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## ALLIES' BIG GUNS AGAIN HAMMERING TRENCHES OF ENEMY PREPARATORY TO RENEWING DRIVE

### TRENCH FIGHTING IN WEST WHERE GERMANS ARE TRYING TO REGAIN LOST GROUND

London, Oct. 5.—On the western front the big guns have again undertaken the task of attempting to level the German entrenchments, presumably in preparation for a continuation of the attacks which proved successful in Artois and Champagne. In some sectors there has been infantry fighting, in which a trench, or a few yards of a trench, changed hands, this being particularly the case in the areas where the Allies have made their gains and where the Germans are trying to win back their lost ground.

The British fleet, too, is almost continuously bombarding the German positions on the coast of Belgium.

Berlin Claims British Attack Near Loos Failed

Berlin, via London, Oct. 5.—The British attack on the German fortifications north of Loos has been again repulsed. The war office announced today that the efforts of the British were fruitless and that they sustained considerable losses.

The statement follows: "A British hand grenade attack on the fortifications north of Loos was again repulsed. During fruitless attacks on these fortifications, the British left more than eighty prisoners, as well as two mine-throwers in our hands, in addition to their very considerable losses in killed or injured."

"A section of a trench which had been occupied by the French, on the hill northwest of Givenchy, was recaptured yesterday. Four machine guns were taken.

"In the Champagne the enemy directed a strong artillery fire on the position northwest of Soissons. When the intentions of the enemy to make an attack could be observed our artillery fire prevented the enemy from advancing. At Vanuys we forestalled the enemy with our mining operations. Numerous mine positions of the enemy were destroyed.

"Aviators of the enemy dropped bombs on the village of Hiesch-St. Vaast, northeast of Arras. One inhabitant was killed. Otherwise no damage was done.

"Eastern theatre of war: "Army group of Field Marshal Von Hindenburg: After their defeat on October 3rd, the Russians yesterday repeated their attacks on our positions with weak forces which were repulsed easily.

"There is nothing to report concerning the other army groups."

#### French Report.

Paris, Oct. 5.—The following official communication was issued by the war office tonight:

"A bombardment of a somewhat violent nature occurred on all sides to the north of La Scarpe and to the east of Arras. There was trench fighting with grenades and hand bombs in the sectors of Libons and Andechy.

"In Champagne the enemy continued with the aid of asphyxiating shells, the bombardment of regions in the rear of our front, to the south of the Navarin farm and in the environs of Soissons. Our artillery responded very energetically against the German trenches and works.

"The artillery action was almost continuous in the Argonne, in the sector from Honyette to Las Eparges, in the forest of Apremont and in Lorraine near Moncel, Arrancourt and Ancerville.

"On the evening of October 4 the enemy attempted a sudden attack against our positions to the east of Orbery, in the Vosges, but was completely repulsed."

The Belgian official communication reads as follows:

"There has been slight activity by the artillery of the enemy along our front."

### NEW BRUNSWICK MAN IN CASUALTY LIST

Ottawa, Oct. 5.—The Militia Department announces that Martin S. Johnson, of Bartibogue Bridge, N. B., formerly of the 12th Battalion, now of the 10th Battalion, and previously reported wounded, has rejoined his regiment.

### Anglo-French Troops Ready to Strike When Bulgaria Makes Move

No Reply to Russia's Ultimatum and None Expected by Entente Powers.

PREMIER VENEZELOS OF GREECE RESIGNS.

Stormy Session in Greek Chamber—King Says He Cannot Support Policy of Venizelos Ministry.

London, Oct. 5.—Russia's ultimatum to Bulgaria expired at four o'clock this afternoon, but did not go to a late hour to-night, so far as was known in London, no answer had been received and none was expected.

It is taken for granted here that King Ferdinand and his ministers are definitely committed to the Germanic Allies, and, in return for territory to be ceded after the war, some ports, including Constantinople, and all that remains of European Turkey, has undertaken to assist actively in the operations against Serbia, thus helping to open the way for the Austro-German army, the objective of which is the Sea of Marmora.

The Entente Powers, in this belief, have landed or are landing a force at Saloniki which will take upon itself the duty of protecting the main railway through Serbia and Greece, and give what assistance it can to the Balkan allies, should they be attacked by Bulgaria. This infringement of Greek neutrality has brought forth a formal protest from the Greek government, but, in the words of one correspondent, it is "being winked at," by the great majority of the people of Greece.

The opposition in the Greek Chamber has also made protest against the policy of Premier Venizelos, which, it is claimed, is forcing Greece into an unnecessary war. But the Premier, who seemed firmly fixed in the saddle and working in harmony with the King, until his resignation was announced tonight, succeeded in getting the Chamber to pass a vote of confidence, after a stormy all night session.

The next move devolves upon Bulgaria, and as soon as she moves, the Anglo-French troops, which are being mobilized, will be put in motion, while the fleets in the Black Sea and the Aegean will assume their appointed roles.

Greek Premier Resigns.

Paris, Oct. 6, (12.12 a. m.)—An Athens despatch to the Havas Agency says:

"Premier Venizelos has resigned, the King having informed him that he was unable to support the policy of his ministry."

Bulgaria Means War.

Berlin, Oct. 5, via London (6.30 p. m.)—A despatch from Sofia dated October 4, to the Zeitung Am Mittag, says:

"Premier Radoslavoff of Bulgaria today made the following declaration to representatives of the government parties:

"We confront war and must defend our national interests. We must wrest from our enemies everything they took from us two years ago, and get satisfaction for every insult."

No Reply to Russian Ultimatum.

London, Oct. 5.—A despatch from Amsterdam to Reuters Telegram Company, says:

"The People's Gazette of Cologne understands that the Bulgarian government probably will make no reply to the Russian ultimatum. The recall from Sofia of all the Entente ministers, the newspaper says, is expected

today and adds that a declaration of war by Russia is considered possible."

Roumania Ready.

Paris, Oct. 5.—Premier Bratianu, of Roumania, already has twice informed Bulgaria that the latter's mobilization is regarded by the Bucharest government as an unfriendly act, says the Matin.

The newspaper adds: "Roumania from a military point of view is ready for any eventually, thanks to the blunder on the part of Austria, who a month ago, closed the frontier which gave Roumania the required pretext for concentrating troops. Roumania thus is safe from all surprise attacks."

French Troops at Salonika.

Athens, Oct. 5, via Paris, Oct. 4.—(Delayed in transmission).—The French troops, landing from five transports at Saloniki, Greece, consist of seventy thousand men. They will proceed along the Guevgueli-Uskup railroad to guard the line.

Paris, Oct. 5.—France notified Greece on the arrival of the first detachment of French troops at Saloniki that they were going to help Serbia, Premier Venizelos replied, protesting against the passage of foreign troops through Greek territory, on the ground that it violated Greek neutrality.

The allied governments made preparations and gave the necessary orders for the landing of the troops several days ago. Previously they had entered into negotiations with the Greek government, which, being still neutral, made a formal protest, as it was obliged to do. At the same time Premier Venizelos was given every freedom to prepare for the landing.

Vote of Confidence in Government.

Athens, via London, Oct. 5.—After Premier Venizelos had explained to the Chamber of Deputies the circumstances connected with the landing of Allied troops at Saloniki, the Chamber passed a vote of confidence in the government. The vote was 142 to 102, with thirteen members not voting.

The opposition leaders attacked the Premier bitterly. They accused him of unnecessarily leading the country into the war on the side of the Allies. The Chamber was in session all night, adjourning at 4.30 o'clock this morning.

Treason to Fight Russia, Bulgarian War Minister Says

London, Oct. 6.—The Crown Council of Bulgaria, according to a Geneva despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, spent several hours in discussing the Russian ultimatum, without arriving at a decision.

The same authority declares that Gen. Savoff, former Minister of War and former commander-in-chief of the Bulgarian army, in concluding a thrilling speech, said:

"Every Bulgarian who breaks away from Russia commits an act of treason towards his country."

ANNUAL MEETING OF N. B. WOMEN'S INSTITUTE OPENS AT FREDERICTON

Over Hundred Delegates Arrive for Opening Meeting—Premier Clarke Delivers Address Appreciative of Institute's Activities.

Special to The Standard

Fredericton, Oct. 5.—The annual convention of the Women's Institute of New Brunswick was held here to-night. About a hundred delegates met in the Normal School annex. Mrs. H. F. MacLeod spoke and a fine musical programme was carried out.

### JOFFRE SEES SUCCESS FOR THE ALLIES

Has 3,000,000 French Troops, Besides British and Belgians and Enormous Supply of Ammunition to Make Decisive Drive.

New York, Oct. 5.—A news agency despatch from Paris published here this afternoon says:

"In the scale of human hazards, the Allies have eighty chances in one hundred of scoring a decisive victory over the Germans when the general offensive begins."

This statement was made by Gen. Joffre to his life-long bosom friend, the editor of the *Depeche De Toulouse*.

Gen. Joffre told his friend that he now has at his disposal 3,000,000 French troops on the line or ready to be sent there at a moment's notice, without counting about 700,000 British and 60,000 Belgian troops, co-operating with him. Ammunition has been poured in in steady streams he asserted, and in addition to the supply at the front the Allies have a reserve of 15,000,000 shells for emergency use.

Every German trench, all special defences, earthworks, blockhouses and kindred structures, have been patiently plotted by draughtsmen working with photographs taken by aviators in systematic flights made daily, week after week, from sea to the Alps.

These blueprints have been transferred to ranged canvasses, and the ranks worked out by artillery officers.

To meet the expected German counter-attacks the allies have prepared strong defensive works. They have constructed fourth, fifth and sixth line defences, arranged on a scale positively awestruck.

In short, everything is ready for the great move.

### FOURTEEN FROM LOWER MILLSTREAM

Fine Response to Call for Arms—Eighteen Men from this District Within a Week.

Special to The Standard

Sussex, Oct. 6.—At a grand patriotic meeting held at Lower Millstream last night thirteen recruits were signed on for the 88th Battalion and one for the Army Service Corps. Those who signed the honor roll last evening were: Jesse Holmes, William White, Frank E. Long, Roy Keirstead, James Muir, Truman Gambin, William Jones, Lewin Holmes, George McKnight, Roy T. Young, Sam Gambin, Charles Stewart, B. William Stewart and one other. In addition to the above four men signed on a few nights ago, making a grand total of eighteen from this district. Considering the size of Lower Millstream this is a most creditable showing and the people of that section may well be proud of their young men. The speakers who addressed the meeting last night were Rev. M. E. Conron and J. D. McKenzie. On Friday night the same speakers will conduct a recruiting meeting at Collins Corner and on Thursday afternoon will address a meeting at the Hillsdale Exhibition. On Sunday evening Rev. M. E. Conron and F. M. Sproule will address a mass meeting in front of the court house at Hampton.

come. Mrs. James Porter of Andover replied on behalf of the visiting delegates. She formed the first Women's Institute in the province.

Premier Clarke, in the absence of Hon. Mr. Murray, gave an address appreciative of the good work of the institute, especially now in the time of war. Mrs. Laura Rose Stevens of Huntington, Que., gave an address on the work in general and especially now in war time.

The first women's recruiting meeting was held tonight in Marysville. It was a meeting for women only. Mrs. H. F. MacLeod spoke and a fine musical programme was carried out.

### RUSSIAN RETREAT ENDED; CZAR'S ARMY TURNS AND IS ATTACKING ON WHOLE FRONT

After Five Months of Retiring Russians Take Offensive Along Whole Front from Riga to Vilna and Are Delivering Telling Blows

### CONSERVATIVE MAJORITY IN SUNBURY CO.

Results of the Municipal Elections Held Yesterday Show Distinct Triumph for Conservatives.

(By Telephone to The Standard)

Burton, Oct. 5.—The parish elections for Sunbury county were held today, and with all the parishes heard from except Northfield the result is a distinct triumph for the Conservatives. The results by parishes are as follows:

Bristol. Frank A. Taylor, (Conservative), 102; Milton Smith (Liberal), 65; John Murphy (Liberal), 56.

Gladstone. David Mersereau (Liberal), and W. Phillips (Conservative), elected by acclamation.

Burton. Alexander Burnett (Conservative), 145; James Goan (Conservative), 142; Henry Finamore (Conservative), 86.

Maugerville. James Harding (Conservative), and Osborne Sewall (Liberal), elected by acclamation.

Lincoln. Murray Patterson (Conservative), and W. K. Fletcher (Conservative), elected by acclamation.

Sheffield. Warren F. Hoaragreaves (Conservative), 78; Wallace Bridges (Conservative), 58; John Randall (Liberal), 52; Milton Upham (Liberal), 52.

The Parish of Northfield is yet to be heard from.

### Conservatives Also Have a Majority in Albert County

Special to The Standard

Albert, N. B., Oct. 5.—A spirited contest in the councillors' election in the parishes of Hopewell and Harvey in Albert county took place today resulting in the election of the old councillors W. J. Carnworth and C. M. Pyle in Hopewell, defeating two new men, H. D. Cleveland and J. J. Christopher, by large majority. In Harvey ex-Coun. W. H. Martin and L. B. Bishop, a new man, Conservatives, were elected by substantial majority, defeating Coun. Mitton and L. L. Richardson, a new man. Politically the new council stands as follows: Alma, Coun. Cleveland and Rommelly, Conservatives, acclamation; Coverdale, Smith, Conservative, Ryan, Liberal, acclamation; Elgin, Corgan, Conservative, and Killam, Liberal, old councillors by acclamation; Hillsboro, Stevens, Conservatives, Thompson, Liberal, old councillors, elected by acclamation. The council stands five Liberals seven Conservatives, a net gain for the Conservatives of one councillor, gained in the parish of Harvey, formerly represented by Milton, Liberal, and Lund, Conservative. The parish of Harvey Red Cross Society prepared dinners in the Orange Hall and about \$70 was realized.

### SIR CHAS. TUPPER ILL

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 5.—Private despatches from England state that Sir Charles Tupper, Bart. is in a very low state of health, and his death may be expected at any time.

London, Oct. 5.—Russia, whose armies for five months have been retiring, have begun an energetic offensive along a wide front from Riga to Southeast of Vinlna and, according to unofficial reports, has already met with considerable success. This, however, is denied by Berlin, which says that all the Russian attacks have been repulsed.

Petrograd, Oct. 5, via London, Oct. 6.—The following official communication from general headquarters was issued tonight:

"There have been several engagements on the Riga front. North of Birschallen our troops occupied a portion of the German trenches. The fighting continues along the lines of Lake Demmen, Driswityaty, Medziol and Vichnev.

"In the region of Smorgon and further south, as well as on the Upper Niemen, in the neighborhood of the village of Deliatitchi, there have been continual skirmishes with the enemy, who is endeavoring, but unsuccessfully, to advance in an eastern direction.

"South of the Pripet, after an engagement of the Middle Sty, in the district of the Kovel-Sarny railway, our troops occupied the villages of Vouk, Optovo, Voitchitzk and Medvieshka. In some places the enemy retired in disorder."

### E. L. Patenaude Minister Of Inland Revenue

Will be Sworn in Today—Hon. P. E. Blondin Likely to Become Secretary of State While Hon. Mr. Coderre Goes to Quebec Bench.

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Oct. 5.—It is anticipated that Mr. E. L. Patenaude of Montreal will shortly enter the government as minister of inland revenue and will be sworn in tomorrow morning. In this event, it is believed that Hon. P. E. Blondin will become secretary of state and that Hon. Louis Coderre will accept a position on the judicial bench in his own province.

It is also anticipated that Dr. R. G. Brett of Banff will be appointed Lieut. Governor of Alberta and that Mr. R. E. Lake of Grenfell, Sask., will be appointed Lieutenant Governor of Saskatchewan.

### ST. CROIX RIVER CASE BEFORE COMMISSION

International Joint Commission in Session at Ottawa Hears Case of Interest to New Brunswick.

1,200 TORONTO UNIV. MEN JOINED COLORS

Special to The Standard

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 5.—The October sittings of the International Joint Commission began here today and consideration is to be given to a number of waterways questions of an international character.

The diversion of water on the St. Croix river in New Brunswick for power purposes was the first taken up. A dam has been built by two companies and the question at issue is as to the division of the power. The United States is represented by Mr. W. W. Judge Koonce and Major Pope, while C. S. McInnes represents Canada as counsel with W. J. Stewart, Dominion hydrographer, Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, Attorney General, represents New Brunswick and Mr. Dunbar, Attorney General of Maine, appeared for that state, while the St. Croix and Sprague Power Companies also have counsel. The commission will also take up the question of the levels of the Lake of the Woods below Kenora, where an extensive irrigation plan is under way.

The United States members of the commission are Hon. Obadiah Gardner, Hon. J. A. Tawney and R. B. Glenn, while Canada is represented by C. A. MacGrah, H. A. Powell, K. C. and P. B. Mignault, K. C.

Toronto, Oct. 5.—There are 1,200 graduates and under-graduates of the University of Toronto with the colors. This was the inspiring news with which President Falconer today greeted the students in Convocation Hall on the commencement of a new varsity year. He urged every man to join the officers' training corps.



# UNITED STATES WITHS OUT IN ARABIC CASE

## TEN RECRUITS SECURED HERE YESTERDAY

Rousing patriotic smoker in Victoria Rink drew great crowd—A fine programme.

- YESTERDAY'S HONOR LIST.
- Ernest Amos Peto, St. John.
  - Thomas Henry Gibbons, St. John.
  - Abraham Paul Apohaqui, William Gordon Mackenzie, St. John.
  - Archibald J. Quinn, St. John.
  - George Buckley, St. John.
  - William R. Lewis, St. John.
  - Oliver Bauer, St. John.
  - James Strachan, Scotland.
  - Vincent Segee, Fairville.

