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ONE CENT

First Rush Is Stemmed

Enemy Believed Now Preparing Another Great Blow

Two Sunday Attacks on British Near Albert Repulsed—A Little Progress Along the Luce—No Nearer to Amiens—Paris Bombarded Again

London, April 1.—The Germans made two attacks on British positions in the western outskirts of Albert last evening, and in both cases were repulsed. The war office so announced.

South of the Somme the enemy persisted in his attempts to advance along the Luce and Arras valleys, but made little progress. The number of machine guns taken by the British in their attack near Arras on Saturday was 107.

THE TURNING TIDE. London, April 1.—Today's reports, although showing continuance of heavy fighting, are favorable to the Allies. The enemy has made no further progress in the direction of Amiens or towards the Oise Valley, while French forces in brilliant counter-attacks have recaptured some of the lost positions.

PARIS TO TAKE GRIEVANCES. Paris, April 1.—The battle continued with extreme violence last night in the sector north of Mont Didier, large bodies of troops being thrown in by the Germans. The French and British troops broke up the assaulting waves.

THE KING AND KEPT ON WORK. Presence of His Majesty Not Permitted by Him to Slacken Operations at Front.

London, April 1.—Unanimous approval from the appointment of General Byng to command the British Expeditionary Force in France, which was announced last evening.

WATER REPORT. Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

Forecast. Fair and milder today and on Tuesday. Moderate to fresh westerly winds.

BRITISH AGAIN ON OFFENSIVE

First Such Operation Since Great Battle of Begh

MANY MORE OF ENEMY KILLED

Fighting Very Severe But British Pluck Prevails—Report of Serious Disaster to Germans at One Point—Cavalry Effective

British Army Headquarters in France, Mar. 31.—(By the Associated Press)—The last twenty-four hours continued unbroken to the aggressive Germans along the British sector and was a strikingly good period for the defenders.

Today the British initiated a forward movement about Peuchy Copses, east of Arras. They launched a local attack at three o'clock this morning and pressed it so vigorously that they reclaimed a stretch of territory 1,600 yards long and averaging about 300 yards in depth.

South of the Somme, the British appear to have a slight gain in hand and the town hall of Moreuil, about which sanguinary struggles have been going on, was at last reports still flying the British flag.

HIT ELSEWHERE. A small attack on Saturday afternoon after a heavy bombardment and pushed forward over a tiny strip of ground, but the operation was so small as to be hardly worth mentioning.

Good Work by Cavalry. On Saturday the British decided to attempt to restore the lines and cavalry was sent out for the purpose of clearing the wood and re-establishing the positions north of Moreuil.

Deaths in Moncton. Moncton, April 1.—Mrs. Casey, aged thirty-eight, wife of Harry Casey, a C. G. driver, died on Sunday at her home here.

THE TRAINS. The travelling public were more or less confused this morning over the change in the time of the arrival of the Boston train.



NOT SUCH FOOLS AS THEY LOOK. HINDENBURG'S WALL, I know you are thinking, but if you hold on a bit longer your friends in England will shortly arrange a general strike and then we shall gain the victory!

Gallantly Filled the Breach Till the Reinforcements Came

Spectacular Feature of the Sturdy British Defence in Time of Special Stress

British Headquarters in France, Mar. 31.—(Associated Press)—It is now possible to tell of a spectacular feature of a brilliant British defence last week below the Somme. It is the story of a little army composed largely of assortments of troops hastily assembled in a great crisis.

ALL IS QUIET IN QUEBEC TODAY

Laverge Helps in Toning Things Down; Suggested That Outside Troops be Removed and M. S. A. Enforcement Put in New Hands

Quebec, April 1.—Peace has been restored in this city, at least temporarily. The unruly element has accepted an assurance by Armand Laverge, Nationalist politician, that if they desire to be free from attacks by the military they must not disturb the peace.

THE ROTARY CLUB. Rotarian Scott of Brantford, Ontario, who was viewing the result of an air-raid in London two weeks ago yesterday, addressed the St. John Rotary Club at its luncheon today.

HARBOR REVENUE. Harbor revenues for the month of March totaled \$22,874.14. The revenue for the first three months of the year show an increase of more than \$8,000, as compared with the same period in 1917.

Canadian Guns Roaring on The Heights of Vimy

Rain of Shells on Enemy on Eve of Anniversary of Capture of Ridge—This Morning Quiet—Arras and Vimy Among Chief German Objectives

Canadian Army Headquarters in the field, via London, April 1.—(By W. A. Willson, Canadian Press correspondent)—On Easter Monday, a year ago, Canadian soldiers moving mightily to the attack, captured Vimy Ridge. This Easter Sunday, the soldiers of the dominion are united with the British troops north of the Scarpe, in defence of the southern flank of those heights which dominate so much of the vital coal areas of Northern France.

Yesterday afternoon there was a lively artillery duel between our guns and those of the enemy, but again no counter-attack developed. Last night and throughout today, until the coming of this despatch, things have been very quiet.

MR. WIGMORE NOT A CANDIDATE

Mayor Hayes is Re-Elected—Primary and Final Election for Commissionerships Necessary

This morning Commissioner Wigmore announced that he would not accept nomination for the commissionership and would not again be a candidate for the civic office at now holds.

CRISIS MAY HAVE EFFECT UPON THE IRISH QUESTION

British Government May Increase Age Limit for the Army To 48 or 50

London, April 1.—How the British public will take the announcement of the appointment of General Foch to the supreme command remains to be seen, but there is little doubt that it will accord to the government willingly all the powers it needs in the direction of increasing the age limit and in other urgent measures.

ROSENTHAL MURDER IN NEW YORK WAS DUPLICATED TODAY

Harry Cohen Shot and Killed by Gunman in Connection With Anti-Gambling Crusade

New York, April 1.—A man believed to be Harry Cohen, who has been in conference with District-Attorney Swann in connection with the crusade against gambling in this city, was shot down in West 92nd street today and died later in a hospital.

LARGE GROWTH IN IMPORTS AND DUTY AT LOCAL CAPITAL

Fredrickton, N. B., April 1.—The customs returns for Fredrickton for the year closing with March show total value of imports \$1,201,000, compared with \$743,892 for the year preceding. Duty collected amounted to \$102,804 and in the year before to \$111,498.



GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

DAUGHTER OF THE GODS WITH KELLERMAN 'THE DIVING VENUS' AT LYRIC TONIGHT

Surpassing in beauty any production of the famous aquarian, Annette Kellerman, has ever appeared in production on a scale of magnificence and grandeur, and displaying the wonderful art of Miss Kellerman. 'The Daughter of the Gods,' now showing at Lyric Theatre, is a sensation. The picture has been passed by the N. B. Board of Censors in its entirety. All this week with usual daily matinees.

AT THE GEM

Were you at the Gem since the new policy was inaugurated? If not, come tonight and you'll find a marked change. A bang-up vaudeville offering of four acts and a whirlwind film picture. See page nine.

'Pride and the Man,' a five-part photoplay of high dramatic value—full of thrills, and with a punch—Nikel, Queen square, today.

HALIFAX TO BE A SHIP-BUILDING CENTRE

(Halifax Herald.) Ottawa, Mar. 27.—Hon. Mr. Balfour has promptly carried out his promise regarding a national permanent shipbuilding programme, and Halifax is to be made one of the shipbuilding centres of Canada.

The first recognition is steel plates with deliveries of fifty thousand to seventy-five thousand tons a year.

This initial order induces the Dominion Iron people to erect rolling mills at Sydney, to cost between three and five million dollars and to be completed within eighteen months. This insures a large increase in population and great prosperity to Sydney.

Within a few days a contract will be awarded to a Canadian company to build a number of ships in Halifax. The yards will be located at Tufts Cove and the first unit of the plant will permit the simultaneous construction of six large ships.

Pending deliveries from the new mill at Sydney, steel for the Halifax yards will be obtained from the United States by arrangement with the American authorities.

As sixty per cent of the cost of shipbuilding is for labor, the importance of the industry should be fully appreciated in Halifax and Dartmouth.

A yard may also be established at Sydney. The new dry dock at Halifax will not be proceeded with at the present time.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Murray Vaughan took place this afternoon from his parents' residence, 7 Pine-street. Services were conducted by Rev. S. S. Poole. Interment was made in Fernhill.

The funeral of Mrs. Georgina Dunbrack took place this afternoon from the residence of Mrs. F. E. Hollis, 292 St. James street. Services were conducted by Rev. J. A. MacKeigan. Interment was made in Fernhill.

A GREAT TAG DAY The appeal made by the Soldiers' Comfort Association on Saturday proved the city's most successful tag day. While the total receipts are not definitely known, it is estimated that the \$12,000 mark will be reached.

Travelers, said at noon today that the travelers hoped to raise \$6,500 before passing their day. The S.C.A. on Saturday evening the resident travelers who had taken part in the campaign and the canvassing were entertained at dinner at the Elks' club by Commissioner McLellan. The executive in charge of the resident travelers' campaign was composed of R. S. Sims, chairman; J. H. Richard, E. H. Fenwick and T. E. Simpson, secretary.

