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IN SAVAGE ATTACKS GERMANS GET SOME GROUND FROM THE BRITISH

Make Gains in Mametz and Trones Woods After Being Heavily Reinforced; Elsewhere Are Beaten Back

London, July 12.—The Germans, heavily reinforced, delivered strong attacks against the British on the Somme front last night. They gained ground in Mametz and Trones woods. An official announcement issued here this afternoon says that all the German attacks were beaten off except in Mametz and Trones woods.

TO RECRUIT COLORED MEN HERE FOR A CONSTRUCTION CORPS

Ready Soon to Receive Names—Other Local Military News

All races, creeds, and colors are found among Britain's fighting men and from the latest reports in local military circles, recruiting will begin in this city very soon for No. 2 Construction Corps, which will be composed of colored men, commanded by white officers. Efforts have been made heretofore to secure the authorization of a colored unit, and although a large number of colored men are to be found at the present time in various Canadian units, no unit of this nature has been authorized by the War Office.

A GERMAN AIR ATTACK ON CALAIS

Berlin, July 12.—Two German aeroplanes made an attack on Calais on Monday night. They dropped bombs on the port and on army encampments.

ITALIANS SUCCESSFUL IN ATTACK ON HYDRON BASE OF AUSTRIANS

Rome, July 12.—An Italian naval unit yesterday successfully attacked the Austrian hydro base at Parenio, in Istria. It silenced the new and strong shore batteries and put to flight four Austrian vessels from Trieste.

BRITISH STEAMER IS HELD UP AT MANILA

Manila, P. I., July 12.—The collector of customs has granted a hearing in the case of the steamer Chinese Prince, on Thursday morning. The steamer is still detained with customs guards in control.

FOUR TODAY

Four recruits were secured today at the recruiting office in Prince William street. All signed for No. 1 Construction Corps—Frederick J. Sullivan, Salt Springs, Kings county; Wesley Thomas, Newfoundland; Peter Durdle, Newfoundland; and Frederick W. Brennan, St. John's.

CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARY OF BOYNE BATTLE

Orangean Gather at Various Centres Throughout the Province

One of the most interesting celebrations of July 12, which is being held in the province today is that which is taking place at St. George. The lodges of Charlotte county have united for the purpose and their combined efforts resulted in arrangements which promised an interesting day.

GERMAN SHORTAGE OF WAR MATERIAL HAS BECOME SERIOUS

Order For Economy on the Battlefield—Even Must Strip The Dead

London, July 12.—(New York Tribune cable)—Judging from a recent German army order which has just reached London, every German general will soon be leading an army of rag pickers. The time is not far distant when the German soldiers will use their bayonets to prod rubbish heaps in search of rag, waste paper, empty cans and tin sockets.

SENT UP FOR TRIAL FOR ATTACKING A POLICEMAN WITH KNIFE

In the police court this morning Joseph Carr was committed for trial on a charge of injuring Policeman Armstrong in the finger with a knife and also with cutting his coat in three places with the same implement in an attempt to stab the policeman.

CAPT. McPEAKE OF FREDERICTON SERIOUSLY WOUNDED IN LEG

Word has been received in Fredericton that Capt. Jos. A. McPeach has been admitted to Boulogne hospital seriously wounded in the leg. He is an official court stenographer and left here for the 12th Battalion.

HOME FOR INCURABLES

Miss Musetta A. Compton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Compton of North End, who is a graduate of the General Public Hospital, has accepted the position as head nurse of the Home for Incurables.

Predict Fall of Pinsk

Petrograd Despatches Show German Position Growing More Perilous.

London, July 12.—Special despatches from Petrograd reflect the feeling that Pinsk is likely soon to fall before Brusiloff's advance. The Daily News' Petrograd correspondent says: "The situation at Pinsk is extremely complicated for the Germans. Pinsk is now the extreme point of the German promontory running into Russian territory. Itching to the wide sweep of the Russian advance from the Lutsk salient in the last few days, any attempt by the Germans to hold on to Pinsk would mean that the front must now be made north of the Pinsk marshes. If the Germans are unable to gather up their forces here, or regain the ground lost south of Pinsk, they are likely to find the whole Pinsk district isolated by Russian raids through the marshes—a species of warfare in which the Russians excel."

