa on the River Derzyska, has developed in our favor. After having courageously forced the passage of the Donauza River in the vicinity of Nowy Sandec, our reinforcements pursued the offensive and inflicted a serious defeat on the German troops, which had formed in the valley of Lossynia. The German right wing, which was pursued was turned. The 24th German corps, transported here from Belgium, opened this combat with an automobile battery in its advance. This was partly disabled and partly put to flight without striking a blow. Following this, we successfully put out of action several pieces of heavy artillery, silenced five field batteries and captured several cannon. The German prisoners affirm that their units sustained enormous losses, some of the companies being reduced to forty men. We are pursuing the offensive. On the morning of December 7 the Turkish cruiser Breslau was discovered in the vicinity of Sebastopol. Our cruisers and hydroplanes started in pursuit but before an attack could be made the Breslau disappeared out to sea. GERMAN WARSHIPS LEAVE ATLANTIC.

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 9.—Authentic information has been received here to the effect that the German fleet, finding itself outnumbered, has left these waters for South Africa. The report said the Germans were outmaneuvered by the British and that Japanese warships were coming around from the Pacific.

London, Dec. 9.—A despatch from Copenhagen states that the Kaiser's unexpected return to Berlin from the eastern zone has caused intense disappointment in the German capital, for it was expected he would return at the head of victorious troops. His return is said to have been caused by a uneasiness he felt regarding Russian aeroplanes. Wherever the Kaiser's Russian airmen followed him, the Kaiser is much disheartened over the eastern Prussian situation, especially as he realizes he must depend on Field-Marshal von Hindenburg's strategy, which is not in accord with his own opinions.

London, Dec. 9.—A despatch from the Kaiser's headquarters in the east says: "We shall have a Christmas present for our people, if things go well." His Dismissal Professor.

Berne, Switzerland, Dec. 9.—Professor Laparede, of the University of Geneva, of the minister to Berlin, has been dismissed from the university by the Swiss federal council on the ground that at his expressed views concerning the violation of Belgian neutrality are consistent with the observance of neutrality by Switzerland.

Preroria, via London, Dec. 9.—The circumstances which led the government to announce that General Christian Beyers, a rebel leader, had been killed, are made public today. During a sharp engagement on the banks of the river, Beyers with some others endeavored to cross the river. They were ed on and Beyers was seen to fall in his horse. His body drifted down stream and then disappeared under water. A search is being made for the body.

General Beyers was the only important rebel leader still at large. Continued on page 2, sixth column.

PHILIP AND PHERDINAND WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service. Synopsis—Pressure is very high over dominion, while a shallow depression is the states to the southward of the Lakes region. Cold wintry air is now general in all districts. display of storm signals for the Lakes is discontinued for the season this year.

CALENDAR TIME The Times has received a large calendar with an appropriate illustration, from Roy L. Sippell, provincial manager of the Dominion Life Assurance Company.

OTTY WHITE OF 1ST CONTINGENT OPENS BAZAAR

He is Now a Sergeant at Salisbury Plain — More News From Local Soldiers

Friends of Otty E. White formerly of St. John will be interested to know that since going to England with the first contingent he has been promoted to sergeant. He is mentioned prominently in a recent issue of a London paper under the heading of "Canadian sergeant opens a bazaar at Exeter," for he was present at a fair held by the members of St. James church, Exeter, and being a Canadian, was particularly honored in being asked to preside at the opening of the event. This he did, making a short speech in which he said, according to the newspaper report: "This affair is somewhat out of my line, but I hope the sale will be successful and all the articles being offered of, I now declare the sale officially open and shall make the first purchase myself."

From James Williams A letter from her son, James, a member of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, now at Salisbury Plain, was received today by Mrs. Williams of Broad street. He writes that he is enjoying good health, and that he had just returned after a three days' visit to London where he saw much of what was to be seen. The weather was getting much warmer at the camp but each tent had an oil stove in it so that the boys were quite comfortable.

A letter received a few days ago from her son George H. by Mrs. Alice Todd, Main street, said that he was sick and in hospital. His mother was overjoyed this morning on receiving a cablegram saying that he had fully recovered and had been discharged from the sick list.

ST. JOHN AND THE SAILING OF SECOND CONTINGENT

Hon. J. D. Hazen, who was in command of the St. John contingent, is now in London with respect to the utilization of St. John as a port of embarkation for the second Canadian contingent. He has forwarded a letter to President L. Kelly, under date of December 7, setting out what he is doing all he can to meet the desires of the St. John contingent in this respect. It is Mr. Hazen's intention that a portion, at least, of the Canadian troops will sail from this port. The matter is now being handled by the British War Office.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

Transfers of real estate have been recorded as follows: St. John County—P. S. Applegate to Joan Cairns, 70, property in Lancaster. J. A. Bruce to J. Pennington, property in Simonds. W. F. Hatheway to George Maxwell et al, property at Kennebunk. Margaret McMillan to James Hogan, property in Ludlow street, West St. John. D. B. Tiner to School District No. 8, property in Musquash. Kings County—First Baptist Church to Charles McIntyre, property at Hatfield's Point. The L. Francis to A. R. Everett, property in Westfield. Heirs of D. N. Keith to S. I. Keith, property in Havelock. W. E. Murray to G. B. Huggard, \$2,100, property in Norton. John Somerville to John Norton, \$1,000, property in Springfield. G. W. Bruce to F. F. Marr, property in Havelock.

A BUILDING MATTER

H. B. Whitten appeared in the police court this morning charged with violating the building law by building a bay window on a house at 364 Haymarket square, projecting over the sidewalk and not being provided for in his building permit. G. H. V. Belyea, who appeared for him, said his client had not intended to violate the law, and that others had done the same thing and no action had been taken. Recorder Baxter conducted the prosecution, and said it was the policy of the commissioner of public safety to see that the law was carried out, irrespective of who might violate it in this regard. Commissioner McLellan said he had spoken to Mr. Whitten when he began to build the windows, and that he promised not to proceed any further, but since he had continued the work the action was brought. Mr. Baxter said the city was not anxious to get a conviction, but wanted the matter stopped. The matter was adjourned for a week to give the contractor an opportunity to change his plans.

SECOND BATTERY IN SIXTH ARTILLERY

Sydney, N. S., Dec. 9.—Lieut.-Col. B. S. Ingraham has been notified that a second battery of artillery is to be mobilized in the sixth division. Colonel Ingraham's battery will be known as the 24th. Though Frederick has been stated as the place of mobilization, this point has not yet been decided on.

At Salisbury Plain



Major J. T. McGowan, of St. John, commanding divisional ammunition column, first contingent Canadian Overseas Expeditionary Forces, in drill order as field officer of the day. One of the unfortunate mix-ups which may occur when a large body of men are assembled is described by Major J. T. McGowan in a recent letter from Salisbury Plain. He says:—"One of my men was given leave of absence for a few days and, a couple of days after he left, we received word that he had been injured and taken to the hospital. Next day came the word that he was dead. Notice was sent to his relatives and I was ordered to detail a party to attend the funeral. Before they marched off I told them to make sure of his identity as I had some doubts of it myself. The colonel and adjutant accompanied the party to the hospital about ten miles distant and on arriving there discovered that a mistake had been made and it was not my man at all. In due time our chap came back after enjoying his leave. He is a French-Canadian named J. A. Lafre and his name is identical with that of the man who died."

The Kaiser Has Pneumonia, Say Rumors Today

London, Dec. 9.—Emperor William is suffering from pneumonia, which is combined with nervous depression due to over exertion, according to telegrams from Berlin forwarded by the Amsterdam correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company. The message adds that the German Emperor's doctors have advised him not to return to the front.

CHOLERA NOW IN GERMANY

Rotterdam, Dec. 9.—The Berlin board of health, according to information reaching Rotterdam, reported thirty-six cases of cholera in Germany during November. In Austria, in Galicia, the cholera is spreading rapidly. Eight hundred and forty cases were reported in November. There were ninety deaths in Vienna. In Hungary during the same week, there were 532 cases of cholera.

MRS. DUNHAM MAKES REPLY TO CRITICISMS

The Matter of the Soldiers And a Saloon Near the Armory

Regarding the late, much talked of saloon in Garrison street, near the entrance to the armory, it is only fair to state that during the long period in which the saloon was kept by her late husband and since his death down to the present time, there has not been one single conviction against the premises, and not one single complaint, using that term in its legal sense, lodged; that not in one single instance has it been reported as being open after hours; that frequently the police have acknowledged the assistance given them by the late Mrs. Dunham, and they have said that the premises are conducted in an orderly manner and strictly within the law.

It was said recently that it was found necessary to station sentries at the entrance to prevent soldiers from obtaining access to the premises. Such did not take place, and there was no need thereof—what gave rise to the report was this—In consequence of a disturbance farther up the street, sentries were stationed there to prevent soldiers entering into the house where it had occurred. The premises are in charge of Mrs. Dunham's son Samuel, a sober man, who has for years been a trusted employee of the James Robertson Company, one who, it is held, can be relied on to exercise more than usual care in preventing anything approaching intoxication or disorderly conduct. Mrs. Dunham says that these are facts which she can readily prove if called on to do so. She is living strictly within the law, and thinks she should not be the object of so much adverse, and what she declares is uncalled for criticism.

SMALL PASSENGER LISTS The steamer Hesperian will bring 321 passengers, fourteen first class, 125 second class, and 184 third; the new C. P. R. liner Missanable 303 passengers—123 second class and 180 third, and the Scandinavian 165 passengers, sixty-seven second and ninety-eight third. These lists are small compared to the same period in former years.

Names of Officers Made Known Today

Here Are Members of Colonel McAvity's Staff in 26th Battalion — Additional Appointments of Artillery Officers

The officers of the 26th Infantry Battalion from New Brunswick and P. E. Island have at last been named. For some time the recommendations made by Lieut. Col. J. L. McAvity, who is continued in his post of commander have been in the hands of the militia authorities. This morning came the announcements, which will no doubt be received with popular favor, as with the exception of some junior officers, they are about as had been expected. The Choice. Supporting Lieut. Col. McAvity are A. E. G. McKensie of Campbellton, appointed senior major, and T. Malcolm McAvity junior major. Major Arnold of Sussex is appointed paymaster and Major Murray of Sussex medical officer. Lieut. W. R. Brown, formerly of the imperial service, is confirmed in his position as adjutant, in which capacity he has been serving for some time, and the same is true of Lieut. W. Cheverie, late of the R. G. A. at Halifax, who is appointed quartermaster, and Capt. A. O. Dawson as signalling officer. The names of the company commanders each taking the rank of captain are Guy Gilmeau, Sussex; D. D. McArthur, C. I. Dunfield, F. H. Elliott, W. H. Bell, yes, F. F. May, George Kerfe, and A. McMillan. The list of lieutenants who have been honored with positions in the several companies is: F. A. McKensie, C. E. Fairweather, F. R. Lockhart, P. G. McAvity, A. D. Carter, R. W. Morrison, G. A. Mowat, J. A. McKensie, N. MacFarlane, C. F. Leonard, W. C. Lawson, H. W. Ferguson, J. A. Legere, G. M. Johnston, D. C. Sherrin and C. D. Knowlton. Congratulations were today extended to the ones fortunate enough in being selected for the overseas service. The majority of the officers appointed have been on duty in the home defence for some time besides having had considerable military experience in the several provincial infantry regiments. There is a surplus of applicants seeking commissions in this position in which, since it was a provincial regiment it was essential that there should be representatives from different sections. The appointments, while termed "provisional" will probably be ratified in a few days—at any rate they will serve to create renewed interest and instill stimulated vigor in the work of fitting the 26th for active service overseas.

KAISER'S SON RESCUED BY DARING AVIATOR

Swoops Down and Saves Joachim as He and Troops Are Surrounded by Russians

Petrograd, Dec. 9.—A curious story of the Kaiser's youngest son, Prince Joachim, is told by a wounded Prussian lieutenant. He says that at the battle on November 24, the prince was in command of a German force which occupied a village after driving the Russians from it. The Kaiser's troops, however, received reinforcements and recaptured the place after a rough fight. When the prince heard of the capture, he jumped on a horse and galloped off after the retreating troops. Three aeroplanes were circling above to rescue the prince. Two that attempted to descend came into the Russian fire and were disabled. The prince was found by a German troop, completely surrounded by Russians and his position seemed very critical. Just in time the third machine came down near him, taking a seat thereon, the prince was borne away to safety.