BIRTHS

MACQUARRIE—On March 30, at Evangeline Home, to Capt. D. H. and Mrs. MacQuarrie, a son, Roy Stewart.

WATSON—On March 31, to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Watson, 219 Duke street, a son.

DEATHS

DUFFY—In this city, on April 1, Mary E., widow of Francis Duffy, aged leaving one son, three brothers and four sisters to mourn.

FUNERAL—on Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock, from the residence of Thomas Morris, 180 Bridge street, to St. Peter's church for requiem high mass. Friends invited.

JEWELLING—At her residence, Manawagonish road, on the 1st inst., Kate L., beloved wife of LeBaron O. Jewelling, in her 64th year, leaving her husband, three sons and one daughter to mourn.

NOTICE OF FUNERAL HEREFTER.

SMITH—In this city, on Sunday, March 31, Mary, wife of Louis Smith, leaving her husband and one son to mourn.

FUNERAL tomorrow, Tuesday morning, at 8:30 o'clock from her late residence, 51 Magaine street, to St. Peter's church for requiem high mass. Friends invited.

BROWN—At his mother's home, Economy, N. S., on March 30, after a lingering illness, Harry Brown, aged thirty-two years, leaving mother, two sisters and four brothers to mourn. (Nova Scotia papers please copy.)

IN MEMORIAM

WARN—In loving memory of my dear father, William H. Warn, who died April 1, 1916. Yes, we part, but not forever.

DAUGHTER.

BOSTWICK—In loving memory of Gils Bostwick, who departed this life on April 1, 1911. We think of him in silence. And his name we never call. But there's nothing left to answer But his photo on the wall.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. C. W. Irons and family wish to thank their many friends, also Depot Battalion Band and soldiers for kindness in their sad bereavement.

WHEN RUN DOWN

Hood's Sarsaparilla, the Reliable Tonic Medicines, Builds Up.

The reason why you feel so tired all the time at this season is that your blood is impure and impoverished. It lacks vitality. It is not the rich red blood that gives life to the whole body, perfects digestion and enables all the organs to perform their functions as they should.

AN ANGUS BULL BRINGS \$1,250

Highest Price Ever Paid for One At Public Auction in Canada

Calgary, April 1.—The highest price ever paid for an Angus bull at public auction in Canada was realized at the opening sale of bulls here by the Alberta Cattle Breeders' Association. Glencairn Donald, Angus grand champion at yesterday's show, bred by J. D. McGregor, and contributed by A. E. Noyes or Olds, was knocked down to S. G. Cowan of Lonsana, Alta., for \$1,250.

Glencairn's sire, 'Pride Lad of Homers' was a Chicago grand champion. The top price for an Angus at last year's sale was \$650.

C. H. Richardson of Exeter, formerly of Wellington county, bought the second highest price in Angus, \$360 for Pomona's Pride. On the first thirteen animals sold he averaged \$385.

L. E. S. Wisard 4th, contributed by Lacombe Experimental Farm, realized \$350.

The average for the seventy-seven Angus animals sold was \$291.

In the afternoon ninety-eight Herefords sold for \$68,110, an average of \$337.63.

Frank Colcott of Calgary received \$600 for Willow Spring Roy, champion Alberta-bred Hereford, and averaged \$890.40 on twenty-four head.

SCHOOL BOY HELP IN CITY STORES

Retail Merchants' Committee of Halifax Board of Trade Takes up Matter With School Board

(Halifax Echo.) A well attended meeting of the Retail Merchants' Committee of the Board of Trade, was held last evening; Deputy Mayor Colwell in the chair; G. A. Burbridge was elected vice-chairman of the committee.

Mr. Burbridge addressed the meeting with reference to school boy help in the stores. This scheme, which was introduced out by Mr. Burbridge, has been in operation in an experimental way, for some time, and those who have tried it find it working very satisfactorily.

The idea is to employ boys to clerk and attend school alternately, and the movement had had the endorsement of a number of local organizations; it is claimed that there is a tendency to make boys ambitious and careful, and also apply their schooling to that of his clerking.

The same argument was used by Mr. Burbridge in connection with girls.

Several present stated they would employ boys under these conditions, and Mr. Burbridge suggested that some scheme be formulated whereby a record of such help would be kept and that the teacher co-operate with the employer, their interest being mutual. It was also suggested that the school board be asked to further assist in having the boys who were willing to work under these conditions, listed and records kept.

A committee, composed of Mr. Burbridge and George Wallace, were named to take the matter up with the school board.

POLICE COURT

Because of Easter recess, a session of the police court was held this afternoon for the first time since Thursday. Six prisoners were brought up charged with drunkenness and fined 88 each.

Six men out on 88 deposits and also charged with drunkenness failed to appear and lost their deposits.

James Sherman, a seaman, was charged with refusing to obey orders on the high seas.

Seaside excursion train service in the States will not be curtailed, according to Director-General McAtee.

Old Folks' Coughs! Permanently Cured

The Public is Loud in Its Praise of the Modern Direct Breathing Cure.

Elderly people take cold easily. Unlike young folks, they recover slowly, if ever. That is why so many people, in middle life die of pneumonia. Even though pneumonia does not develop and kill, coughs certainly weaken all elderly people.

Cough Syrups seldom do much good, because they upset digestion. Any drug-gist or doctor knows that a much more effective treatment is "CATARRHIC OZONE," which heals and soothes the irritated surfaces of the throat.

In using Catarrhose you do not take medicine into the stomach—you simply breathe into the throat, nose and lungs, and the pesty mucus vapor, so full of healing power that colds, catarrh and bronchitis disappear almost instantly.

"At sixty-eight years of age I can testify that I am never troubled with coughs or colds," writes J. E. Pilgrim, of Kingston. "They used to be the bane of my life, but I used before I used Catarrhose, which was recommended to me by C. L. Prouse, druggist. To use Catarrhose is just like being in a warm pine woods. The balsamic vapor of Catarrhose is like a tonic, it is so stimulating to the breathing organs, so soothing to sore spots, so full of power to drive out colds and congestion. I will always use and recommend Catarrhose as a preventive and cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, throat irritation and catarrh."

(Signed) "J. E. PILGRIM."

A Catarrhose Inhaler in your pocket or purse enables you to stop a cold at the first sneeze. Large size costs \$1.00 and supplies treatment for two months; small size, 50c; trial size 25c; all storekeepers and druggists, or The Catarrhose Co., Buffalo, N. Y., and Kingston, Canada.

NEW BILL AT THE OPERA HOUSE GOOD

Varied and Interesting in Vaudeville and Serial Chapter-is Thrilling

The missing act on the Opera House vaudeville programme arrived in plenty of time for the Saturday afternoon performance, rounding out one of the best balanced entertainments of the season.

A man of marvelous strength is Paul La Varre, and he and his brother offer some sensational feats of hand balancing, gracefully done. This act alone is a real novelty for this city.

Rivoli, a quick change artist, was quite a sensation on Saturday, playing his characters in pieces of the big laughing hits. He is a clever entertainer.

Chas. R. Sweet talked a little, played piano and cornet, had a lot of funny witticisms and a graceful dancing number, but was much appreciated.

Coleman's Musical Manikins, with two ingeniously manipulated lay figures who sing and play musical instruments, get the class of the week and anything in the ventriloquist line that the Opera House has had. This is a great treat for the children and the big fellows as well.

The Mystery Ship serial drama will be shown tonight with the vaudeville programme. This week's chapter is particularly thrilling.

THE LETTER CARRIER'S PAY

To the Editor of the Times.—Sir,—I desire to draw your attention to the case of our city letter carriers, and the class of work they are doing.

The applicant for the position of letter carrier must be between the ages of eighteen and thirty-five. He has to pass a strict medical examination under the supervision of a practicing physician, and be free from any ailments or disease that would make him incapable of performing laborious work in all kinds of weather. He is required to pass a mental examination. It must be a citizen of Canada, of good moral conduct. It will therefore be seen that the government through its postal service is employing the best available talent in the cities where letter carriers are employed.

Letter carriers are required to report for duty on schedule time in most cities this is 6:30 in the morning. Their hours of duty are supposed to be eight hours, but as routes are so laid out that eight hours of service will be obtained on the lighter days of the week, extra efforts are required to put forth extra efforts to complete deliveries on the heavier days of the week. There is no limit to the weight of work in the postal service for any one trip, and he is often called upon to carry loads of mail that tax his strength to the utmost.

The carrier's necessity is highly proficient in his work in order to keep up to the required standard. His work is heavy, and those who have tried it know his mistakes few. However, he has to pay for any losses by his mistakes or negligence. The knowledge gained in a life-time of work in the postal service is of no use to him in any industrial or commercial pursuit, should he have, for any cause, to leave the service.