A rousing recruiting meeting and smoker took place last evening in the Victoria Rink. Hurch H. McLeellan occupied the chair and a large number of speakers enthused the gathering with their eloquence. During the evening Lt.-Gov. Wood entered and was given a hearty welcome. St. Mary's Band was in attendance and rendered patriotic pieces during the meeting. Steve Matthews entertained the audience with some of his jokes and S. Herbert Mayes gave a couple of patriotic songs.

Rev. Capt. Harrison of the 64th Battalion delivered a very stirring address and the other speakers included Corp. Griffin of the Patriotic Island Artillery, Lt.-Gov. Wood, Rev. P. H. Penwarden of Milltown, N. B., Archdeacon Newham of St. Stephen and M. E. Asar.

Mr. McLeellan introduced the first speaker, Corp. Griffin. The latter spoke very fully on the need of more men. He explained that it was our duty to keep the red line alive—firm and well supplied, and it would do the work of the thick line of soldiers on earth. He closed with the words, "If a man dies at the front, he dies for something worth while."

The band played a few popular military airs and the soldiers in attendance passed cigars. There were lots of pipes, matches and a good quantity of tobacco for all who would indulge.

Rev. Capt. Harrison, the next speaker, said he could not understand the attitude of the young men. If they understood the liberty they are now enjoying, they would try to preserve it and forever keep the Union Jack flying over their heads. Capt. Harrison then spoke of the need of more men to be able to go and fight for our country and die for the Union Jack. He said that this country can stand up and sing "We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall" and still remain out of the hands of the enemy. He said we could expect no peace until we got to Berlin and tried it as the conquerors did in days of old.

"The Kaiser wanted his great navy and he got it, but within three years we will have it." In speaking of our forefathers he said that our forefathers planted the "tree of liberty" and it was up to us to keep it growing and blooming.

"It is four hundred and twenty-eight days since this war began and now it is time there was some definite step taken to get those who think they can't go to see they can. We have the greatest generals ever produced. General Jan Hamilton at the Dardanelles and General French in Flanders. My boys are not for you young men to make a sacrifice but a chance is now given you to show your manhood."

## GERMAN GOV'T DISAVOWS SINKING OF THE ARABIC

Accepts Word of British Officers that Steamer Did Not Intend to Ram Submarine, Expresses Regret for Killing American Passengers and Promises to Indemnify their Families

RECURRENCE OF SIMILAR CASE PRECLUDED IN GERMAN MESSAGE

Orders Given to Submarine Commanders Made More Stringent—Way Paved for Amicable Settlement of Lusitania and Falaba Incidents.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Germany has completely acceded to the American demands for settlement of the Arabic case. The Imperial government, in a letter presented today by its ambassador, Count Von Bernstorff, to Secretary of State Lansing, disavows the sinking of the vessel, announces that it has notified the submarine commander who made the attack, expressing regrets for the loss of American lives and agrees to pay an indemnity to their families.

Official Washington was both gratified and relieved by the diplomatic victory. The communication delivered by the ambassador, pursuant to general instructions from his government, spread absolute confidence that there would be no more submarine controversies between the United States and Germany, for the document reveals that stringent orders have been given to submarine commanders to prevent a recurrence of such incidents as the Arabic.

Since this case embraces the principles for which President Wilson contended in his notes following the sinking of the Lusitania and the Falaba, the concessions made by Germany to the American viewpoint were generally regarded tonight as paving the way for amicable settlement of all the cases which have threatened severance of diplomatic relations between the two countries.

Count Von Bernstorff left here tonight happy over the results of his work, expressing the confident hope that relations between Germany and the United States would continue to improve.

With the settlement of the Arabic controversy, the despatch to Great Britain of the long delayed American note on interference with trade is expected within a few days. President Wilson has consented to refuse to send this communication while the settlement of the Arabic case is pending, because the Berlin government had, through its notes, given the impression that on the action which the United States took with one set of belligerents depended its own conformity to international law. As the issues with Germany appear now to be adjusting themselves, the President, it is known, feels free to press Great Britain for a modification of the orders-in-council and restrictions of American trade.

It was not until the German ambassador submitted his letter at nearly one o'clock today that the changed relations between Germany and the United States became definite. The despatch to Germany which Count Von Bernstorff had made were considered unsatisfactory.

Count Von Bernstorff came to Washington today at the request of Mr. Lansing. In a few minutes he learned of the American government's objections and in return gave oral assurances that these would be promptly overcome. Returning to the embassy, the ambassador re-drafted the letter originally delivered in New York and sent it by messenger to the State Department. Secretary Lansing carried it to the White House and shortly afterward announced its text, which follows:

"My Dear Mr. Secretary: Prompted by the desire to reach a satisfactory agreement with regard to the Arabic incident, my government has given me the following instructions:

"The orders issued by his majesty, the emperor, to the commanders of the German submarines of which I notified you on a previous occasion have been made so stringent that the recurrence of incidents similar to that save the womanhood of this country from outrage, it would be easier to get the men.

Miles E. Asar, the last speaker, gave a very descriptive story of his own experience of the Zepplin raid on London, Sept. 8th. He was visiting a friend when it occurred. The Zepplin could be seen in the distance with two search lights from London playing on it and guns firing at it but it was not harmed.

Mr. Asar said it resembled a picture of a ship lying at anchor in a large harbor. In a short time it was directly overhead but did not do much damage near where he was visiting. After circling about a few times it disappeared much to the relief of those below.

The gathering broke up with the singing of God Save the King.

## PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD HERE FOR FEW DAYS

Rev. H. R. Grant of New Glasgow elected moderator—Strong opening sermon.

The Maritime Provinces Synod of the Presbyterian church opened here last evening in St. Andrew's church with about three hundred delegates in attendance. The first business of the meeting was the selection of a moderator for the highest office in the gift of the synod, but when the vote was taken it appeared that three candidates were competing. The men nominated all had excesses for not accepting office and made strong pleas for some one else to take up the work. Those nominated were Rev. Thomas Stewart, D. D., Halifax; Professor J. W. Falconer, Halifax; and Rev. H. R. McLean, Mahone Bay.

Professor Falconer said he was too old for the work of moderator and up to the running but he was very desirous of seeing Rev. Mr. Grant take the place of the synod. Rev. Mr. Grant made a strenuous plea against any such action on the part of the synod. Rev. Mr. McLean also refused duty and Rev. Dr. Stewart said his duties as assistant secretary could not be carried on to advantage by anyone else. Finally the vote was taken by the showing of hands, which method of voting seemed to be perfectly satisfactory to the delegates. It was very evident that the secret ballot is not yet in force in the synod.

After an elimination showing, the secretary announced that the majority was in favor of Rev. H. R. Grant and he was elected moderator. The vote of the synod the selection was made unanimous. He was then escorted to the platform and took his place as chairman.

Rev. Mr. Grant hailed from New Glasgow and has been prominently connected with the temperance movement in Nova Scotia. He is secretary of the Nova Scotia Temperance Alliance. As soon as the new moderator was in his place His Worship Mayor Prink was called to the platform and welcomed the delegates to St. John. He spoke of the fine showing of the Presbyterians in all walks of life and especially in sending men to the Empire force.

Several resolutions were passed and the meeting adjourned till ten o'clock this morning.

Before the business meeting the retiring moderator, Rev. Donald McDonald, of Grand River, Cape Breton, preached an eloquent sermon dealing with the mission of the church. In the course of his remarks he said there were two great manacles at present. They were the liquor traffic and the Germans. He felt that the people with the help of God could put the yoke of intolerance on them, while God through the agency of the armies of the allies would crush out the German menace.

The meetings today will be from 10 a. m. to 12:30 and from 2:15 to 5:30 and again at 7:30.

Italians change plan of campaign

Udine, Italy, via Paris, Oct. 5.—The original idea of taking Trieste seems to have been abandoned by the Italians. According to reports from the Italian headquarters the plan now is that when Gorizia, which is an entrenched camp, which is one of the most formidable natural fortifications in existence, is taken, the Italians will continue their advance along the Carso plateau, leaving Trieste on their right and cut off from the remainder of the Austrian Empire.

This operation is contemplated with a view of preventing Austrians from destroying Trieste by bombardment from the mountains and the sea, according to the reports.

## RAILWAY CROSSING APPROVED BY BOARD

Bridge approach plan sanctioned by railway commission—Watchman paid by both companies.

The following judgment was given by the Railway Commission at Ottawa yesterday:

Judgment was given today by the Railway Commission regarding the applications of the St. John Railway Company for leave to cross with its tracks the tracks of the St. John Bridge and Railway Extension Company at Douglas avenue.

An order has already gone permitting the St. John Railway Company to cross the tracks, but proper formalities were not observed regarding the manner in which these gates were installed and operated. The cost of the watchman has been borne by the C. P. R.

Under the circumstances, says the Board, the costs for watchman are to be divided between the St. John Railway and the C. P. R., and the care of the interlocker added to his present duties. The Board agrees that the interlocker cannot conveniently or profitably be looked after by conductors of the street cars.

## THREE BRITISH STEAMERS SUNK

London, Oct. 5.—Announcement is made that the British steamers Haydn and Sailor Prince have been sunk. It is reported that the crew of the Haydn was saved, and that some survivors of the Sailor Prince have been landed.

The Haydn was a vessel of 3,923 tons. She was built in 1906, and was owned by the Orpheus Shipping Company of Sunderland. The last report of the vessel gave her as sailing from Karachi, India, Sept. 6 for the Clyde.

The Sailor Prince was of 3,144 tons and was owned by the Prince Line of Newcastle.

Athens, Oct. 4. (via Paris, Oct. 5, 5:40 p. m.)—The British steamer Aradla, en route from London to Piraeus, Greece, has been torpedoed by an Australian submarine 12 miles south of Cyprus. Thirty-five members of the crew were saved.

## SUBMARINE INQUIRY BROUGHT TO CLOSE

Vancover, B. C., Oct. 5.—While the submarine inquiry closed at noon today, Sir Charles Davidson made it plain that from whatever sources it was offered he was quite willing to hold further sittings to obtain evidence along lines he has lately been inquiring into. He will hold at least one more session, probably at Montreal, to hear what officials of the General Electric Company, of New Jersey, who owned the original plans of the submarines, have to say about it. Sir Charles refused to agree to the request of Premier McBride that Liberal politicians and editors should be called to relate anything they know or heard.

## PERSONAL

Miss Mamie McGaffigan, of Florenceville, is visiting the Misses Lynch of Harris street.

Mrs. R. W. W. Prink, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Trampour in Kertisdale, B. C., returned yesterday.

Rev. Dr. Crowell, who has been living in Fairville for about two years, is moving with his family to Yarmouth, N. S., where he was pastor of the Free Baptist church for thirteen years. His daughter, Miss Emma, stenographer at the Bible House, remains in St. John. Dr. Crowell was for several months editor of the Maritime Baptist.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rice, of Bear River, N. S., arrived in the city by the Yarmouth yesterday afternoon.

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**WOODS**—At East St. John on Oct. 1915, Edward C. Woods, leaving his wife, three sons and one daughter, two brothers and one sister to mourn.

Funeral on Wednesday, 6th inst., from his late residence, East St. John. Service begins at 3:30 o'clock.

**WALLACE**—In this city, on the 4th inst., William M. Wallace, leaving a wife, one son, five daughters and one sister to mourn.

(Cape Breton papers please copy.)

Funeral from his late residence, 346 Haymarket Square, Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock to the Cathedral for High Mass of Requiem. Friends invited to attend.

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## WHY GERMANS ARE SO KEEN TO RECOVER HILL 191 FROM FRENCH

Town of Cernay, which is objective of French and commands important railway, is only mile and three-quarters distant.

Paris, Oct. 5.—A field correspondent of the Havas Agency in a despatch received here gives further details of the struggle between the French and the Germans for Hill No. 191, one of the heights of Massiges in the battlefield of Champagne, which was captured by the French in spite of the German staff order that it must be held at all costs.

"The hill," the correspondent says, "was believed by the Germans to be impregnable. They used to say of it that with two sweepers and two machine guns the hill could be held. On the contrary, however, the position was taken on September 25 by a splendid advance of the Colonial troops, one of the brigades of which charged with a general at its head.

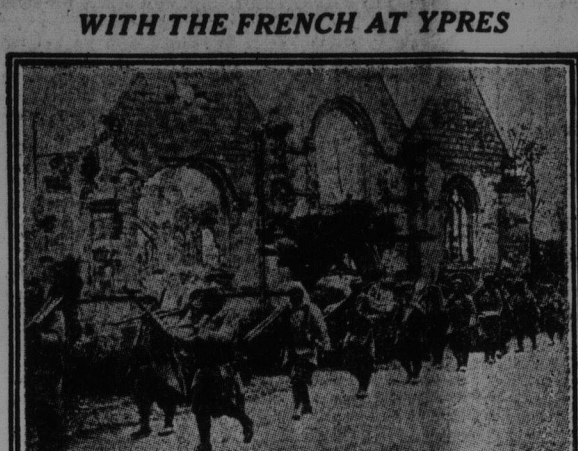
"Down the other side of the hill," says the correspondent, "the allied troops advanced methodically, reaching Mount Tetu toward the north and then eastward. They operated hour by hour and day by day in descending the hill in the direction of Ville-sur-Tourbe. As each trench was reached the Germans in small groups held up their hands. One officer who was made prisoner said: 'We can't make them move except by the use of a cudgel or with a revolver.'

"During the fighting three thousand grenades were captured and used against the enemy, as well as two '77' guns, each with a supply of 2,500 shells. The French soldiers were delighted with the success of the advance. An officer said he could not find men to conduct prisoners back of the line, as all of the men wanted to stay with the advancing forces.

Hill No. 191, which the French have captured, lies north by east one-third of a mile from the village of Massiges, the town lying on the south slope of the ridge of which Hill No. 191 forms a part. A small stream known as De l'Etiang flows to the southeast at the foot of the ridge on the south side. The French in making the assault of Hill No. 191 had to pass down into the valley, cross the stream and cut their way through the entanglements for a distance of one-third of a mile.

Looking north from Hill No. 191 Cernay is seen just beyond at a distance of one and three-quarters miles. The capture of Cernay is the immediate objective of the French.

The main French attack is at present directed along both sides of the national turnpike or macadam road which leads north from Ville-sur-Tourbe to Cernay. Hill No. 191 is to the left of this turnpike at a distance of three-quarters of a mile, and so long as the hill remained in German hands the defenders were able to sweep the approach along the road for a distance of several miles.



FRENCH TROOPS IN NEW BLUE GREY UNIFORMS DETAILED FOR ROAD MENDING.



FRENCH ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUN NEAR YPRES.

These pictures were taken in the Ypres district of the western firing line. The men around the gun are on the lookout for the enemy's aeroplanes and are always ready to bring to earth any they see. The new French uniform is far safer than the old one with the red trowl. With the new uniform of blue-grey the troops can do their work without fear of being detected by the enemy.

## SIXTH DEATH FROM TYPHOID AT BORCHESTER

Two new cases reported yesterday and situation causing considerable anxiety.

Special to The Standard. —Dorchester, N. B., Oct. 5.—The sixth death from typhoid fever occurred in the Moncton hospital at 7.30 a. m. today, the victim being Miss Sarah Walker, who was taken to that institution about ten days ago.

The situation is to be most serious causing unusual anxiety throughout the town. Two cases are reported so serious that they cannot survive many hours. Two new cases are reported today.

The conditions complained of at Sunday's mass meeting are being remedied with as much speed as possible. Responding to wishes freely expressed by the citizens, the body of Miss Walker, whose home is in England, will be brought here by express No. 2 tomorrow (Wednesday) for interment in the Rural cemetery.

## T. B. MACAULEY SUCCEEDS FATHER AS PRESIDENT OF SUN LIFE CO.

Montreal, Oct. 5.—At this afternoon's meeting of the Board of Directors of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, Mr. T. B. MacAuley was unanimously elected president of the company, in succession to his father, the late Mr. Robertson MacAuley.

In accepting the presidency, Mr. MacAuley relinquishes the secretaryship of the company, which he has held since 1898.

The position of secretary was filled by the appointment of Mr. F. G. Cope, formerly assistant secretary.

## MADE TRIP FROM MAUNSELL BAY TO HALIFAX IN 14 DAYS

Str. Burleigh demonstrates possibility of navigation through Hudson Bay and Straits.

Special to The Standard. —Ottawa, Oct. 5.—The steamer Burleigh, of the naval service department, which has been up to Hudson Bay to build the foundations for the wireless station to be erected on Mansell Island in the northeastern part of the bay, has reached Halifax after a fourteen days trip from Mansell Island.

This is regarded here as very satisfactory and as demonstrating the possibilities of navigation through Hudson Bay and Straits. The wireless station will be erected next year and will communicate with the vessel at Port Nelson as well as with vessels passing in and out of the bay.

## NOT YET DECIDED IF AVIATION SCHOOL WILL BE MOVED TO BERMUDA

Special to The Standard. —Ottawa, Oct. 5.—Mr. J. A. D. McCurdy of the aviation school in Toronto was here today and saw the Prime Minister and also Mr. G. J. Desbarats, deputy minister of naval service, whose department has to pass all the Canadian candidates for the Royal Flying Corps. It is undecided as yet whether the flying school will be continued at Toronto during the winter or be moved to Bermuda.

Besides the new flying school lately started at Montreal another school is likely to be established at Vancouver. The schools are all under private management.

