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BRITISH REGAIN CRATER AT ST. ELOI ADVANCE LINE INTO ENEMY TERRITORY

FRENCH REOCCUPY PART OF VAUX; DRIVE HUNS TO NORTHERN EDGE OF CAILLETTE WOOD

Germans by Vigorous Attack Occupy French Positions Between Haucourt and Bethincourt and Straighten Out Line.

BOYS AGAIN WITH FRENCH IN AERIAL COMBATS, FOUR MORE GERMAN MACHINES BEING BROUGHT DOWN ON VERDUN FRONT—RUSSIAN TRANSPORT WITH TROOPS REPORTED TORPEDOED IN BLACK SEA.

Having straightened out their line by occupying all French positions north of the Forges brook between Haucourt and Bethincourt, northwest of Verdun, the Germans are now engaged in shelling the region of the Bourrus wood, some five miles north-west of the fortress.

East of the Meuse, around Vaux, there has been considerable fighting between the French and the Germans, in which the French were victorious in driving back the Germans to the northern outskirts of the Caillette wood and in re-occupying the western part of the village of Vaux, which they had previously evacuated.

The occupation by the Germans of the Haucourt-Bethincourt front followed a vigorous attack, in which, however, the Germans met no foe, the French having evacuated their positions at night without the Germans observing the movement. From their new positions south of the Forges brook and at Bethincourt, the French opened a direct and snaking fire into the attacking Germans, who suffered heavy casualties.

Along the remainder of the front, artillery bombardments have predominated, although there have been several combats near Verdun in which the Germans lost four aeroplanes, and aerial raids by the French on various German cantonments in Belgium.

Artillery duels between the Russians and Germans continue on the eastern front. An attack by the Germans against the bridgehead at Ikskull was repulsed by the Russians. The usual bombardments are in progress on the Austro-Italian line.

Constantinople reports that the Turks, strongly reinforced, have checked the Russian offensive in the Caucasus region, and that the Ottoman forces have made advances in the Tchoruk valley. Petrograd, however, asserts that the Russians have seized heavily fortified Turkish positions at an altitude of 10,000 feet on the Upper Tchoruk, and further south have captured a Turkish position and dispersed Turkish cavalry detachments.

In Arabia, according to Constantinople, the British near Sheikh Osman have been driven from fortified positions with heavy casualties, and forced to retreat.

The sinking by a Turkish submarine in the Black Sea on March 30 of a 15,000 ton Russian transport, with troops aboard, and of two other vessels on March 31, are reported by the Turkish war office. It was on March 30 that the Russian hospital ship

Portugal was torpedoed and sunk in the Black Sea. A British official statement says that in the German air raid over Scotland Sunday night ten persons were killed and eleven injured. There were no casualties in the sections of England attacked by the raiders.

Berlin asserts that Edinburgh and Leth and points on the Firth of Forth and the Tyne were visited by the Zeppelins, and that violent explosions and numerous fires occurred both in Scotland and England. All the airships returned to their base.

London, April 3.—The British official communication issued today says: "Yesterday one of our aviators shot down a German machine in the neighborhood of Lens. Another aviator attacked and drove off five hostile machines after a close combat, with two of them."

"This morning early at St. Eloi we attacked a Zeppelin which had been held by the Germans since March 20. The crater was captured and our line established beyond it. We took eighty-four prisoners, including four officers."

"The artillery on both sides has been active in this neighborhood today."

Russians Win Positions 10,000 Feet Above Sea. Petrograd, via London, April 3.—The Russian war office communication issued today says: "After ninety minutes preparation by guns of heavy and light artillery the Germans attacked the bridgehead at Ikskull, but were repulsed. In the region of Drinsk and south of it there have been artillery duels. There has been great activity by the enemy artillery on many sectors."

"During the German offensive described yesterday in the region north of Baranovitch station the enemy fired explosive bullets. In the region of Liakovitchi on Sunday morning a considerable body of Germans, having crossed the Shara river, launched an attack on our posts, but were repulsed."

"There has been great activity by the enemy aviators in the Pellesia region. The floods continue. "Caucasus front: In the course of our offensive we passed the watershed of the Upper Tchoruk river, and seized strongly fortified mountain positions 10,000 feet above sea level, taking a company of Turks prisoner. In the course of the pursuit of the enemy in the region of the Sourkhar camp convent, we captured a Turkish camp with tents and shelters, and a store of arms."

READY TO BEAR BURDEN THE WAR IMPOSES

Although Heavy and Varied Taxation is Expected British People Prepared to Accept it Cheerfully.

London, April 4, 2.05 a. m.—The cabinet yesterday considered the budget proposals which Reginald McKenna, chancellor of the exchequer, will introduce today in the House of Commons. Despite the fact that the next taxation will be heavy and varied, never before has a budget excited so little interest.

G.N.R. MAKES PROPOSAL TO GOVERNMENT?

Understood Company Asking to Have Interest on Old Bonds Guaranteed Increased from 4 to 5 Per Cent.

Ottawa, April 3.—The report that the Canadian Northern Railway will apply this session for a further bond guarantee cannot be confirmed, although it is admitted that if that company does not come to parliament this session it will be compelled to do so next session.

IS FATALLY SHOT WHILE DUCK HUNTING

Halifax, April 3.—William Dugan, aged 30 years, of Prospect, N. S., was accidentally shot while duck hunting, and died of his injuries. The loaded gun was discharged as he stepped from a boat in one of the lakes near the village. Prospect is 21 miles from Halifax, and Dugan died while being brought to the city for medical treatment.

BULGARIA TROOPS TO QUIT GREEK TERRITORY

Government Assures Athens of Desire to Maintain Friendly Relations—Constantine Turns Deaf Ear to Venizelos and Refuses to be Drawn Into War.

Paris, April 3.—A Havas despatch from Athens says the Bulgarian government has notified Greece that it has given orders for evacuation of points on Greek territory occupied by Bulgarian troops. Bulgaria assured Greece of the intention to do everything possible to maintain friendly relations between the two nations.

COMMISSION TO PROBE SHELL CHARGES HAS WIDE SCOPE

According to Order-in-Council as Announced by Premier, Yesterday, Not Only Kytte Charges Will Come Within Its Powers but Any Others that May be Made.

Ottawa, April 3.—The opposition were further disconcerted today when Sir Robert Borden announced that by the order-in-council appointing Sir William Meredith and Mr. Justice Duff, Royal Commissioners to conduct the investigation into the Kytte charges the scope of the investigation had been widened to include any further charges that may be made.

CROWDS IN STREETS WATCH ZEPPELINS

Although Sunday Night's Raid Was Scotland's First, People Calm in Face of Danger.