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CHILD GETS SICK CROSS, FEVERISH IF CONSTIPATED

'California Syrup of Figs' Can't Harm Tender Stomach or Bowels

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour. Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailments, give a teaspoonful of 'California Syrup of Figs'.

Be careful of counterfeit 'fig syrups'. Ask your druggist for a bottle of 'California Syrup of Figs,' which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the 'California Fig Syrup Company.'

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HAVE A LIVEABLE LIVING ROOM

The furnishings of the living-room is a matter that deserves serious consideration. The reason for this is plain when we consider the part it plays in our daily life. For a short time in the kitchen we prepare our meals—for a short time in the dining-room we eat them—for quite a time in the bedroom we sleep—but in the living-room for quite a time we live. The furnishings of this room, then, are bound to affect us. If furnished with one of our suites or odd pieces, its beauty and coziness will soothe and please you; its utility, comfort and rest you; in fact, it will be liveable in the fullest sense of the term.

Make the initial step towards a good living-room by inspecting our assortment.

J. Marcus, 30 Dock St.

The furnishings of the living-room is a matter that deserves serious consideration. The reason for this is plain when we consider the part it plays in our daily life. For a short time in the kitchen we prepare our meals—for a short time in the dining-room we eat them—for quite a time in the bedroom we sleep—but in the living-room for quite a time we live. The furnishings of this room, then, are bound to affect us. If furnished with one of our suites or odd pieces, its beauty and coziness will soothe and please you; its utility, comfort and rest you; in fact, it will be liveable in the fullest sense of the term.

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part of their early gains. Tobacco, shipping, General Motors and American Sugar, were 1 to 2-1/2 points, over last week's final quotations on tentative post-operations. Liberty bonds were inactive and slightly lower.

ALL QUIET IN QUEBEC (Continued from page 1) Firing Last Night. Firing which took place last night occurred while the military were rounding up the rioters. It was done by the soldiers. This assurance was given at military headquarters this morning. Arthur Quart and the Misses Roche who were struck, were today reported to be in no danger. Two Quebec soldiers were hurt last night with flying missiles.

General Landry, who was hit in the chest by a lump of ice, while he was driving through the streets during the disorders on Saturday night, his auto being battered at the same time, was none the worse for his experience today.

Mayor Lavigne, who again denied reports that he had read the riot act, this morning sent a reply to Premier Borden, who wired him on Saturday asking for particulars of alleged lack of discretion, tact and discrimination shown by Dominion police officers in the administration of the Military Service Act.

In this connection accusations against the policemen include a charge that they have arrested young men and have torn up their exemption documents when they have been produced. It is also alleged that these men were recruited from the ranks of the least desirable people in the city.

"We have heard rumors that the conduct and character of certain officers have been such as to create ill-feeling and this is a point that should be fully gone into by the proper persons but, at a time when the whole fate of democracy hangs in the balance on the battle front, such a demonstration of apparently widespread disloyalty even here, would be a sentiment of lively resentment among those who have no means of knowing what the inner circumstances may have been."

The total damage done throughout the city since the rioting began is estimated at \$100,000. This will have to be met by the city through a specially levied assessment.

Proclamations will be posted throughout the city today by the military authorities, prohibiting the holding of a meeting announced for tonight by Armand Lavigne yesterday, when he addressed the mob.

Capt. Desrochers, head of the federal police here, specifically denies that officers had arrested men under the M. S. A. and had torn up their papers.

Mayor Lavigne announced that he had received information that the ring-leaders in the rioting were strangers in Quebec and that these agents were being paid by some outside parties. He said he had ordered the fullest investigation.

Ottawa, April 1.—Hon. C. J. Doherty when asked this morning in regard to a statement attributed to Armand Lavigne that he had conferred with the department of justice in regard to the withdrawal of troops from Quebec said that he had no knowledge of such an arrangement.

Sir Robert Borden has called another sitting of the cabinet council for three o'clock this afternoon when the situation and what developed will be considered. It is understood that the number of troops at present in Quebec is in the vicinity of two thousand.

Montreal, April 1.—"We don't anticipate any trouble in Montreal," declared Major General Wilson, G. O. C. of No. 4 district this morning, when asked if any preparations had been made to deal with trouble that might arise here.

MORE SOLDIERS ARRIVE HERE. A transatlantic liner arrived in port at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. It worked at pier No. 3, Sand Point. She had on board 168 passengers of whom seventy-eight were returned officers and men. Some 2,300 bags of mail and 1,000 tons of general merchandise comprised her cargo.

DELICATE GIRLS Business or School who have thin or sufficient blood or a physically frail will fit

SCOTT'S EMULSION

a rich blood-food and strengthening tonic. It is so helpful for delicate girls it should be a part of their regular diet.

LOCAL NEWS</



THE BATTLE LAST FORTHS

That is View French Ann HAND-TO-HAND

Great Flood of Infantry Poured Against Between Moreuil and Laon Thickly Strewn Enemy Dead

With the French (France, Saturday, Mar. 30—(Associated Press)—A great flood of infantry flowed against the lines today between Moreuil, etc. It was purely a battle of attrition.

This was especially around Laon, the town which the limit of the German line in the March of last year and Germans met often in hand fighting in Orville, etc. The French artillery sound an opportunity for settlement and it overpowered the weaker German guns. Until recently has not been able to bring big guns, the British and French having destroyed several small bridges.

hardest fighting of the day. The combatants struggled in the streets until one or the other succumbed. At one point German attacking columns came under almost point blank fire of French 75's which did terrific execution and caused a panic-stricken retreat of the survivors. The line of attack was extended both northward and southward during the day. Toward evening a slight lull occurred, but renewed activity was observed after dark, German reserves evidently having arrived.

The ground before the French lines is covered thickly with German dead. The attackers are compelled to advance under a constant hail of bullets from cleverly placed detachments equipped with numerous machine guns, whose presence is sidled from the Germans until they come within a short distance. French aviators had virtually cleared the skies of their German adversaries, so that the attacking infantry was without the valuable assistance generally afforded from the air.

The opinion is general that the battle will be a long one, perhaps keeping up for months, with a series of pauses between the various phases. Whether the Germans will be able to make a demonstration in another direction while the present struggle is progressing remains to be seen, but indications point to the utilization of a great part of their available troops in this huge effort.

Former Chairman Burwash, Prominent Methodist, Dead; Was Ill But Few Days

Toronto, Mar. 31—Canadian Methodism lost its most influential and beloved personality in the death of former Chairman Burwash, D. D., at his home here on Saturday night. He was in his usual health until Saturday afternoon. He

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Keep all the soldier boys you know well supplied with the best flavored gum you can buy—Adams Black Jack. A stick a day keeps bronchitis away. Every time you buy it for yourself, buy it for a soldier.



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RECENT DEATHS

Mrs. Georgina MacKintley Donbrack. The death of Mrs. Georgina MacKintley, widow of Mr. Henry Donbrack, occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Holman, 362 St. James street, Saturday evening at 6.30. Mrs. Donbrack has been for twenty years an invalid. She leaves another daughter, Miss Winifred, at home and four sons: William W. of Mexico, Albert H. of St. Louis (Mo.), Frank A. of Victoria (B. C.), and Gunter Charles H. overseas. The funeral will be held on Monday afternoon from the residence of Mrs. Holman at 2.30 o'clock.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bowser. (Special)—Dorchester, N. B., March 31—(Special)—Mrs. Elizabeth Bowser, wife of the late Christopher Bowser, of Dorchester, passed away here this afternoon after an illness of only three days' duration. She had reached the advanced age of ninety-one years and was the oldest resident of the shiretown. She is survived by four daughters—Mrs. John Maxwell, Louisa (R. L.); Mrs. George Hare, Rockland (Mass.); Mrs. William Colwell, Beverly (Mass.); and Mrs. Henry Card, of Dorchester; also by two sons—John and Albert, of Lonsdale (R. L.). One of the sad features in connection with the death is that one of her grandsons, William C. Bowser, of the 146th Westmorland battalion, has been reported missing since August, 1917. She was a member of the First Baptist church, a lady of the old school, and was well respected by all who knew her. The funeral will be held on Tuesday afternoon, when the services will be conducted by Rev. A. H. Whitman. The official casualty list today reports that Mrs. Bowser's grandson has died of wounds.

Mrs. Louis Smith. The death of Mary, wife of Louis Smith, occurred in this city on Sunday, March 31. Mrs. Smith has been in failing health for sometime and her death was due to heart failure. Her husband, Louis Smith, is a well known painter of this city. She is survived by her husband and one son, Joseph, of this city. The funeral will be held tomorrow, Tuesday morning at 8.30 o'clock, at her late residence, 51 Magazine street, to St. Peter's church for requiem high mass.

W. Murray Vaughan. W. Murray Vaughan died yesterday in the twenty-first year of his age at the home of his parents, 7 Pine street. He was a native of St. Martin's. He went to the Canadian west early last season and returned but a few months ago. Since that time he had been confined to his home with illness. Mr. Vaughan was the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Aubrey Vaughan. Besides his parents he is survived by one brother, Warren W. and one sister, Miss Ethel, both of St. John.