PRINTING OF PICTURES OF NEW BATTLESHIPS IS PROHIBITED. —Ottawa, Oct. 5.—Picture postcards of some of the new battleships recently launched in Great Britain have reached Canada. The publishing of these cards has been made a criminal offense in the Old Country. The Censor Department at Ottawa has sent out a warning to the press against the reproduction of these pictures in Canada.

## KELLY MUST STAY IN CHICAGO JAIL UNTIL CASE COMES UP OCT. 15TH

Counsel for Attorney-General of Manitoba gives assurance contractor will not be called before Royal Commission.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—Thomas Kelly, the Winnipeg contractor, whose extradition will be sought here, must remain in jail at Waukegan until his case comes up before United States Commissioner Mason, October 15.

The date was set this afternoon, when the commissioner also denied bail.

W. S. Forest, one of the attorneys representing Kelly, quoted supreme court decisions in point of giving bail in extradition proceedings, but to no avail. R. A. Bonnar, K.C., representing the Attorney General of Manitoba, assured counsel for the defence that Mr. Kelly will not be called as a witness before the Royal Commission which investigated the alleged frauds in the construction of the parliament buildings at Winnipeg.

Counsel for the defence, however, were of the opinion that despite Mr. Bonnar's offer, the Manitoba authorities might force Mr. Kelly to testify before the commission.

The offer of Mr. Bonnar was made in response to a statement by Mr. Forest that his client had been in Detroit Lakes, Minn., for three months prior to his coming to Chicago on business last week, and that the Canadian authorities were continually informed as to his whereabouts. Mr. Forest asserted that Mr. Kelly did not wish to return to Canada because he did not wish to appear as a witness before the Royal Commission, and was waiting the completion of its inquiry.

A railroad ticket was submitted in evidence by Mr. Forest, which, he said, was purchased by Mr. Kelly when he left St. Paul for Chicago, and showed, he said, that Mr. Kelly intended to return to St. Paul.

## MORE NORTH SHORE MEN FOR THE 64TH

Newcastle, Oct. 5.—The following list of men to join the 64th at Sussex: John Henderson, Newcastle; Jos. Hawkins, Chatham; a soldier at the wireless; and Thomas Chamberlain of Canadian. Lewis P. Clark of Upper Nelson has also enlisted for the 64th. Five or six more soldiers will leave in a few days. Capt. L. D. Jones is the recruiting officer.

## POLICE COURT.

The Police Magistrate yesterday gave warning to all young boys and girls to be off the streets before 9 o'clock p. m. during this month and before 7 o'clock during the months of November, December, January and February. He stated that this was not a new law, but one which had been passed in eleventh Victoria, before the present Commissioners were born. There is to be a difference this year, however, in that the law will be enforced.

James W. Cody, charged with drunkenness and interfering with pedestrians, was sentenced to a fine of \$8 on each charge. Officer Fuller testified against him.

Louis McDermid, charged with drunkenness and profanity, was given four months in default of paying \$16. Officer Moore was the one who brought this prisoner to await retribution.

Louis Kennedy outdid the others and was found guilty of drunkenness, profanity and obscenity, for which he received the option of six months in jail or increasing the city treasury by \$24.

James Oakes, reported for violating the traffic law, was allowed to go with a fine of \$10 staring him in the face if he should infringe again. Again it was Officer Fuller who brought the evil-doer to justice.

John Jamieson, charged with carrying concealed weapons, was remanded after Officer Linton had given his evidence.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS. —The following property transfers have been recently recorded. —St. John County. —B. R. Armstrong to G. A. Doyle, property on Portland Place. —Johanna Campbell to Mrs. William Morrow, Jr., \$150, property at St. Martins. —S. H. Ewing et al to Mrs. F. E. Kee, property at Lancaster. —Mary A. McArdle to G. W. Day, property at Simonds. —W. M. Wallace to Mrs. W. M. Wallace, property on Flack River Road. —St. Mary County. —Hamilton Edwards to J. S. Edwards, property at Kingston. —Joseph Gulliver to H. L. Gulliver, property at Waterford. —Sarah E. Jamieson to Collette Dibley, \$400, property at Norton. —Agnes Neal to C. L. O'Neil, property at Stadhoud. —C. L. O'Neil to David McDonald, \$1,000, property at Springfield.

## PLANS FOR GIANT STEEL COMBINE UNDER WAY

Bethlehem negotiating for Pennsylvania and big rivals fighting for control of smaller concerns.

New York, Oct. 5.—Negotiations for the acquisition of the Pennsylvania Company by the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, which, if successful, may lead to a still larger combination of steel companies, were in progress today in this city. While it was learned that the deal was not finally closed, it was stated, on authority, that there was a likelihood that announcement to that effect would be made soon.

It was also learned that negotiations are pending for the purchase of the control of the Cambria Steel Co., and that there is a possibility of a combination of this company with the prospective Bethlehem-Pennsylvania merger. In fact, according to a high authority familiar with the situation in the steel trade, there was never a time since the formation of the United States Steel Corporation, fourteen years ago, that so many deals, involving millions and millions of dollars, were under way, as at present.

Practically every steel and iron company in the country of any importance had been approached, it was said, in the efforts of rival interests to organize larger corporations. Earsighted leaders in the steel trade foresaw, after the war, a period of reconstruction in Europe as the result of which there should be a large demand for American steel products, it was said in steel circles today. Such a motive combined with the more immediate demand for ordnance and other steel products which the war itself has created, governs the promoters in their efforts to bring together the smaller steel concerns in order to reap the benefit, through the economies of large organizations, of the prospective increase in trade.

In Wall Street gossip, the names of Charles M. Schwab, chairman of the Bethlehem Steel Company, and H. C. Frick, who is understood to have a large interest in, together with an option on, stock of the Cambria Steel Company, were linked today as rivals of William E. Corey and his associates, who have just acquired control of the Midvale Steel Company, and increased its capital stock to \$100,000,000. This gossip was strengthened by an authoritative statement explaining that Messrs. Corey and Schwab were in nowise co-operating, and that the rumors that Bethlehem and Midvale would combine had no basis.

The negotiations between the Pennsylvania and Bethlehem interests today dealt with the subject of the price, it was understood, at which the Pennsylvania Railroad, which owns fifty-four per cent. interest in the Pennsylvania Steel Company would relinquish

## CHIPMAN ANSWERS EMPIRE'S CALL

Ten Recruits as result of fine meeting — Weekly meetings being arranged.

Chipman, Oct. 5.—A very successful recruiting meeting was held at Chipman on Monday evening under the auspices of the local recruiting committee organized by Lieut. Clements, recruiting officer for Queens and Sunbury. The chair was taken at 8 p. m. by the Rev. G. T. Mowatt and very stirring speeches were made by Lieut. Brooks of the 5th Battalion, Captain Harrison, chaplain of the 64th Battalion, and Lieut. Clements. After the general meeting the men of military age were asked to remain behind for a confidential talk with the officers and in order that they might ask any questions that occurred to them. The net results of the meeting are that two recruits are going forward to Sussex today, three tomorrow and five others will go forward from Minto later in the week. In addition, however, to the immediate results the speeches have instilled great enthusiasm in the committee and the people of Chipman generally and the results will be far reaching. The committee are now determined to continue their efforts towards securing recruits unabated, while the whole country, who have been brought to a greater realization of the Empire's needs than ever before, are all talking about the call for young men and are determined that Chipman will not be behind other places in proportion to its population in answering the call.

It is proposed to hold weekly meetings each Monday evening. Good speakers are being secured for next week and the speakers for the week after are already announced, they will be Father Carney and Captain Harrison.

Mr. Hewitt Here. —C. Gordon Hewitt, Dominion entomologist, arrived in the city yesterday morning and while here inspected the fumigating and inspecting station where imported trees are examined for injurious insects. The station is in charge of H. E. Gould. Mr. Hewitt left St. John last night for Nova Scotia. He has just completed his inspection of the new laboratory of the Entomological Department at Fredericton, which is situated on the University grounds and formally took the building over for the government. The work of the department for the province will hereafter be conducted from this laboratory.

His holdings. The conferees, who met at Mr. Schwab's office, included E. T. Stotesbury, head of the Morcan banking house in Philadelphia, and a director in the Pennsylvania Steel Company; Henry Tainall, vice-president of the Pennsylvania Railroad; W. H. Donner, chairman of the Pennsylvania Steel Company, and several directors of the Bethlehem Company. None would discuss the deliberations, except to say that nothing had been decided.

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

## THE BUILDING OF THE SHIPS.

A lengthy and labored defence of the alleged Laurier naval policy the Telegraph summarizes the Liberal position as follows: "The Liberals said we should build, man and maintain the ships." Apparently that is the complete case and on it the party of Laurier must be judged. Let us, for the time, forget all about the Laurier, quibbling and vacillation on the naval question as on other matters of Imperial importance and judge his course solely from the Telegraph's statement.

In the first place the Liberals wanted to build the ships in Canada, and the Telegraph claims that that policy had been adopted. Canadian ships would now be now being fought in the Empire's battles. Just to keep the record straight it may be recalled that, when in power, and with a majority both in the House of Commons and the Senate, the Liberals made no attempt to build warships in Canada or anywhere else, so the value of that idea, as far as the present war is concerned, must be considered to date from the time the Borden government took office.

On December 5th, 1912, after consultation with the British Admiralty, Sir Robert Borden introduced his naval bill, which was not intended as a permanent policy, but merely to meet an emergency that had arisen in the relation of the Empire to a certain nation in Europe. The Liberals, at that time, scoffed at the idea of an emergency and even Sir Wilfrid Laurier, when confronted by the Churchill memorandum, on December 12th, 1912, said: "This document shows that there is no emergency; that England is in no danger either present or prospective." Yet, in less than two years after that statement was made the Empire was locked in a life and death struggle with the very foe that threatened in 1912, and to meet whose naval development the Borden emergency bill was designed.

The Liberals wanted a permanent policy and the ships built in Canada. How would that plan have worked out? Remember it would have been necessary to first build the plant before the construction of ships could have been commenced.

Right Hon. Winston Churchill, Secretary of the British Admiralty, had for years acquired knowledge of naval matters in the best school in the world—the British navy—and in his memorandum to Sir Robert Borden he has this to say regarding the matter of building battleships in Canada:

"It is clear that it would be wholly unwise for Canada to attempt to undertake the building of a battleship at the present moment. The cost of laying down the plant alone would, at a rough estimate, be approximately fifteen million pounds, and it could not be ready for four years."

Thus, if the Laurier policy had been adopted on the very day on which Sir Robert Borden introduced his naval bill, and the Liberals showed no disposition to take any action prior to that time, and had a contract for the yards been entered into without one hour's debate, the plant, according to Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill's estimate, could not have been completed and ready to produce ships before December 5th, 1916. On that date, fourteen months hence, providing, of course, there were no unforeseen delays, the yards built according to the Laurier policy would be in a position to start work on the construction of the first warship.

Now, how about the ships? The Telegraph uses the Australian light cruiser Sydney to represent the type of ships Sir Wilfrid Laurier proposed. It should be absolutely fair, then, to judge of the speed with which such a ship could be completed in Canada by the record made in the construction of Australia's pride. The Sydney was begun in February, 1911; she was launched in May, 1912, and completed in July, 1913—two years and five months in the building. Let us suppose that the keel of the light cruiser "Laurier" should be laid in the newly constructed Laurier yard on the day of that yard's completion, December 5th, 1914; at the Australian rate of progress she would be launched in March,

1915, and completed and ready for commission in May, 1915. Yet the Telegraph would have its readers believe that under the Laurier plan, Canadian warships would be in the fighting lines of the Empire in the present war. Does the Telegraph think the present war will continue until May, 1915, or is it merely indulging in playful misrepresentation of this, a serious question? UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES COULD THE LAURIER SHIPS HAVE BEEN OF SERVICE IN THE PRESENT WAR. LAURIER DELAYED ACTION LONG ENOUGH TO MAKE THAT IMPOSSIBLE.

What would have been the effect had Sir Robert Borden's emergency bill been adopted? Under that plan the ships would have been built in British shipyards, already established and equal to the task. The bill was introduced on December 5th, 1912, and, if the Liberals had not obstructed it, the contracts for the ships could have been in the hands of the British builders by January 1st, 1913. At the Australian rate of construction the ships would have been finished and in commission by July 1st, 1915, at the very latest estimate, as British warships are now in commission which were commenced since the introduction of Sir Robert Borden's bill.

Which policy will strike the average sane Canadian as the one most likely to be of assistance to the British Empire in the time of need? Sir Robert Borden's plan which would have provided ships of the kind needed in time to be of some service, or the nebulous and vague Laurier proposal? The more consideration one gives to the two policies the more forcibly must one be impressed with the truth of the statement made by The Standard, and derisively quoted by the Telegraph that "it is today clearly and solely due to the pernicious influence of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the disloyal action of his parasites in the Canadian Senate that there is no 'Canada', no 'New Brunswick', no 'Nova Scotia' to represent this country in the Dreadnought squadron in the North Sea."

## THE DUTY OF THE HOUR

The men and women of Canada are confronted with a duty that cannot be neglected. The young, physically fit men should be in khaki, helping the cause of the Empire, where strong men are needed, on the battle lines in France and Flanders, or in the training camps in Canada preparing for active service. The men, not of military age or fitness, and the women, as well, should make up their minds that they, too, have an opportunity to be of service. To them the call comes in the form of the various patriotic and other funds incidental to Canada's participation in war.

Fortunately there is abundant opportunity to heed the appeal in one direction or the other. An active recruiting campaign is being prosecuted in an effort to fill the ranks of the battalions to go from this province to the scene of war and it is not meeting with the necessary measure of success if the desired results are to be obtained. This is not due to cowardice on the part of the young men of New Brunswick but, primarily, to the fact that there has not yet been a complete realization of the need. Young men are indifferent rather than cowardly. They incline to the belief that the Empire can get along without them and that the situation has not yet reached the point of urgency where it is necessary for them to exchange the ease of civilian life at home for the arduous labor, comparative discomfort and danger of the trenches. These young men are in error. While they are safe now they should consider what their case might be should the Germans prove victorious, what their position would be with Canada a German colony. In the latter case there would be no thought of voluntary service. The armies would be raised by conscriptive methods of the most drastic form. Do the young men of this country desire such a development? If not they have opportunity, by enlisting in the Empire's armies, to do their share in preventing it.

As with the actual offer of service in the fighting lines, so with the ques-

tion of assisting to fight the Germans with the cheque book. At the present time more than the usual number of channels are available by which one may contribute to one or other of the worthy funds. The Patriotic Auction is designed to swell the coffers of the Patriotic Fund and is a most commendable undertaking in which every citizen should participate. Later on there will be a house to house canvass in the interests of the same fund when it is expected that every man and woman in the city will respond to the appeal for contributions. Much has already been done in this respect but St. John has not yet reached the limit. It is assuredly the duty of the hour to either fight or pay. They are not true and loyal Canadians who ignore it.

## THE CROWN LANDS.

The following editorial from the Globe of last evening is respectfully commended to the careful attention of the politically jaundiced Chatham World and the purchasable St. John Times:

"Irrespective altogether of politics, there should be widespread satisfaction over the announcement that Frederick Clarke has cancelled lumber licenses sold in connection with or following the Berry collections. By freeing the province from the unfair obligations assumed as a consequence of these collections, the Premier has taken the first step in the direction of a new and, it is hoped, a more equitable arrangement. No man can deny that in times past the lumber lands of the province have been administered more in the interests of the lumbermen than of the people. Proof of this is found in a comparison of the records of stumpage collections under various governments, published in the blue books of the province. The Dugal investigation turned the white light of publicity on other things often whispered and hinted at, but never before exposed. It made known to the whole province, not all the details of a rotten business, but enough to prove that the lumbermen were getting more, much more, than they were morally entitled to; much more than the politicians wanted the public to know they were getting; much more even than was brought out in the investigation itself. With a free hand to take up the lumber license matter, untrammelled by any of the obligations of the past, Hon. Mr. Clarke and his government have made a beginning which justifies confidence and warrants a hope of an arrangement fair to the lumbermen and fair to the province. Such an arrangement is only possible after an honest survey and classification of the crown lands. If Hon. Mr. Clarke's government gives to the province a crown land policy based on such a survey, and carried into effect regardless of other considerations than justice, it will have rendered the province a service of inestimable value. The beginning is right."

The splendid reception accorded to the \$500,000,000 Anglo-French loan by the financial magnates of the United States is a striking evidence of confidence in the ultimate success of the Allied cause. Financial men are the keenest observers of world events and they seldom take a losing proposition. Interests favoring Germany exerted their influence to defeat the flotation of the loan but they were not successful, as American investors displayed such eagerness to participate that the issue was over-subscribed. It is a good sign.

The Greek Premier has resigned. Events will show that Bulgaria would have everlastingly profited if the Bulgarian Premier had taken similar action before he permitted himself to become entangled in the coils of German alliance.

Lower Millstream has made a splendid recruiting record. Fourteen soldiers were secured there at a meeting last evening. The rural districts are showing the way to the City of St. John.

To date the Telegraph and Times have preserved a profound silence on the question of the reverse to Mr. Peter J. Veniot in Gloucester county.

There was a parish election in Sunbury County yesterday and the Conservatives scored another triumph. Where was the Liberal organizer?

## Fortunes of War

He was a Canadian and he wore a corporal's stripes. There he sat snugly in a sheltered part of his trench in that little corner of Belgium and played poker with a quartet of his comrades. Luck was against him. He had lost about everything he had to lose, when at the very height of the game—just after the dealer had done his best and his worst—a shell came through the roof of the shelter, passed between the Canadian's long, lean legs (luckily without hitting him) and buried itself harmlessly in the soft earth. The others of the party leapt up in not inexcusable haste and fled from the place, but the Canadian did not move.