FORCE GERMANS BACK TO RHINE BY END OF YEAR

Hostilities To End Twelve Months From Now

THE AUSTRANS "LICKED"

Danish Steamship Owner in Canada Speaks Confidently of Outcome of War—Has Plan to Buy American Vessels Now Flying on Great Lakes

Toronto, July 12.—Captain August Holm, a director of one of the great freight steamship concerns in Copenhagen, was in Toronto yesterday in search of information with regard to Canadian underwater cables. He is a Canadian underwriter and his business is passing through Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific. He is confident of the outcome of the war and has a plan to buy American vessels now flying on the Great Lakes.

TO DORCHESTER FOR FIVE YEARS

Fredericton, N. B., July 12.—Private Wm. Donohoe of the 140th Battalion, convicted of criminal assault, was this morning sentenced to five years' imprisonment in Dorchester penitentiary.

WEATHER BULLETIN

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

CATHEDRAL S. S. PICNIC

The ladies of the Cathedral parish met last evening to undertake preparations for the Sunday school picnic. Heads of committees were appointed and those in charge of tables were chosen. The collectors were also appointed. The date has not yet been announced.

Lost Ground Is Won Soon Again

French Take Back Portion of Territory Captured by Germans East of Meuse Successful Raids in Champagne and Lorraine

Paris, July 12.—The Germans delivered two attacks last night on a French position in the neighborhood of Dead Man Hill, on the Verdun front. The War Office announcement of today says that both these assaults failed, breaking down under the French fire. East of the Meuse the French retook part of the ground won yesterday by the Germans. In the operations east of the Meuse the French took eighty prisoners, of whom one is an officer. There were no developments last night on the Somme front. The French conducted successful raids in the Champagne and in Lorraine.

WILL ATTACK DEUTSCHLAND

British Make It Plain They Will Fire Upon "Merchant Submarine" at Sight

DRANK BAY RUM AFTER A SWIM; SAILOR IS DEAD

Charlottetown, P. E. I., July 12.—Edon Whynot, aged thirty, a sailor on the Lunenburg fishing schooner "Easy Selie," died on board while on the fishing ground off Naufrage on Monday. The vessel returned to Spout where an inquest was held. The evidence showed that he took sick on Sunday and died on the following day. He was in swimming on Saturday, seemed chilled, and took a drink of bay rum. The verdict of the jury was "Accidental poisoning from drinking bay rum." Whynot belonged to Port Maitland, N. S.

NUNAMAKER GETS AN INDEFINITE SUSPENSION

New York, July 12.—Catcher Leslie Nunamaker of the New York Americans was notified yesterday by President Ben Johnson of the American League, that he has been suspended indefinitely for language he used to Umpire O'Loughlin during a dispute over balls and strikes in Monday's game between New York and Cleveland.

German Submarine Attacks English Port

Undeclared Seaham is Chosen—Thirty Rounds of Shrapnel—One Woman Killed

London, July 12.—The English port of Seaham was attacked last night by a German submarine. About thirty rounds of shrapnel were fired. The official announcement says: "At 10.30 o'clock last night a German submarine appeared off the small undeclared port of Seaham Harbor (on the North Sea, six miles southeast of Seaham). The submarine fired about thirty rounds of shrapnel. One woman was killed."



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Often a Raid Just To Get Information JOFFRE'S GREAT WAR MAP

Position of Every German Regiment in the Service Marked on it and Changes Made as Shifts Occur—Getting the Information

If the Germans have moved from the western front to stem the Russian tide in the east we may be sure that General Joffre knows every resistance that has gone on and has it marked on his great map.

It is the prisoner who gives the information which to him may not seem important, but which may be extremely necessary to his captors.