The death of Miss Sadie Christie, formerly of Fredericton, occurred at Portland, Me., on Saturday.

Mrs. James Patterson of Hampton died on Tuesday. Mrs. Patterson, who was formerly Miss Bell of Sussex, has lived in Hampton for many years. She is survived by her husband and one son.

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C. M. B. A. MEETING Tuesday evening, April 2, will be held in rooms Mercus building, Union street, 8 p. m. Executive W. E. Farrell, Bourgeois, Executive Agent Jas. J. Brady, Hon. P. J. Veniot will address the meeting. Members of sister branches are invited.

Arnold's next auction sales will be Tuesday, April 2, Wednesday 3, and Thursday 4, evenings at 7.30 at 127-129 Brussels street. 4-5.

Miss Sherwood invites all present and former class members to attend Easter assembly, April 3. Dancing 8.30 sharp. 4-2.

Place your order for your made-to-order suit and overcoat for Easter early. Turner, out of high rent district, 440 Main street. 4-1.

Emerson records, double sided, 35c. We also have three new photographs at \$10 and two at \$14—210 Union street, opposite Opera; open evenings. 4-2.

INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION, LOCAL 273. Regular monthly meeting Monday evening, April 1, at 9 p. m., in hall, 25 Water street. All members are requested to be present. By order of the president. 4-2.

GREAT WAR VETERANS' ASSOCIATION. General meeting Monday, 8 p. m. Full attendance. Important subject. Returned soldiers requested to see they are on voters' list for civic election. Monday last. Puddy, secretary. 4-2.

GOOD SYDNEY SOFT COAL. Price reasonable; immediate delivery. James S. McGivern, 5 Mill street. Tel. Main 42. 4-4.

A man who can't afford to pay a high price for his spring suit or overcoat, would do well to call at Turner's, out-of-the-high-rent district, 440 Main street. 4-1.

C. P. R. NOTICE. Effective after Sunday, March 31, all trains will be operated on Atlantic time on the New Brunswick district of the C. P. R. east of Megantic. There is no change in actual schedules. Train schedules will be on Atlantic time, unless otherwise stated. This on account of the scheme in the United States whereby clocks are to be set ahead one hour on account of the daylight saving system. 4-2.

OVERLAND EXHIBITION. See the exhibition of all latest models of the Overland car, now being held at J. A. Pugsley & Co.'s showrooms, 45 Princess street. Open evenings 7 to 9. 4-7.

RESTORATION OF NUMBERS SEVEN AND EIGHT TRAINS BETWEEN NEW GLASGOW AND SYDNEY EFFECTIVE SATURDAY, MARCH 30. Numbers seven and eight trains will be restored between New Glasgow and Sydney, Number seven leaving Halifax seven ten p. m., on March 30, will run through to Sydney, Number eight leaving Sydney ten thirty p. m., March 31, will run through to Halifax. 4-3.

His Master's Voice Records. Includes an image of a dog listening to a gramophone.

'I'll Take You Back to Italy'. This is the song that has made the cabarets of Broadway ring with laughter and applause...

APRIL RECORDS Out To-day. 10-inch double-sided Records, 90 cents. Are You free heaven, Give Me thought to Love You, Just a Baby byer at Twilight, On the Road Home, Sweet Home.

Berliner Gram-o-phone Co. Lenoir Street. 'His Master's Voice' St. John Dealers. C. H. TOWNSEND PIANO CO., 16 King feet. ALLAN'S PHARMACY, King St. West St. John. JOHN FRODSHA, Royal Hotel, King Street. LANDRY & COMPANY, 79 Germain Street. J. KERRIFF, 235 Brussels Street.

ALL VICTROLAS and LATEST VICTOR RECORDS SOLD BY C. H. Townshend Piano Co., 54 King St

Easter Specials. Highest Quality Groceries at Lowest Prices. 1/2 barrel bag Purify Flour, \$6.40. 10 lb. Bags Sugar, \$1.00. 5 lb. Boxes Raisins, \$4.50. 2 pkgs. N.A.-Seed Raisins, \$2.50. 30c. Cans Peaches, \$2.50. 30c. Tin Pine Apple, \$2.50. 45c. Tin Pears, \$2.50. 2 lb. Exp. Pears, \$2.50. 2 lb. New Prunes, \$2.50. 3 Bottles Flavoring, \$2.50. 6 lb. Good Onions, \$2.50. 1 lb. Black's Pure Lard, \$2.50. Domestic Shortening, pkg., \$2.50. 3 lb. Pails, \$1.45. 10 lb. Pails, \$2.90. 20 lb. Pails, \$5.80. Choice Country Butter per lb., \$1.75. Fresh Eggs at lowest Market Prices. Goods delivered all over the city.

BROWN'S GROCERY COMPANY. 86 Brussels St., Phone Main 2666. 134 King St., West. Phone West 146.

Specials at ROBERTSON'S. Purify Flour—Barrels, \$12.50. King's Quality Flour—Barrels, \$12.65. Star Flour—Barrels, \$12.35. 24 lb. bag Star Flour, \$1.45. 10 lb. bags Sugar, \$1.90. 100 lb. bags Sugar, \$9.00. 100 lb. bags Light Brown Sugar, Only \$3.35. Orange Pekoe Tea, 45c. lb. Lipton's Tea, 45c. lb. Salada Tea, 52c. lb. Oolong and Black Tea, 48c. lb. Four-String Broom, 79c. 3 tins Black Knight Polish, 25c. 3 tins 2 in 1 Shoe Polish, 25c. 2 tins Evaporated Milk, 25c. 3 bottles Extracts, 25c. 3 tins Old Dutch, 25c. 1 lb. jar Pure Strawberry Jam, 25c. 5 pkgs. Matches, 25c. 3 rolls Toilet Paper, 25c. 6 lbs. Choice Onions, 25c. 2 lbs. Pulverized Sugar, 25c. 4 cakes Ivory Soap, 25c. 4 cakes Lenox Soap, 25c. 4 cakes Fairy Soap, 25c. 4 cakes Lifebuoy Soap, 25c. 4 cakes White Knight Soap, 25c. 1 tin Fancy Green Gage Plums, 25c. Choice Delaware Potatoes, \$1.45 bushel.

Easter Extras in Meats. Veal Roasts 18c and 20c a Lb. A nice assortment of BEEF, HAM, BACON and PROVISIONS Popular Values LILLEY & COMPANY, 168 Mill Street. Next Hawker's Drug Store. Open Evenings Till 10 o'clock Except Thursdays; Saturdays Till 11.30 p.m. Phone Main 2745.

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RE-FURNISHING TIME. The season is almost here when you'll need new Carpet Squares. We have a beautiful stock of all kinds of Carpet Squares in all sizes and at the old prices. AMLAND BROS., Ltd. 19 Waterloo Street.

MANUFACTURES TURN FARMERS. Windsor, Ont., April 1—As a direct outcome of the government's greatest food production scheme, committees of local manufacturers and others have held sessions, as a result of which a Local Manufacturers' Co-operative Agricultural Association has been formed here.

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Several friends of Israel H. Boyaner assembled at his residence, 88 Elliott Row, last evening and presented to him

Yerxa Grocery Co. 443 MAIN ST. Phone Main 2913. Apples: Choice Nova Scotia Apples, Baldwin's 35c peck, \$3.00 bbl. Golden Russets, 40c peck, \$3.10 bbl. Fallowater, 35c peck, \$2.90 bbl. Royal Household Flour, standard, \$12.25 bbl. Royal Household Flour—8 lb. bag, \$6.25. Five Roses and Purify Flour, \$12.90 bbl. Blue Banner Tea, 50c. lb. Good Black Tea, 45c. lb. Good Coffee, 45c. lb. Happy Home Soap, 5 cakes for 25c. 4 cakes Lenox Soap, 25c. 4 cakes Gold Soap, 25c. Choice Dairy Butter, 44c. lb. Best Delaware Potatoes, 25c. Best Pink Salmon, 20c. can. Mayflower Salmon, 25c. can. Corn, 19c. can. Peas, 15c. can. Pumpkin, 15c. can. White Swan Baking Powder (1 lb.), 25c. can.

MURINE Granulated Eye Lids. Sore Eyes, Eyes Inflamed by Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine. YOUR EYES. Murine Eye Remedy as your Druggist's or by The Globe, is T. H. St. Paul, 120 by St. Paul. Ask Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

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DON'T STRAIN THE EYES. It is the timely advice of an old physician, knowing that eye-strain is not only disastrous to the eyes themselves, but may involve other organs by depriving them of an adequate supply of nerve force for their functions. S GOLDFEATHER. 625 Main St. Open Evenings. Out of the High Rent District.