The disturbance brought the company commander on the run. "What's up?" says he. "Well, sir," says the Canadian, "that there shell drops in on us and when it don't explode at once I judge it is pretty safe not to go off at all. So I

## Little Benny's Note Book.

BY LEE PAPE.

Us fellows was playing a game of movings up out in the street today, and Sid Hunt calm alawng wheeling the baby coach with his baby bruthr in it, and we awl yelled to him, Hay, Sid, want to get in the game. I cant, I got to wheel this darn kid, sed Sid.

Aw, put him in back of our steps, he wont no any diffrnts, I sed. I alnt supposed to, sed Sid. Ony he did it enyway, wheeling the baby in back of our frunt steps and leaving it there and then getting in the game, and aftir we had bin playing a lawng wile the bawl went ovir by our steps and Sid chaged it.

Hay, wares the baby, wares that baby, he yelled. Wich we awl ran ovir and heer the baby wasnt there and neethir was the baby coach. G wizz, sumboddy went and stole it, maybe I wont catch le wen I go hoam, sed Sid.

O well, wat do you carp, now you want haft to wheel it eny moar, sed Puds Simkins. You awt to be glad of it, sed Reddy Merly. Well G wizz, you woodent want to have yure kid bruthr stoled, sed Sid Hunt.

Wich we awl sed sure we wood, wich I gess we wood if we had baby bruthr, Sid heeing the ony wan thats got wan, and I sed, You can say it fell down a hole or sumthing. You can say a wargin run ovir it, sed Sam Kraws.

And they awl startid to tell him wat he cood say, Johnny Willson saying he cood say 3 men with masts awn jumped out of a avtomobell and grabbed it, and Skinny Martin saying he cood say it lered how to wawk awl of a suddin and jumped out of the baby coach and ran away. Wich just then who termed around the cornr wheeling it but Lilly Levy, saying ive bin taking yure littel bruthr a littel wawk, Sidney.

Aw, heck, sed Sid. Sounding as if he wasent extra glad to get it back agen, and Lilly Levy, gave it anothir push erroud the block and us fellos startid to play movings up agen.

Just set where I am. The curst luck of it is that I've been plakin' away here all month 'drawin' rotten cards and losin' my shirt, and here just as I holds the first four of a kind that's gladdened my two eyes since Hector was a pup—and kings at that, sir—that identical moment there comes this piffin' German turnip and the other fellows beats it.—New York Evening Post.

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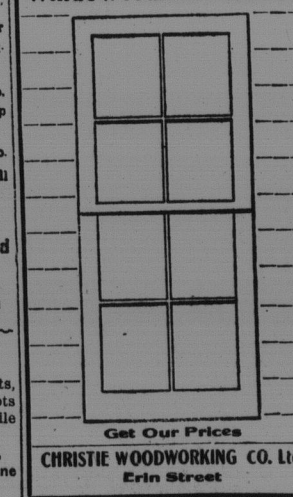
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## Interesting For Boys

HERE'S QUITE A

You will all have read the p Fund for Soldiers' Children," which each Saturday, now set to work and girls you can get, who will pre and addresses to me, together with the cards to be given to them. To in the greatest number of names 7th October, I shall award either LOVELY STORY BOOK, whichever age limit in this contest, and only to the list.

Now get busy and see if we c tries in this competition.

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## HANDWRITING

As many of you have shown are splendid writers I am letting in same. Write the following qu svers, on a piece of white paper coupons and send in to me not l Both boys and girls may compete older than 15 years of age last s sends me in the most neatly writ correct answers I shall award a pi or NICE STORY BOOK whichever

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Now get busy and see if we cannot have a record number of entries in this competition.

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WHERE IS PETROGRAD?  
WHO IS THE KING OF BULGARIA?  
WHO IS KING GEORGE'S ELDEST SON?

UNCLE DICK, THE STANDARD, ST. JOHN, N. B.

Young People of St. Mary's  
The Young Peoples' Association of St. Mary's church met in their rooms last evening and elected the following officers: President, Rev. R. T. McKim; vice-presidents, H. W. Barton, Miss Maude Roberts; secretary, Miss Isabella Crozier; financial secretary, Miss Marjorie Lane; treasurer, Miss E. Patton; marshal, Miss Edna Hunt.

After the meeting a pleasant social programme was enjoyed and plans for the winter were arranged.

**MUST TAKE UP LANCASTER SEWER COST LESS THAN WAS EXPECTED**

**SALE OF BONDS PRODUCED MORE THAN WAS REQUIRED - Good business by Parish Sewerage Board - Wish to make Poll Tax nominal amount.**

**Judge Grimmer orders city to remove obstruction from railway tracks - Cost to city.**

The city must take up the concrete laid on Main street so that the street railway tracks can be replaced and the street railway service resumed. Further it must pay the costs of the injunction proceedings. That in effect is the judgment delivered yesterday morning by Hon. Mr. Justice Grimmer, in connection with the case argued before him a few days ago by P. R. Taylor for the company and Hon. J. B. M. Baxter for the city. The city, by a previous decision of the Supreme Court must also pay the costs of the appeal to Fredericton on the mandatory injunction issued by Hon. Mr. Grimmer, out of which the case yesterday arose. It will be remembered that the court held the city's request to dissolve the injunction should be made to Judge Grimmer and not to the full court. When the city appeared before the judge the railway company withdrew the ex parte application and sought a fresh injunction which the judge granted yesterday. There is still pending a case between the company and the city involving the question of damages, and which may bring out further legal battles over the rights of the city and the company not set forth by this decision. After fully reviewing the various developments in the case as disclosed by the affidavits Judge Grimmer said:

The Commissioner admits the removal of the rails, obstruction of the plaintiff's railway, and in fact substantially all the chief allegations of the plaintiff company, but seeks to justify his action by his zeal in the performance of the duties of his office, his interest in the public welfare and convenience, and also because of his belief from studying a judgment of the Court of Appeal, as he states under advice from the city solicitor he had a right to take up the company's rails in constructing a street or changing a grade, which rails the company must relay after the street was made.

Without dealing with the questions which must be decided at the trial, I cannot but feel it is much to be regretted the Commissioner should have acted in the manner in which, in this instance, he has conducted himself. As Commissioner of Public Works, he is interested in the work of his department as a civic official, having no personal pecuniary advantage to obtain, and so I assume that what he does, what he has done, in every case that which in his judgment is most for the public good. There is, however, sometimes in public officials, as well as in public bodies, a disposition to act in an arbitrary manner and to treat it as imperative on the Commissioner to disregard their instructions or to interfere with their proceedings, and therefore it frequently happens that they do not adopt that reasonable course of conciliation and free and frank communication of their plans which this Court always looks for and generally finds on the part of individuals. Notwithstanding the advice given by the Commissioner in respect to removing rails of the company, no evidence has been furnished that he was, and it seems at least doubtful if he could have been, advised to fill up with concrete the track of the plaintiff after the removal of the rails, and to do this in the night, and yet, apparently, he clandestinely proceeded to do an act which he knew would absolutely prevent the operation of the plaintiff's railway. From the evidence before me, I find as a fact that the Commissioner, by laying this concrete as stated, has made it impossible, while the concrete remains so placed, for the company to replace its rails upon a suitable foundation and the grade of the street, as contemplated and provided by the statute, and I think the damage done by the placing of the concrete, with its result, comes within the legal definition of trespass and damage. This act of the Commissioner, in my opinion, cannot be justified, and was an injury to the plaintiff company of so serious a nature that the removal of the concrete is the only remedy which will meet the requirements of the case. The wrong is the obstruction of the plaintiff's line of railway by placing the concrete, which seems to me furnishes a cause of action in this case, and brings the subject matter thereof within the class of cases which can only be treated by granting the order asked for. In this case as to the removal of the concrete, and as there is no order which prevents the granting of the mandatory injunction when the injury sought to be restrained has been completed before the commencement of the action, the motion will be granted and the injunction allowed with costs to the plaintiff.

Continuing, Judge Grimmer declares: "In view of the undoubted right of the city to take up rails of the company when constructing a street or changing the grade, the injunction will be limited to the removal forthwith of the obstruction, consisting of the concrete placed by the defendant in the westerly track of the plaintiff's railway line between Douglas avenue and Adelaide street."

Concluding, the Judge says: "In making this order, I cannot refrain in the public interest from expressing the hope that in view of the statutory rights of both parties and the desirability of avoiding expensive

**A GOLDEN PHEASANT AT AUCTION**

**The pumpkin has made history - What are you doing for Patriotic Fund?**

The Patriotic Auction was again the centre of attraction yesterday. Crowds of well-wishers were to be seen making their way to St. Andrew's and Queen's Rinks. The wet evening did not deter the people from proceeding to the scenes of patriotic activity.

In the morning, and also in the evening, country produce was sold in Queen's Rink to swell the Patriotic Fund. Provisions such as potatoes, parsnips and pumpkins, as well as plenty of other produce provided by patriotic people for prospective purchasers were disposed of during the day at good prices. Auctioneer Lantulum officiated here and again his persuasive powers brought forth excellent results.

In the evening there was a large gathering in St. Andrew's Rink, notwithstanding the rain. The City Cornet band led the way from King square to the rink with lively music. Auctioneers, some of them in the professional circle, including, besides Mr. Lantulum, Com. F. L. Potts, Roy F. Potts and Isaac Webber, found willing amateurs with whom, it is safe to say, they would not be ashamed to welcome as capable members of the profession. These amateur auctioneers were Miss Helen Sidney-Smith, fancy work, dolls, dollies, dress materials and everything desirable for the home; John Stockford, Fredericton, miscellaneous goods in tinware and other useful articles; N. C. Cameron pictures, clothing, umbrellas and numerous useful articles; W. J. Wetmore, stationery, etc.; J. Howe, S. A. Jones, S. C. Matthews, H. J. Fowler, Heber Brown and L. P. D. Tilley. The eloquence of the amateurs was at once commendable and convincing. They sold an immense quantity of goods to purchasers who could not well resist the inclination to bring forth the patriotic dollar.

Teams were kept busy throughout the day taking away the large number of articles purchased. Scores of people were again to be seen carrying parcels of many kinds, and there was no sign of disappointment amongst any of them. Each knew that more than one thing had been accomplished. The patriotic barrel of potatoes, or the equally patriotic doll, dress or doily were sent or taken to their destination where they will be sure to be regarded as of more than ordinary importance.

**A Golden Opportunity.**

The story of the patriotic pumpkin is now familiar to everyone about the city and through the province. The smallest child is able to repeat it by heart, and in the lessons in botany in the schools there has come a suggestion that the title "golden," formerly the proud possession of the stalk of corn, be now applied to the leading fruit of the sardine—the pumpkin—the patriotic fruit which opened the patriotic auction with a return of \$300. Now another patriotic special offers. Tonight at 8:30 o'clock Mayor Frink will put up at auction a golden pheasant, and it is expected that a price in keeping with the name of the species will be obtained, with the understanding that the donor give the bird to the Rockwood Park authorities. Entomologists have pronounced the pheasant a valuable specimen—who's going to buy it tonight?

**This Afternoon.**

Those who have been waiting to learn of the auction of the Joseph Allison household fixtures will have their reward this afternoon. The goods will be offered for sale in St. Andrew's Rink. Be early! Come prepared to bid! All know the worth of these splendid articles of furniture, pianos and organs of which have been several times described. There is little more to be said, other than that they embrace almost every article of first class quality which occupies an appreciated position in a well-furnished home, and they will be offered for sale at your own price. What's your bid? There will be auctions from other departments this afternoon as well.

At 7 o'clock this evening the auction of goods from the dry goods, furniture, groceries, drugs and some other departments will be combined. It will continue with goods from all sections through the evening. At 8 p. m. there will be a special sale of pianos and organs of excellent value, while at various hours to be arranged later today will be sold a handsome set of furs, valuable rugs, a complete set of bathroom fittings, a case of cutlery complete with carvers, mat trasses and other merchandise. It will be a night of bargains—don't mind!

**HOUSE TO HOUSE CANVASS FOR THE PATRIOTIC FUND**

**Committee arranging details of plan to have everyone contribute.**

At the meeting of the committee of the Patriotic Fund held yesterday, Senator W. H. Thorne presiding, the matter of inaugurating a systematic campaign in the interests of the fund was considered, and plans adopted with that object in view. There was a good attendance, among those present, besides the chairman, being His Honor Lieut.-Gov. Wood and representatives of various societies, including the Elks, Knights of Columbus, Knights of Pythias, Carleton Union Lodge, Rotary Club and Automobile Association.

After a short address by the Lieutenant-Governor, and a general discussion as to the best methods of sustaining interest in the Patriotic Fund, it was decided to set apart October 18 to 23 as a week during which efforts will be made to place the fund on a firm basis. During this week there will be house-to-house visitations by representatives of the fund with the object of inducing all those on the voting list, and those of working age, whether on the list or not, to contribute to the fund upon systematic lines.

A cablegram from Lord Lansdown was read by the Lieutenant-Governor stating that October 21 had been set apart as Red Cross Tag Day, to be observed throughout the Empire, and that particulars as to the project, including details of management would be given. The feeling of the meeting was that control of patriotic effort should reside in local organizations.

The matter of complaints made as to the administration of the Patriotic Fund was brought to the notice of the meeting by C. B. Allan, secretary of the fund, who explained in detail the circumstances in each case brought to notice. Mr. Allan's observations were listened to with much interest, and those present expressed themselves as satisfied that adverse criticism as to the management of the fund was not warranted by the facts.

**WEDDINGS.**

**Nugent-Redstone.**

The home of Rev. Dr. Hutchinson, Main street, was the scene of a quiet wedding last evening, when he united in marriage Wilfrid Hamilton Nugent of Kansas City, Missouri, and Miss Cora Lora Redstone of Kingston, Kings Co., N. B. They were unattended but the ceremony was witnessed by many friends.

The bride wore a light colored silk costume with hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Nugent will leave this morning for the Eastern States on their way to Kansas City, where they will reside.

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**LANCASTER SEWER COST**

Oscar Hanson tendered his resignation as chairman of the Board of Assessors for the Parish of Musquodiu to the County Council yesterday, but Warden McLellan ruled a motion for consideration out of order. In view of the fact that the proceeds of the bonds issued for the construction of the sewer in Lancaster was in excess of the amount required it was decided to use the surplus in constructing sewers in the district. A bill to reduce the poll tax in the county will be presented at the next session of the Legislature. The Warden announced that he and Commissioner Russell had decided upon a site for the morgue in Water street, at the corner of Duke. The lot was about seventeen feet by thirty feet.

Other business of a routine nature was transacted.

There were present Warden McLellan, Councillors Frink, Wigmore, Russell, Potts, Smith, Howard, Carson, Black, Shillington, Thompson, Bryant, O'Brien, Golding, Dean and Stephenson with J. King Kelley, the county clerk.

After the minutes of the last meeting had been approved and the report of the finance committee, presented by Councillor Smith, adopted, the matter of the Hanson resignation was taken up.

There was quite a lively discussion regarding the authority of the council to deal with this matter. Councillor Russell asked if an official of the parish had any right to resign until his year's work was completed.

A motion was made to the effect that Hanson's resignation be accepted. Councillor Potts moved an amendment that the matter be referred to the finance committee and that they report back to the council at the next regular meeting.

Warden McLellan was of the opinion that the city commissioners, who were members of the county council ex officio, had no vote in the matter whatever. They did not vote on parish appointments and therefore had no right to relieve incumbents from office.

Councillor Dean was under the impression that the full council had voted on parish appointments and had a perfect right to vote in this matter. Councillor Thompson thought that if resignations of officers of parishes had been accepted by the council, no disapproval was made against Mr. Hanson.

Warden McLellan ruled that he could not accept either the resolution or the amendment.

Councillor Thompson appealed from the Warden's ruling. On a vote being taken the ruling of the chair was sustained.

**Town Planning**

It was moved, seconded and carried that a communication from the Town Planning Committee be received.

Councillor Frink said the City Engineer was preparing further plans for the committee and the matter would have to be dealt with again.

Councillor Black presented a bill from H. E. Gilmour for \$7.30 and said Mr. Gilmour had complained that a previous account had remained unsettled for a year. Warden McLellan said the account could not be considered unless it was presented in regular way through the finance committee.

**Lancaster Sewers**

Councillor O'Brien moved the following resolution which was adopted. Whereas the proceeds of the sale of debentures, authorized by order of the County Council of the City and County of St. John, on the 20th of July, 1915, for the extension of the sewerage system, in the Parish of Lancaster, on the City Line street and adjacent streets, have exceeded the amount required for said extension.

Therefore resolved, that the surplus from sale of debentures for this work be deposited to special account, for extension of sewerage in the areas of districts of Dufferin Row, Lancaster Avenue and Whipple street.

**Poll Tax**

On motion of Councillor Howard it was resolved to present a bill to the next session of the local Legislature to amend the Municipalities Act reducing the poll tax to a nominal fee.

Councillor Howard said under the present system the small land owner bore the heaviest part of the burden.

Councillor Carson said he understood the legislation, the conflicting interests may be reconciled, the parties come together with a determination to adjust the existing difficulties, and that reasonable business instinct and common sense may prevail to the extent that further recourse to the court of law to adjust imaginary or existing grievances may be avoided and the full application of this order rendered unnecessary.