PAY A PLEASANT VISIT TO FAIRVILLE BROTHERHOOD

Last evening the Fairville Brotherhood entertained members of Century Brotherhood, the latter society turning out a fine force. All enjoyed a royal time. The chair was occupied by Stephen H. Shaw, president of the Fairville Brotherhood, supported by Rev. Gilbert Barbour, after opening exercises, G. Ernest Barbour, president of the Century Brotherhood was elected an honorary member of the Fairville organization, amid generous applause. Rev. Mr. Earle in a bright speech referred to Fairville as separate from the city, not only by nature but civic government. He alluded to the many excellent features of Lancaster and predicted a large residential section in a few years. The following programme was then rendered: Male quartette—Messrs Walter Merrill, H. M. Stout, Samuel Cough, Wm. McAuley and S. M. Stout; violin solo, Dr. John Leonard; travel talk, Ecclesiastical Architecture in Old Country, illustrated with reflector, Rev. Gilbert Earle, assisted by Rev. W. H. Barbour; vocal trio, Stout Brothers; vocal solo, Dr. J. Leonard. H. V. McKinnon at this point was invited to the piano and patriotic choruses were joyfully sung by the entire gathering. Refreshments followed and Auld Lang Syne and the national anthem brought a most successful meeting to a close. The room had been very tastefully decorated for the occasion by an energetic committee whose work was generally commented upon.

LEG AMPUTATED

Simple Accident Becomes Serious in Case of Metcalf Street Man Friends of Hugh Andrews of Metcalf street will hear with regret of his having contracted blood poison in one of his legs, so that amputation below the knee was deemed necessary. The operation was performed by the German ambassador. The development of the poisoning was very simple, being caused by his having stubbed his toe against a nail, and the resultant scratch became infected.

FLAT DENIAL OF CHARGE MADE BY VERSATILE GERMAN AMBASSADOR

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—Count Bernstorff's charge that ammunition with whom bullets has been sent from Bridgeport to Canada for the use of the Canadian British troops is denied here. Major General Hughes, who is responsible for all such purchases, said this morning: "There is not the slightest truth in this statement by the German ambassador. No moushroom or soft nose bullets have been obtained by Canada or the British government from the United States."

M. E. AGAR IS LIKELY NEW MEMBER OF HOSPITAL BOARD

It is understood that Miles E. Agar has been recommended by the city and county members of the legislature for appointment by the government to the vacancy on the staff of the general hospital caused by the death of John McGoldrick.

DO NOT APPROVE OF NAVAL OPERATIONS IN AMERICAN WATERS

Washington, Dec. 9.—An informal conference was begun here today by a special commission of the governing board of the Pan-American Union with a view to working out plans for the solution of problems arising from the operations of belligerent warships in North and South American waters. The commission was appointed yesterday at a conference of diplomatic representatives of the twenty nations of the Western Hemisphere, when resolutions were adopted expressing disapproval of operations of the belligerent nations in American waters.

FREDERICTON HEARS THERE IS HITCH OVER OPERATION OF VALLEY RAILWAY BY I. C. R.

Fredricton, N. B., December 9.—According to a report in circulation here, the Intercolonial authorities have refused to operate the Valley Railway on a basis of fifty per cent.

Manufacturers' convention in Amherst on December 17. A committee was appointed to prepare a resolution urging the Intercolonial authorities to operate the Valley Railway.

THE FUNDS

Subscriptions to the Canadian Patriotic Fund have been received by the treasurer, C. B. Allan, as follows from Albert county:—

Riverside, N. B., \$824; Elgin, N. B., \$266.60; Pleasant Vale, N. B., \$11; Minerva and West River, N. B., \$88.75; Harvey, N. B., \$107.75; Point Wolfe, N. B., \$7; Haslings, N. B., \$14; Alma, N. B., \$22.75; Hopewell Hill, N. B., \$102; Hopewell Cape, N. B., \$183.

For the Belgians. Mayor Frink has received subscriptions to the Belgian Relief Fund as follows:—Mrs. C. B. Barker, Mauderville, \$5; Miss Clara L. Barker, Mauderville, \$5; parishioners of St. Peter's church, Caraquet, \$218.50; parishioners Lower Caraquet, per Rev. J. L. Garro, \$34.30; Col. F. L. Alexander and family, Fredericton Junction, \$5; M. G. R. Club, per F. E. Elkin, \$1; H. A. Steele, \$3; Fort Cumberland Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, Moncton, per Mrs. C. T. Purdy, honorary secretary and Mrs. H. H. Chandler, regent, \$1,023.80; social at Lindsay, Carleton county, per G. A. Thomas, \$64; from Riverside, Albert county, per Hon. A. R. McClean, as follows:—Mrs. Mariner Downie, \$31; Guilford B. Peck, \$5; T. Henry McClean, \$5; Mrs. Margaret Copp, \$2; James Welland, \$1; James Brewster, \$0; proceeds Alma concert, \$70.80; per J. E. Fullerton, \$4; A. F. & A. M., Albert Lodge, No. 84, N. B., \$25; Miss Brodie, St. John, \$5; William Brodie, \$25; people of Knoxford, N. B., per Harvey Wheeler, \$186.65; Mrs. C. Watling, for Campbellton Sunday school, gifts of clothing and cash, \$50.

FUR COAT STOLEN

Theft in Petitcodiac—Mrs. James Doull dead in Moncton

Moncton, N. B., Dec. 9.—The Moncton police have been asked to assist in the search for a valuable fur coat stolen last evening. The coat was on exhibition outside the building.

The death of Mrs. James Doull occurred in the hospital here yesterday. She was thirty-nine years of age. She is survived by her husband and five children. She was formerly Miss Florence Weatherbee of Humphreys'.

SOME BELGIANS, SAYS CALBE, ARE INCLINED TO LOOK A GIFT HORSE IN THE MOUTH

Montreal, Dec. 9.—A Gazette cable from London says:—"Some of the Belgian refugees evidently ignore the proverb about not looking a gift horse in the mouth, as difficulty is being experienced by the War Refugees' Committee in pleasing the better class of refugees with the temporary houses offered them. This class, coming mostly from Brussels, Antwerp and Ostend, show such a marked preference for metropolitan life that they will not accept the hospitality of homes in the country, or in the provincial towns, others of which, owing to the organizing committees efforts, are very numerous. The committee also finds that single men are not wanted in these homes, as most of the pity felt for the people is aroused by the plight of women with families.

WIMBORNE NEW LORD LIEUTENANT OF IRELAND?

Dublin, Dec. 9.—The Freeman's Journal reports that Baron Wimborne probably will succeed the Earl of Aberdeen as Lord Lieutenant of Ireland early in the new year.

MARRIAGES

LINTON-McRAE—At Victoria street Baptist parsonage, by Rev. B. H. Nobles, on Dec. 9, 1914, Samuel Linton, of Grand Bay, to Sarah McRae, of this city.

DEATHS

HENDERSON—At Dunkirk, N. Y., on Tuesday, Dec. 1, James Henderson, aged sixty-one years, a native of St. John, N. B., leaving a wife and seven children.

IN MEMORIAM

HEENAN—In loving memory of Harry F. Heenan, who died Dec. 9, 1909.

MONUMENTS

And All Kinds of Cemetery Work. McGRATTAN & SONS. Wholesale and Retail Granite Manufacturers. St. John Office, 55 Spring St. Phone M 2250

WHOLE PLAY AT IMPERIAL TONIGHT

"The House Next Door" a Veritable Triumph in Silent Drama

Recollections of the remarkable photographs "The Lion and the Mouse," "The Third Degree," "Daughters of Men," and "When the Earth Trembled," are still fresh in the minds of the people of St. John. These were Lubin productions of remarkable merit, and rank among the best things yet filmed.

This mammoth production is from the story by J. Hartley Manners, a writer of the islands were sighted by Captain Cook 150 years ago, and by other explorers since, it is declared that the members of the Laddie expedition were the first white men to land there.

FEARFUL MINE DISASTER

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 9.—Nine men were killed and five seriously injured in the Diamond Colliery here today. They were descending the shaft to go to work when one of them dropped a stick of dynamite. It exploded, tearing the bottom out of the carriage and dropping the men to the bottom of the mine.

FIRST WHITE MEN TO LAND; FIND FOXES, HARES AND GEESSE

St. John's Nfld., Dec. 9.—The Bellin Islands, some eighty miles off the southeast coast of Hudson Bay, long charted but little known, were visited last September by an exploring party on the Newfoundland schooner Laddie. Members have just arrived here. Although the islands were sighted by Captain Cook 150 years ago, and by other explorers since, it is declared that the members of the Laddie expedition were the first white men to land there.

RECENT DEATHS

On Monday evening the death of James M. Steeves occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. A. Schock, Moncton. His home was in Dover.

MINES NOW IN SWEDISH WATERS

Stockholm, Dec. 9.—The Swedish Press is very indignant over the planting of floating mines along the coast of Finland, which has resulted so far in the loss of three large Swedish steamers and the drowning of upwards of five men. Captains of Swedish steamers reaching here say they saw German warships near the Finnish coast on Saturday and Sunday, consequently the strewing of mines in these waters is charged to the Germans.

KNIVES AND FORKS AGAIN FOR CONVICTS

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 9.—As another result of the penitentiary investigation held last fall, the convicts in the Portmouth institution no longer eat their food out of their hands, but are supplied with knives, forks, and spoons. They have formerly been allowed to eat their meals in a large dining room, and to use knives, forks, etc., but about fifteen years ago owing to a plot to kill the guards and escape, the privilege was discontinued.

THE GRAIN MARKET

Chicago, Dec. 9.—After opening 1-8 to 8-8 higher, wheat reacted a little but then again hardened. Corn weakened under selling led by a prominent speculator. Wet weather that promised to lessen the movement from first hands, formed only a temporary prop to the market. The opening, which varied from a shade to a quarter higher, was followed by a set-back all round.

USE THE WANT AD. WAY

John Kilburn, veteran lumberman, is in St. John today. He says that the lumberman want now is in the headwaters of the St. John. He has a large number of jobbers in the woods and expects to get out about five million feet. He will have the cut of two seasons to bring out next spring.

LUMBER NOTES

Elwood Burt, lumberman of Burt's Keswick this season on operations on the same scale as last season. He expects that his total cut will be in the neighborhood of three million feet.

DOMINION ALLIANCE

Proceedings of New Brunswick Branch Session Here—The Reports

With the president, C. W. Weyman of Sussex, in the chair, the annual meeting of the New Brunswick branch of the Dominion Alliance was held today, opening this morning with prayer by Rev. J. J. Belyea, of Fredericton Junction.

The report of the executive of the Dominion Alliance was held today, opening this morning with prayer by Rev. J. J. Belyea, of Fredericton Junction. The meetings are being held in Christadelphian Hall, Union street.

E. N. Stockford and W. B. Evans were appointed a credential committee. The general public and our customers are hereby notified that the Oxygen Fire Control Co. have removed to 46 Princess street. Phone Main 915-21.

TRY THIS TEST Buy a pair of "Humphreys' Solids" for one of your boys and a pair of shoes they will spend the winter with boy. Examine shoes each month—the solids will stand re-sooling and give better results.

TURKEY SUPPER AT WANAMAKER'S Turkey supper at Wanamaker's tonight, from 5 to 7.

SHOES There's no uncertainty about shoes that come from this store. They're always right in style, quality and price.—Wiscel's Cash Stores, Union St.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR IN VARIOUS GOOD QUALITIES, 45c. to \$2., at Wiscel's Cash Stores, 248-247 Union street.

CANADIAN CLUB TOMORROW J. W. Flavell of Toronto will address the Canadian Club at a luncheon at Bond's at half past twelve o'clock tomorrow. The subject will be "War and Finance in England and Canada."

ARRIVED AT ST. STEPHEN Two Canadian schooners arrived at St. Stephen on Monday, the Effort from Hillsboro, N. B., with a cargo of plaster for the Donnan Fertilizer Company, and the King Joshua from Parrsboro, N. S., with coal for Ganong Bros.