Good, Sound Onions (with orders), 9 lbs. 25c. Potatoes (with orders), 33c. peck. Apples—Highest-grade Manitoba Flour, \$12.75 bbl. Charlot—8 lb. bag, \$6.35. Dominion—Best Manitoba Blend, \$12.25 bbl. Dominion—8 lb. bag, \$6.10. Strictly Fresh Eggs, 53c. doz. Fine Old Cheese, 20c. lb. Choice Dairy Butter, 45c. lb. Best Creamery Butter, 50c. lb. Swift's Premium Oleomargarine, 35c.

TEA AND COFFEE. Monarch Blend, extra good, 45c. lb. Peerless Blend, none better, 50c. lb. Lipton's Tea, 45c. lb. 10 lb. lots, 43c. lb. Red Rose and King Cole, 52c. lb. Chase & Sanborn's Fresh Ground Coffee, 25c, 30c, 35c and 40c. lb. Lipton's Coffee (1 lb. tins), 35c.



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ST. JOHN, N. B., APRIL 1, 1918.

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MORE CHEERING NEWS.

The war news is more favorable. The British yesterday held their entire line, not only breaking down every German assault but taking the initiative successfully at some points.

It is no concern of the citizens if a group of gentlemen have issued securities and sold them in the United States, assuring the purchasers that the dividends would materialize.

REINFORCEMENTS NEEDED The following message from Premier Lloyd George to the people of Canada justifies the most vigorous efforts to carry out the terms of the Military Service Act.

Over against this let us place a quotation from Ex-Mayor Mitchell of New York, as follows: "The American people are no longer content to suffer imposition at the hands of public service corporations in the theory that these corporations are public benefactors ministering to wants unsatisfied because of public impotence."

IN THE FACE OF THIS APPEAL all petty differences should disappear, and all Canada respond as one man. In the words of Lieut. Col. Birks, just home from the front:

THE QUEBEC RIOTS. The seed sown by Bourassa, Lavergne and their Nationalist friends in Quebec is bearing fruit. The rioting of the last three days in Quebec city is a direct result of the insidious campaign carried on for years under their leadership.

CAMOUFLAGE. The petition of the New Brunswick Power Company to the legislature is an artfully drawn document. It seeks at the very outset to convey the impression that a very large expenditure has been made to acquire valuable water powers to supply electrical energy in the southern part of the province.

THE DRIVE ON SATURDAY for the Soldiers' Comforts Association was successful beyond the wildest hopes of those interested. It furnished still another proof of the generosity of the people, and their ability to give it expression in terms of currency.

It is not at all surprising to learn that the employees of the company are said to have asked for an increase in wages. The petition puts the fact forward as a reason for higher rates, but is careful not to give the slightest assurance that if the company gets the higher rates it will advance the wages.

MONTANA PRO-GERMANS FORCED TO KISS FLAG. Lewiston, Mont., April 1.—A committee of citizens compelled eleven men, suspected of pro-German activities, to kiss the American flag and take an oath of allegiance. Among the number was Edward Foster, real estate dealer and officer in a Montana regiment during the Spanish-American war, who was later arrested on a charge of having uttered scurrilous sentiments. He was released on bonds.

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A CREED. American women have prepared cards on which is printed the creed given below, placing one in the pockets of garments sent to the soldiers. The American government thought so well of it that it has ordered an issue large enough to permit one being sent to every American soldier overseas.

OFFICERS RETURN FROM WAR ZONE. The steamer that arrived yesterday brought only about twenty officers and no men of the ranks at all. Among other officers who returned were Capt. E. T. Barclay, at the moment in command of the Saskaatoon; W. D. Spence, Calgary; E. C. Sales, Calgary; A. E. Hacker, Toronto; A. Healy, Montreal; W. J. O'Reilly, Toronto; W. M. McLennan, Ottawa; H. A. Coates, Toronto; E. R. Owen and F. W. Singer, Montreal; Geo. G. Scott, Brantford; A. Brooks, Montreal; and H. J. Stevenson, M. C. A. overseas.

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Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, sniffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears.

A NEW BRUNSWICKER? St. Catharines, Ont., April 1.—The maximum sentence of seven years in Kingston penitentiary was imposed on Robert Roborough, alias Sergt. Robert Boyd, V. C., by Judge Campbell, on a charge of forgery.

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LOCAL NEWS

The citizens of St. John responded generously to the call for money on Saturday last in aid of Soldiers' Comforts and \$12,000 was subscribed, \$8,500 of which came from the business section.

Murray A. Brewer spoke at the second weekly fireside entertainment for Y. M. C. A. Juniors on Saturday evening.

The schooner Rebecca M. McDonald, built in Meteghan River, is in port. She was launched a fortnight ago and has a tonnage of 762 net. It is said she is to be sold here.

In the Ludlow street Baptist church yesterday the offering in aid of Baptist churches in Halifax was \$65 and the Sunday School Easter offering, \$80. At St. Luke's church the offerings were more than \$646. In St. Luke's they amounted to \$3,180.

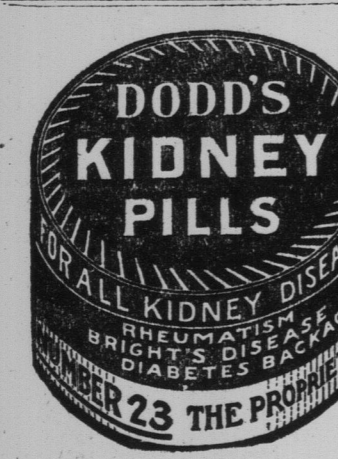
It is reported that Bert Williams, a former Fredericton boy, lost his life when the United States transport Tuscania was lost off Ireland.

Lieut. Thoms Gassé. Lieut. A. W. Thome in a letter to his wife tells of being gassed, although prompt relief measures, he believed, had prevented serious results. He says that the gas mask is a great thing and saves many from serious injury.

ANOTHER BERLIN SEEKS TO CHANGE ITS NAME

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 1—A movement was begun today at Berlin, Ottawa county, to have the name of the town changed to Fershing. Petitions are to be prepared next week, it was announced. Berlin has about 450 residents, most of them being of Scotch or Irish descent.

Bombardment of Paris. Paris, March 31—An official note issued tonight says: "The German long range cannon continued during the day to bombard the Paris district. One person was killed and one injured."



EVEN CEMETERY FEELS STRAIN OF WAR CONDITIONS

Expenditures Greater Than The Income

ANNUAL MEETING TODAY

Report Indicates Possibility of Further Increases in Rates to Meet Heavier Expenses—Other Features Satisfactory

The annual meeting of the lot-holders of Fernhill cemetery was held at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the board of trade rooms, the vice-president, E. T. Sturdee, presiding. Business transacted included the consideration of reports and the election of directors for the coming year.

The annual report of the directors was as follows: "Your directors submit their seventeenth annual report, being for the year ending Feb. 28 last, in which is included the twenty-fourth annual report of the superintendent, J. P. Clayton. The financial statement and balance sheet of our secretary-treasurer has been submitted duly audited.

Financial. As anticipated in our last year's report our expenditures have again advanced considerably on account of high cost of labor and materials, and our income only slightly increased. Our principal expenditures were for: Labor \$8,861.56 Salaries 1,942.98 General expenses for supplies, feed, tools, repairs and upkeep 8,867.45 \$14,672.02

Income received was from—Annual care of lots \$3,259.10 Burial fees 3,797.75 Perpetual care fund (interest) 5,660.43 Receiving tomb 472.00 General receipts 108.00 Foundations 496.96 \$10,794.24

A difference of \$3,890.78. This difference had to be met from sale of lots. Labor cost us \$1,816 more than previous year, and general expenses \$945 additional, while annual care receipts show a decrease of \$286, caused partly by some lots placed under perpetual care, and partly by lot-holders unable to continue their payments.

It is pleasure to report that there are now 1,070 lots under perpetual care, and our perpetual care fund amounts to \$108,236, invested in government and municipal securities, an increase of over \$7,000 for the year, while there is now only \$500 of our own bonds outstanding which we hope will be retired during the coming year.

New Lots. The superintendent reports that again last season it was necessary to obtain necessary labor, while very much higher wages were demanded; as a consequence it was found almost impossible at times to keep the work up as desired, and time was lost and mistakes made by continual change of men unfamiliar with the routine or of those lots under care. It is hoped that this year conditions may improve.

Perpetual Care. The number of lots placed under perpetual care last year is very gratifying, but your directors again urge on all lot-holders the benefit of this system, both to the lot-holders and the cemetery. The owner of the lot is relieved from all responsibility of the care of his ground (and monument also if desired), while

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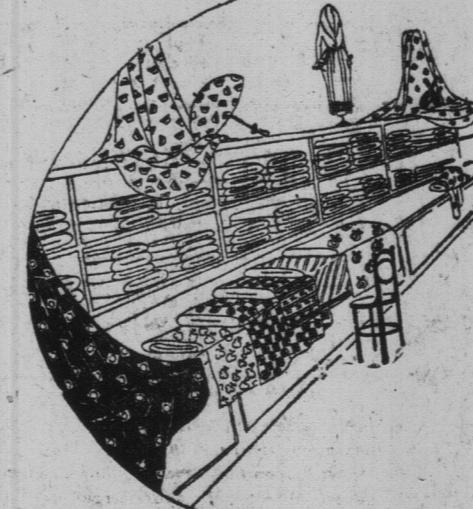
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both are cared for ever, as a mark of respect to those interested therein, and each lot under care adds much to the beauty of our grounds.