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At 3 o'clock this afternoon a sale of carriages, wagons and sleighs will be conducted in the Queen's Rink, followed at 4 o'clock by the auction of the seven passenger Cadillac touring car, in excellent condition, thoroughly up-to-date, and one which has been in daily use up to now. Among the carriages and sleighs to be offered are an English brake wagon, five rubber tired, cut under driving carriages; one rubber tired wassonette; a rubber tired Bangor buggy; two delivery express wagons; one light delivery express wagon; one piano box road wagon; one rubber tired cut-under beach wagon; a two seated wagon; a physician's phaeton; a spring surrey sleigh on hobs; four Gladstone sleighs; five gent's driving sleighs; two fancy driving sleighs; three ash pungs and other fixtures.

Upwards of twenty-five tons of hard and soft coal are to be offered in auction tomorrow night at 9 o'clock, including 18 tons soft coal, two tons of Scotch anthracite, and one carload of screened Minto coal. There will also be sold at about the same hour 10 loads of pitch pine and oak blocks, four cords of hardwood—four feet lengths—and one load of soft wood. Of special interest to carpenters, contractors, or prospective builders will be the sale of several thousands of feet of lumber at 8 p. m. tomorrow in the Queen's Rink, the fixtures including 20,000 feet of merchantable spruce boards, 15,000 feet of cull spruce boards, 2,500 feet of merchantable hemlock boards, planed one side, 6,000 feet pine boards, 500 feet hardwood flooring put down, or 1,000 feet ready to be put down; two cars of assorted lumber in boards and scantling, 20,000 extra cedar shingles, 155,000 extra No. 1 cedar shingles, 41 pine doors, and 10,000 bricks. At 4 o'clock in the Queen's Rink tomorrow will be the scene of the sale of two interesting features, a pony outfit and a donkey outfit, all in good condition.

**WEDDINGS.**

**Nugent-Redstone.**

The home of Rev. Dr. Hutchinson, Main street, was the scene of a quiet wedding last evening, when he united in marriage Wilfrid Hamilton Nugent of Kansas City, Missouri, and Miss Cora Lora Redstone of Kingston, Kings Co., N. B. They were unattended but the ceremony was witnessed by many friends.

The bride wore a light colored silk costume with hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Nugent will leave this morning for the Eastern States on their way to Kansas City, where they will reside.

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CORRESPONDENTS' CORNER

REXTON BRANCH OF RED CROSS SOCIETY DOING SPLENDID WORK

Rexton, N. B., Oct. 5.—The annual business meeting of the Red Cross Society was held in the public hall, Thursday evening. The secretary, treasurer's report was as follows: Members enrolled during the year, 65; members' fees \$20.65. The following amounts were raised: Thanksgiving entertainment, 104.15; school concert per G. C. Macchum, 87.15; Dec. 4, play by some ladies of society, 74.91; June 24, supper, 173.68; Nov. 26, received from Rev. A. D. McLeod, (Harbour), 4.31; Dec. 2, received from A. B. Carson (cash), 5.00; Jan. 14, received from Upper Rexton per Mrs. C. Murray, 50.00; Feb. 11, received from Buctouche Presbyterian Sunday school, per Mrs. A. B. Carson, 10.00; Sept. 17, received from Miss M. Waller, (cash), 1.00; July 1, received from preserves sold, donated by Mrs. T. G. A. Parkes, 8.10; Oct. 20, "14, received from Mrs. 50c, remnant flannelette, 30c, 85; April 23, 15, received from socks sold to members, 9.25; Total amount raised, \$558.27. The following amounts were paid out: Jan. 15, 15, sent to head office at Toronto, \$50.00; March 25, 15, sent to Lady Tilley for Rexton bed, 50.00; June 25, sent to head office at Toronto, 100.00; Amount used to purchase supplies during year, 216.68; Sept. 30, 15, cash on hand, 41.58; \$558.27.

MIDDLE SACKVILLE

Middle Sackville, Oct. 2.—Miss Marjorie Ayer has gone to New York to resume her studies in art at Pratt's Institute after spending a year with her mother Mrs. James R. Ayer. Mrs. Lawson Smith is the guest of friends in St. John. Mrs. D. W. Baird returned to her home in Moncton on Sunday after spending a few days with friends here. Mr. James Crane, who came home to attend the funeral of his daughter Miss Norma Crane, returned to Reading, Mass., on Monday. Miss Ina Cook of Cookville has been the guest of Mrs. Fred Ward this week. Private Eugene Gallant, who has been spending a few days with his family returned to Valcartier on Thursday. Mrs. Jessie Jordan of Maine and her daughter, Miss Annie Jordan, of Lynn, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harding Ayer. Mrs. J. W. S. Black was hostess at a delightful "sewing party" on Thursday afternoon. The Red Cross Society have this week packed another box of useful articles for the wounded soldiers. Since this society was organized a year ago it has done splendid work.

CAMPBELLO

Campbello, Charlotte county, Oct. 4.—The family of Mr. Gordon Calder are being congratulated upon the arrival of a daughter in their family, born the 30th inst. The community were very much started on Wednesday morning by the sudden passing away at his home of Mr. Edward North, Sr., aged sixty-three years. Deceased was born in Hastings, England, and came to this country when a young man. He was a man of few words but of a good disposition and many friends. He will be much missed although bad health rendered him inactive in business circles. He is survived by a wife, two sons, three daughters and one daughter who have the sympathy of the community. Funeral service was held on Friday from his late residence, Rev. G. E. Tobin officiating. Deep was the grief and deep the gloom overpread the whole community Thursday afternoon to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. John Calvin Brown, more familiarly known as Fanny, daughter of Mr. Alexander Calder and the late Mrs. Alexander Calder of this place. Death was due to paralysis of the brain. A husband, two sons and three daughters survive her. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon from her late residence, Rev. P. A. Currier officiating. Deceased was fifty-six years of age. A very affectionate wife and mother, deeply devoted to her home and family and for whom the community deeply sympathize. Grief is being borne by Miss Sadie North was home this week to attend the funeral of her father, Mr. North. The summer visitors have nearly all left. The Porter, Coker and Patterson families having all taken their departure during the past week. Mr. Henry Mitchell, Sr., who was on the sick list is able to attend to his duties again, also Mrs. John Thurber who has been sick, is much improved in health. Miss Doris Calder, who has been at the Chipman Hospital for treatment of the Porters, Cokers and Patterson families, has been home on Friday last. Mrs. business again and has been employed at Lubec, Me., for some time, returned home this week. The boneless herring factory conducted by James A. Calder will resume business again beginning this week after a dull time, due to the scarcity of herring. Mrs. C. A. Brown and daughter Emily were the recent guests of friends here. Mrs. Milton Batson received a telegram on Sunday announcing the death of Alexander Porter, who had just vacated his summer home here.

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Councillor Potts in making the motion dwelt upon the fact that the coming year would undoubtedly be a hard one so far as funds for recruiting are concerned. He said the local Patriotic Fund was almost exhausted and thought it was up to the municipality to make some provision for this fund. The money raised would come out of the taxpayers of the city and county. He suggested that one-fifth of the amount be used by the recruiting committee and the balance be given to the Patriotic Fund. Councillor Howard in seconding the motion expressed himself as strongly in favor of doing something for the Patriotic Fund. He thought it disgraceful that there was more going out of the provincial fund than was coming in, and that the St. John branch was depending on contributions from the rest of Canada. He said the amount contributed by St. John was smaller than in any other municipality in Canada. The whole \$25,000 should be given to the Patriotic Fund and it must be required by the Warden and the assessment law should have been considered.

Warden McLellan thought the question a serious one that should be considered by the city as well as the county representative. While heartily in accord with the idea of doing something for the fund, he thought a proper committee should be appointed to go into the matter thoroughly. He said that any change in the assessment law should have been considered. Councillor Wigmore was in favor of making some provisions for the Patriotic Fund. He thought it disgraceful that there was more going out of the provincial fund than was coming in, and that the St. John branch was depending on contributions from the rest of Canada. He said the amount contributed by St. John was smaller than in any other municipality in Canada. The whole \$25,000 should be given to the Patriotic Fund and it must be required by the Warden and the assessment law should have been considered.

Councillor Frink said the Canadian Patriotic Fund is a national institution and the officers of the association should be consulted. An amendment, moved by Councillor Frink and seconded by Councillor Russell, that the matter be referred to a committee of seven members, to be appointed by the Warden and that they report back to the council at a special meeting to be held in December, was adopted.

OVERSEAS TOBACCO FUND.

EDWARD SEARS, Postmaster, Steward. Received by the Postmaster of East Riverdale, N. B.: Mr. Bradley, 25; Mr. Patrick Linehan, 25; Mr. M. Gallagher, 1.00; Michael McKee, 50.

Also city contribution: Miss Marie O'Regan, Elloit Row, 50c.

To Sussex Yesterday. Ten men were sent forward to Sussex yesterday. They were George Founts, George Kiernan, Charles Livingston, Fred Lane, James L. Morrison, Abram Paul, Fred Colohan, Thomas Moore, Fred Muse and one other who does not want his name published yet.

Bringing Up

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ST. GEORGE

St. George, Oct. 5.—Mrs. A. C. Gillmor arrived here from Brockton, Mass., on Monday and will spend a few weeks in town. Mr. Edward Hubbard, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, is spending a few days at home before returning to Sussex where he expects to join the 88th Battalion. Mrs. Fred Gillmor, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. James Bosnie, returned to her home in Dorchester, Mass., on Monday. Mrs. Arthur Stewart is visiting relatives at Penobscot. Mrs. Fred Spinney is spending a few weeks with relatives at Bridgeport, Conn. Mr. Moses Maxwell, Boston, is the guest of his brother, Mr. George W. Maxwell. Miss Grace Doyle has returned after a pleasant visit with her friend, Miss Eva Chidick, at Marces Bay. Mr. Louis Spinney of St. Andrews, north, is renewing acquaintances in town. Mayor T. R. Kent met with a painful accident on Sunday by slipping in his motor boat breaking two of his ribs.

COLLINA

Collina, Oct. 5.—Miss Elizabeth Addison has returned home after spending some time with her grandmother, Mrs. E. Kelly. Mr. Allen Schofield has sold his farm at Kelstead Mountain to Mr. Herbert Johnson of St. John. Mr. Johnson's family will move here in the near future. Miss Ryder spent the week-end at her home in Apohaqui. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Phillips and daughter of Fredericton returned home on Monday after spending a few days with friends here. Miss McKnight of St. John is visiting her uncle Geo. E. McKnight. Master Donald Titus, Pesekeog, is visiting his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Keirstead. Ruthford McParlane was successful in getting a fine deer. Mr. A. E. Kelly, Calgary, visited Mrs. E. Kelly last week.

HATFIELD'S POINT

Service here was well attended last Sunday evening. Rev. C. P. Wilson holding his first service and will also have special meetings for this week and perhaps longer. Service on Sunday evening next, 7:30 p. m. Mr. W. R. Fawcett, Temperance Vale, was week-end guest of Pleasant View. Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Short, Central Greenwich, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Short. Miss Mable Saunders is spending this week at her home at Jubilee attending the wedding of her sister. Mrs. Newman has returned home after spending some time at Hartland, N. B. Mrs. Samuel Spragg is spending some time in St. John. Mrs. Willard is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Absolom Erb. Mrs. F. Jones, Miss Maud Short, Mr. J. H. Wetmore, attended the convention at Upper Corner, Sussex, on Thursday last.

Woman and Money Gone

James Murphy, a pedlar, who has conducted a thriving business throughout the Dominion and accumulated about \$10,000, arrived in the city about a week ago with his wife, who had about \$1,500 in her possession. About three days ago the woman disappeared. She had been staying at a house on Mill street prior to her disappearance, and her husband has grave fears for her safety, owing to the large sum of money in her possession. Mr. Murphy has gone up the I. C. R. as far as Sussex on a search for his wife, but so far no trace of her has been found.

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NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY AT WORK

First meeting of season last night—New specimens for the museum.

The first meeting of the season for the Natural History Society was held in their building on Union street last evening. The president, W. F. Burditt, was in the chair. The meeting took the form of a round table. In a few well chosen words the president welcomed the members back after the summer recess. Then the business of the meeting was begun.

The following new members were elected: Associate members—C. A. Robinson, Mrs. C. A. Robinson and Mrs. Blanchard Fowler. Junior associate members—Miss Florence Coster, Kate Dismart, Jean Ponton, Alice Hayes, Lou McDermid, Leslie Pickett, Marjorie Purdy, Marjorie Robinson and Dorothy Simonds.

The following donations were received: Horned toad and Chinese ornament, a relic of the earthquake and fire in San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Humphrey. Annual register for the year 1788, Mrs. Joshua Knight.

Watch brought from Scotland by Thomas Philips, known to be at least 114 years old, old snuff box, samples of the first paper made in St. John in the old Philips mill at Little River, and a number of interesting old books, Miss Philips.

Curious geological specimens, James T. Kirk, Sussex, N. B. Lace bark from the West Indies, old sword, a relic of the battle of Vinegar Hill, French bayonet, relic of the Franco-Prussian war, and sword of a swordfish, James Sandall.

Indian stone adze, ivory nut and pair of shark's jaws, Merville Dykeman. Many interesting Indian relics from the following junior members: Frances Jordan, Gerda Holman, Constance Coster and Minnie R. A. Taylor.

Indian spear head, Mr. Chase. Indian relics, Duncan London. Indian relics, David Balmain. Indian implements, Nathaniel McDonald. Shuttle used in weaving, Miss Ayre. Coconut, as it comes from the tree, Ronald J. Hall.

After the presentation of these donations there was a general discussion regarding the interesting articles presented. The model of the new bridge at the reversing falls has been designed to the society by A. R. Springer, the engineer who erected the bridge, and has been placed in the museum. This model attracted much attention some time ago, when it was on exhibition in the window of W. H. Thorne and Co.'s store.

Various other matters of interest to the club were discussed. The monthly meetings hereafter will take the form of a round table talk, in which anyone present may take part. These meetings will be illustrated by specimens and lantern slides.

To Patriotic Fund. Siloam Lodge, I.O.O.F., at its meeting on Monday night, voted the sum of \$25 to the Patriotic Fund with the understanding that the amount would be increased to \$50 by the end of the year.

A GROUP OF POLISH PEASANT WOMEN REFUGEES AT A MILITARY CAMP



REFUGEES HAVING A MEAL AT A MILITARY CAMP IN FIRING ZONE FROM THE FRONT, LONDON

A group of Polish peasant women refugees having a meal at a military camp in the firing zone is shown in this picture. The women seen in this group are typical. Their dresses outrival Joseph's coat in the matter of color. The skirts are of yellow, purple, green and red stripes; their bodies are of other hues; their necks and breasts are adorned with beads and somewhat barbaric ornaments; on their heads are scarves of white or of a glaring color. The food they are eating is a grain, in appearance like barley, called kasha.

TWO COUNTIES LOOKING FOR RECRUITS

Successful party went through Queens and Sunbury counties and secured men.

Nine recruits were secured and twenty more men promised to enlist as a result of a very successful tour made by a party from St. John headed by Walter C. Allison through Queens and Sunbury counties. Others who assisted in the work were: R. B. Patterson, M. E. Agar, Lieut. F. del. Clements, Lieut. H. M. Teed, J. M. Robinson, Rev. F. S. Porter and W. C. Allison. F. J. G. Knowlton and Rev. Capt. Thos. Harrison of the 6th Battalion joined the party for a night during the campaign.

The party left the city Saturday, September 25, in W. C. Allison's large car and toured to Mr. Patterson's camp at Petersville. The first meeting was held at Welsford on Monday evening. H. W. Wood, M. L. A. occupied the chair. The speakers were M. E. Agar and Rev. F. S. Porter. On Tuesday at Father Carlton's hall at Petersville Father Carlton occupied the chair.

They visited Fredericton Junction on Wednesday evening. Mr. Belyea occupied the chair and the speakers were M. E. Agar and P. J. G. Knowlton. On Thursday afternoon the party attended the opening of the new bridge at Armstrong's Corner and turned the gathering into a recruiting meeting. M. E. Agar and Lieut. F. del. Clements composed the speakers from the party. W. W. Fowler presided and H. W. Woods extended the welcome to all present. In the evening they visited the pie social at Patterson's Settlement and turned it into a recruiting meeting also.

The party broke up on Friday, but Lieut. Clements held a meeting on Friday at Clarendon. Rev. M. E. Fletcher spoke on recruiting. The net result was nine recruits and the assertion of twenty more of their intention to join in the near future. The members of the party report that the people were very responsive everywhere.

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TO PROSECUTE THOSE WHO DO NOT OBEY LAW

Board of Health in monthly session yesterday—Telephone matter.

The contract of the New Brunswick Telephone Co. Ltd. between the city and the Isolation Hospital was submitted and approved by the Board of Health yesterday afternoon. The solicitor of the company was instructed to take action against those who had been ordered to place toilets in their premises and had not done so. Several of these were at the meeting and asked for more time.

Requests of citizens wanting to keep cows in the city were brought up. Inspection of the premises of these cases were ordered. Bottles for sputum are to be delivered to the clinic at the corner of Catherine and Leinster for the examination of tubercular patients.