London, April 3, 7.12 p. m.—A Scottish correspondent in a despatch concerning Sunday night's air raid says: "Scotland had its first experience with a Zeppelin raid last night. A Zeppelin appeared ten minutes before midnight and circled over the town for forty minutes, dropping many bombs."

MAJOR MARTIN RE-ELECTED BY BIG MAJORITY

Montreal, April 3.—Mayor Martin, M. P., was re-elected to the chief magistracy of Montreal at the biennial municipal elections today by almost ten thousand votes more than his nearest opponent, Controller Duncan McDonald, and by more than sixteen thousand in excess of his second opponent, Ald. L. A. Lapointe, M. P.

GERMANS STRAIGHTEN LINE

Berlin, April 3, via London.—All the French positions north of Forges brook, between Haucourt and Bethincourt, west of the Meuse, in the region northwest of Verdun, are in German hands, the war office announced today.

CANADIANS DRAW ENEMY FIRE WHILE BRITISH ATTACK

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Ottawa, (Canadian Headquarters in France, via London) April 3.—In the early morning of March 27 an assault was made on a section of the German defenses by a British division immediately on the left of the Canadian corps. As a preliminary to the attack several large mines were successfully fired under a salient in the German lines, severely damaging the enemy's trenches and causing him numerous casualties.

BERLIN SENDS APOLOGY TO SWITZERLAND

For Bombing Swiss Village and Promises that Aviators Who Broke Neutrality will be Punished.

London, April 3.—Germany has apologized to Switzerland for the bombing of the Swiss village of Portenruth by German aviators last week, says a Reuters despatch from Bern. A promise to punish the aviators, who supposed they were over Belfort, has been made.

SCOUTS AND SNIPERS DO GOOD WORK

The activity of our scouts, snipers and patrols was well maintained. On the night of March 25, Lieut. Crossman, of our First Battalion, Canadian Mounted Rifles, succeeded in bringing in a tunic and papers from the body of a German scout who had been killed by our snipers on the previous night.

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On the night of March 24 Captain Tupper and four scouts of our Twenty-second French Canadian Battalion received the thanks of the British commander for their valuable assistance in the capture of a German trench.

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36 ZEPPELINS IN SUNDAY'S RAID

THE AURORA FOR 10 MONTHS PLAY-THING OF CURRENTS

Drifted More Than 1,200 Miles—Query About the War First Message from Ship When She Came Within Wireless Radius.

New York, April 3.—A news agency despatch from Port Chalmers, N. Z., today says:

Back from the Antarctic seas came the auxiliary ship Aurora of the Shackleton expedition today with a terrible story of perils from great masses of drifting ice and of terrible hardships in the Ross Sea.

The Aurora arrived off the coast in command of Chief Officer J. R. Stenhouse of the Royal Naval Reserve. Mr. Stenhouse became commander when the Aurora broke loose from her moorings and went adrift last May, leaving Captain Mackintosh and several other members of the party ashore on Cape Crozier.

A tug, sent to the relief of the Aurora yesterday sent a wireless report of her arrival off the New Zealand coast, but said she would be able to proceed into port without assistance. The Aurora's rudder was snapped off when she was caught in the ice pack last May. She drifted more than 1,200 miles in the ten months she has held in the ice grip, but her crew fit out a jury rudder, when she was freed three weeks ago and made slow progress toward the New Zealand coast.

The Aurora left for the South Pole shortly after the outbreak of the war. The intention was to meet Lieut. Shackleton when he emerged in Ross Sea after crossing the Pole from the South American side. For seventeen months she had heard no news from the outside world.

"Is all well in the old country? We have had no war news for seventeen months," flashed the Aurora's wireless operator a few hours before the tug reached here.

From a New Zealand station the latest war news went crackling back to the relief ship. One of the messages informed the Aurora's wireless operator that his brother had been killed in action at the British front.

The explorers leaped over the Aurora's side and cheered wildly when the tug approached, a wireless message said. They reported they had been existing on the flesh of seals and penguins since the ship broke loose.

Captain Mackintosh and the party marooned at Cape Crozier were in excellent health, and were well supplied with food, Commander Stenhouse reported.

TEN KILLED IN SUNDAY NIGHT'S RAID ON SCOTLAND

Thirty-six Zeppelins Took Part in Attack on Coasts of England and Scotland.

London, April 3.—Ten persons were killed and eleven injured in Scotland in Sunday night's Zeppelin raid. It was officially announced this afternoon. There were no casualties in England.

The official statement says: "It appears that altogether six Zeppelins took part in the raids of last night. Three raided southeast counties of Scotland, one the northeast coast of England, the remaining two the eastern counties of England."

"The vessels which raided Scotland crossed the coast at nine p.m., and 10.15 p.m. respectively, and cruised over southeastern counties of Scotland until about 1.10 a.m. Their course gave no indication of any special locality for attack, but thirty-six explosive and seventeen incendiary bombs were dropped on various places, damaging some hotels and dwelling houses. Following are the casualties which are reported at present in Scotland:

Killed—Seven men, three children. Total ten.

Injured—Five men, two women and four children. Total eleven.

One vessel visited the northeast coast and dropped twenty-two explosive and fifteen incendiary bombs. The two remaining ships crossed the English coast about 10.15 p.m. and cruised over the eastern coast until about one a.m. They were both engaged at various times by anti-aircraft artillery, and appear to have been prevented by this means from selecting any definite locality as their objective. Thirty-three explosive and sixty-five incendiary bombs were dropped by the two vessels. As far as has been ascertained, no casualties were caused in England."

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think it susceptible of that interpretation. The Standard desires to give assurance that such was not intended. We regret the publication of anything that might be so construed.

Berlin, April 3, by wireless to Sayville.—Russian artillery displayed increased activity on nearly the whole of our northeast front," says the Austrian official statement of today.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Royal.

B McDonald, Hamilton; J T Rowan, S A Demers, Lieut-Col C S Spittal, wife and son, Lieut G S Bull and wife, Ottawa; W S Davidson, J A Davies, Halifax; Capt A R Burman, Halifax; J H Brownlee, Miss Brownlee, W B Grieg and wife, Montreal; W A Home and wife, Quebec; A W Cliffe, F B Stafford, R Walker, London, Eng.; H Mills and wife, Hamilton; E G Evans, Moncton; W I Smith, M Boynton, W J Magee, Boston; F H Duffin, Providence; J Snow, Rockland, Me.; H V Suggeman, New York; E G Clarke, O Letourneau, J E Heon, C Dodiis, A G Caley, C F Fisher, F G Lancaster and wife, W E Buel, Montreal; J A Hayden, Woodstock; H L Denison and wife, P W Holeworth, Digby; T Beresford, Toronto; W H Spianer, Yarmouth; A C Lutz, R P Dickson, J H Evans, F M Davton, Moncton; R W Rogers, New Glasgow; E C Colby, New Brunswick.