Your directors were compelled during the past year, on account of the great advance in wages and materials to slightly raise the price for annual care and buryal fees, but this has not brought up our income sufficiently, and it may therefore be necessary to advance the price of lots and perpetual care this season, much as the directors will regret to have to do so.

The receiving tomb now contains about ninety bodies, and is continually used during the winter, not only by our own lot owners, but by those of other St. John cemeteries. The naval and military plot has fourteen bodies interred and has been well attended to during the year; and kept open for the usual amount of work has been carried out throughout the cemetery, although under much difficulty, but no preparation of lots; the grounds were well kept by our workmen, and in July members of the Boy Scouts did some voluntary work for us in weeding and improving paths which your directors much appreciate; there were 298 interments during the year. Our lot committee visited the cemetery at regular intervals during the summer and the usual directors' inspection was made. A new booklet with a history of the cemetery, by-laws, map and list of lot-holders was issued last October and a copy may be obtained by a lot-holder on application.

Your directors appreciate the manner in which the superintendent and staff have carried on their work under many difficulties; the duties of our secretary-treasurer continue to be faithfully and carefully performed to our satisfaction. Respectfully submitted, (Sgd.) E. T. STURDEE, Vice-President.

published yesterday. The accounts follow: "The first American destroyer sighted the enemy submarine on the port bow and proceeded at full speed in the direction of the enemy, who submerged. The American officers could see the enemy's wake, which showed he was running underneath the surface from starboard to port. As the German passed under the stern of the American boat the latter dropped a depth charge. The wake which had been plainly visible on the starboard never appeared on the port side of the destroyer. Instead large quantities of oil came to the surface. The second American destroyer, engaged in night convoy duty, sighted an object

a mile away by the light of the moon. Full speed was ordered, but the submarine dived, while the American was still a few hundred yards distant. Two depth charges were dropped and oil came to the surface. This submarine was apparently lying in wait for another convoy which was approaching from an opposite direction.

Eighty-three enemy AIRPLANES DESTROYED London, April 1—Eighty-three enemy airplanes have been destroyed by British aviators since they have been operating on the Italian front, says a British official communication issued last night.

The British have lost ten machines in aerial fighting. The text of the communication, which tells of the operations of the British on the Italian theatre, follows: "On the Italian front the British troops holding the Montello section were relieved in the middle of March and since have taken a new sector on the Asiago plateau.

"Our flying corps since its arrival in Italy have destroyed eighty-three enemy machines and lost ten."

In addition to refusing to answer his draft questionnaire, Carl Bedmar, of Jersey City, said he'd rather fight for Austria. He went to jail.

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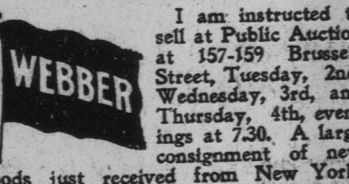
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Pennsylvania 44%, Reading 81%, Republic I & S. 78%, St. Paul 40%, Southern Pacific 89%, Studobaker 41%, Union Pacific 120%, U S Steel Pfd. 106%, United Fruit 123%, Utah Copper 78%, Western Union 92, West Electric 40%, Willys Overland 17%, Sales—11 o'clock, 75,800; 12 o'clock, 105,000.

Montreal closed today.

And Teacher Fainted.

"Good-morning, children," said the arithmetic teacher. "How many of you have prepared an original problem in multiplication, as I requested?" Only one hand went up. "Well, William, may you give your problem, and the rest of the class may solve it." "If my baby sister is a year old now and weighs twenty pounds, and keeps on gaining two ounces a day until she is sixteen years old, and if the price of living doubles again in the next ten years, how much will my sister's graduation outfit cost? Mother says she would like to know."—People's Home Journal.

KING THRILLED BY HIS VISIT TO FRONT

Speaks in Glowing Terms of Army and Pride in Unconquerable Spirit—The Duty of These at Home

London, Mar. 31.—King George, on returning to London from the battlefield, sent a message to Field Marshal Haig in which he said: "Though for the moment our troops have been obliged by sheer weight of numbers to give some ground, the impression left on my mind is that no army could be in better heart, braver and more confident than that which you have the honor to command." The king recalled how he had seen the units recently withdrawn from the front and the entraining of fresh troops "eager to reinforce their comrades." He said he had listened with wonder as officers and men had narrated thrilling incidents of the stubborn fighting. The king also told of a visit to a casualty clearing station where "the patient cheerfulness of the wounded was equalled only by the care and gentleness of those administering to their wants." He added: "With these experiences, short but vivid, I feel that the whole empire will join with me in expressing gratitude to your army for the very unsweating manner in which this formidable attack has been and continues to be dealt with." "Anyone," King George concludes, "privileged to share these experiences would feel with me pride in the British

race and in that unconquerable spirit which will, please God, bring us through our present trials. We at home must ensure that the man power is maintained adequately and that our workers, men and women, will continue nobly to meet the demands for all necessities of war. "Thus, may you be relieved from any anxiety by which the support of our faithful and brave allies and your heroic army shall justify that inspiring determination which I found permeated all ranks."

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German General Killed.

Amsterdam, April 1.—German newspapers announce that General Paul Bloch von Blotzheim, an infantry division commander in the German Army, was killed at the front on March 28.

Two enemy aliens and a hyphenated American have been arrested in Philadelphia charged with an attempt to spoil U. S. torpedoes.



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Plans, specifications and blank form of contract may be seen at the following offices: Chief Engineer, Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, Ont., Chief Engineer Canadian Government Railways, Moncton, N. B., Halifax Ocean Terminals Office, Halifax, N. S., and Messrs. Ross and MacDonald's Office, Montreal, Que.

Tenders may be put in for each work, or one tender may be put in for all the works. Tenders must be put in on the blank form of tender, which may be obtained from any of the offices at which plans are on exhibition. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque payable to the Honorable the Minister of Railways and Canals for an amount equal to ten per cent (10 p. c.) of the tender. By order, J. W. PUGSLEY, Secretary, Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, March 21, 1918.



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Military Service Act Important Announcement to All EXEMPTED MEN and to the Public Generally

IN dealing with the very large number of claims for exemption brought forward for consideration in connection with Class 1 under the Military Service Act, it has occurred, as was inevitable, that as a result of false statements and difficulties put in the way of investigation, some individuals have secured exemption whose proper place is in the Army.

It is not the intention of the Government to allow these men to evade permanently their obligation to bear their part in the military defence of the Country and of the ideals for which we are fighting. To do so would defeat the purpose of the Act, and cause grave injustice to men in the second class necessarily called out to fill their places.

Exemptions Granted on False Grounds

It is, therefore, proposed to scrutinize carefully all exemptions granted to date in order to separate those which have been granted on false or insufficient grounds from those that are well founded.

With this object in view the various Registrars under the Military Service Act have been instructed to issue a series of questionnaires to exempted men. These questionnaires must be filled up correctly and returned promptly under penalty of forfeiture of exemption for failure to do so.

Exempted Men Who Have Changed Address

It is therefore important in their own interest that all exempted men who have changed their address since their exemption was granted and who have not already notified the Registrar of such change should notify him at once. Under the Regulations it is the duty of exempted men to keep the Registrar advised of any change of address, and failure to receive the questionnaire by reason of neglect of this duty must be treated as equivalent to failure to return the questionnaire after receipt.

Citizens Urged to Assist

In many instances information has been furnished by members of the public which has led to the cancellation of exemptions obtained by false or misleading statements. Further co-operation of this character is invited. The Government regard it as the Duty of all loyal citizens, not only to the Country, but to the men at the front, to assist in this way in securing reinforcements on a just and legal basis. Correspondence of this character will be treated as strictly confidential and will receive the fullest investigation.

CHARLES J. DOHERTY, Minister of Justice.