LOCAL NEWS

In arresting Joseph Carr in Union street yesterday afternoon, Policeman Armstrong received a bad cut on the finger, as a result of the prisoner using a knife on him.

The officers elected at the twelfth annual session of the seventh Baptist district, held last week at Campobello were as follows: President, Rev. W. R. Robinson; vice, Rev. P. R. Hayward;

The packet steamer John L. Cann arrived in port last evening from Yarmouth and docked at Walker's wharf.

It is believed that the number of tourists who have come to New Brunswick on holiday trips thus far this year, exceeds the number of last season.

Yesterday was the day for the examinations for the A. O. H. scholarships, but not one applicant called at the examination rooms, in Union street.

The Allan liner Stellan docked at Quebec on Monday evening and arrived in Montreal early yesterday morning.

LOCAL NEWS

A. C. Smith & Co., Ltd., first class hay, 7-17

No man can do effective work if constipated—Bexall's is an effective laxative.

Orangemen's garden party postponed until tomorrow.

Summer clearance sale of women's ready-to-wear commencing Thursday, July 13.

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JULY 12. A.M. High Tide... 8.42 Low Tide... 8.58

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived Yesterday. Str. Chalour, 2,980, Hill, Demerara, West Indies and Bermuda.

Called Yesterday. Str. Nevada, 794, Willett, Parraboro (N.S.).

CANADIAN PORTS. Montreal, July 11—Ard, str. Cassandra, Glasgow.

BRITISH PORTS. London—Sld July 5, str. Colonial, Boston.

FOREIGN PORTS. New York, July 11—Ard, str. Hellis, New York.

FOR SOLDIERS' COMFORTS. The Soldiers' Comforts Association acknowledges with thanks the following cash donations.

Removal Notice. We have removed our Branch Office from 245 Union Street, corner of Brussels, to the Collins building, 35 Charlotte Street.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., JULY 12, 1916.

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WHY?

Why does Lieut. Gov. Wood retain as one of his advisers a gentleman who is not a member of the legislature, and therefore not responsible to the people?

MAHONEY MUST GO.

Self-respecting Conservatives, who have regard for the reputation of their party and the rights of the people, do not hesitate to characterize as it deserves the attitude of the Standard in the case of Hon. P. G. Mahoney.

It would take a lot of commercial submarines to supply Germany with what she will need during the remaining period of the war.

MAKE IT MODERN.

The school board, in deciding to erect any new school buildings, should not fail to provide thoroughly up-to-date buildings.

A GRAVE RUMOR.

The following paragraph from the London Daily Mail indicates that all is not satisfactory in regard to the promotions among Canadian officers at the front.

well informed, its call for action by the Canadian government must not be ignored.

THE WAR NEWS.

Each day brings news of further success by the Allies on all fronts. The situation from their viewpoint grows more and more satisfactory.

All this means disaster for the Central Powers. They are on the defensive, with diminishing forces, while the Allies have abundance of men and have not yet reached the maximum output of munitions.

The Standard is making some progress in its Biblical studies. It is now able, with the assistance of other Bible students, to correct some of its own mistakes.

The 800,000 prisoners taken by the Allies during the last few weeks, along with the great number of killed and wounded, greatly reduce the effectiveness of the armies of Germany and Austria.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAvity and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin N. S. Stewart.

The Standard says the Conservatives lost North Perth because "the German vote has been lost to the Conservative party ever since the outbreak of the war."

Yuba City, Cal., has had nobody in its jail for six months, not a marriage in a year, all the undertakers have moved, and the city marshal's only duty in a year was to kill a dog.

Every 10c Packet of WILSON'S FLY PADS WILL KILL MORE FLIES THAN 500 WORTH OF ANY STICKY FLY CATCHER

LIGHTER VEIN. Teacher was trying to elucidate the meaning of the word "recuperate" to one of the pupils.

Indigestion. An unfortunate altercation took place at a well known restaurant at dinner the other night.

His Best Cartoon. When Sir John Tenniel, a famous cartoonist, retired from the staff of Punch his associates gave him a dinner.