LITTLE ONE DEAD The sympathy of many friends is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Emerson, 137 Main street, in the loss of their little daughter, aged two years and six months. The burial took place this morning in the new Catholic cemetery.

SOUTH FOR THE WINTER Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Crandall, of Moncton, who have been spending the past six months with their daughter, Mrs. L. O. Bradshaw, of Petitcodiac, N. B., left yesterday for Columbia City, S. C., where they will spend the winter with their son, D. H. Crandall. They will be joined at New York by their grand-daughter, Miss Evelyn Bradshaw, who has been absent a few days there at the home of her uncle, N. F. Bradshaw. She will accompany Mr. and Mrs. Crandall.

TEA AND SALE HELD A successful tea and sale under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society was held in Portland Methodist school room last evening. For attendance was even better than was expected and an enjoyable time was spent by all. A good sum was realized to go towards church purposes.

A WELCOME TO YOU At this season everyone is naturally thinking of Christmas and trying to do something for mother, sister or sweetheart. You know they would appreciate something in cut glass, art ware, fine china, or an electric lamp stand and shade, so why not go to W. H. Hayward Company, Limited, 88-93 Princess street and see the wonderfully complete displays. If you wish to achieve a prolonged peace, for our services are stronger than those of our enemy.

REV. F. S. PORTER APPLIES TO BE CHAPLAIN WITH THE THIRD CONTINGENT (Maritime Baptist) Last Sunday morning a large detachment of troops from the 24th Battalion, now mobilized in St. John, paraded to German street church, and were addressed by the chaplain, Rev. J. H. MacDonald, who has been appointed to officiate with the second Canadian overseas contingent. The pastor of the church, Rev. F. S. Porter, who conducted the service has made applications for an appointment as chaplain in the next contingent, as has also Rev. W. F. Parker, president of the United Baptist convention for the current year. It is worthy of note that German street church has already given more than twenty men for overseas service.

LADY DECES, WHO WAS MISS GOULD OF NEW YORK; STRUCK BY SPLINTER FROM BOMB London, Dec. 9.—A despatch from Denkirik to the Westminster Gazette tells of the wounding of Lady Deces, formerly Miss Vivian Gould of New York, by a German aero recently. It says:—"On the occasion of the last visit of a Taube, one of the bombs killed a woman and wounded a young girl so her arm had to be amputated. Lady Deces, who has been doing hard Red Cross work ever since she was passing and was struck on the shoulder by a splinter of iron. As long as she lives she will carry the mark as a memento."

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DON'T FORGET The sale of light work, home-cooking, candy, etc., at store 96 Princess street, tomorrow, Thursday, Dec. 10, from 8 to 9 by the ladies' aid of Carmarthen street Methodist church, useful Xmas gifts for sale.

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ANOTHER INTEREST PAYMENT. At the rate of eight per cent will be received January 2 by holders of Gibson & Co., Ltd. debentures.

REMOVAL NOTICE The general public and our customers are hereby notified that the Oxygen Fire Control Co. have removed to 46 Princess street. Phone Main 915-21.

TRY THIS TEST Buy a pair of "Humphreys' Solids" for one of your boys and a pair of shoes they will spend the winter with boy. Examine shoes each month—the solids will stand re-sooling and give better results.

TURKEY SUPPER AT WANAMAKER'S Turkey supper at Wanamaker's tonight, from 5 to 7.

SHOES There's no uncertainty about shoes that come from this store. They're always right in style, quality and price.—Wiscel's Cash Stores, Union St.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR IN VARIOUS GOOD QUALITIES, 45c. to \$2., at Wiscel's Cash Stores, 248-247 Union street.

CANADIAN CLUB TOMORROW J. W. Flavell of Toronto will address the Canadian Club at a luncheon at Bond's at half past twelve o'clock tomorrow. The subject will be "War and Finance in England and Canada."

ARRIVED AT ST. STEPHEN Two Canadian schooners arrived at St. Stephen on Monday, the Effort from Hillsboro, N. B., with a cargo of plaster for the Donnan Fertilizer Company, and the King Joshua from Parrsboro, N. S., with coal for Ganong Bros.

LITTLE ONE DEAD The sympathy of many friends is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Emerson, 137 Main street, in the loss of their little daughter, aged two years and six months. The burial took place this morning in the new Catholic cemetery.

SOUTH FOR THE WINTER Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Crandall, of Moncton, who have been spending the past six months with their daughter, Mrs. L. O. Bradshaw, of Petitcodiac, N. B., left yesterday for Columbia City, S. C., where they will spend the winter with their son, D. H. Crandall. They will be joined at New York by their grand-daughter, Miss Evelyn Bradshaw, who has been absent a few days there at the home of her uncle, N. F. Bradshaw. She will accompany Mr. and Mrs. Crandall.

TEA AND SALE HELD A successful tea and sale under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society was held in Portland Methodist school room last evening. For attendance was even better than was expected and an enjoyable time was spent by all. A good sum was realized to go towards church purposes.

A WELCOME TO YOU At this season everyone is naturally thinking of Christmas and trying to do something for mother, sister or sweetheart. You know they would appreciate something in cut glass, art ware, fine china, or an electric lamp stand and shade, so why not go to W. H. Hayward Company, Limited, 88-93 Princess street and see the wonderfully complete displays. If you wish to achieve a prolonged peace, for our services are stronger than those of our enemy.

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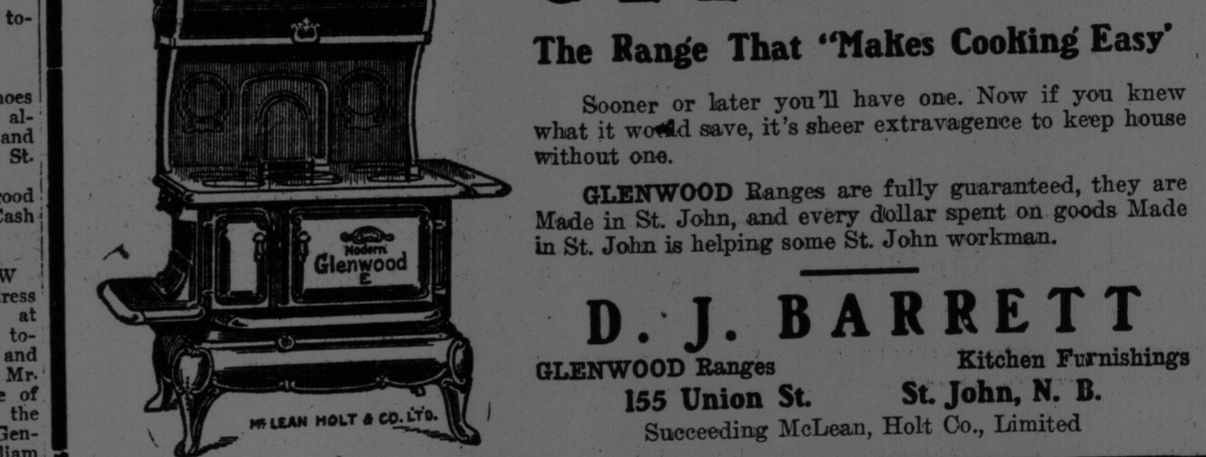


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THE WAR

(Continued from page 1) "Holy War" in Germany

Paris, Dec. 9.—"Holy War" is being preached in every church in Germany. Mystic, exalting services are held, marked by devout thanksgiving for German feats of arms and supplications to the Almighty for the Kaiser's triumph.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

CHRISTMAS SALE of Fancy Work, Fruit and other Cakes, Doughnuts, Mince and Lemon Pies. Orders taken.—Women's Exchange, Tea and Lunch Room, 158 Union street.

COAL! COAL!

Scotch and American Anthracite Minudie, Broad Cove, and Sydney soft coal by the ton, load, barrel or bag. FORD H. LOGAN 90-93 City Road. Tel. Main 2175-41

BOARDS WANTED, 115 Metcalf 18568-12-10

FOR RENT—Suite 4 rooms, electric lights, use of bath, 52 Dorchester 1557-12-10

ERRAND BOY Wanted, Apply W. F. Hayward Co., 85 Princess street. 12-11

FOUND—Sum of money, dropped store, Tuesday, 8th. Apply F. Daniel Co. 18565-12-11

FOR SALE—Horse, sound and kind weight 1250. Will sell low. Short Stable, Princess street, City. 18564-12-12

WANTED—At once, until May 1st, furnished flat of 5 or 6 rooms; mrm. improv. for family of two. F. S. Elliott, care Times. 18568-12-14

WANTED—A young man to act as invoice clerk in wholesale establishment. Must be quick and active at figures. Apply with references and state wages expected to Box 191, Times Office. 18558-12-12

WANTED—Salesman. Three good canvassers can make permanent connection with first class specialty house with good city trade. Previous experience not necessary. Write full particulars to Box 50, Times. 18562-12-10

TO LET—House, 10 rooms, cor. St. James and Albert streets. Best West Side improvements. Can be occupied at once. Apply James Wilson Phone Main 233-21, Canada Life Bldg 60-62 Prince William street. 19561-12-16

FOR SALE—Dry small birch, sawed \$3 or \$1.75 in four foot lengths. Dry soft wood, \$1 a cart box, \$1.60 a load Pine Kindling, 40 cents a crate, 55 cents a dozen bundles. Spruce Kindling, \$1 cart box, \$1.75 a load, 45 cents a dozen bundles. Light Self-feeder with charcoal. Winter Port Coal, \$2.75 per half ton, \$10 for two tons delivered. G. Gibson & Co., Ltd., 1 Union street, 67, Charlotte street; Tel. Main 2636. 18560-12-10

BURIED TODAY The funeral of James Dowling was held this afternoon from his late residence, 190 Union street, to the Catholic church where service was conducted by Rev. Miles P. Howland. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery at Golden Grove. The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Gill was held this morning from her late residence, 45 Harrison street. The body was taken to St. Peter's church where His Mass of Requiem was conducted by Rev. E. J. Walsh, C. S. S. R. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery. Six gram sons were pall bearers and the funeral was attended by a large number of friends.

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LADIES' AID TEA The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church served tea in the vestry of the church last evening. There was a large attendance. After a very pleasant social hour, patriotic songs were sung. Miss Belle Sinclair presiding at the piano. Solos were rendered by Miss Patty Pans, Jelly Roll Fruit Pies, Fresh Roast Pork, Chicken Pies. Orders taken for Fancy Christmas Cakes and Plum Puddings. Nothing but home cooking done at this store. C. DENNISON, 61 Petes St. Phone 1936-42.

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DEPOSIT

**\$8.75**

with us then take out one of our Men's Regular \$12.00 and \$13.50 Overcoats

If you are not satisfied with your purchase come back and we will refund the money.

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**Great Bargains in Used Upright Pianos**

1—By Thomas Jacobs, nice little piano for a child to practice on. Original price \$800.00, now \$60.00. Terms: \$10.00 down, and \$4.00 per month.

2—By George Anderson, good tone, and nice action. Original price \$900.00, now \$65.00. Terms: \$3.00 down and \$4.00 per month.

3—By D'Almeida & Company nice little upright piano, \$35.00. Terms \$6.00 down and \$3.00 per month.

Also two or three good bargains in second hand organs on very easy terms to clear before the end of the year. Telephone or write us, or call for full particulars.

**The C. H. Townshend Piano Co.**

16 KING STREET ST. JOHN, N. B.

For Belgian Fund

About \$80 for the Belgian fund was used at a concert held last evening under the direction of Miss Muriel McIntyre at the home of Peter McIntyre, main street. Those who assisted were Miss Sadie Cohen, Miss Marion Patterson, Miss Marjorie Robinson, Miss Rene Hippie, Master James Buchanan, Miss Oberst and Miss Marie Hart.

**\$15,000 STOCK SALE.**

Ladies' misses' and children's wear, men's and boys' clothing, boots, shoes, etc. etc. Come to the great "transfer sale," 207 Union street. Prices list astonish you. Don't delay.

Rev. Dr. MacVicar, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, delivered an interesting lecture on Homan, China, here the bi-monthly meeting of the Sunday School Teacher's Association of the Church of England, which was held in St. Luke's school room last evening. Rev. G. A. Kahring presided.