A A McGinn, Montreal; Geo S Topline, St Stephen; J H Barry, J L Peeney, Fredericton; H H Morehouse, Kilburn; Mrs H V Alward, Great Falls; Mont; Miss C W Short, Kal, Montreal; Harry McDonald, Sherbrooke; J H Corbett, Campbellton; A M Marcel, Boston; H D Long, New York; James Ensel, Vatic, Mass; P A Batson, Campbellton; Geo O Stratton, William Currie, Moncton; Chas Garneau, Z Garneau, Quebec; H F Fair, Charlotte town. Dufferin. A A McGinn, Montreal; Geo S Topline, St Stephen; J H Barry, J L Peeney, Fredericton; H H Morehouse, Kilburn; Mrs H V Alward, Great Falls; Mont; Miss C W Short, Kal, Montreal; Harry McDonald, Sherbrooke; J H Corbett, Campbellton; A M Marcel, Boston; H D Long, New York; James Ensel, Vatic, Mass; P A Batson, Campbellton; Geo O Stratton, William Currie, Moncton; Chas Garneau, Z Garneau, Quebec; H F Fair, Charlotte town. Dufferin.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Charles E. Walsh took place at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning from the residence of his mother, No. 42 Brussels street, to the Cathedral, where requiem high mass was celebrated. Rev. Hector Bellevue officiating. Interment was in the old Catholic cemetery. The funeral service was largely attended. Relatives bore the pall and a delegation of firemen were among the mourners. Among many beautiful floral tributes was a sheaf of white asters from Chief Blake.

The funeral services of Herbert S. Randall were conducted on Monday evening at his late residence, 71 Metcalfe street. Rev. T. J. Deinstadt officiated. Yesterday morning the remains were conveyed to McDonald's wharf, Sunbury Co., where interment took place in the family lot.

The funeral of Charles W. Edmonds took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. R. E. Plimpton, 21 Mecklenburg street. Rev. R. Sherman officiated and the remains were interred in Fernhill cemetery.

At Rothsay, Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, the funeral of the late Albert Evans took place. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Chas. J. McLaughlin and interment was in the Rothsay Catholic cemetery.

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REXTON BRANCH OF RED CROSS SOCIETY DOING SPLENDID WORK

Rexton, N. B., Oct. 5.—The annual business meeting of the Red Cross Society was held in the public hall, Thursday evening.

Thanksgiving entertainment... 104.15 School concert per G. C. Machum... 87.15 Dec. 4, play by some ladies of society... 74.01

Jan. 14, received from Munde-ville per Mrs. C. Murray... 5.00 Nov. 28, received from Rev. A. D. McLeod... 4.31

Feb. 11, received from Munde-ville per Mrs. C. Murray... 5.00 Feb. 11, received from Munde-ville per Mrs. C. Murray... 5.00

Jan. 15, 18, sent to head office at Toronto... \$ 50.00 March 25, 18, sent to Lady Thil-ber for Rexton bed... 50.00

The society has also on hand a quantity of socks, night shirts, flannellette and yarn.

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MIDDLE SACKVILLE

Middle Sackville, Oct. 2.—Miss Mar-jorie Ayer has gone to New York to resume her studies in art at Pratt's in-stitute after spending a year with her mother Mrs. James R. Ayer.

Mrs. D. W. Baird returned to her home in Moncton on Sunday after spending a few days with her mother Mrs. James R. Ayer.

Mrs. Jessie Jordan of Maine and her daughter, Miss Annie Jordan, of Lynn, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harding Ayer.

Mrs. J. W. S. Black was hostess at a delightful "sewing party" on Thursday afternoon.

The Red Cross Society have this week packed another box of useful articles for the wounded soldiers. Since this society was organized a year ago it has done splendid work.

St. George, Oct. 5.—Mrs. A. C. Gill-mor arrived here from Brockton, Mass., on Monday and will spend a few weeks in town.

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Miss Sadie North was home this week to attend the funeral of her father, Mr. North.

CAMPBELL

Campobello, Charlotte county, Oct. 4.—The family of Mr. Gordon Calder are being congratulated upon the arrival of a daughter in their family, born the 30th inst.

The community were very much startled on Wednesday morning by the gloom overcast the whole country.

Deep was the grief and deep the gloom over the whole country on Thursday afternoon to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. John Calvin Brown, more familiarly known as Fanny, daughter of Mr. Alexander Calder of this place.

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Received by Mayor. Mayor Frink received the following contributions yesterday morning: Patriotic Fund, \$50, Ralph St. J. Freeze, Sussex; Belgian Fund, \$5, John A. Carpenter, Bloomfield; Machine Gun Fund, 20c, Elsie Chris Blair; \$56 from residents of Wilson Beach, Charlotte county, per James R. Brown.

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Councillor Potts made a motion that the bills and bylaws committee be instructed to prepare a bill to present to the local Legislature authorizing a special assessment for the purpose of raising \$25,000 for the Canadian Patriotic Fund and the recruiting fund.

Councillor Howard in making the motion dwelt upon the fact that the coming year would undoubtedly be a hard one so far as funds for recruiting are concerned. He said the local Patriotic Fund was almost exhausted and thought it was up to the municipality to make some provision for this fund.

The money raised would come out of the taxpayers of the city and county. He suggested that one-fifth of the amount be used by the recruiting committee and the balance be given to the Patriotic Fund.

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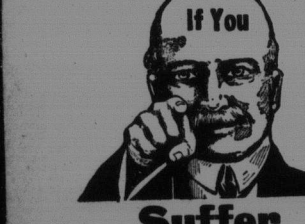
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To Sussex Yesterday. Ten men were sent forward to Sussex yesterday. They were George Pounta, George Klervan, Charles Livingston, Fred Lane, James L. Morrison, Abram Paul, Fred Colohan, Thomas Moore, Fred Mues and one other who does not want his name published yet.

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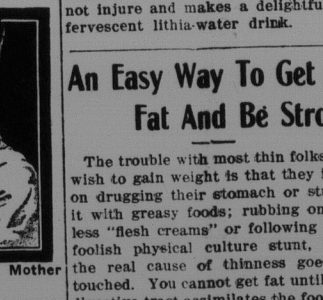


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Councillor Potts made a motion that the bills and bylaws committee be instructed to prepare a bill to present to the local Legislature authorizing a special assessment for the purpose of raising \$25,000 for the Canadian Patriotic Fund and the recruiting fund.

Councillor Howard in seconding the motion expressed himself as strongly in favor of doing something for the Patriotic Fund. He said the Municipal Council had been criticized for spending too much money, but so far as he was concerned he was willing to vote the last dollar if necessary for this purpose.

Warden McLellan thought the question a serious one that should be considered by the civic as well as the county representatives. While heartily in accord with the idea of doing something for the fund, he thought a proper committee should be appointed to go into the matter thoroughly.

Councillor Wisnorski was in favor of making some provision for the Patriotic Fund. He thought it disgraceful that there was more going out of the provincial fund than was coming in and that the St. John branch was depending on contributions from the rest of Canada.

He said the amount contributed by St. John was smaller than in any other municipality in Canada. The whole \$25,000 should be given to the Patriotic Fund and if more was required for recruiting purposes it should be dealt with independently.

Councillor Frink said the Canadian Patriotic Fund is a national institution and the officers of the association should be consulted. An amendment, moved by Councillor Frink and seconded by Councillor Russell, that the matter be referred to a committee of seven members, to be appointed by the Warden and that they report back to the council at a special meeting to be held in December, was adopted.

OVERSEAS TOBACCO FUND.

EDWARD BEARS, Postmaster.
Received by the Postmaster of East Riverside, N. B.:
Mrs. Bradley ..... \$25
Mr. Patrick Linehan ..... 25
Mr. M. Gallagher ..... 1.00
Michael McKee ..... .50

To Sussex Yesterday.

Ten men were sent forward to Sussex yesterday. They were George Founta, George Kiernan, Charles Livingston, Fred Lane, James L. Morrison, Abram Paul, Fred Cobian, Thomas Moore, Fred Muse and one other who does not want his name published yet.

NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY AT WORK

First meeting of season last night—New specimens for the museum.

The first meeting of the season for the Natural History Society was held in their building on Union street last evening. The president, W. F. Burditt, was in the chair. The meeting took the form of a round talk. In a few well chosen words the president welcomed the members back after the summer recess. Then the business of the meeting was begun.

Associate members—C. A. Robinson, Mrs. C. A. Robinson and Mrs. Blanchard Fowler. Junior associate members—Miss Florence Coster, Kate Doherty, Jean Penton, Alice Hayes, Lou McDermid, Leslie Pickett, Marjorie Purdy, Marjorie Robinson and Dorothy Simonds.

The following donations were received: Horned toad and Chinese ornament, a relic of the earthquake and fire in San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Humphrey. Annual register for the year 1798, Mrs. Joshua Knight.

Watch brought from Scotland by Thomas Philips, known to be at least 114 years old, old snuff box, samples of the first paper made in St. John in the old Phillips mill at Little River, and a number of interesting old books, Miss Philips.

Curious geological specimens, James T. Kirk, Sussex, N. B. Lace bark from the West Indies, old sword, a relic of the battle of Vinegar Hill, French bayonet, relic of the Franco-Prussian war, and sword of a sword fish, James Sandall.

Indian stone adze, Ivory nut and pair of shark's jaws, Merville Dykeman. Many interesting Indian relics from the following Indian members: Frances Jordan, Gerda Holman, Constance Coster and Minnie R. A. Taylor.

Indian spear head, Mr. Chase. Indian relics, Duncan London. Indian relics, David Balmain. Indian implements, Nathaniel McDonald. Shuttle used in weaving, Miss Ayre. Cocoon, as it comes from the tree, Ronald J. Hall.

After the presentation of these donations there was a general discussion regarding the interesting articles presented. The model of the new bridge at the reversing falls has been loaned to the society by A. R. Springer, the engineer who erected the bridge, and has been placed in the museum. This model attracted much attention some time ago when it was on exhibition in the window of W. H. Thorne and Co.'s store.

Various other matters of interest to the club were discussed. The monthly meetings hereafter will take the form of a round table talk, in which anyone present may take part. These meetings will be illustrated by specimens and lantern slides.

To Patriotic Fund. Silcom Lodge, I.O.O.F., at its meeting on Monday night, voted the sum of \$25 to the Patriotic Fund with the understanding that the amount would be increased to \$50 by the end of the year.

A GROUP OF POLISH PEASANT WOMEN REFUGEES AT A MILITARY CAMP



REFUGEES HAVING A MEAL AT A MILITARY CAMP IN FIRING ZONE. A group of Polish peasant women refugees having a meal at a military camp in the firing zone is shown in this picture. The women seen in this group are typical. Their dresses outrival Joseph's coat in the matter of color. The skirts are of yellow, purple, green and red stripes; their bodices are of other hues; their necks and breasts are adorned with beads and some what barbaric ornaments; on their heads are scarves of white or of a glaring color. The food they are eating is grain, in appearance like barley, called kassa.

TOURED TWO COUNTIES LOOKING FOR RECRUITS

Successful party went through Queens and Sunbury counties and secured men.

Nine recruits were secured and twenty more men promised to enlist as a result of a very successful tour made by a party from St. John headed by Walter C. Allison through Queens and Sunbury counties. Others who assisted in the work were: R. B. Patterson, M. E. Agar, Lieut. F. del. Clements, Lieut. H. M. Teed, J. M. Robinson, Rev. F. S. Porter and W. C. Allison. F. J. G. Knowlton and Rev. Capt. Thos. Harrison of the 64th Battalion joined the party for a night during the campaign.

The party left the city Saturday, September 25, in W. C. Allison's large car and toured to Mr. Patterson's camp at Petersville. The first meeting was held at Woodford on Monday evening. H. W. Wood, M. L. A. occupied the chair. The speakers were M. E. Agar and Rev. F. S. Porter. On Tuesday at Father Carleton's hall at Petersville Father Carleton occupied the chair.

They visited Fredericton Junction on Wednesday evening. Mr. Belyea occupied the chair and the speakers were M. E. Agar and F. J. G. Knowlton. On Thursday afternoon the party attended the opening of the new bridge at Armstrong's Corner and turned the gathering into a recruiting meeting. M. E. Agar and Lieut. F. del. Clements composed the speakers from the party. W. B. Fowler presided and H. W. Woods extended the welcome to all present. In the evening they visited the pie social at Patterson's Settlement and turned it into a recruiting meeting also.

The party broke up on Friday, but Lieut. Clements held a meeting on Friday at Clarendon. Rev. M. E. Fletcher spoke on recruiting. The net result was nine recruits and the assertion of twenty more of their intention to join in the near future. The members of the party report that the people were very responsive everywhere.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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Victoria
G. A. Terry, Truro, N. S.; J. A. Ramsay, New Glasgow; J. P. Wishart, Tabusintac; T. P. Jordan, Loch Lomond; Geo. B. Hallett, F. D. Loneragan, Montreal; Mrs. H. S. Corwin, East Orange, N. J.; Miss Pritchford, Atlantic City; A. M. Chapman, P. N. Phinney, W. H. Hutchison, E. B. Hoffmann, Truro; A. M. McWilliam, S. Cochrane, Boston; C. G.

TO PROSECUTE THOSE WHO DO NOT OBEY LAW

Board of Health in monthly session yesterday—Telephone matter.

The contract of the New Brunswick Telephone Co. Ltd. between the city and the Isolation Hospital was submitted and approved by the Board of Health yesterday afternoon. The solicitor of the company was instructed to take action against those who had been ordered to place toilets in their premises and had not done so. Several of these were at the meeting and asked for more time.

Requests of citizens wanting to keep cows in the city were brought up. Inspection of the premises of these cases were ordered. Bottles for sputum are to be delivered to the clinic at the corner of Carleton and Leinster for the examining of tubercular patients.

Baskin, Sussex; W. R. Robertson and wife, Boston; D. J. Ferguson, Brantford; H. J. Fowler, Hampton; H. R. Barton and wife, Mrs. J. Sheila, Miss E. Corbett, Campbellton; A. M. Marcell, Boston; H. D. Long, New York; James Engel, Vatik, Mass.; P. A. Batson, Campbell; Geo. O. Stratton, William Currie, Moncton; Chas. Garneau, Z. Garneau, Quebec; H. F. Parr, Charlottetown.

Dufferin.
A. A. McGinn, Montreal; Geo. S. Topping, St. Stephen; J. H. Barry, J. L. Peeney, Fredericton; H. H. Morehouse, Kilburn; Mrs. H. V. Alward, Great Falls; Mont; Miss C. W. Short, Kal. Mont; Harry McDonald, Shediac; J. H. Corcoran, G. M. Johnson, Moncton; K. E. Barteaux, Boston; B. E. Dakin, Montreal; J. G. Steeves, Mrs. J. G. Steeves, Rev. E. H. Cochrane, Mrs. E. H. Cochrane, E. A. Schoch, Moncton; C. H. Griffith, Nin. Newbury, Charlottetown; Hector H. McKay, New Glasgow; J. F. Steeves, Moncton; Frank P. Allen and wife, Pittsburg, Mass.; P. C. Hinckley, Banor; W. K. McDonald, E. G. McKay, Truro, N. S.; Mr. and Mrs. James Crane, Sydney, N. S.; P. E. Fowles, Sydney, N. S.; J. C. Robertson, Toronto; E. C. Pope, Pictou.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Charles E. Walsh took place at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning from the residence of his mother, No. 42 Brussels street, to the Cathedral, where requiem high mass was celebrated, Rev. Hector Bellevue officiating. Interment was in the old Catholic cemetery. The funeral service was largely attended. Relatives bore the pall and a delegation of friends were among the mourners. Among many beautiful floral tributes was a sheaf of white asters from Chief Blake.

The funeral services of Herbert S. Randall were conducted on Monday evening at his late residence, 71 Metcalf street. Rev. T. J. Delstaid officiated. Yesterday morning the remains were conveyed to McDonald's wharf, St. John, N. B., where interment took place in the family lot.

The funeral of Charles W. Edmonds took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. R. E. Plimpton, 51 Mecklenburg street. Rev. R. Sherman officiated and the remains were interred in Fernhill cemetery.

At Rothsay, Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, the funeral of the late Albert Evans took place. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Chas. J. McLaughlin and interment was in the Rothsay Catholic cemetery.

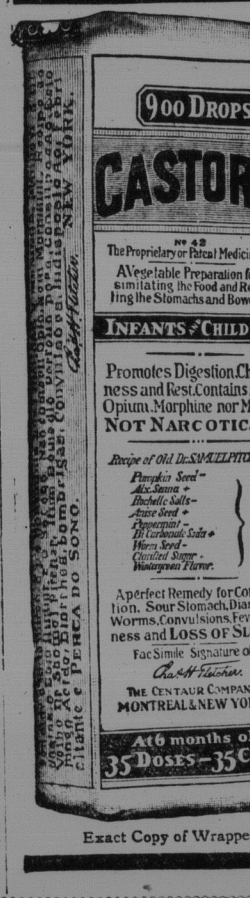
CHILD'S TONGUE BECOMES COATED IF CONSTIPATED

When cross, feverish and sick give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely. A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is, they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child again.

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SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC. October—Phases of the Moon. Last Quarter ... 1st 5hr. 44m. p. m.

Table with columns for Date, Sun Rises, Sun Sets, H. Water a. m., L. Water p. m.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Tuesday, Oct. 5th, 1915. Str Luceric, 4100, Davis, Trans-Atlantic port, C. P. R.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

Parabrook, Oct. 2—Arr: Sch Abbie Keast, Taylor, Cheverie; tern sch Leonard C. Williger, Port Williams.

BRITISH PORTS.

Barbadoes, Sept. 20—Sd: Sch King Josiah, Harting, Turks Island; 23rd: Sch H. R. Silver, Lunenburg, R. I.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Philadelphia, Oct. 3—Arr: Str Ellen Jensen (Dan), St. Ann's, C. B. New York, Oct. 3—Sd: Sch Roger Drury (from Port Liberty), Calais, Me.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Portland, Oct. 2, 1915. Mosabec Reach, Me. Emma Rock Light relighted October 1, heretofore reported extinguished.

MARINE NOTES.