Victoria.

J L Chisholm, Truro; F C Pillmore, Moncton; S Brown, Bellisle, N B; C H J Bowden, Montreal; R B Smith, Oronoco; W H Robinson, London; Donald Munro, Woodstock; Mr and Mrs E J Bryah, Hamilton; J M Brady, Montreal; P Agnes, Mal Bala, P Q; P Lesusane, Grand River; H B Dorost, Woodstock; Jas G Boyce, Enniskillen; W J Inghall and wife, F J McLaughlin, P C Ripley, Leonard Benson, O P Brown, C L Worrell, S M Greenlaw, Scott D Guphill, Jewett V Guphill, J Edgar Cook, Grand Mianan; A P Sillwell, Hampton; H S Bent, Bethesda; J A McClellan, Riverview; E Savasas, Wilsons Beach; Mrs Chas O'Neil, Jorgins Mines; F H Baque, Sgt Berrian, Sgt B Rexford, P W Durnall, Montreal.

Dufferin.

J H Corcoran, F L Dougan, Moncton; L B Hoadley, Toronto; C W Beazley, Halifax; A E Hunt, Toronto; E L Palmer, Amherst, N S; J E O'Brien, Halifax; A J Taylor, Montreal; J Walsh, Moncton; J G Ellis, Boston; T A Brown, Vancouver; A E Harris, New York; Judge Barry and wife, Fredericton; F C Hinkley, Bangor; H Silberman, Montreal; W F O'Rourke, Placemids, Nfld; J L Feevey, Fredericton; Chas E Perkins, Boston; L M Clark, Albert; Miss Wright, Beaver Harbor; L Harrington, Boston; Geo D Prescott, Albert; W P Be, Sussex; Thomas E Reid, New Glasgow; A M Charles, Millerton.

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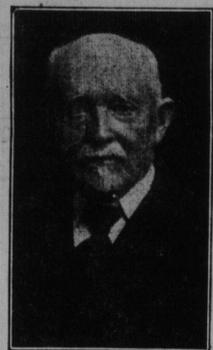
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Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance, an incomparable gloss and softness; but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them, its exhilarating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.



DONALD FRASER, SR. Prominent New Brunswick man who died last week, one of foremost figures in lumbering industry of the province.

EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS AT HAMPTON.

Hampton, April 2.—The evangelistic meetings, conducted in the Methodist church here, are being continued this week by evangelist J. Anderson. Last night's meeting was particularly interesting, the gripping message of the speaker being "Put your life over where Jesus can grip it." Tonight his discourse will be "The Temple of Prayer," which promises to be very interesting and bring in its train good results.

Had No Ambition To Do Her Housework.

System Was All Run Down.

Mrs. Herbert Doherty, Beaver Brook, N.B., writes: "I have used some of your Burdock Blood Bitters, and found it to be a great medicine. My system was in a run down condition for over a year. I suffered with bad headache, and did not seem to have any ambition to do my housework. In the morning I could not get out of bed, and what I did do did not apparently seem to do me any good. After using four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters I was an entirely different woman. I cannot recommend B.B.B. too highly to people suffering the same as I was."

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The sorrow and humiliation that can enter the home of a slothful husband was clearly brought to the attention of Agent Howard of the Children's Aid Society yesterday morning.

The family were relieved of all household effects by the landlord on Saturday night and up to yesterday, when the case was brought to the attention of Mr. Howard, were without beds or fire. There are five children in the family, the youngest being three years old. The boy of fourteen is working.

Arrangements were completed yesterday afternoon to have the family transferred to the Municipal Home. The boy who is working is to board himself and any money over and above his board he is to retain. It is the intention of the society to compel the husband to provide a new home for his family and to obtain steady employment.

Turks Reinforced?

Berlin, April 3, by wireless to Sayville.—Constantinople dispatches given out today by the Overseas News Agency, say that the Turkish troops on the Caucasus front have received considerable reinforcements, and that the Russian offensive has been checked. Recently the only fighting has been among small detachments.

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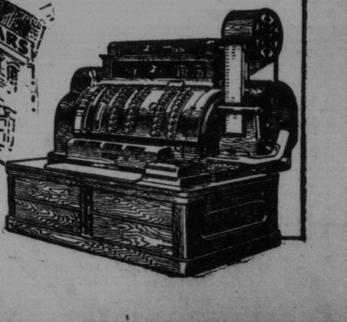
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For the third time a German airship squadron attacked the English east coast on the night of April 3; this time on the northern part, plusive and incendiary bombs were thrown with very good success of Edinburgh and Leith, dock establishments on the Firth of Forth, and at Newcastle, and important shipbuilding works, furnaces and factories on the Tyne river.

There were numerous fires and violent explosions, with extensive demonstrations. One battery near Newcastle was silenced.

"Although shelled heavily, all the airships returned safely."

Another sample of Berlin inaccuracy. London, April 3.—The wireless press, on giving out the German official statement received by it today from Berlin, adds this footnote: "Regarding the German official statements of the Zeppelin air raids of Saturday and Sunday we are officially informed that they are examples of the imaginative inexactitudes characteristic of these messages."

Anti-suffragists are still asking why

Fraulein Schwimmer, the Austrian woman who is secretary of the International Suffrage Association, should suddenly have assumed the title of "Madame." She had called herself "Frau" Schwimmer until she started the peace ship movement, when she instantly became "Madame." Will some suffragist or Austrian diplomat kindly explain?

The Paris openings have shown

that suits of silk for afternoon are to be much worn this spring. This is welcome news to the American woman, who always likes wearing a suit with dainty blouses.

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Ask your pharmacist for a quarter ounce of limestone phosphate. It is inexpensive, harmless as sugar, and almost tasteless, except for a sourish twinge which is not unpleasant.
If you aren't feeling your best, if tongue is coated or you wake up with bad taste, foul breath or have colds, indigestion, acid stomach, begin the phosphated hot water cure to rid your system of toxins and poisons.
Results are quick and it is claimed that those who continue to flush out the stomach, liver and bowels every morning never have any headache or know a miserable moment.

MARRIAGES.
Yesterday afternoon at 2:30 Rev. Dr. Hutchinson united in marriage Private Thomas Vernon Thorne of the 140th Battalion to Miss Edith Gertrude Byers. The ceremony took place at the home of the groom's parents, 71 MacCall street. Many friends were present, who wished the young couple a long and happy wedded life.

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Sergeant E. Cochran and two military police from the 112th Battalion arrived in the city yesterday to take charge of two deserters, who left Windsor, N. B., last Thursday morning. Both the men had disposed of their uniforms and were attired in working clothes when arrested. The party in charge of the deserters left last night for Windsor on the Halifax train.