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**FRENCH PRESIDENT REVIEWS RUSSIANS**

One of the outstanding figures in the present great war is President Poincaré. Calm, dignified—the elected head of a great republic cruelly tried in the great strife, M. Poincaré presents a picture for admiration. The Russian Ambassador to France, and French general are with him in the picture.

## 7,000,000 WOMEN WORK IN BRITAIN

375,000 Fill Places Formerly Held by Men

Many Trades Taught

Female Wearers of Trousers Increasing at a Rapid Rate in the Motherland

London, June 15.—It is estimated that the number of women now working in war and peace jobs exceed 7,000,000. Nothing is more noticeable in the aspect of the streets than the disappearance of the youthful and middle aged civilian, and next month will probably see a marked diminution of even khaki-clad youngsters. Then there will remain only the oldsters and weaklings.

The wholesale withdrawal of men from the commercial and industrial ranks has resulted in huge substitution of female labor for the purpose of maintaining the industrial output of the country. Many hundreds of women are training to become milkers and dairy hands. In Scotland and Northumberland this sort of work is being regularly undertaken by women while in Devonshire and other counties milking is being done even by young girls before they go to school.

Women are at the lathe in overalls and cap in the powder shed, working twelve hour shifts on the motor buses or fashioning metal, timber and leather for driving and distributing. Before the war it used to be said that every Jack had his trade. The same can now be said of every Jill.

Women in trousers are becoming more and more numerous, they are donning them in greater numbers every day in order to cope with work where the skirt is found to be a hindrance. They do not dislike the change and it cannot be said to detract in any way from their native grace or carriage.

**Napoleon Favored Trousers.**

Napoleon it seems was a great believer in arming women with trousers in the time of war. Dress does not make the man says the proverb but Napoleon found that it made the woman and that putting her into trousers made a world of difference to her work and strength.

Reliable English opinion is inclined to encourage women to adopt masculine attire for what all ought to be man's work, convinced that so dressed woman will give as good an account of herself as her absent mate.

Many thousands of women and girls are serving the nation as munitions workers. The Ministry of Munitions considers every case thoroughly, placing the workers, not only according to industrial fitness and home locality but also with thought for the lives women have previously led and are likely to lead after the war. Many of the women engaged in munition work are art students, musicians, embroideresses—girls who had been engaged in the fine arts and hope to be again. Once drafted into a factory the women are specially looked after by the Ministry as to hours accommodation and rate of payment. The wages are \$5 a week as a minimum, and fit workers are soon able to earn \$15 to \$20 a week by piece work.

**Employment for Women**

The withdrawal of so many men from all trades and the transference of a large body of female labor from the staple industries to munition making and various other avenues of employment has led the Home Office and the Board of Trade to issue a series of pamphlets pointing out in detail the branches in which women can be employed—what relaxation of the requirements of the factory act are permitted and what arrangements are necessary to be made in factories to meet the introduction of female labor.

The industries and trades dealt with in this way so far are China and earthenware, India rubber, wood, cotton, woodworking, pottery and brick color, paint, varnish, papermaking, hosiery, heavy clothing and others.

The estimated number of females engaged in work in substitution of male labor is as follows:

	Dec. 1915	Feb. 1916	April 1916
All trades	2,871,900	3,093,200	3,750,000
Under this category the main increases are as follows:			
Engineering trades	70,800	117,400	147,000
Chemical trades	9,900	16,300	16,300
Textile trades	57,400	74,300	74,300
Clothing trades	30,400	42,300	42,300
Book trades	29,500	33,000	33,000
Paper and printing trades	22,500	23,000	23,000
Wood trades	11,400	17,400	17,400
Other trades	27,000	37,000	37,000

"I called, sir," said old Jinks to the tailor, "in reference to the letter you sent about the way my son has treated you. I guess you will find him all right in the future, because he has promised to settle down."

"That doesn't interest me," replied the tailor, "I want him to settle up."