**A NEWSY ITEM.**

Among the happenings in St. John the "Great Transfer Sale" must rank first. The prices charged for men's, women's and children's clothing and furnishings are cut down in a remarkable manner. Take the opportunity now offered to secure more than value for your money, at 207 Union street.

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**London's Beauty Writers**

Weekly Selections from Noted Beauty Experts Writing for the English Press. Simple and Effective Methods.

By **OSGA AMBELL**, Special Correspondent, London, Eng.

Each week in this department I will endeavor, by careful clipping from the London papers, to keep my Colonial readers informed on the latest and best advice of the London beauty experts. Owing to the persistent demand most space to the papers and periodicals are now devoting much space to the analysis and comparison of methods most efficient for removing facial blemishes and skin eruptions. Any of the ingredients mentioned could be obtained from Canadian chemists or druggists, so I am told. Look out for more hints next week. I shall endeavor to keep right up to date.

**Hair on Face, Neck or Arms.**

Any woman wishing to rid herself of an unsightly hairy growth will be glad to know that plain powdered phenol will completely and quickly banish the coarsest, thickest hair, as well as the softest, without injury to any skin. As mentioned in my last issue, the most popular and most successful hair-removal cream, most druggists carry it in the mixed package. A little of it should be applied directly to the hair. In two or three minutes when the paste is removed, a clean, smooth, hair-free face, neck and arms will be found entirely hair-free, smooth and spotless.

**Scanty Eyebrows and Lashes.**

What a wealth of expression can be given to an otherwise plain face by fine arching eyebrows and long curling lashes! Much care should be exercised, however, in choosing a pomade for promoting the growth of either, as it is practically impossible to keep the lids tightly closed when treating the lashes. Mennaline has the advantage of being perfectly harmless, and at the same time a healthy stimulant to the hair follicles. Its use tends to darken the new growth, which is what most women desire.

**Don't Rub Your Hair.**

Scalp massage is a very good thing only if it is done properly. But the usual method of rubbing the scalp causes the hair to grind against each other, thus bruising and often destroying the outer casing of the hair. The correct method is to press the finger tips firmly on the scalp and with a circular motion work the scalp gently about without letting the fingers slip over the surface. This prevents the hairs being forcibly rubbed together in the injurious manner described. Dandruff, the greatest enemy to the hair, is best removed by a simple tonic which can be easily made up at home, and need be only occasionally applied to the scalp at night with the shampoo. From your druggist get one-fourth pint bay rum and about an ounce of pure borax and mix together. This pleasant solution is very beneficial to the hair. It quickly clears the scalp of the injurious dandruff, and immediately stimulates the hair roots.

**About Shampooing.**

Even the best shampoo is somewhat drying, and if the hair is not naturally oily, I suggest that just before the shampoo, you apply olive oil to the scalp, rubbing it into the hair roots vigorously. Then use pure talcum for the shampoo. Dissolve a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water. This will leave the hair very clean, soft and fluffy.

**Is Powder Necessary?**

say emphatically, no. There is a ple lotion which can be easily and applied made at home and it is at the time both effective and beneficial to the complexion. Cleanliness and beneficial attitude for face powder, which is at the bottom of many complexion troubles, about an ounce from the druggist and dissolve in four tablespoonfuls of water. The result is a fine clear liquid which gently gives the face, neck or arms a peach-like bloom of perfect health. It is nothing to equal it for greasy and the result lasts all day long the most trying conditions. Try it next dance.

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**VISIT THE SAN FRANCISCO EXPOSITION FREE**

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In Parian Ivory and Ebony, Hair Brushes, Cloth, Hat, Nail and Military. In the latter we have some quite unique styles which would make a most acceptable present for your soldier friend.

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**Don't Delay, Buy Now and Save Money by Buying at the 2 Barkers' Limited**

Cleaned Currants, 7 1/2% pkgs. Finest Cleaned Grecian Currants, 9c. pkgs. Santa Claus Raisins, 1 lb. pkgs, 9c. New Lemon Peel, Per lb., 14c. New Orange Peel, Per lb., 14c. New Citron, Per lb., 20c. New Figs (Caramel Brand), Per lb., 15c. New Prunes, Per lb., 10c. Evaporated Peaches, 2 lbs. for 25c. Strathcona Best Family Flour, Only \$6.60 bbl. Chariot, No. 1 Manitoba Wheat, \$7.45 bbl.

**EXTRA SPECIAL ON CANNED GOODS**

New Canned Tomatoes, Per doz., \$1.10  
New Canned Corn, 9c. tin, Per doz., 95c.  
New Canned Peas, 8c. tin, Per doz., 90c.  
14 1/2 lbs. XXX Granulated Sugar, \$1.00  
Potatoes, Only 15c. peck  
Apples, From 15c. peck up  
3 bottles Extract Lemon or Vanilla, 25c.  
3 bottles Worcester Sauce, 25c.  
3 bottles Tomato Catsup, 25c.

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**32 Charlotte Street**

**WHAT CAUSES COLDS?**

This question and "How to Prevent Colds" is asked a thousand times every day. A cold is really a fever, not always caused by the weather but due to a disordered condition of the blood or lack of important food-elements. In changing seasons food-fats are essential because they distribute heat by enriching the blood and so render the body better able to withstand the varying elements.

This is the underlying reason why the medicinal fats in Scott's Emulsion quickly overcome colds and build strength to prevent more serious sickness. It contains nature's medicinal fats, so skillfully prepared that the blood profits from every drop, and it is totally free from harmful drugs.

**FOR HER CHRISTMAS PRESENT**

Nothing could be nicer than a half dozen of these knives, forks or teaspoons, and nobody says any nicer flat ware than we do. We will be pleased to show you this ware if you will call at Crowlindes, the Plater's, Waterloo street.

**COST OF LIVING REDUCED.**

Take the opportunity now offered by "The Hub" closing out sale. The entire stock of men's and boys' clothing and furnishings must be cleared out immediately. All prices cut to pieces. Grasp your chance now while the iron is hot, 32 Charlotte street, Open evenings.

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"The Hub" is closing out Men's and boys' clothing, furnishings, headwear, footwear, trunks, suit cases, etc. A \$100.00 stock to be cleared. Everything must be sold. Prices reduced 35 to 50 per cent. Follow the crowds to 32 Charlotte street. Store open every evening.

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enter into every pair of glasses we make.

We are at all times conscious of the responsibilities placed on us when you come to us for glasses.

That is why we are so careful and thorough in our examinations and in making and fitting your glasses.

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Optometrist and Optician

38 Dock St.—111 Charlotte St. opp. Dufferin Hotel

**LOCAL NEWS**

**TEA AND SALE**

The senior mission band of Calvin church will hold a sale and tea Thursday afternoon and evening. Tea served from 4 to 8. A good place to buy Xmas gifts.

The historical books of the Bible, was the subject of a very helpful study conducted by Rev. R. J. Haughton at the City Training Institute for Sunday school workers last evening.

Leinster Street Baptist Church annual Christmas tea and sale Thursday, 10th inst., 4.30 till 9.30.

**DON'T BE TOO LATE.**

The greatest bargains ever offered are to be had at the "Great Transfer" sale, 207 Union street; \$15,000 stock must go.

**AN OPPORTUNE SALE.**

An opportune sale of warm comforts at \$1.98, at Daniel's on Thursday. A fortunate purchase of comforts to present, just as the cold weather is setting in. They are of very neat; paley chintz and silklike comforts, some with panels of plain colored satens. Most popular colors. All one price. Quantity limited, so order at once.

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Branch 423 C. M. B. A., has elected; Chancellor, Thos. McCarthy; president, James Powers; first vice-president, Edward Noonan; second vice-president, D. J. Steel; secretary, Clement Murphy; assistant, John Hillis; financial secretary, Leo Conlogue; treasurer, Leo Maloney; marshal, Louis Murphy; trustees—B. Kaecland, Louis Phillips, A. Trainer, Maurice Garvin and John T. Murphy.

The Allies are smashing the Germans. We are smashing "The Hub," 32 Charlotte street. Open evenings.

A carpenter working on one of the Donaldson's on Monday evening had a narrow escape from drowning when he missed his footing on the gang plank and fell into the water. He clung to a deal which he was carrying and was able to keep afloat until he was rescued.

Try the Union Wet Wash. Phone 1862 for quick delivery.

**HUB, HUB, HUB!**

WHAT A HUBBUB!

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Come now so that we can give you the required attention; open each evening. The Conlon Studio, Phone Main 1689-21.

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**PARDON**

Mr. Workingman. May I hit you in the eye with this hard fact. No matter what you get, there is not a boot in the dominion to equal Brindle's Belknap. Waterproof and solid leather, 227 Union; Phone 104-21. Rtpairs unequalled.

Come to the "Transfer Sale" and save money on your Christmas shopping, 207 Union street. Open evenings.

Tapoca Pudding.—To one quart of milk add two large table-spoons of PURE GOLD Quick Tapioca, two well beaten eggs, in two-thirds cup of sugar, little salt, and nutmeg. Bake a half hour, and stir often when baking.

A Norwegian sailor mistook the cap of South Wharf last evening for his boarding house and walked off into the water. He soon discovered his mistake and shouted for assistance. He was rescued from the icy water and taken to his boarding house.

**IT'S ESSENTIAL TO KNOW**

For the people that are looking for nice Christmas things to call at Bracer's, the house of ladies' or gent's custom-made or ready to wear clothing girls' furnishings, etc., where you can open a charge account for \$1 per week. —185-187 Union street.

**DO YOU KNOW?**

No. Well let us tell you the greatest bargains are to be had at the "Great Transfer Sale," 207 Union street.

The 2-Barkers' Ltd., 100 Princess street are selling good apples at \$1 a bbl. up; best Manitoba flour \$7.15; best blends flour \$6.60.

Great bargains in dolls, toys, books, games and fancy goods at the 2-Barkers Ltd., 100 Princess street.

**Useful Household Articles**

The Useful Gift is Always in Good Taste.

**Bread Makers**

A Gift that is sure to be received with the greatest of pleasure by any housewife.

4-Loaf size .....\$2.25  
6-Loaf size ..... 2.60

**Climax Food Choppers**

A household necessity that, once used, no housewife would want to be without.

Prices .....\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50

**Bread Boards**

10 1/2 inch, round .....60c.  
11 inch, round ..... 90c.  
12 inch, hexagon .....\$1.00

**Bread Knives**

6 inch Plated Blade .....50c.  
6 inch Plain Blade .....30c.

**Vacuum Bottles**

**THERMOS.**

PINTS \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.75.  
QUARTS \$2.25, \$3.25, \$4.00  
ALBLO  
1 pint .....\$1.00  
1 1/2 pint ..... 1.75

**The Beers Electric Lantern**

The Beers Electric Lantern is something everybody needs. It uses an ordinary dry cell battery and gives from six months' to one year's service from one battery at a cost of 25c. Will burn continuously for 100 hours or intermittently as desired.

Price Complete With Battery Pressed Steel Black Rubber Finish .....\$2.00

Sent by Parcel Post, insured, anywhere in Canada for 25c. extra.

**Alarm Clocks**

**BIG BEN**  
Nickel Plated or Brass.....\$3.00

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Other Good Alarms from 90c. to \$1.40.

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PARLOR RUGS—27x54 inches ..... From \$2.25 to \$3.00 each  
ROMAN STRIPED COUCH COVERS—3 yards long by 54 inches...\$1.50 each  
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OUR SPECIAL COCOA DOOR MATT—14 x 24 inches .....30c. each  
GREAT VALUE IN MILL REMNANTS.

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**OPENING OF NEW DOCKS**

**Thursday December 10th.**

West St. John 3.30 O'clock.

BY

**Hon. J. D. Hazen - Hon. Robert Rogers**

AND

**Sir Thomas Shaughnessey**

The citizens of St. John are invited to attend and participate in the ceremonies which will mark the completion of one of the most extensive Harbor Improvement Works yet undertaken in Canada.

A FREE SPECIAL TRAIN has been provided by the Maritime Dredging and Construction Co., running direct to the wharves, leaving I. C. R. Station at 2.30 p.m., returning at 4.30 p.m.