Correspondence should be directed to W. A. Ewing, K.C., Registrar under the Military Service Act, St. John, N.B. 401F

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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, APRIL 1, 1918

WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

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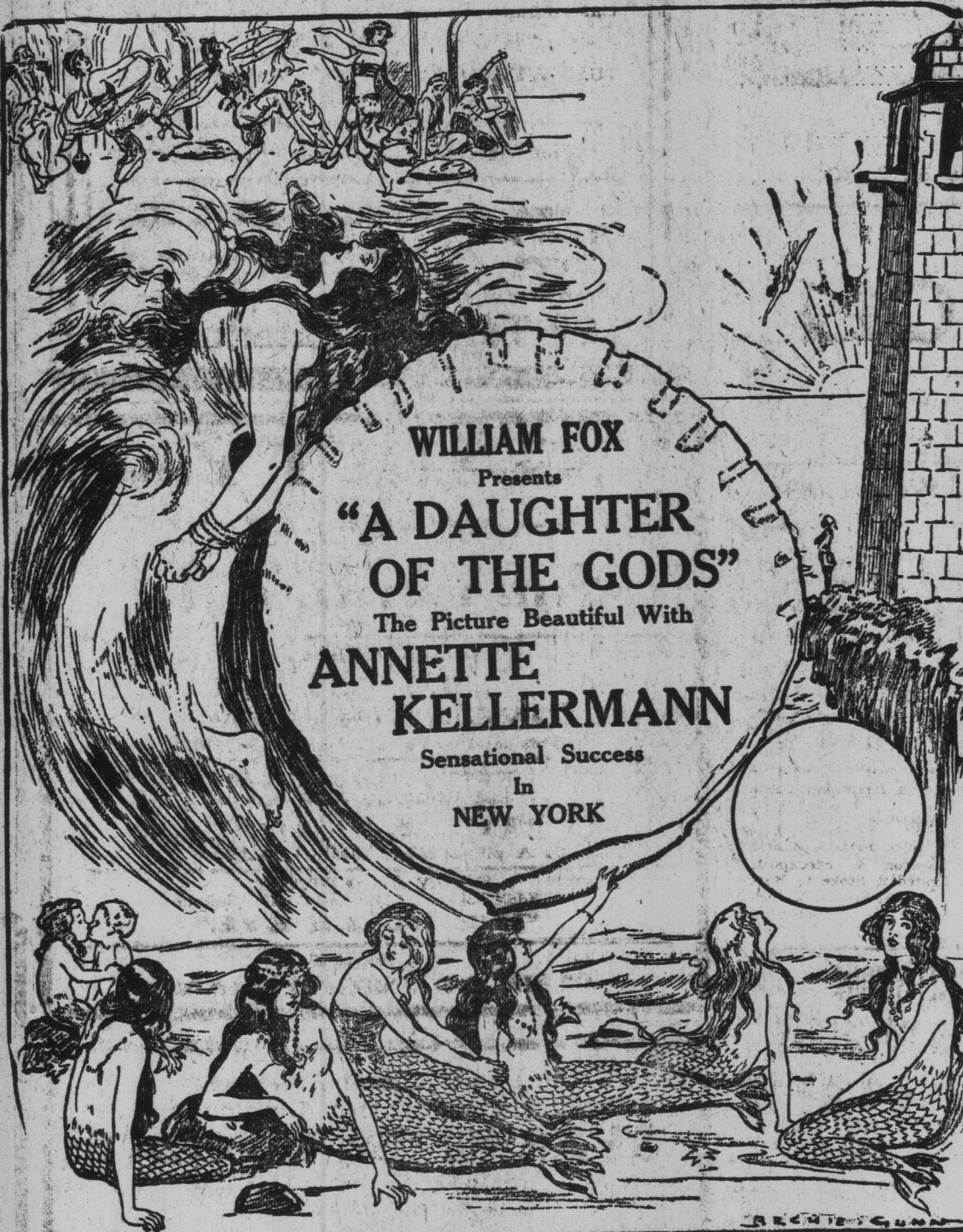
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- The battle with the treacherous surf and the jagged rocks.
- The dance of the mermaids on the shore.
- The sweet sleep in the water.
- The marvelous performance of Miss Kellerman in the rapids and in the falls of unexcelled beauty.
- The crystal charm of the ocean.
- The splendors of an oriental city.
- The glories of the Sultan's palace.
- The great and agitated masses.
- The miracles of sunrise and sunset on the waters.
- The dashing movement of mounted troops in full gallop.
- The burning of a city.
- The tragedy of the slave market.
- The clash of arms.
- The hosts of gnomes and elves.

W. STEPHEN BUSH, Noted Film Critic, Refers to "A Daughter of the Gods" as "An Album of Animated Beauty" A Spectacle Which Exalts the Eternal Feminine Framed by the Glories of the Tropic Sea.



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Startling Facts About

"A Daughter of the Gods"

The actual cost of the picture—\$1,000,000.  
 Total number of persons appearing in the picture—21,218.  
 Largest number used in a single scene—19,744.  
 Number of children in the gnome city scenes—1,200.  
 More than two hundred mermaids.  
 Three hundred dancing girls and women of the Sultan's harem.  
 Seven camera men photographed the picture, as many as four photographing the same scene simultaneously from different angles.  
 A Moorish city built at a cost of \$350,000 and destroyed to make one of the "big scenes" of the picture.  
 An entire Caribbean island and all of its population utilized by William Fox to assist his actor principals in the making of the picture.  
 Time required to build the tropical city and equip it, three months; then eight months more of work in making the picture.  
 A special municipality created and governed by William Fox for his thousands of employees. Special refrigerating and laboratory plants built and maintained for the development of the film.  
 Twelve hundred women were employed in Jamaica to make the magnificent costumes in "A Daughter of the Gods."  
 Twenty thousand persons appear in many of the stupendous scenes of William Fox's million dollar picture.  
 A hundred photographers and a large staff of technical experts spent eleven months in Jamaica making "A Daughter of the Gods." The weekly payroll was \$22,000.  
 Shipbuilders were brought from Egypt to construct the curiously fantastic Byzantine vessels, which are in "A Daughter of the Gods."  
 Annette Kellerman's dive from the tower in "A Daughter of the Gods" means a drop of 103 feet.  
 Most of the terribly busy gnomes in "A Daughter of the Gods" are, in reality, little "black boys" from the West Indies.  
 More than a thousand tons of properties and costumes were sent from the United States to Fort Augusta, where William Fox's million dollar Kellerman spectacle was created.

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Programme of Unusual Merit Delights Large Audiences — All Acts Bright and Clever

Owing to missing train connections one of the acts on this week's vaudeville programme was delayed and could not reach the Opera House in time for Friday night's performance, but it was there for the performances on Saturday and rounded out a well balanced and assorted entertainment.

Opera House stage this season. Weston and Young sang, danced and joked with one another and were very pleasing.  
 Rivoli, a quick change artist, played a number of characters in a comedy sketch, making his change of costumes of characters quicker than one can tell about it. Impersonations of great composers were exceedingly well done.  
 Charles R. Sweet, a comedian, singer, and general all round funny man, had the audiences in roars of laughter, and it seemed as though they could not get enough of him. In addition to his other accomplishments, he is a good pianist and imitator.  
 One of the most novel and sensational features ever seen here was that offered by Paul La Varre and Brother, in feats of hand balancing. It should be seen to be appreciated—a man of marvellous strength is the big man of the two and it is safe to say that this act will be the talk of the town.  
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WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

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SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY; HOME AND ABROAD BASKETBALL: Loyalists Win At Hampton. In an exciting game of basketball the Loyalist team of the Y. M. C. A. won from the Hampton Y. M. C. A. team at Hampton on Saturday afternoon by the score of 19 to 17.

OPERA HOUSE VAUDEVILLE TONIGHT 7.30 and 9 Afternoons at 2.30 CAESAR RIVOLI The Man of 100 Roles, Who, Changes His Clothes Quicker Than a Lady Can Change Her Mind

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street and Shakespeare avenue, where solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by the Rev. J. J. Lennon, pastor of the church. The Rev. Thomas B. Farrelly acted as deacon and the Rev. James Kane assisted as sub-deacon.

was a frequent visitor at the club during his long stays in New York. So was Count von Bernstorff, German ambassador, who, though he lived at the Ritz-Carlton while in this city, was often about the club conferring with his friends.

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Another German official who lived there was Dr. Heinrich Albert, the financial agent of the German propaganda in this country, and it was while Dr. Albert was going home via the Sixth Avenue elevated between Fifth and Fifty-eighth streets that he lost or had stolen from him the famous portfolio of papers, whose publication led to the first detailed exposure of Germany's financing of all sorts of discreditable activities in the United States.

HEART WAS BAD NERVES ALL GONE Very Important It is in this age to have a clear cool head, a strong heart and steady nerves. Too much rush and bustle, work and worry, fall to the lot of women attending to their household duties and social obligations.

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**LOCAL NEWS**  
**SIGNS OF SPRING.**  
A bunch of catkins, wintergreens and other early specimens of plants from the woods of Rockwood Park were brought to the Times desk this morning by Thomas E. Dyer, who knows where to find the earliest evidences of spring growth. There is still, however, plenty of snow in the woods.  
**MRS. LEBARON FLEWELLING.**  
Many will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. LeBaron Flewelling which occurred at noon today at her residence in Manowagonish road. She was sixty-four years old. Besides her husband she leaves three sons, Frank E. at home and George W. and Percy W. West St. John, and one daughter, Mrs. H. Franklin Barlow, of West St. John.