Subscriptions Acknowledged.
The treasurer of the society for the Prevention of Cruelty acknowledges with thanks the following subscriptions in aid of the work: Hon. A. R. McClellan, \$5; John P. McIntyre, \$5; M. E. Aar, \$2; Thomas Bell, \$2; Geo. E. Harbour, \$2; H. Usher Miller, \$2; Chief Justice McLeod, \$2; I. H. Northrup, \$1; Col. B. R. Armstrong, \$1; Dr. H. D. Fritz, \$1; H. T. Hayes, \$1; Rev. R. A. Armstrong, \$1; Col. E. T. Sturdee, \$1; H. G. Rogers, \$1; W. H. White, \$1.

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FERNHILL CEMETERY COMPANY IN SESSION YESTERDAY AFTERNOON
Annual Meeting Held in Board of Trade rooms—Reports Received and Directors Re-elected.
The 68th annual meeting of the Fernhill Cemetery Company was held yesterday afternoon at four o'clock in the Board of Trade rooms. The business transacted was largely of a routine nature. The election of directors resulted as follows: Hon. J. G. Forbes, Col. E. T. Sturdee, P. E. Hannington, C. E. Soanmell, P. Campbell, R. W. W. Frink, Dr. James Christie, E. L. Rising, J. A. Lively, J. K. Schottel, G. A. Kinnball and G. W. Ketchum. These will meet some time next week to elect officers. Some comment was made on the scarcity of labor during the past year, as the superintendent would employ anyone fit for military service. Col. Sturdee in moving the adoption of the section of the president's report dealing with the setting aside of a plot for the burial of military and naval men who fell in the war, said he felt that it would be a fitting thing for the people of St. John as a whole to bury the dead who had given their lives for the Empire.
The president's report was submitted as follows and adopted.
The Board congratulates the lot owners on the very satisfactory financial report, showing a cash balance on hand of \$1,821.84, notwithstanding we have expended considerable sums in improvements, introducing additional fire hydrants, concrete paths and curbing. The amount, however, will be quickly absorbed when our full staff enter upon their duties in the early spring.
There seems to be an erroneous opinion abroad that the cemetery is a profitable institution. Let us remember that every lot owner is a member of this corporation, and that our whole revenue, which is solely derived from the sale of lots and receipts for work performed on the lots, and which we have made a real sacrifice commercially, but had as soon as we broke out to begin to arrange his business so that he could go to the front.
One of the speakers said that he had leaked out that at the great battle of Ypres, mention of some of Major Belyea's gallant deeds had been withheld on the Major's express wish, as he did not desire any publicity, but preferred the story to be told later.
Touching extracts were read from some of his letters to his pastor, showing him to have been absolutely fearless of death, and only concerned with the triumph of the righteous cause he had gone forth to defend.
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The Free Masons, of whom deceased was an honored member, attended the church in a body, Hon. John P. Burhill speaking in their behalf.
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MAJ. BELVEA A HERO OF WHOM NEW BRUNSWICK MAY WELL BE PROUD
Newcastle, April 3.—The United Baptist church was filled yesterday afternoon, when a memorial service was held for the late Major W. H. Belyea, a member of the congregation.
Addresses were made by the pastor, Rev. A. S. Richardson; Rev. S. J. MacArthur, Presbyterian; Major G. Stothart, Customs Collector W. A. Park; Hon. John P. Burhill, Lieut. Col. Mersereau, Major L. D. Jones and Capt. A. L. Barry, of the 132nd, and Capt. Dr. Loyal, of Chatham, recently returned from the front, and Major Cameron of the 73rd. The latter took down the flag that had been put up in Major Belyea's honor and to be left until he himself took it down.
Capt. Loyal said that he had seen Major Belyea only a short time ago when he was recovering from his wounds in England. Major Belyea could have had two months furlough home, and while almost dying to see his loved ones, yet he considered it his duty to go back to the trenches as soon as possible and stand by his men. Capt. Loyal heard of his death on landing at Halifax a few days ago. The speakers praised the dead hero as a perfect gentleman, a modest and retiring man, the soul of honor in business, and an early volunteer, not for any desire of glory or excitement, but from a pure sense of duty. He had made a real sacrifice commercially, but had as soon as we broke out to begin to arrange his business so that he could go to the front.
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PROTEST AGAINST "BIRTH OF A NATION"
Mayor Hears Delegation in Opposition to Local Presentation of Celebrated Motion Picture.
A delegation of colored citizens waited on Mayor Frink yesterday and made a protest against the presentation of the celebrated motion picture, "The Birth of a Nation," which is to be given at the Opera House, April 17. His Worship received the delegation kindly and listened to their objections as follows and adopted.
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THE CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND.
Single—A. G. Thompson, Dipper Harbor, \$2.
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SUCCESSFUL COMPANIES.
The companies which have been organized by J. S. Gibson have produced most gratifying results for those who have been fortunate enough to secure some of the stock.
The Winter Port Coal Mining Company, organized by Mr. Gibson some time ago returned its St. John and New Brunswick shareholders 33 to 50 per cent. on their original investment besides interest in the meantime.
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SIX CANDIDATES FYLE PAPERS FOR SEATS AT COUNCIL
Election for Mayor will be on Final Ballot—Primary will Decide Choice of System.
The voters of St. John will decide on Monday next what candidates for commissioners will go on the ballot on election day, April 24. As there is only one opponent of Mayor Frink, R. T. Hayes, his name and that of the Mayor will not be on the primary ballot. Nominations closed at city hall yesterday.
The primary election will settle as to the choice of the citizens between the present commission form of government or the return to the former aldermanic system.
The ballot for the primary election will appear as follows:
Civic Primary Election.
Second Monday in April A. D., 1916
For Alderman or Commissioner
Harry R. McLaughlin
Frank L. Potts
George Frederick Fisher
James L. Surue
Arthur W. Sharp
Herbert Eagles
For Commission.
For Ward System.
Herbert E. Wardrop.
Common Clerk.
Of the candidates, Mayor Frink has had the longest experience in civic affairs; Mr. Hayes has served three years as alderman under the old system; Commissioner McLaughlin has served since the introduction of the commission system; Commissioner Potts had experience as an alderman, and has been in the council for the last two years. None of the other candidates has served before, but Mr. Sharp has been a member of the city hall staff for many years. Mr. Fisher has given much of his time to public affairs, but appeared as a candidate for office for the first time at the last civic election. Mr. Surue is the labor candidate, and Mr. Eagles is a North End lumber surveyor.
The nominations filed are as follows:
Mayor Frink—By J. M. Robinson, George McAvity, Wm. E. Golding, M. G. Teed, James McGrath, George Ketchum and others.
R. T. Hayes—By T. H. Estabrook, G. E. Harbour, Percy B. Evans, John O'Neill, P. Campbell, F. B. Ellis and others.
F. L. Potts—By John Russell, George Parker, John A. McAvity, C. D. Jones, Thomas Kichham, C. B. Lockhart and others.
H. R. McLaughlin—By John A. McAvity, Wm. M. Jarvis, R. S. Ritchie, Edward Bates, John Russell, Robert J. Armstrong and others.
G. F. Fisher—By William B. Tennant, Peter Campbell, Peter McIntyre, D. J. Purdy, T. H. Estabrook, John J. Macintyre and others.
James L. Surue—By B. Stitwell, C. H. Stevens, Fred W. Daley, P. J. Donnelly, Herman Wiesel, John Kemp and others.
Arthur W. Sharp—By T. H. Bullock, A. H. Wetmore, A. R. Melrose, A. E. Wilson, S. W. Palmer, C. E. Lordley and others.
Herbert Eagles—By Joseph Doody, Joseph Dryden, Hugh McQuinn, P. J. Quinn, Henry Maher, T. J. Durick and others.
The 3 K's Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. B. G. Spencer, 57 Millidge avenue, on Friday, the 7th inst. A full attendance is requested as business of importance is to come before the meeting.