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THE WAR NEWS.

It is officially announced in Berlin that Emperor William is suffering from a febrile bronchial catarrh, and must postpone for some days at least his return to the battle-front. The war-lord has displayed remarkable energy since the war began, and the strain is now beginning to tell. What is true of him concerning his personal health is true of his armies in relation to their general condition. Despite the vigorous offensive they are maintaining in Poland, and their continued but feeble efforts to break through the French and British lines in the west, they have been greatly weakened. It is officially declared in Petrograd that though the Germans have occupied Lods the Russians have won a great victory near that city, and that the Germans barely succeeded in preventing the defeat from becoming an overwhelming disaster. Lieut.-Col. Rousset, a French observer, believes the time is near when the Allies both in the east and the west will be able to strike the blow for which they have been preparing for the last four months.

Interesting items of today's news are the announcement of the death of the rebel leader, General Beyers in South Africa, and that by the Japanese minister of marine to the effect that the Japanese navy will continue its duties while the war lasts, and that it is now seeking the German cruiser in South America waters. From Austria comes official news that the Vienna hospitals, with at least double that number slightly wounded or convalescent. The problem of taking care of the Belgian sick and wounded in England and France was the subject of a conference yesterday between members of the Belgian government and Lord Kitchener. The condition of the Belgian people is pitiable in the extreme, and must appeal to the practical sympathy of the people of Canada and the United States, but especially Canada, as well as of the United Kingdom.

FOR LASTING PEACE

If there is to be lasting peace in Europe after this war, it is most desirable that there should be such a revision of national boundaries in the Balkan countries as will end or at least minimize the bitterness and jealousies of past years. Nothing could be more useful in the interests of permanent peace than an amicable settlement of the differences between Serbia, Bulgaria, Roumania and Greece. Sometimes one and sometimes another of these nations has had a grievance, and now, with Turkey eliminated, as she will be as a factor in the affairs of Central Europe, the time is opportune for such readjustments and understandings as will make national boundaries follow racial lines as nearly as possible. This, with the restoration of Poland and the complete overthrow of German militarism, would make a new Europe. It is always difficult to suppress international jealousies, and the task which confronts the statesmen of Europe now, end will confront them at the close of the war, calls for the very highest qualities of tact and wisdom. So general, however, will be the desire for lasting peace after the awful horrors of this war that we may reasonably hope wise counsels will prevail, and a new and happier era dawn upon the world.

BUSINESS CONDITIONS

Business conditions in New Brunswick are so much more satisfactory than was anticipated at the outbreak of the war that the people may well congratulate themselves upon the general situation. The various industries are busy, and the pressure of unemployment is probably not more seriously felt than it was a year ago. The lumber cut in the province will be at least as large as that of last winter, and some operators are of opinion that if the season in favorable there will be an increased cut. At all events there has been a good demand for men for the lumber woods. The farmers do not find themselves handicapped for a market, and the country districts are prosperous. It is true that merchants generally are pursuing a conservative policy, and that is wise; but as a matter of fact the volume of trade in general merchandise has not been greatly reduced, while wholesalers report that payments continue to be fairly satisfactory. There is plenty of money in the province, for in addition to local demands there is a generous response to the appeal in behalf of the various funds made necessary by war conditions. New Brunswick is probably in a better position to apply the motto "business as usual" than any other province in the Dominion.

A STINGING REBUKE.

Speaking in the Methodist church in Newcastle on Sunday last, Rev. William Harrison, D. D., referred to the case of Premier Fleming and those who still champion his cause. Rev. Dr. Harrison is thus reported:—"He cared nothing for party politics, and that pulpit had never been used and never should be used for partisan purposes; but here was a great moral question. Charges had been made against public man, and a royal commission

appointed by his own party to try those charges. If there was anything in that commission's report, if words had any significance, it meant the condemnation of the accused—not that all the charges had been proved—but enough to make open to him—to retire at once from public life. But he did not retire. He stayed in his place as if no commission had ever reported. Then, when we should have expected a great wave of moral indignation to sweep over the province and force his retirement, he was, instead, nominated for the House of Commons! He (the preacher) had been asked recently: Is there no moral conscience in New Brunswick? Is New Brunswick to stand for such actions? These men do not blush for their doings, but, like Ahab, put on an aggrieved air and blame someone else for troubling the country. It is surely time for an Elijah to stand up and say these things must cease. It is time for the moral indignation of the people to assert itself."

The Italian minister of finance said yesterday that \$200,000,000 had been appropriated for military purposes.

The individual who postpones Christmas buying is compelled to purchase from a greatly depleted stock, and to be served by clerks who have been wearied almost to the point of exhaustion by the rush of late buyers.

Rev. E. B. Hooper is not to be denied. He has been accepted as a chaplain with the Canadian contingent, in which his only son is one of the enlisted men. Rev. Mr. Hooper will be greatly missed by his congregation and by the citizens of St. John.

A wireless station at Cartagena, in the Republic of Colombia, which is believed to have been of great service to the German cruisers in South American waters, has been dismantled as the result of representations made by the British government.

Major-General Hughes does well to order an investigation of the report that boots supplied the first Canadian contingent were of inferior quality. Any contractor who would slight his work on a military order should be branded as a criminal.

Japan has decided to create two additional army divisions and add three Dreadnoughts, eighteen torpedo boat destroyers and two submarines to her navy. The Japanese foreign minister told parliament yesterday that the relations between Japan and her allies had been cemented closer than ever.

The Germans claim that they took upwards of 100,000 prisoners at Lods, and the Russians claim that the German casualties around Lods in the last month amount to at least 100,000, and that the loss is particularly high among the officers. If half of what either side claims be true, the fighting must have been of the most desperate character.

Two thousand unemployed men marched to the city hall in Toronto yesterday and asked for work. At a meeting of the St. John city council yesterday it was said that a contractor who had some government work to do could not find enough men in the city qualified to do the work and had to import a number. This does not mean that there are no unemployed in St. John, but there is a vast difference between the conditions here and in Toronto. A considerable number of the St. John unemployed are employable.

The formal opening of the new dock at West St. John tomorrow will be an event of much interest and importance. A substantial addition has been made to the terminal facilities there, and another forward step taken in the great plan of harbor development prepared when Hon. William Pugsley was minister of public works, after he had induced the government of Canada to take over the work of building wharves at St. John. The immense amount of dredging that has been done in the last few years has made it possible to go on adding new berths as they are needed, and that which the Maritime Dredging Company have completed on better than schedule time is the first of a series which will eventually stretch far down toward the breakwater. St. John as a great national port must continue to increase its facilities for handling through traffic, and at no distant day there must be provided wharves and a grain elevator on the western shore of Courtenay Bay.

AMERICAN RAILWAYS

Railway operating income in the United States for September, reduced to a per cent of line basis and compared with that for September 1913, shows a decrease of 88, or 0.9 per cent, while operating income per mile for September 1913 showed a decrease of 8.1 per cent from that of September 1912. Total operating revenues per mile for September decreased 6.0 per cent as compared with September 1913, operating expenses per mile decreased 8.5 per cent, and net operating revenue per mile decreased 0.5 per cent.

LIGHTER VEIN.

Friend—"When you delivered your lecture on Browning in that little western town, you said you were going to last summer, did the audience seem to follow you?"  
Lecturer—"Oh, yes, they rose as one man and followed me to the nearest freight train."—Florida Times-Union.

A good story is going the rounds with reference to the habit of undue familiarity. One of these ill-mannered people called at the British War Office the other day, and in the course of an interview with the war minister inquired: "What do you think, Kitchener?" Lord Kitchener assumed a sardonic smile and blandly remarked: "Don't be so beastly formal. Call me 'Herbert.'"

A little girl about six years old told about in Harper's was visiting friends, and during the course of the conversation one of them remarked: "I hear you have a new little sister."  
"Yes," answered the little girl, "just two weeks old."  
"Did you want it to be a little girl?" asked the friend.  
"No, I wanted it to be a boy, but it came while I was at school."

Henry Watterson, a noted Louisville newspaper man, told this story at a recent dinner party: "One day when I was the city editor of a small newspaper, a fine turkey was left at the office. We all banked after the bird, but the editor finally claimed it, took it home, and had it cooked for dinner. The next day a letter was handed in to him which he had opened and read:  
"Mr. Editor, I sent you a turkey yesterday which had been the cause of much dispute among us. To settle a bet, will you please state in tomorrow's issue what the turkey died of?"—Pathfinder.

"I am going over to comfort Mrs. Brown," said Mrs. Jackson to her daughter Mary. "Mr. Brown hanged himself in their attic last night."  
"Oh, mother, don't go; you know you always say the wrong thing."  
"Yes, I'm going, Mary. I'll just talk about the weather; that's a safe enough subject."

Mrs. Jackson went on her visit of condolence. "We had rainy weather lately, haven't we, Mrs. Brown?" she asked. "Yes," replied the widow. "I haven't been able to get my week's washing dried."  
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John N. McKinnon, first officer aboard the Dominion government boat Brant, Society medal yesterday for saving a galley boy, Ernest Cairns, from drowning. This is the seventh life he has rescued from drowning.  
The miners on strike in Colorado, in convention yesterday, abandoned the strike which has been in progress for many months.  
President Wilson has ordered American troops to the Mexican frontier to be ready "should an emergency arise."

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#### CANADA IN THE WAR

Sir Adam Beck has been appointed chief remount commissioner for eastern Canada and plans to purchase between 8,000 and 10,000 horses within the next two months. He will appoint some fifteen purchasing experts to act with him. Walter Ross, of Hampton, N. B., was taken ill with pneumonia yesterday and brought from west side, where he has been training with the Army Service Corps, to the general public hospital. Three York county men have been ordered home, as medically unfit, from Salisbury Plain where they went with the first Canadian contingent.

#### THE New Brunswick board of education

The New Brunswick board of education will deal with the matter of providing for teachers going to the front, at its next meeting. Several teachers wish to go. Rev. W. M. Fraser, of St. Andrews, N. B., last night entertained at dinner at the Royal Hotel some twelve young men of that town. Mr. Fraser, secretary of the 26th battalion, R. E. Armstrong, secretary of the board of trade was present also. Six members of the board, L. O. L., 27, were last night made recipients of gold wrist watches, Sergt. Albert Waldron, Sergt. H. B. Ferris, Privates R. Popham, M. Powers, W. Henderson and D. J. Thompson, all of whom are members of the second contingent while Capt. Frank H. Elliott, W. M., was the recipient of a handsome set of binoculars. Each remembrance was nicely inscribed. The presentations were made by T. A. Graham, W. M., and in the programme given those taking part were Fred Ramsay, J. W. Waldron, C. McEachern, W. Edmondson, A. W. Whelpley, M. Powers, and C. Stevens.

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PLUCKY CAPTAIN ALMOST GAVE SLIP TO THE KARLSRUHE

Kept German Arguing While Crew Doubled Vessel's Steam Pressure

Copenhagen, Dec. 9.—About the latest known adventure of the German cruiser Karlsruhe there is a saucy flavor of the old buccannery days of long ago, when the good ships that sailed the southern seas were at the mercy of the black flag with the skull and cross bones. The British captain of whom this is written proved himself a match in daring and strategy for Lieut. Count von Isen, who, according to the captain's own story, which has reached Copenhagen via the Canary Islands and Bergen, is harrying British merchant ships with an escorting squadron of six coal and other supply vessels. At two o'clock on a clear, calm morning, the British ship M— discovered that she was being overhauled slowly by another ship with all lights out. The stranger followed close in the wake of the M— till daybreak, when it was found that she was the Karlsruhe, one of the escorting squadron. Then a long, dark stream of floating gossamer came up with the sun, and out of the cloud bank steamed the dreaded Karlsruhe. The British captain stopped his engines under the impression that he was meeting a friendly visitor, but when the German flag was run up, he realized in a flash that rapidly of thought and action was his only salvation if he was to keep the old flag flying. He first tried the S. O. S. signal, but Von Isen picked up the message and sent a very angry message to the M— that if she persisted in tricks of that sort she would be sunk immediately. The British captain purposely delayed deciphering the signals from the Karlsruhe, and while he and Von Isen were arguing the matter, half of the crew of the M— had stripped and were in the stoke-hole shoveling in coal. It was not long before the steam pressure was nearly doubled. The British captain, during the conversation, manoeuvred his vessel in such a way that Von Isen suddenly found himself unable to see the M— through the masses of coal smoke that enveloped the Karlsruhe.