**UNITED MISSIONARY MEETING.**  
The Easter meeting of the United Women's Missionary Societies of the city was opened at 8 o'clock this afternoon in Centenary church, Mrs. J. S. Flagler presiding. Addresses were given by Rev. I. W. Williamson and Mrs. H. A. Goodwin on missionary subjects and by Mrs. Burlington Hamm on the national work of the Y. W. C. A. and the Travelers' Aid. The musical programme included solos by Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Ferris.

**GOING TO MONTREAL.**  
Members of St. Vincent de Paul Society met in their regular meeting at noon for the purpose of bidding farewell to their president, James Slattery, who is to leave in the near future for Montreal, and incidentally to present to him a token of remembrance. The presentation was made by John Gallagher, who is to succeed Mr. Slattery as president of the society. Mr. Dele also gave a brief address in which he paid a glowing tribute to the work done by Mr. Slattery and spoke of the regret at his departure.

**THE POWER FIGHT.**  
A meeting of the executive of the Committee One Hundred was held in the board of trade rooms this morning, with M. R. Agar in the chair. Matters relating to the fight against the New Brunswick Power Company's bill, and in support of the city's bill providing for a full enquiry were discussed. A meeting of the legislative committee and the executive with the city council and Mr. Wallace will probably be held tomorrow or Wednesday for further conference. P. B. Ellis and W. F. Burditt were added to the executive.

**MRS. MARY S. DUFFY.**  
Mrs. Mary S. Duffy, widow of Francis Duffy and daughter of the late Thomas McCuey, died this morning at the residence of her sister, 184 Bridge street. She is survived by one son, Francis, of Dartmouth, N. S., four sisters, Mrs. Mathew Geary, Mrs. M. Olive, Mrs. Jeremiah McCarthy, Mrs. Thomas Morris, all of this city, and three brothers, Patrick and James of St. John and John of Boston. The funeral will take place on Wednesday morning from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Morris, 184 Bridge street.

**EASTER SERVICES IN ST. PAUL'S**  
Large congregations were present at all the services in this church yesterday. The service of the Holy Communion at eleven o'clock was to the setting. The choir, under the skillful tuition of the choir-master, A. Chip Ritchie, rendered beautiful music very feelingly. The Te Deum was sung to Woodard's setting. The anthem at Evensong was by Harris, the solo part being taken by Chester Bourn. An interesting feature of a children's service in the afternoon was the presentation of a handsome silver mounted umbrella to Walter Peters, as a mark of appreciation from the teachers. Mr. Peters has recently retired from the position of Sunday school superintendent, which he has discharged most efficiently for some years.

**ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH.**  
The Easter services in St. Matthew's yesterday were the best attended for years. Appropriate anthems were sung by the choir. The morning service was based on I. Cor. 15-14: "If Christ be not risen." The chancel was nicely decorated with Easter lilies and hyacinths and potted plants. The singing congregation was the largest present under the pastorate of Mr. Eisenor. "The sermon was based on the sentence "He is risen." The speaker-offering amounted to \$100, the sum set as a goal by the pastor. The Doxology was sung heartily by all present after the amount was announced from the pulpit. The service closed with the national anthem and benediction, being pronounced by the oldest members of St. Matthew. The collection, apart from the weekly envelopes, was the largest amount yet taken as a thank-offering in the church in several years.

**BUILDING PERMITS FOR MARCH \$44,100**  
None in January or February—Government Work Made Figures for Same Period Last Year Much Higher  
After two months of the year have passed without a permit being issued for new building operations the building inspector is able to report for March that four permits were issued, with a total value of \$44,100. This does not compare favorably with the corresponding period in 1917 for the permits issued for the first three months of last year totalled \$863,000. Of this however, the greater part was accounted for by the government construction of a new warehouse at West St. John and the new grain elevator at Reed's Point.  
The permits issued during March were as follows:  
H. L. & J. T. McGowan, wooden shop, Brass street, \$1,800  
St. John Iron Workers, Ltd., wooden shop, Vulcan shops, \$2,000  
St. John Deal Company, wooden dwelling, 276 Pitt street, \$800  
Imperial Oil Co., Ltd., concrete and steel building, \$40,000.

**LARGE QUANTITIES OF LIQUOR REACH CITY**  
In order to come within the time limit for importation of liquor into the province an exceptionally large quantity has been arriving lately in the city express offices. In practically every case the shipments are properly addressed to homes in the city and, being within the law, are not interfered with in any way.

**NEW ASSESSMENT ACT IS APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL**

Bill Discussed in Committee This Morning

SOME CHANGES SUGGESTED

No Action is Taken and Measure Goes to Legislature Without Alteration—West Side Industry Wants More Favorable Lease

Approval was given to the new assessment act by the common council in committee this morning. Printed copies of the bill were laid before the members, and Dr. W. C. Kierstead of the assessment commission was present to answer questions. Several points were discussed, but it was decided to recommend the bill to council and let it go to the legislature as it stands. Mayor Hayes presided, with Commissioners Fisher, McLellan, Russell and Wigmore present.  
J. D. P. Lewis was heard on behalf of the Canada, Newfoundland and West St. John, who ask for a modification of the city's lease of lots occupied by them in West St. John. He said that the company wished to issue more bonds to provide for expansion, and that it would be difficult to do so under the present lease. He asked that the limit of \$80,000 to be paid by the city in case of taking over the lots should be removed and that in such an event the verdict of arbitrators should be accepted. He asked that an ordinary lease should be issued instead of the present restricted one.  
The matter was allowed to stand over until Tuesday, pending receipt of advice from the city solicitor.  
Commissioner Wigmore submitted an offer from Mrs. Sidie E. McLeod to sell the lot with frontage of 140 feet on Spruce Lake, with a house on the lot, for \$1,500. He said the price seemed rather high, but the house had represented a considerable investment. Apart from this and the ice-house property, there were only two lots on the lake owned by the city. His recommendation that the lot be purchased was approved.

**Assessment Act**  
Dr. W. C. Kierstead then arrived and entered into conference with the committee regarding the new assessment act. A communication from F. T. Lewis on behalf of a meeting of manufacturers was presented by Mayor Hayes. Mr. Lewis forwarded a recommendation that the proposed assessment act should be amended to provide that a signed statement of income should be accepted in place of the sworn statement now required.  
Dr. Kierstead said that if they merely wished to substitute a solemn declaration in place of an oath, he did not see that there would be much objection. He wondered whether the manufacturers had any objections to the provisions in Section 31 for the verification of the returns by a chartered accountant.  
Commissioner Fisher suggested that a clause be added to permit the council to allow the discount on partial payments of taxes, but it was voted that the council has this power under the act.  
Commissioner McLellan asked about exemption of property owned by benevolent institutions and organizations such as the Masonic fraternity. Dr. Kierstead said that only church property was exempt and some members of the commission did not favor even the exemption of church property.  
The bill was approved in its present form and was recommended to the council.

The mayor submitted a letter asking for information regarding the development of the communities on either side of the river as a result of the construction of the suspension and new highway bridges.  
The committee will report to the council this afternoon and will continue at 11.30 on Tuesday morning.

**ONE ST. JOHN MAN IN LIST**  
Ottawa, Mar. 31—Casualties:  
**INFANTRY.**  
Presumed to Have Died.  
J. Johnston and H. G. Carleton, addressed not stated.  
Killed in Action.  
E. Young, Sydney Mines, N. S.; M. McLeod, New Waterford, N. S.; R. B. MacDonald, Spryngill, N. S.  
Repatriated.  
W. P. Sanford, Walton, N. S.  
Gassed.  
W. T. Shannon, Lower Derby, N. S.  
Ill.  
G. E. Dunning, Svanbærside, P. E. I.; L. L. Rhodenizer, Parkdale, N. S.  
Wounded.  
G. Duguid, Sydney, N. S.; Miller McDonald, Brookfield, P. E. I.; R. E. Nickerson, Clark's Harbor, N. S.; T. A. McLean, Pictou, N. S.; A. R. McKinnon, North Sydney, N. S.

**FORESTRY CORPS.**  
Died.  
F. Roy, Moncton, N. B.  
**MOUNTED RIFLES.**  
Prisoner Repatriated.  
R. T. Armstrong, St. John.  
Died of Wounds.  
W. C. Bowser, Dorchester, N. B.  
Gassed.  
J. A. Goodwin, Baie Verte, N. B.

**ENGINEERS.**  
Ill.  
H. J. Brazier, Halifax.  
**MOUNTED RIFLES.**  
Gassed.  
J. A. Goodwin, Baie Verte, N. B.

**ARMY SERVICE CORPS.**  
Wounded.  
S. Clark, Annapolis, N. S.  
Prisoner of War.  
C. Wells, Tarouche, Que.  
London, Mar. 31—Among the casualties in the imperial forces is N. A. Hutchings of Cape Breton, who has been with a Welsh regiment.  
**FREIGHT MOVES FASTER.**  
The fine weather during the last week has greatly facilitated the transportation of freight and as a result large numbers of cars are arriving here daily.

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