MAY BE BIG TEXTILE STRIKE IN N. E.
General Advance of Five Per Cent. Asked—Woolen Mills May be Involved.
A general strike in the textile mills of New England may be threatened unless the manufacturers grant an increase of five per cent. The executive council of the National Amalgamation of Textile Operatives at a meeting in Fall River yesterday voted to recommend all affiliated unions immediate action for a general advance in wages for all operatives. The recommendation is the most sweeping in the history of the industry, and if adopted would not only affect the cotton mill industry, but the woolen, silk, linen thread and all branches.
The cotton mills of New England employ 165,000 operatives, and the woolen mills about 150,000. In the 106 cotton mills of Fall River there are about 35,000 hands, and in the neighboring city of New Bedford there are practically the same number.
The textile council of Fall River asks for an advance of five per cent. The New Bedford unions demand ten per cent. The Arkwright Club, the organizations of the cotton manufacturers of Northern New England, will hold a meeting in Boston shortly to discuss the wage question.
In the opinion of Boston textile men notices will be posted on the gates of all the cotton mills in Northern New England shortly, amounting to a wage advance of five per cent. Many of the operatives in Northern New England are French-Canadians, especially in

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By morning, most if not all of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.
You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.
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(Continued from yesterday.)
CHAPTER IV
Which, Among Other Matters, Has to Do With Bruises and Bandages.

She was on her knees beside me, bathing my battered face, talking all the while in a soft voice that I thought wonderfully sweet to hear.

"Poor boy!" she was saying, over and over again, "poor boy!" And after she had said it, perhaps a dozen times, I opened my eyes and looked at her.

"Madam, I am twenty-five!" said I, hereupon, sponging in hand, she drew back and looked at me.

"Twenty-five!" she repeated, "can it really be?"

"Why not, madam?"

"So very young!"

"Why—? I began, greatly taken aback. "Indeed, I—that is—"

But here she laughed and then she sighed, and sighing, shook her head.

"Poor boy!" she said, "poor boy!" And, when I would have retorted, she stopped me with the sponge.

"Your mouth is cut," she said, after a while, "and there is a great rash in your brow."

"But the water feels delicious!" said I.

"And your throat is all scratched and swollen!"

"But your hands are very gentle and soothing!"

"On the contrary, the—the pain is very trifling, thank you."

"Then it was very foolish of me."

"Poor—!" she hesitated, and looking up at her through the trickling water, I saw that she was smiling.

"—follow!" she said, and her lips were very sweet, and her eyes very soft and tender—for an Amazon.

And, when she had washed the blood from my face, she went to fetch clean water from where I kept it in a bucket in the corner.

Now, at my elbow, upon the table, lay the knife, a heavy, clumsy contrivance I had bought to use in my carpentry, and I up, mechanically, picked it up. As I did so the light gleamed evilly upon its long blade.

"Put it down!" she commanded, "put it away—it is a hateful thing!"

"For a woman's hand," I added, "so hideously un-feminine!"

"Some men are so hatefully hideously—!" she said, and she looked at me with a certain scorn.

"As to that," said I, "I may have the same colored eyes and hair, and be something of the same build—"

"Yes," she nodded, "it was your build, and the color of your eyes and hair that startled me."

"But, after all," said I, "the similarity is only skin-deep, and goes no further."

"No," she answered, kneeling beside me again, "no, you are—only twenty-five!" And, as she said this, her eyes were hidden by her lashes.

"Dislocated, I think."

"It is greatly swollen!"

"Yes," said I, and taking firm hold of it with my left hand, I gave it a sudden pull which started the sweat upon my temples, but sent it back in to joint.

"Well!" said I, as she hesitated.

"You do not fear me any longer?"

"No."

"In spite of my eyes and hair?"

"And you are one I do not fear, and I think, never should."

"Hush!" said I, rubbing my chin, "I am only twenty-five!"

"Twenty-five is—twenty-five!" said she demurely.

"And yet, I am very like—him—you said so yourself!"

"Him!" she exclaimed, starting, "I had forgotten all about him. Where is he—what has become of him?" and she glanced apprehensively towards the door.

"Half way to Tonbridge—or should be by now."

"Tonbridge!" said she, in a tone of amazement, and turned to look at me again.

"Tonbridge!" I repeated.

"But he is not the man to—to run away," said she doubtfully—"even from you!"

"No, indeed!" said I, shaking my head, "he certainly did not run away, but circumstances—and a stone, were too much—even for him."

"Upon which he—happened to fall, and strike his head—very fortunately for me."

"Was he—much hurt?"

"Stunned only," I answered. She was still kneeling beside my chair, but now she sat back, and turned to stare into the fire. And, as she sat, I noticed how full and round and white her arms were, for her sleeves were rolled high, and that the hand, which yet held the sponge, was like very white, neither big nor little, a trifle wide, perhaps, but with long, slender fingers. Presently, with a sudden gesture, she raised her head and looked at me again—a long, searching look.

"Who are you?" she asked suddenly.

"My name," said I, "is Peter—"

"Yes," she nodded, with her eyes

still on mine.

"Peter—Smith?" I went on, "and, by that same token, I am a blacksmith—very humbly at your service."

"Peter—Smith!" she repeated, as though trying the sound of it, hesitating at the surname exactly as my had done. "Peter—Smith!—and mine is Charman, Charman—Brown." And here again was a pause between the two names.