When the British captain's opportunity. He ran down the order "Full speed ahead," and the M— was leaping through the waves like a mad thing. As Von Isen gave chase, he fired a shot at the British ship and missed; he fired a second, which clipped off a bit of the captain's bridge. Then muttered curses rose from the engine room. Something had snapped and the M— was helpless. A German officer with an armed guard soon came aboard, and after falsely accusing the British captain of carrying meat for the troops and searching the ship, he had a further interview with the skipper in his room. Lying on the captain's table was an English newspaper containing a caricature of the Kaiser. The officer frowned indignantly. "You have a shocking newspaper in your cabin, I see," he said. The captain replied that he had worse ones in his locker if Von Isen would like to inspect them. The captain and crew of the M— found themselves prisoners on the Karlsruhe in twenty minutes, and there they remained for seven weeks, watching with keen interest the Karlsruhe and her marauding squadron.

MARITIME FORWARD MOVEMENT

Some of the Speakers at the Important Meeting in Amherst

George H. Murray, premier of Nova Scotia, Hon. George J. Clarke, acting premier of New Brunswick, are to address the evening meeting of the Maritime Forward Movement conference in Amherst with Sir Robert L. Borden. No reply has yet been received from Premier Maitland of P. E. Island. Maritime province senators and federal members of both political parties, and all members of the provincial assemblies, have been personally invited to attend this conference. Hon. W. S. Fielding, Sir F. W. Borden, Ex-Governors McLellan, Tweedie and McKinnon; Hon. Charles C. W. Robinson, C. J. Osman, C. H. Labllois and J. P. Burchill; Adam B. Crossby, Dr. Blackadar, A. B. Copp, M. G. Siddall, and other representatives have also been invited. Acceptances have so far been received from Hon. A. K. Maclean, M. P., F. B. McCurdy, M. P., E. M. MacDonald, M. P., and C. E. Tanner, M. P. The committee are practically assured that the following men will address the conference: J. H. Plummer of Sydney, Thomas Cantley of New Glasgow, W. S. Fisher of St. John, W. B. Snowball of Chatham, Angus McLean of Bathurst, D. McGillivray of Halifax, Matthew Lodge of Moncton, and other equally prominent maritime business men. The committee hope to present a most attractive as well as educative programme, which is being rapidly rounding into shape, and of which announcements may be looked for in the course of the next day or so.

SOME STYLES FOR 1915 Dressmakers' Association in States Banish Tight Skirt

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 9.—Styles for 1915 announced with the official stamp of the semi-annual convention of the National Cloak, Suit, Skirt and Dressmakers' Association follows: Skirt—Full, wide skirt, cut short, with a chic appearance; plaits, bands, and yokes permissible to lend variety. The flare of the skirt makes necessary short suit jackets in various outlines, tendencies of which are dip fronts, fullness below the waist, belted effects, and close-set buttons. Coats—Medium and short effects—not to exceed knee-length, with flare and ripple on the sides; small collars; high-waisted, belted, and close-buttoned treatments, and patch pockets in favor; simplicity and smartness are imperative for 1915. Materials—Gabardines, serges, poplins, coverts, novelty weaves, silks, gabardines, velvets, and chudalhare favored. Colors—Putty, sand, beige, and "bath-pink grey" are the new colors, though navy, dark Copenhagen or Labrador, and black will be extensively favored.

The wedding of Judson Ray Mitchell and Alma Victoria, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. English, Lambert's Cove, Deer Island, took place at the home of the bride's parents on Saturday evening, Dec. 5. The officiating

DOCTOR TESTS THEORY THAT BLOOD WILL TELL

Gives Experience of Years For Belief in Old Saying

Some thirty or thirty-five years ago fresh from college, Dr. L. E. Russell of Springfield, Ohio, located in that city. About that time medical experts were advancing the theory that the life of an individual could be completely changed by the environments. Dr. Russell, who was a doubting Thomas, decided to give theory an actual test. His story is best told in his own words, Dr. Russell said: "So interested in the theory of the experts did I become that one day I drove to the Clark County Children's Home to take a boy to raise for the purpose of disproving the theory. The late Adam Lemhart was the superintendent. I told him that I wanted his meanest and worst boy to give him a home, and added that I would be governed by his judgment. After a few seconds Superintendent Lemhart pointed to a lad standing some distance from where the other children were playing. He said: "That boy is not bad at all, none of the other children will have anything to do with him. His father was a murderer and he seems to be possessed with a spirit to destroy."

Walking over to him I asked him if he would come and live with me. He was then just six years old. His face brightened up and he promptly answered that he would. I took the lad away with me, bought new clothes for him and sent him to school. For four years I was more than pleased with my experiment. The boy attended school regularly, kept up with his classes and was obedient and kind about the house. "The first inkling I had that he was systematically robbing me came when he was ten years old. I was passing a pawnshop one day when I noticed a pair of new hunting boots in the window. After passing the store I thought how closely the boots resembled a pair that I had just purchased. I returned and was told by the proprietor that he had advanced fifty cents on them, the lad telling him that they belonged to his father, who had died, and that he had no further use for them. Looking about the store I found clothing, silverware, jewelry and other articles which the proprietor admitted that he had secured from the same boy. It was all my property.

"When I confronted him with his thefts he frankly confessed to them, and I was wonderfully impressed with the remarks that he made. He said: 'Doctor, I will steal from you, but I will not lie to you.' I have always remembered that and I never caught him in a lie. I had him arrested and succeeded in securing for him a suspended sentence to the Lancaster industrial school on his promise to reform. We started over, and he was a model boy until he reached his majority.

"Answering an advertisement about a farm for sale in Kentucky started him on the wrong road again. He was to receive \$1,000 on becoming of age. He wrote that he wanted the farm, but could not pay for it for several months, as he would not receive his money until he was twenty-one years old. The advertiser induced him to give notes and forged his name to one of them. When he sent the deed to have it recorded he learned that no such farm existed. He stood silt on the notes and wrote his case on the ground of fraud. The man who inserted the advertisement lived at Wabash, Ind., and he committed suicide the day the United States

ROYAL YEAST IS BEST YEAST IN THE WORLD

marshals went there to arrest him for the scheme he had conducted. The youth went to Cincinnati, was arrested for forgery and served a term in the penitentiary. He returned to Cincinnati after completing his sentence, was married about four years ago and seemed to be behaving himself, when arrested this time for conducting a 'fence,' in which about \$5,000 worth of alleged stolen goods were recovered. "I met him in the Queen City just before he was married and he told me that a room-mate had robbed him and that he was going to have him arrested. I recalled to his mind the course I had pursued with him and he agreed to forego.

"He was born and raised in a small house adjoining Mount Zion school, near Eagle City. His father killed a man during a quarrel when he was an infant and his mother died a short time later. The man was the second husband of his father. The boy was taken to the county home.

WAR NOTES Joseph DeNolf, a Belgian attached to the battalion recruiting for foreign service in London, Ont., last night saw members of his family being driven from their homes near Termonde, when a 'news weekly' was shown at a picture house there. A German aviator yesterday dropped three bombs on Rheims but did little damage. It is officially announced in Berlin that the Kaiser is ill but is able to direct the movements of his troops although unable to return to the front at present. The Earl of Amey and Lieut. Beevor, English aviators, were killed on November 5, while flying over Ostend. The cost of the war to Russia up to Nov. 18 is estimated at \$892,600,000 according to a budget report. Brig. Gen. Beyers, one of the rebel leaders in South Africa, is dead, according to reports from Pretoria.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL. Frank Mathewson was committed for trial yesterday afternoon on the charge of discharging a revolver in the home of Harry Kelly. He explained that he had been despondent and aimed the revolver at his head to shoot himself. It did not explode and while trying to see why, he discharged a bullet into the floor. Kelly came upstairs, and took the gun from him. Afanasiu Nikola, a Russian, charged with the theft of a watch from another Russian who had given him a night's lodging was sent up also.

THE PRESBYTERY

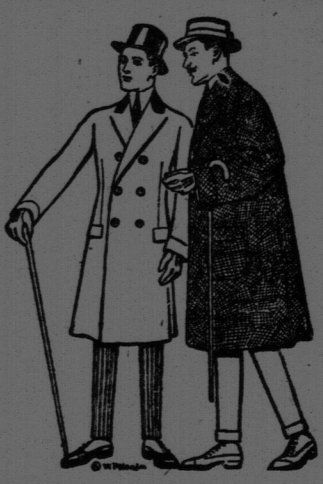
Considerable time was devoted to the discussion of Sunday school and other forms of work for the young at the afternoon session of the Presbytery of St. John yesterday.

The hope was expressed that Rev. R. A. McDonald and the Miramichi Presbytery would be able to come to an agreement regarding the validity of Mr. McDonald's certificate. A resolution urging greater interest in work among the boys was adopted and a committee, consisting of Rev. Messrs. Townsend, MacKeigan, Anderson and MacVicar was appointed for visitation work. The committee was asked to arrange for public meetings in connection with the Presbytery session. A committee was appointed to deal

with the communication from the general committee on the book of praise. Arrangements for induction of Rev. Mr. Mowatt at Chipman were left to the moderator and the clerk.

GALBRAITH-PARKS In the Victoria street Baptist parsonage an interesting event took place on Monday evening when Rev. B. H. Nobles united in marriage Miss Cora Parks and Charles Galbraith, both of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Galbraith will reside in the North End.

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DEAN STARR RETURNS WITH BATTLE RELICS Was Engaged From August 7 as Chaplain in British Army.

New York, Dec. 9.—Among the passengers on the American Line steamer St. Paul, from Liverpool, was Very Rev. G. L. Starr, Dean of Ontario, and rector of the cathedral in Kingston, who with the rank of major, has since August 7 been a chaplain in the English army. The chaplain was assigned to the Irish Guards, and attached to the 37th Brigade. He said the Irish Guards, as well as the Coldstream and Grenadier Guards suffered severely in the beginning of the war. The chaplain's work was principally at the bases where the wounded were brought in. For the most part, he was at Senlis, Boulogne, Paris, Chartres and Beauvais. He brought a trunk filled with relics of many battlefields, including German helmets, fragments of shells and one iron cross of the first order, awarded to a Prussian for gallantry in the Franco-Prussian war.

A woman left her baby in its carriage at the door of a department store. A policeman found it there, apparently abandoned, and wheeled it to the station. As he passed down the street a gamin yelled: "What's the kid doing?"

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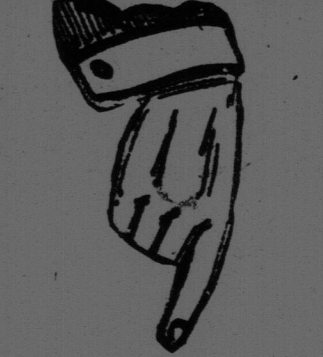
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Excitement Intense "What do you think of it?" "Which will win?" "Did you ever see such a fight?" "It can't last much longer," came from all points. The strain was intense and only words of praise could be heard for both men and it was justified.

The next round was another terrific one. The men disregarded science and simply tore in and fought and slugged with desperation. They punched and banged at each other with the one thought uppermost in their minds to end the fight at once, if possible. The blood was streaming from each of them and their "dials" resembled a print showing the principles of an old time battle with the "raw" lists. Connolly was beating his man down as the gong sounded.

Burge was dazed and reeling as he staggered to his corner and if Connolly had had about half a minute more time he would have been the winner. His youth always served at the end of a round.

The excitement at this time was indescribable, and for a few moments it looked as though the Burge mob might make a move to stop the fight. They were warned and discreetly "laid low."

Both Men Tired. The men showed every evidence of fatigue when they scratched for the next round but they waited no time in renewing the battle. It was fought without cessation in fact both men seemed to have more than human physical durability. It varied largely, however, for the Englishman was being forced all over the ring and was clearly on the defensive. Again, he fell in the eighth, and offers of 10 to 1 on Connolly were loudly proclaimed by those who had speculative instinct more than sympathy for their fellow countrymen, but there were no takers.