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- Sale prices, 30c., 40c., 50c., 75c., 95c., \$1.25
- DRAWERS**—Tucks, lace, Hamburg and ribbon effects in wide variety.
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- SKIRTS**—Variety of lace and embroidery trimmed flounces; also ribbon effects.
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- PRINCESS SLIPS AND COMBINATIONS**—Lace and embroidery trimmings and edgings, ribbons, dainty effects.
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- WHITE LAWN APRONS**—With and without bibs, plain and embroidery trimmed; also a few dainty Tea Aprons, 15c., 20c., 25c., 35c., 40c., 50c.
- Misses' and Children's Whitewear**
- NIGHTDRESSES**—Sale prices, 25c., 35c., 45c.
- DRAWERS**—Sale prices, 15c., 25c., 35c.
- SKIRTS**—Sale prices, 25c., 35c., 45c.
- KNITTED UNDERWEAR**—These undergarments come in a variety of plain and fancy weaves, lace and plain tops, and include Undervests, sleeveless, short sleeves, long sleeves; Combinations, sleeveless and short sleeves with knee length drawers; also Summer Knitted Drawers.
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- INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S UNDERVESTS**—A good variety in all sizes, 10c., 15c., 20c., 35c.
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This list, short as it is, serves to show how wholeheartedly the Canadian profession has rallied to the call of empire, and in what a spirit of self-abnegation the sacrifice of the comforts and prizes of life has been made.

London, July 11.—Sir William Wallace, who served for many years in the service of the British government in Nigeria, died at his residence in Devon today.

## SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

# Women's Ready-To-Wear

COMMENCING THURSDAY, 13TH.

Big bargains in **Summer Coats, Suits and Dresses.** The time has come when all balances of Spring and odd garments must be cleared, racks must be emptied to prepare for the coming season.

- STYLISH COSTUMES NOW AT LESS THAN MAKERS' PRICES**
- The choice of all spring costumes at two low prices. There are smart American Poplin Costumes at a great bargain. These are suitable for summer wear, and come in Copen, blue, sand shade, navy or black. Sizes 16 to 44 bust. Regular up to \$25.00. Clearing Price, \$14.90 each
- SUMMER COATS AT REDUCTIONS**
- Bargains will be the rule until every coat in stock has found a new owner, as the racks must be cleared. Some awfully stylish garments are in this sale. Hand-some Corduroy Coats in new popular colors, such as greys, coral, rose, sand or white.
- \$15.00 Corduroy Coats..... Now \$10.90  
\$10.90 Corduroy Coats..... Now \$ 8.90  
Black Silk Coats for elderly ladies, Black and Navy Poplin Coats, Black Tafeta and Cord Silk Coats at half price.  
\$25.00 Coats..... For \$11.25  
\$18.50 Coats..... For \$ 9.25  
\$20.00 Coats..... For \$10.00  
\$25.00 Brown Moire Coats..... For \$10.00  
\$23.00 Grey Moire Coats..... For \$12.50  
Black and Navy Poplin Coats at Reduced Price.  
Linen Duster or Motor Coats—Were \$5.50 ..... Now \$2.50
- DAINTY MUSLIN OR FANCY STRIPED VOILE DRESSES FOR AFTERNOON WEAR; ALSO AT BIG REDUCTIONS**
- You will find some exceptionally Stylish Summer Dresses among this collection. Many are just the best selling numbers of the past few weeks that must now go at reduced prices to clear. It is really bargain time in these pretty dresses; all colors, and fifteen to twenty different styles. Summer dresses that were made to sell at \$5.90 to \$7.90. Sale price, \$4.95. Summer dresses up to \$11.90. Sale price, \$7.90
- CHILDREN'S COATS AT SMALL PRICES TO CLEAR**
- Children's Spring Cloth Coats, in sizes 4 to 12 years—navy blue, brown military style coats; also a number of cute Tweed Balmuccia Coats up to ten years. Sale Prices, \$1.98, \$2.75, \$3.75

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IMPERIAL Thursday Albert Chevalier and an All-English Cast of Noted Players in the Metro Feature "THE MIDDLEMAN" Henry Arthur Jones' Noted Stage Success. "MR. JACK" COMEDY - UNIVERSAL WEEKLY