"You're a very beautiful name," said I, "especially the Charman!"

"And yours," she retorted, "is a beautiful—ugly one!"

"Especially the—Peter!"

"Indeed, I quite agree with you," said I, rising, "and now, if I may trouble you for the towel—thank you!"

Forthwith I began to dry my face as well as I might on account of my injured thumb, while she watched me with a certain elusive merriment peeping from her eyes, and quivering at me round her lips, an expression half mocking, half amused, that I had seen there more than once already. Wherefore, to hide from her my consciousness of this, I fell to toweeling myself vigorously, so much so, that, forgetting the towel, she began to stanch the blood with it. "If you will sit down, I will bind it up for you."

"Really, it is quite unnecessary," I demurred.

"Quite!" said she; "is there anything will serve as a bandage?"

"There is the towel!" I suggested.

"Not to be thought of!"

"Then you might tear a strip off the sheet," said I, nodding towards the bed.

"Ridiculous!" said she, and proceeded to draw a handkerchief from the bosom of her dress, and having folded it with great nicety and moistened it in the bowl, she tied it about my temples.

Now, to do this, she had, perforce, to pass her arms about my neck, and this brought her so near that I could feel her breath upon my lips, and there stole to me, out of her hair, or out of her bosom, a perfume very sweet, that was like the fragrance of violets at evening. But her hands were all too dexterous, and quicker than it takes to write, the bandage was tied, and she was standing before me.

"There—that is more comfortable, isn't it?" she inquired, and with the words she bestowed a final little pat to the bandage, a touch so light—so in-

finely gentle—that it might almost have been the hand of that long-dead mother whom I had never known. "That is better, isn't it?" she demanded.

(Continued Tomorrow.)

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Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$10.00. The land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions, of the full and unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (not not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency in the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (not not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

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NOTICE OF SALE.
NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of the provisions of Rule 21, Order 56 of the Judicature Act of the Province of New Brunswick, the following real estate situated in the City of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, at Chubb's Corner (so called) at the hour of twelve o'clock on Saturday the eighth day of April, A. D. 1916 next, All and singular all that real estate known as the Harlan P. Reynolds' Estate or property, and described as follows:—A certain lot of land situate in the Parish of Lepreau, in the County of Charlotte, in the Province of New Brunswick, containing four hundred acres more or less, with the buildings thereon. About one hundred and fifty acres of this property are in state of cultivation. Also thirty-one other lots of freehold land, namely:—four lots situate in the Parish of Musquash, in the County of the City and County of Saint John, in said Province of New Brunswick, the first of said lots containing eighty acres; the second lot, one hundred and twenty-six acres; the third lot, fifty acres; and the fourth lot, fifty acres; one lot situate partly in the said Parish of Lepreau and partly in the said Parish of Musquash, containing two hundred acres; nineteen lots situate in the said Parish of Lepreau, and the said County of Charlotte, the first of which said lots contains eighty-five acres; the second lot, eleven acres; the third lot, forty acres; the fourth lot, fifty-five acres; the fifth lot, one hundred acres; the sixth lot, eighty-five acres; the seventh lot, one hundred and thirty acres; the eighth lot, three hundred acres; the ninth lot, thirty-nine acres; the tenth lot, three hundred acres; the eleventh lot, one hundred acres; the twelfth lot, one hundred acres; the thirteenth lot, one hundred acres; the fourteenth lot, one hundred acres; the fifteenth lot, one hundred acres; the sixteenth lot, one hundred acres; the seventeenth lot, one hundred acres; the eighteenth lot, two hundred and twenty acres; and the nineteenth lot, one hundred acres; And seven lots of land situate in the Parish of Carleton Place, in the said County of Charlotte, the first of which said lots contains fifty acres; the second lot, fifty acres; the third lot, one hundred and thirty acres; the fourth lot, three hundred and thirty acres; the fifth lot, two hundred and thirty acres; the sixth lot, sixty acres; and the seventh lot, four hundred and eighty acres, making in all, a total of four thousand four hundred and eighty-eight acres more or less.

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A Column Which Be Of Interest

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At The Trenches.

If you met somebody with sand on the hat of shoulders in town yesterday afternoon you did not have to be a Sherlock Holmes to guess where they had been. Many people took the East St. John cars and paid a visit to Robert street, near which the 69th Battalion have dug wonderful trenches. Plans of the Allies were flying at the gate, and Boy Scouts were eager and willing to sell you "permits," which cost the small sum of ten cents. Members of C Company, 6th Battalion, with Captain Gagnon in command acted as guides and made most efficient ones. Few people followed the angles of the trenches for the whole quarter of a mile length. Indeed as they are rather narrow one stout gentleman was heard playfully demanding his money back as he could not get through! However, you can see the trenches from the outside looking in, though you cannot fully appreciate how well they are planned. The dug-outs do not look very comfortable, but then we have read the boys' poems on the subject, and did not expect painless. The wind from Courtney Bay blew chill yesterday afternoon, if you remember, and the visitors were very glad to walk over to where the field kitchen stood. This was in charge of Sergeant Alphonse Cloutier of D Company, 69th Battalion, who made a genial host, and Miss Beatrice Fenety, assisted by Miss Hilda Marsh, Miss Constance McDevlin, Miss Dorothy Culver and Miss Jean Lawitt. Here were large kettles of steaming hot tomato bouillon,

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WALL ST. OPENS WEEK WITH A WIDE VARIETY OF GAINS. Almost Every Part of List Shared in the Advance.

PUBLIC INTEREST STILL LACKING. Trading Desultory, but Counter-balanced by Greater Activity in Well Known Specialties.

New York, April 3.—Stocks opened the week with a wide variety of gains which embraced almost every part of the list, except the more potential investment issues.

Trading was of the same desultory character as that which attended the major operations of the preceding month. A further lack of public interest was noticed, but this was partly counter-balanced by greater activity in well-known specialties, such as Crude Oil and American Locomotive.

Kennecott and Miami coppers were elevated to record quotations at 39 and 39 1/8 respectively. South Porto Rico soared to new heights on its advance of 9 1/2 to 21 1/2, and Jewell Tea was similarly distinguished, rising 5 1/2 to 90.

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WHOLE LIST WAS STRONG YESTERDAY. Highest Gains were in Detroit and Canada Cement—Stocks in Strong Hands.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Montreal, April 3.—The strength spread through the whole list today, the largest gains, Detroit, on rumors that the dividend would be increased to 7 p. c., and Cement on a report that the next half year will be another 3 p. c. dividend.

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

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, April 3.—Pool operations and expectation of the placing of additional volume in this country, were the explanations offered for the movements today. Crude Oil, Baldwin, Aio, and the copper shares were among the strongest and most active features.