It is marvelous what a minute's rest and attention means to a trained and healthy professional athlete. Good seconds means more than can be properly described. Burge "came back" for the next round, and the Englishman was instructed that his only chance to win the fight was to force the fighting for the youngster was too much for him at long range. Again they fought fast and furiously. It was not long before Burge was beaten to the floor in his own corner. Connolly, too, was tired and his tremendous exertions Burge took his full allotted time and remained down for nine seconds, but on arising, under the encouragement of his seconds, he made a rush for Connolly. The latter was again taken unawares and it was his turn to seek the "lumber" under the force of Burge's dangerous blow. He arose at the expiration of seven seconds and the fierce fighting began again. It looked so good for a moment that the enthusiastic English bookmaker shouted "1,000 to 1 on Burge."

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SPORT NEWS OF A DAY, HOME AND ABROAD

BOWLING. On the Victoria Alleys. In the five men league match bowled last night on the Victoria alleys, team number 2 defeated team number 1 in finished fashion, carrying off the entire four points. In each of the strings this team outdistanced their opponents. The details of the game follow.

Table with bowling scores for various teams and players, including names like Henderson, Lewis, and Latham.

On Black's Alleys. At Black's alleys last night the Sweeps won from the Tigers by three points to one. The scores were: Tigers: Total. Belyea 74 112 101 287. Gilmour 86 85 84 255. McDonald 92 90 93 275. Ferguson 90 110 88 288. Sullivan 87 96 101 284.

Frederick curlew has chosen rink for a match. President vs. Vice-President, on Christmas day. It will be for a Coleman Cup.

Collins to Chicago. Eddie Collins, star second baseman of Philadelphia Athletics, has been sold to the Chicago Cubs. It is reported that he gets \$50,000 and that Collins will stay for the five years of his new contract will total the same amount. It was reported yesterday that Col. Jacob Ruppert of New York has offered \$400,000 for the New York club and agrees to build a new stadium for the Yankees if he gets the franchise.

Another of Those Brand New Dances, Ta-Tao Comes From China

Edna Neil, Formerly With Pavlowa, Shows How To Trip Through Mazes of This Curious Chinese Dance



Miss Neil and Paul Armand in three characteristic movements of the new Chinese dance, Ta-Tao. The picture at lower left shows the opening position. The lower right shows the final salamm. The upper picture shows one of the several graceful poses in the dance.

And now we are "all set" for the Ta-Tao, a Chinese dance that has captivated Young America and set the dancing folks to salamm and kowtowing and tripping it in the stiff and angular, but not ungraceful fashion of the orient. The Ta-tao, which is one of the several new dances brought to America recently by Miss Edna Neil, pupil of Pavlowa and originator of many famous dances, is not a difficult figure to learn. The graceful running steps, the saucy little "kicks" and the quaint salamm are not as intricate as they seem. If you would learn them read what Miss Neil has to say about them in today's dancing lesson.

(By Miss Edna Neil, formerly with Pavlowa in the Imperial Russian Ballet.) First position—Lady and gentleman facing each other, hands as in illustration. Gentleman steps forward with the left foot, touching only the heel. Lady back with right foot, touching the heel. This is continued from side to side, the lady always going a little back, waving first with the right and then with the left.

Second step—Pas de bourrie. Gentleman back with right foot, step left, cross the right and point with left, going to the left in this figure. Now continue this same figure to the right, the gentleman putting the left foot back, step with right and point with left.

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GRAY HAIR TURNS BACK TO RIGHT COLOR

How to Restore Natural Shade—No One Will Know You're Using Anything

Prominent druggists in town report that most unusual results are now being accomplished in what many people have heretofore believed impossible—restoring gray hair to its natural, youthful color. This change is brought about by the use of the famous Hay's Hair Health, a preparation that is endorsed by hundreds of thousands of men and women whom it has rescued from the embarrassment of premature grayness. Hay's Hair Health is not a dye. It does its work solely by natural means in that it causes the oxygen in the air to so act upon the hair that it gradually but surely changes back to the lustrous dark shade it was before becoming gray.

Yes, ladies, gray hair is now a thing of the past. It is your own fault if you continue to let faded, streaked, thin, scraggy hair mar your appearance. You need do only apply this fine and harmless toilet preparation and nature will make you young again. The most particular ladies of the town, and men, too, are using it, but you do not know it, for unlike dyes, Hay's Hair Health works in a way that tells no one.

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SUFFERED FROM BILIOUS HEADACHE. At Times Thought She Would Go Mad. Headaches are one of the most aggravating troubles a person can have. They are many and varying; but when the headache starts you may be sure that there is some other chief cause of the most painful difficulty. The stomach may go wrong, the bowels become constipated, the blood may not circulate properly, but the presence of the headache clearly shows that there is some other beneficial disease which is liable to assert itself unless the cause of the headache is removed. Get rid of the headache and thus perhaps save yourself many years of trial and suffering.

Burdock Blood Bitters has, for the past forty years, been curing all kinds of headaches, and has also proved itself to be a remedy that cures where all others fail. It does this by removing the cause of the trouble. Miss Mary A. Roberts, Hampton, N.B., writes: "For about two years I have suffered from bilious headache. At times I thought I would really go mad. Not long ago a friend advised me to try Burdock Blood Bitters which I did, and after taking three bottles I have never been troubled with any kind of headache. I think that B.B.B. is one of the wonders of the world. I can safely recommend it to all who suffer from bilious headache." Burdock Blood Bitters is the oldest and the best known blood medicine on the market to-day, and is manufactured only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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1 Tucker Cash Drawer, 1 Desk, 7 Tables, At Low Down Prices! ALSO Hundreds of Pairs of Rubbers, Overshoes, Felt Slippers and Boots. JUST SEE FOR YOURSELF! At The Clearance Sale 695 Main St.

DOPELETS BY FULLERTON Truly the lot of a major league ball player is hard; for instance; Eddie Stack pitched 17 innings last season; and probably kicked because the trainer did not rub him first every night.

It is well that Rhode Island isn't in the south; imagine McGraw trying to crowd his six baseball team squad into that state. The Federal league club owners, it is announced, have been cured of the high salary mania but many a \$1200-player is over-paid when he delivers \$250 baseball. The Feds keep right on grabbing players and putting up money, and don't seem to hear Ban Johnson singing "Ashes to ashes, dust to dust," at the top of his voice.

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RECRUITS WANTED TO SEE SOME OF THE BEST THINGS IN FILM-DOM. "OUR MUTUAL GIRL". Trouble Arises Over Baby Lily, and Margaret Meets With Another Adventure. PRINCESS PLAYERS "THE KEEPER OF THE LIGHT". FRIDAY: "THE SAVING FLAME". KEYSTONE "SUCH A COOK".

LYRIC MONDAY TUES.-WED. AN UPROARIOUS UPHEAVAL OF BLACK LAUGHTER WHITE. A Double-Header in "Joes". (1) JOE HOWARD—In Frazzled and a Smile that Never Comes Off. He Imparts the Liquid of Laughter in Song and Story. (2) JOE DELMA—The Master of the Harp, Ticking the strings of the Favo instrument in a Measure of Make You Forget All the Troubles of Life. THE MUTUAL WEEKLY Interesting Bits of War News. "A MAN'S WAY"—American. TRUSS—This Colored Funny Folks FLOYD & WASHINGTON.

OPERA HOUSE MATINEES WEDNESDAY & SATURDAY. TODAY (Matinee and Night) AND ALL THIS WEEK. THOMPSON'S MUSICAL COMEDY COMPANY PRESENTING "THE BATTLE HERO". Corons Chocolates for the Ladies at Today's Matinee.

GEM 'Indian Troops Join Allies! Stirling Scenes as Natives of India March to Firing Line—'Germans Lose Many Wounded'. Scenes of Unusual Interest in Selig-Hearst News Weekly. Gem Orchestra—Lively New Hits—House Warm And Cozy. Francis X. Bushman Essayist Star in Three-Part Story of Revolution And Romance in Mexico 'THE PLUM TREE' Based on a Short Story in 'The Ladies' World'. FRI and SAT—HELEN HOLMES in Kalem Feature "An Oil Well Conspiracy". ARTHUR JOHNSON and LOTTIE BRISCOE in "Partner of Providence," Chapter 8 of "The Beloved Adventurer".

EMPRESS Tenth Chapter of "DOLLY OF THE DAILIES". TENTH CHAPTER "DOLLY OF THE DAILIES" "Dolly Plays Detective". A necklace mysteriously disappears at a dinner which Dolly attends. A Count who was present showers his attentions upon Dolly. A recurrence of the necklace episode in her own house arouses her suspicions of the count, and she searches his rooms, finding the necklace. Then she sets a clever trap for him, and the crucial moment claps a pair of handcuffs on him. "In The Tolls" One of those tense Lubin society Dramas that throbs with strong sentiment and human emotion, "Capt. Kidd The Bold" A very amusing Biograph skit that is sure to please. It is brisk, cleverly acted and funny. "The Little Sister" Selig Western Drama. A girl, her brother, a baby, a bag of gold, some badmen. Mix them up and we've a corking story. "The Nick of Time" is a Biograph Western Comedy with lots of vim and hilarious situations crammed with humor.

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Advertisement for Waltham "Marsh Patent" Watch. A solid gold watch for Christmas at \$23. No doubt it will surprise many to learn that a solid 14 Karat gold watch of the famous Waltham quality can be had for as little as \$23. Certainly before the invention of the Waltham "Marsh Patent" Watch such a watch at such a figure was an impossibility. A patent "protector" of sturdy metal inside the gold case so safeguards the watch movement that it will give true Waltham accuracy, at the same time permitting the use of a solid gold case thinner than is ordinarily used on watches of higher price.

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### ZION TEA AND SALE

A tea and sale to raise funds for general repairs of the church was held last evening in Zion Sunday school room under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society. The room was tastefully decorated with flags. A good number attended during the evening and the various booths were well patronized. Those in charge of the supper table were Mrs. S. E. Logan, Mrs. F. Cameron, Mrs. Fendleton and Mrs. Potts. A doll table was in charge of Misses Helen Pendleton, Hazel Keithlin, Doris Champion and Florence Gillan. In charge of fancy work tables were Mrs. Colpitts, Mrs. McLean and Mrs. McBeath. An apron table was in charge of Mrs. McFarlane and Mrs. Collins. An ice cream booth was conducted by Misses Marion Dun-

can and Edith Hatfield, Miss Bessie Irwin conducted a separate fancy work table prepared by her Sunday school class. A sample table was conducted by Mrs. Keithlin. The proceeds of the sale amounted to nearly \$100.

### MR. ROGERS WILL BE HERE

The doubt regarding the presence of Hon. Robert Rogers, minister of public works, at the opening of the new government docks tomorrow was removed by a despatch received by Manning W. Doherty of the Maritime Dredging and Construction Company to the effect that Hon. Mr. Rogers has left Ottawa for Montreal and will leave Montreal for St. John this evening, with the other cabinet members who are to assist at the opening ceremonies.

## WIVES OF TWO OFFICERS NOT GETTING MONEY

Apparently Gross Carelessness or Inefficiency Somewhere—Cases in St. John

There have been many complaints regarding the way in which the officials of the department of militia at Ottawa have been handling the payments for the wives of soldiers with the first contingent. Many of the errors which were caused by carelessness when the first contingent went away have been rectified, but there are still some glaring cases of inefficiency somewhere.

An example of this is found in the case of the wife of one of the St. John officers who left with the first contingent. When her husband, who is not a man of independent means, left he arranged the family finances on the basis of the separation allowance promised by the department. Instead of this amount, although four months have passed and repeated protests have been made, the wife is still receiving only the allowance provided for the wife of a private soldier and, as her expenses are heavier and she would not feel like calling on the patriotic fund for assistance, her position is more embarrassing than that of the families of the privates would be.

Another similar case is that of the wife of another local officer who assigned to his wife the greater portion of his pay before he left. She has not received a cent of this amount, the money has not been paid to the officer himself and there seems to be no excuse for the delay except gross neglect or carelessness at Ottawa.