Barkentine Alf, Capt. Lawson, arrived at Newcastle, N. B., from Newport, on October 3. The captain reports that about Sep. 3 he picked up a boat with 14 men from the Norwegian vessel

STEAMER NOTES.

The Str Luceric arrived in port yesterday afternoon and docked at Sand Point. The Str Manchester Engineer sailed yesterday for Philadelphia.

MONTREAL MARKET

Table with columns for Bid, Ask, and various commodity prices like Amex Holden Com, Amex Holden Pfd, etc.

POLAND CHURCH DAMAGED BY WAR'S SHELLS



DAMAGED CHURCH OF MAKOV, POLAND. This little Poland town has suffered from shell fire during the collisions of the Russian and German forces.

MARKET IRREGULAR WITH MID-DAY GAINS WIPED OUT BEFORE THE CLOSING

Some new high records in War Shares, but heaviness and susceptibility to adverse influences evident in movement of these stocks—Bond market irregular.

New York, Oct. 5.—Reactionary tendencies were uppermost throughout today's session despite the making of some high records in the war shares. It was this particular group, however, which manifested increased heaviness, and the susceptibility of these issues to adverse influences was more prominently demonstrated.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Table with columns for Wheat, Corn, Oats, and other grain prices.

PRODUCE PRICES ON MONTREAL MARKET

Montreal, Oct. 5.—FLOUR—Mantoba spring wheat patents, firsts, 5.85; winter patents, choice, 5.40; straight rollers, 4.70 to 4.90, bags, 2.20 to 2.30.

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

New York, Oct. 5.—There has been a heavier decline in the market today than on any other day for a considerable time past, and a large amount of insecurely held stock has been liquidated.

STOCK QUOTATIONS ON N. Y. EXCHANGE

Table with columns for Open, High, Low, Close and various stock prices like Am Beet Sug, Am Car Fy, etc.

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

(McDOUGALL & COWANS) Montreal, Tuesday, Oct. 5th.—Cedars Com.—25 @ 68, 1/4 @ 68. C. P. R.—100 @ 160.

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Crystal Stream Steamship Co. ST. JOHN-FREDERICTON ROUTE. The steamer D. J. PURDY will sail from North End for Fredericton and intermediate points every MONDAY.

Majestic Steamship Co. Steamer Champion. On and after Oct. 12, stmr. Champion will leave Public Wharf, St. John on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

GRAND MANAN STEAMSHIP CO. Atlantic Standard Time. After June 1st, 1915 and until further notice the steamer Grand Manan will leave Grand Manan Monday, 7 a. m.

MANCHESTER LINE From Manchester to St. John. From St. John to Manchester.

DONALDSON LINE Montreal to Glasgow. S.S. "Athens" Oct. 4, Nov. 6. S.S. "Cassandra" Oct. 11, Nov. 13.

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BEWARE Don't feed your horses new hay for a month yet, or until the new crop is well seasoned.

CANADIAN PACIFIC FALL EXCURSIONS TO BOSTON Tickets on sale until October 16 AT SPECIAL RATES Limit, Thirty Days.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS INTERCOLONIAL PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND RY. OCEAN LIMITED (Daily). Departs Halifax 8 a. m.

THE NATIONAL A New Train via a New Route through a New Country. Between Eastern and Western Canada via Grand Trunk.

INTERNATIONAL LINE. All-the-Way-by-Water. Steamships Calvin Austin and Governor Cobb. Leave St. John, Mon., Wed., and Fri.

THE MARITIME STEAMSHIP CO. (LIMITED). Will leave St. John (Old May Queen wharf) every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8.30 a. m. for Fredericton.

THE MARITIME STEAMSHIP CO. (LIMITED). Until further notice the S. S. Corsairs Bros. will run as follows:—Leave St. John, N. B., Thorne Wharf and Warehouse Co. on Saturday, 7.30 a. m.

FURNESS LINE From London to St. John. From St. John to London.

LOCAL A TWO DAYS HORSE RACING Tomorrow and Friday has been fixed for two days' racing on Moosepath track.

2.20 Trot and Pace; \$200 Purse. John T. (bay gelding), Alexander Stewart, Fredericton. Don Ambulator (bay gelding), Thos. Dobson, Chatham.

LIVE TOPICS ABOUT LIVE RING STARS Joe Azevedo and Walter Mohr will meet in Brooklyn next Saturday night.

Punch Breaks His Jaw. Gloucester, Oct. 5.—The Lennox A. C. opened a new feature last night confining its talent to two Gloucester 145-pounders.

O'LEARY DEFEATS WHALEN. Winnipeg, Oct. 5.—Johnny O'Leary of Vancouver, Canadian lightweight champion, last night easily defeated Danny Whalen of St. Paul.

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# LOCAL AND FOREIGN NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

## TWO DAYS HORSE RACING

Tomorrow and Friday has been fixed for two days racing on Moosepath track. Tomorrow there will be a free-for-all and a 230 class, while on Friday a 230 class and the match race between Corwin Hal and John K. Newbro for \$500 a side. The following is the list of entries:

**Free-For-All; Purse \$250**

Bob Mack, 2.15 1/2 (bay), H. R. Campbell, Cape Breton.  
Game A'Choner, 2.18 (brown stallion), B. Lent, Fredericton.  
Coquette, 2.17 (bay mare), A. B. Etter, Amherst.  
Alice Hal (bay mare), Thomas Raymond, Fredericton.

**220 Trot and Pace; \$200 Purse**

John T. (bay gelding), Alexander Stewart, Fredericton.  
Don Ambulator (bay gelding), Thos. Dobson, Chatham.  
Northern Jack (brown gelding), W. E. Fenwick, Bathurst.  
Arcola (brown horse), A. B. Etter, Amherst.  
Miss Kuter (bay mare), Thomas Raymond, Fredericton.  
Roy Yola (light brown), W. B. Lent, Fredericton.

**228 Trot and Pace**

Happy Lad (bay gelding), George M. Lawson, St. John, N. B.  
Victor Boy (stallion), W. J. Alexander, St. John, N. B.  
Peter D. (bay gelding), J. E. Sullivan, St. John, N. B.  
Mary McDougal (brown mare), T. Hayes, St. John.  
Iowa Parole (brown stallion), Short Bros., St. John.

## HERE THEY ARE, THE AMERICAN LEAGUE WINNERS. LOOK 'EM OVER



They are—Top row (left to right)—Green (trainer), Barry, Hoblitzell, Mays, Ruth, Greig, Shore, Galner, Wood and Collins, with Paul Lannin and Joseph J. Lannin, owners of the club. In back (middle row)—Thomas, Javrilis, Cady, Carrigan, Garbur, Henrickson and Leonard. Bottom row—Scott, Foster, Hooper, Speaker, Wagner, Lewis.

New York, Oct. 5.—As was the case last season, when the same cities but different clubs were involved in the World's Series, Philadelphia and Boston will enter the coming struggle for the prize of the baseball universe with the same numerical strength in the pitching department. Both the Phillies and the Red Sox have eight twirlers who can be called to the mound by managers Moran and Carrigan but it is likely that not more than half this force of hurlers will be started during the series which begins late this week.

The Phillies' pitching staff includes Alexander, Demaree, McQuillan, Rixey, Chalmers, Mayer, Tincup and Baumgartner. The Red Sox hurling force includes Foster, Leonard, Ruth, Shore, Wood, Greig, Collins and Mays. Several of these pitchers have not figured to any extent in the general season's play and it is possible that their names will not be found in the box scores when the final reckonings are made for the series of 1915. Those most likely to go to the mound as National League representatives are Alexander, Demaree, Mayer, McQuillan, Rixey and Chalmers while the American League pitchers will undoubtedly be selected from Foster, Leonard, Ruth, Shore, Wood and Greig.

In considering the strength of the pitching departments of the Phillies and Red Sox it is, therefore, necessary to analyze the all-round ability of the sixties named. An unusual difficulty is encountered at the very beginning since it is conceded that Alexander will be used in from two to three of the first four games depending upon the order of play. Alexander stands head and shoulders above his pitching teammates and is manager Pat Moran's trump card to be played at every possible opportunity and some clever baseball policies and di-

plomacy has centered about the extraordinary ability of Phillies' star. Alexander's pitching average for the season is more than 200 points higher than any of the other Philadelphia club twirlers. Taking the six named and averaging their records for the season, gives a team pitching average of .541. These figures do not represent the strength of the Phillies, however, if Alexander is used in, say three of a possible six games. Under such a schedule the average would be increased more than one hundred per cent and Moran is too shrewd a manager to overlook any such increase in strength. Following Alexander, Mayer and Demaree have proved the most successful twirlers for the National League pennant winners. McQuillan has won and lost an equal number of games while Rixey and Chalmers are slightly below the 500 mark.

Against this pitching staff of one star and five twirlers of moderate ability the Red Sox are able to muster six moundmen none of whom can quite equal Alexander's record but all show averages ranging from .700 to figures fifty points higher. It is due to this high class average that the Boston staff, considered as a whole, out-classes the Phillies by more than one hundred and seventy-five points. Many factors must enter into consideration when an effort is made to compare the strength of pitching staves in a world's series. Assuming, however, that the pitchers of a pennant winning club would be just as effective against the batters of the rival combination as they were against the batters of their own league, the averages show that Alexander outranks all the Red Sox hurlers except Wood and it is not at all certain that the latter will be called upon to work in the coming series.

On the other hand the American League hurlers will have a decided ad-

vantage in every game in which they are not opposed by Alexander. Foster, Leonard, Ruth and Shore have a grand higher than any of the other Philadelphia club twirlers. Taking the six named and averaging their records for the season, gives a team pitching average of .541. These figures do not represent the strength of the Phillies, however, if Alexander is used in, say three of a possible six games. Under such a schedule the average would be increased more than one hundred per cent and Moran is too shrewd a manager to overlook any such increase in strength. Following Alexander, Mayer and Demaree have proved the most successful twirlers for the National League pennant winners. McQuillan has won and lost an equal number of games while Rixey and Chalmers are slightly below the 500 mark.

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latter to win the world's championship for the senior league and their faith in his extraordinary pitching ability is shown by a recent statement made by Umpire Bill Klem in which he said: "There is one player in our league who could win the pennant for any of the seven teams who are out of first place. He is Grover Cleveland Alexander. It is the first time since I have been in the league that one player stands out in front of all his rivals."

This tribute is well deserved but a world's series develops some strange angles, actions and reactions. A decisive victory for the Red Sox over the Phillies with Alexander in box, in the initial contest now so near at hand, would upset all baseball "dope" and cause consternation in National League circles. Yet it would be no more sensational than the utter collapse of the famous Mack machine, when the Athletics lost four straight games to the Boston Braves last autumn.

For the purpose of comparison the pitching, batting and fielding averages of the boxmen of both the Red Sox and Phillies are appended:

Philadelphia National League Club.			
Pitcher	P.A.	P.F.A.	P.F.
Alexander	.763	.178	.992
Demaree	.542	.198	1.000
Mayer	.559	.212	.977
Chalmers	.429	.188	.977
McQuillan	.500	.069	.931
Rixey	.455	.176	.936
Baumgartner	.....	.....	.....
Tincup	.....	.....	.....
Boston American League Club.			
Pitcher	P.A.	P.F.A.	P.F.
Leonard	.700	.286	.961
Ruth	.739	.321	.962
Shore	.708	.095	.972
Foster	.704	.274	.978
Wood	.765	.256	.964
Greig	.714	.294	1.000
Collins	.455	.280	1.000
Mays	.400	.250	.937

## GRAND CIRCUIT RACING

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 5.—Mary Putney, owned by Chauncey H. Sears, of Fall River, Mass., won the \$14,000 Kentucky futurity for three-year-old trotters, the feature of the Grand Circuit programme today, in straight heats, and broke the world's record for three-year-old fillies by going the second mile in 2:05 1/2. William, world's champion pacer, driven by his owner, C. K. G. Billings, failed to lower his mark of 1:59 1/2 to wagon, making the mile in 1:59 1/2. His fractional time was 29 1/2; 1:00 1/2; 1:31 1/2; 1:59 1/2. Mr. Billings will make another effort on Friday.

**Summary:**

213 Trot, 3 in 5; Purse \$1,000.  
Governor Mason, b. h., by 1 5 10 1 1  
Peter Billiken, ch. h., (Valentine) ..... 2 1 1 4 4  
Abux Taleb, br. g. (Loomis) ..... 3 2 2 10 3  
Asbury Grey, b. h. (Cox) ..... 4 9 6 2 2  
Stratford, br. h. (Murphy) ..... 7 3 4 3 0  
Jack K, ch. g. (Gray) ..... 9 4 3 9 0  
Alice McGregor, b. m.  
Rose B, ch. m. (Hall) ..... 10 7 5 5 0  
Minnie Burns, blk. m., (Thomas) ..... 11 10 11 7 0  
Lottie Simmons, b. m., (Todd) ..... 8 8 8 8 0  
Ben Greger, b. g. (Floyd) 6 6 7 dr  
Time—2:03 1/2; 2:08 1/2; 2:10 1/2; 2:10 1/2.

**2:04 Pace, 2 in 5; Purse \$1,000.**  
Earl Jr., g. h., by The Earl (Cox) 1 1  
Single G, b. h., (Gosnell) ..... 3 2  
R. H. Brett, b. g. (Grady) ..... 2 6  
Leticia Prince, b. h. (Ames) ..... 6 3  
Say Denmore, b. f. (Thomas) ..... 5 4  
Fred Russell, b. g. (Hersey) ..... 4 5  
Lella Patchen, blk. m. (Snow) ..... dr  
Time—2:01 1/2; 2:03 1/2.

**The Kentucky Futurity, Three-Year-Old Trot, 2 in 3; Stake \$14,000.**  
Mary Putney, b. f., by San Francisco (McMahon) ..... 1 1  
Humfast, b. c. (Murphy) ..... 2 2  
Colorado Range, b. c. (McDonald) 3 3  
Bacelli, b. c. (Nickols) ..... 4 4  
Native Spirit, b. f. (Cox) ..... 6 4  
De Roche, ch. c. (Geers) ..... 5 6  
Onward Forbes, br. c. (Shank) ..... 7 dr  
Petross Burton, b. f. (Valentine) dr  
Time—2:03 1/2; 2:05 1/2.

**2:20 Class, Pacing, 3 in 5; Purse \$1,000.**  
(Unfinished)

Savoy, br. g., by Charley Hoyt, (Valentine) ..... 1 1  
Peter Worthy, b. h. (Murphy) ..... 2 3  
Presolite, blk. m. (Geers) ..... 4 2  
Silver Brush, br. g. (Stout) ..... 3 4  
Time—2:10; 2:11 1/2.

## IN THE BIG LEAGUE

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**  
Postponed Games.  
New York, Oct. 5.—New York-Boston, game postponed, rain.  
Two games tomorrow.  
Washington, Oct. 5.—Philadelphia-Washington, game postponed, wet grounds.  
Two games tomorrow.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**  
Postponed Games.  
Boston, Oct. 5.—New York-Boston, game postponed, rain.  
Two games tomorrow.  
Philadelphia, Oct. 5.—Brooklyn-Philadelphia, two games postponed, rain.  
Two games tomorrow.

**American League Standing.**

Won	Lost	P.C.	
Boston	99	49	669
Detroit	100	54	649
Chicago	93	61	604
Washington	85	66	563
New York	68	81	456
St. Louis	62	91	409
Cleveland	57	95	375
Philadelphia	41	109	273

**National League Standing.**

Won	Lost	P.C.	
Philadelphia	88	62	587
Boston	81	68	544
Brooklyn	80	70	533
Chicago	73	80	477
Pittsburgh	73	81	474
St. Louis	72	81	471
Cincinnati	71	83	461
New York	68	81	456

## LIVE TOPICS ABOUT LIVE RING STARS

Joe Asaveo and Walter Mohr will meet in Brooklyn next Saturday night. Johnny Dundee and Joe Rivers will box in Milwaukee Oct. 14.

Ed McGoorty is to get another chance against Darcy, the Australian middleweight, at Sydney this month. Eddie O'Campi, the California bantam, is back in the East looking for bouts.

**Saylor and Beecher Even Up.**  
Akron, O., Oct. 5.—Milburn Saylor and Willie Beecher of New York featured yesterday in one of the best bouts ever staged in the vicinity of Akron. More than 1,000 blows were exchanged in the 12 rounds. Honors were even, first man and then the other having the shade.

**Punch Breaks His Jaw.**  
Gloucester, Oct. 5.—The Lennox A. C. opened a new feature last night confining its talent to two Gloucester 145-pounders, Al Noble and Bill Wiley. The bout was announced for eight rounds and as much farther as the referee thought feasible.

It had gone on fairly evenly for nearly two rounds when Noble landed two slings, a right and left, both to the jaw. Wiley went down for the count. His jaw was broken.

**O'LEARY DEFEATS WHALEN**  
Winnipeg, Oct. 5.—Johnny O'Leary of Vancouver, Canadian lightweight champion, last night easily defeated Danny Whalen of St. Paul, in the second of a two round bout here. K. O. Fitzgerald of Winnipeg, won from Kid De Cours, St. Paul, in ten rounds.

A preliminary statement of the Agricultural Returns for England and Wales for 1915, collected in June last, has just been issued. The introductory memorandum shows a decrease in the total area under crops and grass of 61,000 acres, of which 38,000 acres represent arable land and 23,000 acres permanent grass. Wheat shows an increase of 363,000 acres, or 20 per cent, as compared with last year, the 2,170,000 acres under this cereal being the largest recorded since 1891, while the increase since 1913 amounts to 469,000 acres, or nearly 23 per cent. Oats have also increased by 158,000 acres. These increases have been obtained mainly at the expense of barley, beans, peas, and roots.