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STOCK QUOTATIONS ON N.Y. EXCHANGE.

Table of stock quotations on the N.Y. Exchange, including columns for Open, High, Low, and Close for various stocks like Am Beet Sug, Am Car Ry, Am Loco, etc.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE PRICES.

Table of Chicago grain and produce prices, including Wheat, Corn, and Flour prices for various grades.

PRODUCE PRICES ON MONTREAL MARKET.

Table of produce prices on the Montreal market, including Corn, Flour, and other commodities.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET SALES.

Table of New York cotton market sales, including columns for Month, High, Low, and Close.



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MARINE AND SHIPPING.

MINIATURE ALMANAC. April—Phases of the Moon.

Table of miniature almanac data, including phases of the moon and tide times for various locations.

DOMESTIC PORTS. Halifax, April 1—Ard: Str Caraque, from St John for West Indies and Demerara.

BRITISH PORTS. Liverpool, March 29—Ard: Str Irishman, Portland, Me.

FOREIGN PORTS. New York, March 30—Ard: Str Milwaukee, Stockton; Sobs Issah K Stetson.

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MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS. (McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Morning.

Table of Montreal transactions, including prices for various commodities like Wheat, Flour, and other goods.

SCHOONER CHARTERED. Sch William C May, Norfolk to Bahia, with coal, 20 April.

SCHOONER FLOATED. Key West, Fla, April 1.—The Sch reported stranded on Pickles Reef is the Melba, Mobile, March 22, for Calburden, with lumber; she was floated with the assistance of wreckers and is on her way here.

SCHOONER NOTES. The term schooner Blignose sailed for Barbados yesterday morning, lumber laden.

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MONTREAL MARKET. (McDOUGALL & COWANS.)

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FUNERALS. Many persons took occasion yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock to pay their last tribute of respect by attending the funeral of Mrs. William Shaw.

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HEALTH ATTACKS OF DYSPEPSIA. Suffered Tortures Until She Tried 'Fruit-a-lives'.

St. Jean de Mathis, Jan. 27th, 1914. "After suffering for a long time with Dyspepsia, I have been made well by 'Fruit-a-lives'."

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THE WEATHER.

Forecasts.

Maritime—Winds shifting to eastward, fair and cool.

Washington, April 3.—Forecast: Northern New England—Generally fair Tuesday and probably Wednesday; moderate variable winds.

Toronto, April 3.—Except for some local snow flurries in the western provinces the weather today has been fair and comparatively cool throughout the Dominion.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	44	54
Vancouver	42	56
Kamloops	34	60
Medicine Hat	32	49
Edmonton	20	42
Calgary	28	42
Prince Albert	22	34
Moone Jaw	28	34
Regina	22	31
Winnipeg	24	34
Port Arthur	24	38
London	28	50
Toronto	30	40
Kingston	28	42
Ottawa	20	32
Montreal	22	34
Quebec	18	34
St. John	28	40
Halifax	30	46

Around the City

A Grass Fire.
The North End fire department were given a run yesterday afternoon to Strait Shore to put out a fire in the grass on Dean's Hill.

Five Drunks Arrested.
The drunk crop is one that never fails in St. John. Up to last midnight the police had gathered in five men who are charged with intoxication.

No Meeting of Board of Trade.
The monthly meeting of the Board of Trade which was to have been held last night did not take place as sufficient members did not show up to make a quorum.

Death of an Infant.
Mrs. John Secia, 590 Main street, whose husband was killed in action while serving with the 26th Battalion, mourns the loss of her year-old baby, whose death occurred yesterday morning. Deep sympathy will be extended to her in her further bereavement.

East Florenceville Red Cross Work.
During the month of March the Red Cross Society of East Florenceville sent to the St. John Red Cross Society the following: Cash to the amount of \$36.53, 26 pyjama suits, 59 pairs socks, 6 night shirts, 9 pairs mittens.

Capt. Demers Here.
Captain L. A. Demers, accompanied by his secretary, J. T. Rowan, arrived in the city yesterday and will resume the inquiry into the sinking of the steamer Matatus this morning at 11 o'clock in the court house. He will make an inspection of her at low tide tonight.

Methodist S. S. Workers Meet.
The superintendents of the Methodist Sunday schools of the city met at the Y. M. C. A. last night, and had luncheon. After the lunch they spent a couple of hours discussing the various problems to be met with in their work. There were present representatives from Centenary, Queen Square, Exmouth street, Zion and Carleton Sunday schools.

The Fighters Escaped.
Last evening, in the vicinity of eight o'clock, as a street car was passing along Mill street, two civilians were seen pounding each other with all their might. It was a lively fight and was being witnessed by quite a number of people. No arrests have been reported, and there is no doubt that the fighters stopped and made good their escape when some person announced that the police were putting in an appearance.

Ball's Lake Fishing Club.
The annual meeting of the Ball's Lake Fishing Club was held last night in the office of Lockhart and Ritchie, Prince William street. Reports were submitted by the board of management and the treasurer, showing the club to be in a flourishing condition, and prospects for the coming season were bright. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, J. V. Russell; vice-president, D. C. Lawson; secretary, W. A. Lockhart; treasurer, F. C. Smith. These with the following constitute the board of directors, S. E. Elkin, F. W. Roach, H. F. Rankin, H. H. Harvey and Thomas Nagle. The managing committee for the year will be F. C. Smith, F. W. Roach and S. E. Elkin.

Presbyterian Home Missions.
A meeting of the Home Mission Board of the Saint John Presbyterian was held yesterday in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, and the various mission fields were allotted to the students for the summer. Following is the list: Buctouche, C. A. Ritchie; Riverside, A. Co., W. T. Morgan; Waterford, George Kilgus; Salina, S. H. Anderson; Cady's, A. N. Brubaker; Golden Grove, A. N. Gillis; Grand Bay, P. G. Dow; Welsford, George Rusk; New Maryland, T. P. Mordecai; Rockway, C. F. McLennan; Riley Brook, A. S. Murray; Plaster Rock, W. Gibson; Andover, H. W. Richmond; Saint Francis, H. E. Gebhart; Nashwaak, D. A. McKenzie; Balley, C. S. R. McLennan; Edmundston and Cabano, L. H. Knight.

TWO ST. JOHN MEN PREPARED FOR ANY TROUBLE

Frank O'Connor and Fred McHarg in Hospital Suffering From Gunshot Wounds.

Two more St. John men have been wounded and are now in hospital in France after helping to prevent the German hordes from overrunning Europe and forcing their doctrine of "might is right" on the world. One of them, Pte. O'Connor, has been on the firing line for over a year, and the other, L-Corp. McHarg, is a member of the "Fighting 26th."