### LETTER FROM DR. MAHER

He Backs up His Suggestion in Practical Manner

St. John, N. B., Dec. 9, 1914. Sir—The people of Nova Scotia are preparing what they call a "Nova Scotia picnic" and it might not be amiss for us in New Brunswick to emulate their worthy example.

Their purpose making Christmas day for the men and boys as home like and pleasant as possible under existing conditions. They are alive to the fact that these men have left their homes to face the fierce frost-biting winds of winter and other hardships at great sacrifice to their personal comfort and even at the risk of their very lives.

Everybody who feels able is contributing some little thing to make the boys happy. There are a number of men at Partridge Island and over 1,100 men from all over New Brunswick at the armories, most of whom will spend the day away from home going to do for our boys? Will New Brunswick be less mindful of its own than is Nova Scotia? We do not have to get down and dig trenches, but we should be willing to dig down in our pockets and do something to gladden the hearts of those heroic souls who are ready and willing to shed their life's blood for the honor of our country, the preservation of the empire and incidentally for our protection.

They figure that it will take at least a ton and a half of turkey to feed the Halifax contingent on that day. Some are contributing money, others cigars, fruit, confectionery, etc., etc. The ladies of the community who have done so much good of late could handle this matter to best advantage. I am enclosing my check in your favor for ten dollars, which you can use should anything along this line materialize.

Yours truly,  
J. D. MAHER, D. D. S.

[The Times has forwarded Dr. Maher's check to Mrs. A. R. Melrose, secretary of the Women's Canadian Club. That organization is making provision to give the residents a generous Christmas dinner. Outside places are co-operating and today came the promise of six turkeys from Sackville. In addition to the turkey and plum pudding and sauce, it is desired to provide fruit, confectionery and soft drinks, and contributions for this purpose will be cash contributions for this purpose will be gratefully received by Mrs. A. R. Melrose, 54 Orange street.

### EDITORIAL NOTES

S. P. C. Contributions.

L. W. Peters, treasurer of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty, acknowledgment receipt of the following subscriptions:	
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## The Man In The Street

Only fourteen more shopping days—do it early.

We hope not to offend the moral reformers when we ask if you've had a skate on yet this season.

After a walk about the city streets any local aviator who may be expecting orders for service in Egypt, should try to devise some facial protection against the sand. They were "eyewitnesses" to it yesterday.

News note says the cost of governing New York next year will be about \$41,000,000—not quite as much as it costs to spend about ten days there.

Personally, I should like to arrange a moratorium to last at least until New Year's.

The reformists protesting against Sunday concerts for the relief of the wounded soldiers might also try to assert their influence with the Kaiser to keep him from shooting the w. s. on Sunday.

President Wilson has again sent troops to the Mexican border. It still seems like "watchful waiting" however.

Does it strike you as strange that when the National Anthem is played in public amusement places, soldiers present in uniform do not salute but merely stand as do civilians?

Uneasy lies the head that wears the police chief's cap in this community.

Even the war has its compensations; it has cut off the supply of jokes from alleged comic papers of Germany, which some of the exchanges have insisted on reprinting.

Seems like poor advertising for Victoria-Carleton to offer J. Kidd Fleming as a sample of the parliamentary material the Conservative party grows in that constituency.

No wonder the Kaiser is ill; he has had enough to make any one sick.

They'll be carving Turks as well as turkeys in Europe this Christmas.

### One Way to Boost

Is this how some local merchants encourage home products? A local dealer says that when he offered a customer a certain line of goods, made in St. John according to the highest standards, the customer grew indignant. "I bought those goods from Mr. Blank and they were not satisfactory; I would not touch them again," was his comment. The dealer could not understand such a statement as he had implicit faith in the made-in-St. John article until he made inquiries and learned that the other store had never handled the line in question. It looked like the old game of substitution mixed up with a mighty poor brand of civic patriotism.

How about that smoke for the soldiers at Christmas? Have you helped?

Don't forget the Christmas turkeys, cranberry sauce and plum pudding for the khaki men.

### Do You Like It?

One of the alleged reasons for practicing the "Out the front door" slogan in the new street cars is that with the rear door closed, and the front door open, the passengers exit, a refreshing draught of the cool outdoor air may pass through the interior, making the unfortunate passengers inside who they were still heavier clothing. Or it may be that the intention is to induce the passengers to get out and walk, in these reasons it will become warm. In these reasons it will be noticed that no mention is made of the unfortunate passengers inside who they were still heavier clothing, particularly if they are women who have thrown their furs back from their shoulders. A more favorite slogan might be "Close the door, please."

### WANT EVENING MEETING FOR EAST ST. JOHN MATTER

Complaints are being made today by some of the residents and property owners of East St. John regarding the time announced for the meeting to be held next Monday to discuss the proposal to extend the city limits to Little River. There is strong opposition to the proposal in certain quarters, and these men feel that they should have a right to be heard at the same time as the promoters of the plan. As they say, many of them would find it difficult, if at all possible, to attend an afternoon meeting, they are anxious that the time should be fixed for the evening when any of those interested in the matter could attend and lay their views before the council.

### Getting Dealer Enthusiasm

Half of the battle in selling goods is getting the enthusiasm of the sales force. The same rule applies to goods sold over the retailer's counter. When the retailer is pushing an article with vim it usually sells.

National manufacturers are finding that the surest way to create dealer enthusiasm is through newspaper advertising.

When a nationally made article of merit is advertised in the newspapers, the dealers know the demand will be immediate and definite. They get behind the goods and increased sales follow. Manufacturers interested in developing business are invited to address the Bureau of Advertising, American Newspaper Publishers Association, World Building, New York.

## Macaulay Bros. & Co.

Umbrellas Are Always Prized as Xmas Gifts

For Gift Umbrellas, our assortments are unapproachable for style and value. We have certainly excelled any previous endeavor on our part to assemble the choicest range of handles which are mounted with the most reliable frames and covered with the most satisfactory rain-proof fabrics. Still our prices will be found no higher than for inferior sorts elsewhere.

Here you will find handsome new styles in handles of Horn, Pearl, Silver, Gold, Mission Wood, Natural Wood, Gun Metal, Ebony, etc. The coverings are of pure Silk, Gloria or fine Taffetas, each are mounted on strong frames with the new and popular ball runner.

Prices Range from \$1.00 to \$8.50 each.  
**MACAULAY BROS & CO.**

## The Shoes Must Be Sold

The \$15,000 worth of Footwear in the Slater Shoe Store must be converted into cash immediately. Such are the orders from the board of directors. It's a rare thing just in the holiday season to be able to buy shoes—new up-to-date fashionable shoes—at bargain prices.

Some exceptional "Snaps" in the broken lots and small sizes.  
**Slater Shoe Store, King St.**

## Hundreds Are Buying Christmas Gifts Early. Are You?

Bear in mind there are only **Fourteen Shopping Days** before Christmas! Please remember, also, that "the early morning hath gold in its mouth;" more can be accomplished in the morning hours than in the afternoon, when crowds are greatest.

### A GIFT OF LEATHER FOR ANY MAN

It is desirable, will bring him untold satisfaction, and will recall the giver many times. So complete are our assortments that a serviceable leather gift can be purchased for as little as 50c. or a handsomely fitted bag for \$50.00.

COLLAR BAGS	75c. to \$2.00	COIN PURSES	50c. to \$2.50
TRAVELLING CASES	\$2.00 to \$12.00	MILITARY BRUSHES IN CASES	\$2.00 to \$4.50
TRAVELLING ROLLS	\$1.50 to \$5.00	SUIT CASES	\$1.25 to \$20.00
BILL FOLDS	\$1.00 to \$3.50	FITTED SUIT CASES	\$20.00 to \$32.00
JARD CASES	\$1.00 to \$1.75	FITTED BAGS	\$15.00 to \$50.00
DRINKING CUPS	50c. to \$1.00	LADIES' HAND BAGS	\$1.50 to \$8.00
CIGAR CASES	\$1.50 to \$3.00	TRAVELLING BAGS	\$5.00 to \$25.00

**KING STREET COR. GERMAIN**  
**GREATER OAK HALL**  
**SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED, St. John, N. B.**

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<b>CLOTHING TO ORDER</b>	<b>BADGES</b>
Blue Tunics and Long Pants.	For Collar or Caps—A. M. O. and A. S. C.
Khaki Service Suits.	<b>SAM BROWN BELTS</b>
Bedford Cord Breaches.	Revolver Holster, Revolver Lanyard, Ammunition Pouch, Leather Scabbards.
Khaki Great Coats.	
Blue Beaver Coats.	
<b>CAPS</b>	Cavalry Swords, Puttees, Whistle and Khaki Cords
Khaki or Blue Caps, or Khaki Helmet.	

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FURS FOR FASHIONABLE FOLKS  
Absolutely New, Fresh, Clean, Stylish and Beautiful pieces. Full glossy skins; small, medium and large curls.

SCARFS	\$55.00, \$75.00
STOLES	\$40.00, \$45.00, \$50.00, \$55.00
TIES	\$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50
MUFFS	\$22.50, \$25.00, \$30.00, \$35.00, \$40.00, \$45.00, \$50.00
COATS	\$325.00, \$350.00, \$450.00

**Magee's "Reliable Furs"**  
**D. MAGEE'S SONS, Ltd, HATS AND FURS 63 King St.**

## ANOTHER THREE DAYS CASH SALE!

Commencing on THURSDAY, a. m., DEC. 10th. and Ending SATURDAY, NIGHT DEC. 12th.

Early Buying Will Save Time, Trouble and Delay

### EXTRA SPECIAL

We have some four hundred pots of Buchanan's Scotch Jams and Marmalades, assorted, which sell at 20c. and 25c. a pot. Special Sale price, 15c. a pot.

### IMMEDIATE WANTS

Cleaned Currants	9c. pkgs.
Blue Ribbon Raisins	9c. pkgs.
Ora Raisins	11c. pkgs.
Del Monte, Seedless	11c. pkgs.
1 lb. Block Pure Lard	16c.
1 lb. Block Creamery Butter	34c.
1 bottle Onion Salt	15c.
1 bottle Kitchen Bouquet	25c.
15c. pkgs. Kaffee Gelatine	12c.
20c. bottle Lemon Extract	13c.
35c. tin Mince Meat	29c.
1 lb. New Flgs.	15c.
3 pkgs. Imperial Dessert Jelly Powder	For 21c.
25c. tin Royal Baking Powder	22c.
3 lbs. Pulverized Sugar	27c.

### BAKED BEANS

10c. tin Snider's, Tomato Sauce	9c.
15c. tin Snider's, Tomato Sauce	13c.

### CANDY

30c. lb. English Rahat	19c.
30c. lb. Mixed Fruit Gums	23c.
50c. lb. Chocolate Nougatines	36c.
60c. box Variety Chocolates	48c.

### CORN FLAKES

2 pkgs. Kellogg's and 2 pkgs. Quaker	For 30c.
New Lemons	17c. dozen

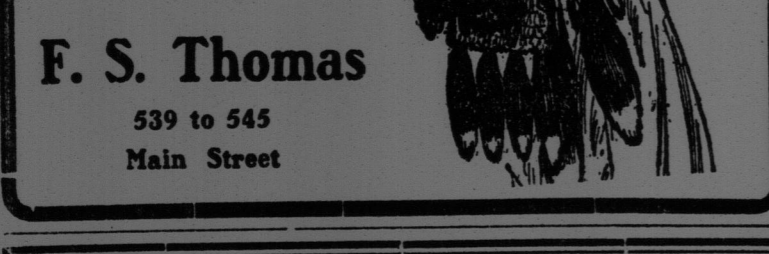
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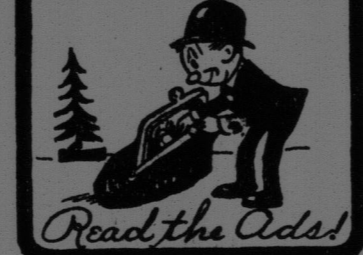


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Comfort and style are happily combined in our Furs for Young People, the unusually inviting array embracing Muffs, Stoles, etc. in the season's most fetching models, in Black Fox, Wool, Lynx, Mink, Raccoon, and all the leading varieties.

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