## RED SOX PROVE VALUE OF STRONG PITCHING STAFF



In the main it appears the success attained by the Boston Red Sox this season conclusively proves that a consistent defence, led by a well balanced pitching staff, supported by a fair offence, is of more value in a protracted battle than a dashy attack attended by a fair defensive of pitching talent. For example, if the Red Sox spread their monickers on the world series score cards "Bill" Carrigan will enter the classic holding four trump cards, "Babe" Ruth, "Dutch" Leonard, George Foster and Ernest Shore. And it is not improbable that "Joe" Wood's shoulder will have responded to treatment in time to permit him to take a fling at—well, looks like the Phillies. If all five are ready, certainly Carrigan will hold a full hand in every sense of the word.

Describing a recent review before Gen. Joffre M. Millerand and Lord Kitchener, an English correspondent writes: "The Commander-in-Chief, attended by his staff, took up his position with Lord Kitchener and the French War Minister, at the salubrious base, and in the afternoon sun, which put a glamour upon the surrounding cornfields and the open ground upon which the troops were drawn up, it was a superb sight to see the Guards march past in half-companies, with the perfect line and rhythm which one used to see in the old days at the troping of the color.

"All these men had taken part in many actions, they had faced the daily ordeal of shell fire, they had just come out of the trenches, and the names of their battalions will be written for ever in history with those of Ypres and Neuva Chapelle.

"But as they came at a swinging pace through the long grass, every hand swinging in unison, moving with machine-like accuracy of pace, they bore but few traces of war except in their bronze burnt faces and the hard look of their physique.

"One officer had lost his right arm, but brought his left smartly to the salute. None of the officers carried swords, and this perhaps, curiously enough, was the one outward sign that this was a review in war, and not in peace."

**DECISION TO BAR TOE HOLD.**  
New York, Oct. 5.—Wrestling promoters from several cities met here today and took steps to make the coming season one of the best of recent years. Among the more prominent in the gathering were J. H. Herman, Chicago; W. S. Scoville, Kansas City; Jack Curley, New York; George Twohey, Boston, and S. Rachmann, the greatest promoter of Europe. Several plans were agreed upon to keep the sport on a high plane, most important of which was the barring of the toe hold, in which Boston took the initiative three years ago.

A London Daily News correspondent, who has been investigating the subject, writes that "in spite of alleged 'hardship' Tommy Atkins has very little to grumble at in the matter of receiving supplies or comforts and luxuries from home. As itation has been set on foot to further the granting of free postal facilities in his direction, but that would be impossible. Already on the Western front our soldiers' daily postbags of letters and newspapers alone weigh an average of fifty tons. Post time at the front, no matter what is happening, comes round as regularly as sunset. If there is a letter or a stamped parcel for the soldier it reaches him, wherever he may be. It is the same, too, with parcels dispatched through the Army Transport Office, though delivery in this case is necessarily slower."

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**THE WEATHER.**

Forecasts.

Maritime—Fresh to strong southwest and west winds. Showers at first, then clearing. Toronto, Oct. 5.—The disturbance which was over Northern Ontario last night is now centered near the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and another is moving southeastward across Manitoba. Showers have been quite general today in Quebec, New Brunswick and the western provinces.

Temperatures.

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	30	44
Victoria	48	60
Moose Jaw	34	54
Vancouver	50	58
Calgary	34	50
Kamloops	34	50
Medicine Hat	46	52
Edmonton	40	44
Prince Albert	32	42
Winnipeg	32	42
Fort Arthur	34	46
Perry Sound	46	54
London	48	65
Toronto	53	67
Kingston	56	62
Ottawa	54	60
Montreal	56	60
Quebec	48	58
St. John	44	54
Halifax	32	64

**Around the City**

**A Month More**

A large quantity of farm produce and some live stock was brought down the river in the river steamers yesterday. The season is expected to close in about a month or possibly less.

**Mr. Scott's Success.**

Concerning S. D. Scott, the first editor of The Standard, who is at present editor of the News Advertiser, Vancouver, Hon. W. J. Bowser, who was in the city yesterday, said: "Mr. Scott is doing great work. He is a power in the camp." Another former St. John man meeting with success in the British Columbian metropolis and to whom Mr. Bowser referred was J. N. Ellis, son of the late Senator Ellis, who is practicing law in Vancouver.

**Sunday School Convention**

The executive committee of the New Brunswick Sunday School Association have determined to bring the annual provincial convention to St. John this year. The convention will be held in the Central Methodist church on November 3rd, 4th and 5th. Rev. William Brown, D. D., of the International Field Workers' Staff will be the chief speaker from outside the province. A programme designed to meet the varied Sunday school needs of the day is about complete and it is expected that at least three hundred delegates will be present.

**Brothers Met**

It was a very busy meeting when Driver Oty D. Lindey, who is serving with the Ammunition Column in the 1st (Continent) met his brother Harry, who is with the 26th Battalion now in France. The two brothers met on Sept. 22nd and were together four hours when they had to be separated owing to Harry having to take his place in the trenches. There has been no further word from Harry excepting a field card from Driver Oty Lindey, speaks of another St. John boy, Herbert McKay being with them.

**More Officers for the 88th.**

Lieut. Colonel George W. Fowler, M. P., announced last night that additional officers for the 88th Battalion had been recommended as follows:

To be captain—Lieutenant A. J. Brooks.

To be lieutenants—R. S. Machum of St. John and George Price of the Bank of Nova Scotia staff at Halifax.

Captain Brooks has been engaged in recruiting work with much success. He will continue in that capacity until the formation of the battalion is completed.

**Anglican Committees**

The executive of the Board of Missions of the Anglican Synod met in quarterly session in the Church of England Institute rooms at noon yesterday when the following committees were appointed: Board of Missions, Board of Finance and the Standing Committee on Sunday Schools. At a meeting of the Standing Committee on Sunday School held in the Institute rooms last night there was a good attendance. Reports were received from the heads of the departments in Sunday school work, viz.: Missionary, Teachers' Training, Infant Class, Bible Class and all the reports were encouraging. The meetings will be continued today and tomorrow and Bishop Richardson, who arrived in the city last night, will be present.

**Meeting Tonight**

Plans for the recruiting meeting to be held in the recruiting office on Mill street tonight are completed. Rev. Mr. Jarvis of St. John's (Stone) church will be the chairman and the speakers will be returned soldiers and others. There will also be musical attractions. The office has been fitted up to be as attractive as possible and there is an officer there all the time. There is nothing to stop men from coming in through the day. There is no need of waiting till the meeting at night to sign on.

Another big meeting is being planned for Thursday night in St. Peter's Hall, Elm street, but no details can be had at present. This meeting is to be a grand rally for the residents of North End and an attractive programme is being prepared and all who can attend are requested to do so.

**"TIDE HAS TURNED FOR THE WEST," A GRANT FOR SAYS ATTORNEY-GENERAL BOWSER, REFERRING TO BRITISH COLUMBIA**

**Business Improving on Pacific Coast and Return to Normal Prosperity is on the Way—Province All Right Politically as Well—Former New Brunswick, who Has Made Good, on Visit to Old Home**

"The Liberals need not bother making predictions about British Columbia. When the time comes, the Pacific Province will be strong, by in line for Sir Robert Borden and his government.

"Business is improving. We have weathered the depression and the tide has turned. Prospects now are for good times. The standard last evening. Hon. Mr. Bowser, who is one of the most striking representatives of New Brunswick men who have made good in larger fields, arrived in the city at noon yesterday on his way to his home in Rex, Kent county, where he will visit his mother for a few days. He is in excellent health and spirits and with true western optimism predicts for British Columbia a return of the notable prosperity that obtained in the days "before the war."

These quotations summarize an interesting interview which Hon. W. J. Bowser, Attorney-General of British Columbia, gave to a representative of The Standard last evening. Hon. Mr. Bowser, who is one of the most striking representatives of New Brunswick men who have made good in larger fields, arrived in the city at noon yesterday on his way to his home in Rex, Kent county, where he will visit his mother for a few days. He is in excellent health and spirits and with true western optimism predicts for British Columbia a return of the notable prosperity that obtained in the days "before the war."

**Good Times Coming.**

"In British Columbia," said he, "we experienced the usual relapse following an inflated valuation of real estate. Then came the war and, for a time, things were bad. But we are over the worst of it. Business is improving. We have weathered the depression and the tide has turned. Prospects now are for good times."

Just before coming East the Attorney-General made a 400 mile tour through various districts of his adopted province and, consequently, is in a position to speak with knowledge of business and industrial conditions there. "On the coast," said he, "the lumber markets are opening up a risky. There has been a good cut but we experience the same difficulty that confronts you in the East, we cannot get bottoms to carry the cargoes. That, however, will be remedied in time."

"Coming into the Okanagan Valley I found the fruit crop good. We have had a great deal of rain in the fruit country with the result that lands where it formerly was necessary to resort to artificial irrigation are now watered by nature."

**Great Mining Development.**

"In the mining country I found conditions brisk. There is a good market for our copper and lead and even silver and this is being developed. The market for the metal products also adds the coal mines and the smelting industry. At the smelter in Trail an immense zinc converter has just been installed and a contract made with the imperial government for the entire output of that smelter for two years. This has resulted in the reopening and developing of many valuable properties. Even the famous Sullivan mine, where the ore assayed 97 per cent pure zinc, had suspended operations for a time but is now reopening and working busily. The Rossland Power Company is also making immense additions to plant which means

**THIS FAMILY DESTITUTE**

**Husband deserted wife and five small children—Little for the family.**

A case of desertion and destitution has been reported to the Municipal Home authorities. Mrs. May Hill, wife of Harry Hill, a colored man, is living in a couple of rooms in a house in Union Alley. The woman has five children, the oldest being nine years and the youngest five months, among the number being a girl as clean as possible under the circumstances shows the case to be a sad one. Mrs. Hill said that her husband, who is about 39 years of age, left home one day last June and since that time she has heard nothing of him although she has made enquiries in different places and has had the assistance of officials in this line. She states that she is left with her family of children with practically no means of support. She has worked hard to keep the wolf from the door but has at last given up in despair and it has only been through the kindness of some good people that she and

**A GRANT FOR RECRUITING COMMITTEE**

**County Council gives \$2,000 for securing men for Overseas Contingents.**

Two thousand dollars was voted to the committee on recruiting by the Municipal Council yesterday afternoon. L. P. D. Tilley, M. L. A., and Captain Mulcahey representing the recruiting committee, waited on the Municipal Council and asked that financial assistance be extended to help out in the ordinary expenses incurred in conducting the campaign. The amendment granting \$2,000 to the committee to make some provision for this purpose.

On recommendation of Councillors Potts and Russell the council unanimously adopted a resolution to place \$2,000 to the credit of the local recruiting committee.

Councillor Frink had previously moved a vote for \$1,000 and his motion was supported by Councillor Wiemore. The amendment granting \$2,000 was proposed by Councillor Potts and met with the hearty approval of the entire council.

Councillor O'Brien expressed himself as very much in favor of the motion as he had had some experience in Fairville, trying to conduct the campaign without funds. He thought it was nothing more than the duty of the Municipal Council to vote the amount asked in the amendment.

Councillor Carson was of the opinion that \$2,000 was not at all out of the way. It was up to the Municipal Council to do anything required to help the cause along.

Warden McEellan expressed himself as heartily in accord with the amendment. He said the council had often been charged with extravagance, but he thought all must realize that it was a matter of duty to make this expenditure. There had been no money spent by the council excepting for the Belgian and Patriotic Funds that had a greater demand on the revenues of the county than the present instance.

L. P. D. Tilley and Captain Mulcahey on behalf of the recruiting committee thanked the council for its prompt action in this matter.

Mr. Tilley said the expenditures were closely checked, both by Colonel Armstrong and the executive of the committee and that it was a source of great pleasure to the recruiting committee to know that it was not necessary for them to go out and ask the public to contribute for the recruiting campaign fund.

**Political Conditions.**

Speaking of political conditions Hon. Mr. Bowser said: "The Liberals need not bother making predictions about British Columbia. When the time comes, the Pacific Province will be strongly in line for Sir Robert Borden and his government. The nomination of Joel Martin in Caribou the other day furnishes evidence of the plight in which the Liberals find themselves. Mr. Martin did not get the united support even of his own party and another Liberal candidate is in the field against him. Caribou is as good as won for the Conservatives."

"Provincially, we are all right and those Liberals who are predicting the overthrow of the government are talking entirely without knowledge of the situation. The government has given good administration. Our gross revenue for 1914 was the largest in the history of the province and 1915 was not far behind it. This year, we passed 1913 and came within ten per cent of the banner year. That is a showing with which the people of the province are well satisfied."

Hon. Mr. Bowser was delighted with the prosperity of New Brunswick. "I learned from financial men in Montreal that the lower provinces were the most prosperous in Canada. This was particularly welcome to me as a native New Brunswicker, and rest assured it will be my pleasure when I return to the west to spread the good news among the thousands of former New Brunswickers in British Columbia."

Hon. Mr. Bowser leaves this morning for his home in Rex. He will return to the west on Saturday.

**LIEUT. SMITH IN HOSPITAL**

**Was reported missing several days ago—Had shot wounds in leg and arm.**

Mrs. R. Morton Smith was much relieved yesterday to receive word that her son, who was reported missing some days ago, has been located in a hospital in Rouen, France. A cable from the secretary of the War Office Lieut. Frank M. Smith of the York and Lancaster Regiment, had been admitted to No. 8 General Hospital, Rouen on the 28th ult. with gunshot wound in the upper arm and leg. The secretary also informed Mrs. Smith that she would be kept posted as to her son's condition.

**Dr. Townsend Here.**

Dr. David Townsend, superintendent of the River Glade Sanitarium, was in the city yesterday, registered at the Royal. He said conditions at River Glade were splendid and the work was progressing in a satisfactory manner. The sanitarium has about all the patients that can be accommodated at this time. Dr. Townsend will go to Fredericton today and will address a meeting of the Teachers' Institute while there.

**Furs Advancing.**

Before the season opened it was predicted that furs would be low in price during the season of 1915-16, but contrary to all expectations the price per cent and is still going higher. F. A. Dykeman & Co. are showing a very handsome range of furs made by one of the largest and most reliable manufacturers in Canada. These goods they purchase price and are sent to the firm on consignment, they getting a commission for selling them. They are showing some very rich fox sets at \$75.00 and \$85.00, the market price of which is \$175.00 today. Their Hudson Seal coats at \$115.00 are being sold in the retail trade at Montreal for \$175.00 and all their lines in like proportion.

**Hit By Team**

A Bulgarian, named Chitilov was struck by a team while riding a bicycle on Mill street yesterday morning and was thrown to the sidewalk and severely injured. He was sent to the General Public Hospital for treatment.

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1 Davenport	12 Ga., 30 in.	Regular Price, 17.00	Now 13.60
1 L. P. G.	12 Ga., 30 in.	Regular Price, 15.00	Now 12.00
2 L. P. G., Damascus	12 Ga., 30 in.	Regular Price, 20.00	Now 16.00
1 L. P. G., Damascus	12 Ga., 30 in.	Regular Price, 25.00	Now 20.00
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French Infantry in Brilliant Victory From Tahure and Position Within German Lines' Guns Still Cling to Renewal of Offensive

Paris, Oct. 6.—French infantry, artillery, today captured, by assault, the summit of the hill of the same name in the second German line, as issued by the War Office tonight on the following:

"Our action in Champagne obtained victory, after strong artillery preparation, the village of Tahure and reached the summit of the hill of the same name in the second German line, as issued by the War Office tonight on the following:

"On the rest of the front only Artillery was especially intense in Artwood and Hill No. 119; in the Argonne, Le Pretre; in Lorraine, near Leintrey, in the Vosges, on the Metzeral ridge.

**WOMEN'S INSTITUTE HAS MEMBERSHIP OF 2,500 IN PROVINCE**

Seventy Branches and Every County but One Represented—Institute an Important Factor in the Province.

Fredericton, Oct. 6.—The second day of the Women's Institute Convention has been as successful as the first.

The feature of this evening's meeting was an address on tuberculosis, by Dr. David Townsend, concerning the effects of the disease, and the methods of fighting it. Miss Lynds, teacher of elocution at the Normal School, also gave an address on elocution, and B. P. Steeves, of the Normal School staff, gave an address on school gardening.

How the Institute Idea Has Grown.

Miss Hazel E. Winter, supervisor, in her annual report showed the great progress that has been made in the Women's Institute movement in New Brunswick. In 1912 there were 25 institutes in the province; in 1913 the number had increased to 49, while in 1914 the institutes totaled 60. Today there are 70 branches of the Women's Institutes in New Brunswick with a total membership of 2,500. Every county, except Madawaska, is represented at the convention now in session here.

The report went on to state that a field demonstrator had been appointed this year and had given lectures at meetings of the various branches. Miss Winter's report also referred to short courses at the agricultural schools in Woodstock and Sussex and to the good work that had resulted from these courses.

Speaking of Red Cross and soldiers' comforts work being done by Women's Institutes the report stated that barrel after barrel, and bale after bale of clothing had been made for the boys in the trenches. "The report went on to say that \$1,600 had been subscribed by Women's Institutes to the patriotic fund, hospital ship, Belgian relief and motor ambulance funds. It also made mention of the display of fancy work and cooking at the Fredericton Exhibition, the object of the exhibit being to stimulate interest in various handicrafts.

Following Miss Winter's report Mrs. G. C. Vanwart of this city, president of the central committee of the Daughters of the Empire, gave an interesting and instructive address on comforts of soldiers. Mrs. Vanwart told of various needs of the boys in the