Mrs. William O'Connor, of 27 Gedar street, received a letter from her son, Frank, yesterday, which conveyed the intelligence that he had been wounded in the leg, on the 21st of March, and was now in hospital. He said the wound was only a slight one, and the bullet had been extracted, so she was not to worry as he was in no danger, in fact he was rather glad as it gave him a chance to get a rest for a while. Frank enlisted with the 21st in Kingston, Ont., and was one of the signallers for that battalion. He has been on the firing line for over a year, and while he has had many narrow escapes, this is the first time he has been hit. He was a member of the original Standard staff and went from here to Ottawa where he was on the staff of the Ottawa Citizen. At the time he enlisted he was taking a course at the military school at Kingston.

Mrs. Forbes McHarg, of 94 Portland street, has received word from Ottawa that her son, L-Corp. McHarg, a member of the Fighting 26th, had been admitted to hospital on the 9th of March, suffering from a gunshot wound in the left arm.

VETERAN ON FIRING LINE

Story of a 71 Year Old Soldier who has been Returned to Canada from the Front.

Among the many passengers who returned on the Missonable on Sunday, was A. C. Campbell of Markham, Ont. on his way home after being away for the last two years on a visit to New Zealand, Australia and the Old Country. Speaking to a Standard representative of conditions in the Antipodes in war time, he said that things were in a most flourishing state, and the scarcity of tonnage was the only trouble they were having. Money seemed pretty plentiful, for instance, during six days, four million dollars was spent in gambling, at the horse races, in New Zealand, and during the Christmas week in Auckland, some one and a half million dollars went in a similar way.

Continuing, Mr. Campbell told of a most interesting chat he had had whilst coming over from the Old Country, with a returning soldier, Sorrence Giamber of Brockville, Ont. Although the man was seventy-one years of age, he had managed, after some three attempts to get to the firing lines where he took part in some of the most heavy fighting.

In 1861 he fought in the Civil War, then later in the Fenian Raid of 1870, afterwards with the Red River Expedition. At the time of the Boer war he tried to enlist in the Canadian contingent but was turned down on account of his age. Nothing daunted he paid his own passage to South Africa and joined the Colonial Defence Corps, giving his age as 35, although that time he was 56.

When the present war broke out he enlisted no less than three times in different regiments, but in each case in a few days his age was discovered and he received his discharge. Having some land out west he sold half and paid his passage over to England, and by giving his age as 46 he enlisted in the Royal Engineers and was in the firing line some five days afterwards. After being there some months, and participating in heavy fighting, he was invalided over to England, owing to rheumatism and later given his orders to return to Canada. He would say little as to conditions at the front, although it was understood that he had "done his turn" and accounted for some of the Hunns.

MRS. LOUIS COMEAU HAS FOUR NEPHEWS NOW WEARING KHAKI
Mrs. Louis Comeau of this city has four nephews in khaki. Three of the nephews are sons of Dr. L. N. Bourque of Montreal. Mrs. Comeau's brother, and the fourth is a son of another brother, J. V. Bourque, postmaster of Shediac. Dr. Bourque has received word that his son, Eugene, recently enlisted with the 66th Field Battery at Montreal. The makes the third son to don the fashionable khaki. Edgar Bourque went overseas some time ago with the No. 2 Heavy Siege Battery of Montreal and is now at the front. Lieut. Alfred Bourque, who will apply to be attached to the 66th Field Battery of Montreal, for some weeks past has been engaged in recruiting work for the 165th French Acadia Battalion. Alfred Bourque went to the Magdalen Islands on Jan. 10th and cannot leave there on account of ice. Arthur Bourque of Shediac, joined the 66th field battery and Montreal at the same time as his cousin, Eugene Bourque.

Recruits Arrive.
The Boston express last night brought its usual number of recruits, twelve, for the different battalions of the city. Eight of the number were for the 115th Battalion, the remainder were for the 140th. Among these are Lieut. Alfred Bourque, J. H. Hamilton, McKenzie Campbell, Leo James, Alfred Poole, Allan Reidpath, James Neales and John Ward. They were met at the depot by Lance-Corporal Shaw of the 140th Battalion, who directed them to the Grand Union Hotel, where they put up for the night. This morning they will be admitted to their various regiments.

Princeton Icecream at Woolworth's.
The Woolworth Company, King St., are now handling the Princeton Farm's famous Country Club Icecream, put up in ten cent packages, daintily packed and most convenient for taking home.

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SIXTEEN MEN ON HONOR ROLL

Recruiting Took Great Spurt Yesterday.

Rev. F. S. Porter Goes to 104th as Chaplain—News of the Local Battalions.

ROLL OF HONOR.
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* Allan Gray, Lonsdale.
* Harold Lander, St. John.
* Walter Bartlett, St. John.
* R. L. Callaghan, St. John.
* S. G. Moon, Chipman.
* Ernest J. Nichol, Read's Point.
* George H. Gray, St. John.
* Ralph W. Handran, St. John.
* Walter Gray, St. John.
* E. J. Gibbons, St. John.
* George S. Fries, St. John.
* A. J. Anderson, St. John.
* George Hampton, St. John.

Recruiting took a great spurt yesterday, when sixteen men were found fit and willing to fight and, if need be, die in the cause of the right. Of this number ten were from the city, a very good showing.

115th.
Yesterday was spent by the men of the 115th in routine work. Four men were added to the strength of the battalion. Today Lieut. Shaw will be orderly officer and a route march will be held in the afternoon. Lieut. I. F. Price and C. Fitz-Randolph will be the officers of the guard.

140th.
The men of the 140th spent the day yesterday in the usual routine of duties. Today the orderly officer will be Lieut. A. W. Thorne and the usual drill and instruction classes will be held. Seven men were added to the battalion which is now very near full strength.

69th.
Yesterday was spent by the 69th in the usual routine of work around the armory. Today they will be at the trenches.

Goes to 104th as Chaplain.
Rev. F. S. Porter, pastor of the German street Baptist church, has been appointed chaplain of the 104th Battalion, and will leave for Sussex in the near future to take up his duties. This will be a very popular appointment and Mr. Porter has only accepted the position of chaplain because he was unable to pass for the ranks. He has been of great assistance to the recruiting movement in the city, and is very popular with all the soldiers who have been quartered here.

A. P. E. I. Siege Battery.
Orders have been issued for the recruiting of a siege battery in Charlottetown, P. E. I., and it is expected that it will be commanded by Lieut. Col. Peake, who returned from the front about six weeks ago. Lieut. Meeservey and Murphy, who were attached to No. 4 Siege Battery here for duty and training, have been appointed to the new battery, and will leave at once for Charlottetown to take up their duties.

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