IMPERIAL Another Humping - Bumping Week - End FRIDAY Programme for Old and Young. "ARTIE, THE MILLIONAIRE KID" No. 19 of "THE IRON CLAW"

MON.-TUES.-WED. A Thrilling, Yet Humane Story of the Underworld and a Financial King. "SHOULD A MOTHER TELL" Feat. the Famous Danish Actress BETTY NANSSEN. A Burning Question of Vival Interest in 5 Acts. BRIGHT COMEDY, TOO! THUR.-FRI.-SAT. CHARLIE CHAPLIN in the Laughing Success "THE FIREMAN"

SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD. BASEBALL. Queen Square Won. A team from Queen Square defeated a team from Courtenay Hill on the Queen Square diamond last night by a score of 15 to 7. The batteries were—for the winners, V. Haley and R. Merryweather; for the losers F. Stackhouse and D. Mosher.

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TENNIS. Y. M. C. A. Results. In the continuation of the first round of the Y. M. C. A. tennis tournament played yesterday afternoon and evening, class A matches were won by H. Bunk and Sully defeated R. Stephenson 6-1, 6-4. The last of the first round matches will be played today and tomorrow.

THE BIG LEAGUES. Tom Daly Catches First Game of Season. Cleveland Wins and Loses. Red Sox Are Back in Third Place; Bush Pitches Well for Connie Mack's Aggregation; Alexander Holds Cubs to Three Hits.

By defeating Chicago in a double header the Red Sox got sweet revenge and incidentally jumped back into third place. The first six teams in the American League are well bunched. Cleveland and New York split even and as a result their positions remain unchanged.

American League. New York, July 11—New York and Cleveland broke even on a double-header today. The home team winning the first game by a score of 3 to 2, while Cleveland won the second game by a score of 4 to 2. The score: R.H.E. Cleveland . . . 00300000—2 6 0 New York . . . 30050000—3 11 1 Batteries—Bebe, Crouse, Gould and Billings; Cullon, Russell and Walters.

International League. Buffalo, July 11—Buffalo won another game from Newark today by beating Newark 10 to 1. The score: R.H.E. Buffalo . . . 10400000—5 8 0 Newark . . . 00100000—1 5 2 Batteries—Dunford, J. Scott, Cletchy, Russell, Ben, Walsh and Schalk; Lazpi, Ruth, Foster and Thomas.

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EMPIRESS. Bumper Program Wed. Thu. FIVE-PART PATHÉ GOLD ROOSTER PRODUCTION "AN AFFAIR OF THREE NATIONS" Featuring Arnold Daly and Sheldon Lewis. An absorbing mystery romance of international politics, intrigue, murder and the highly scientific methods of Ashton Kirk, detective.

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Would Public Stand For Dillon Willard Bout? Apparently soundings are being taken in different parts to determine how the public would view a Dillon-Willard bout; whether it would rise indignantly against a contest which would bring two men so different in size to combat, or be willing to pay to watch the consequences.

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**SOLDIERS' LETTERS**

Private Edward Jennings, of one of the overseas units in England, writing to his mother, Mrs. P. L. Jennings, from Roffey Camp, says:—"I had a letter from Frank about three days ago and I think he may be coming to England soon. He advised me not to be in a hurry getting leave, as he may have a few days with me if we can arrange to have leave at the same time. I am writing this in our tent, or rather marquee, sitting on my pile of blankets and rubber sheet. There are twenty-six in the tent. We were moved from the huts into tents in order to have the soldiers all together.

"We get to town once in a while and eat and we cannot get enough to satisfy our increased appetites. Yesterday, Sunday, there was a procession of the Blessed Sacrament at Brownridge Heath, a small town about one and a half miles away. Considering the small percentage of Catholics in the district it was great. The canopy was carried by four soldiers and had a guard of six soldiers. There were about forty soldiers present. The people walked, then the soldiers, then little girls in white with baskets of flowers, then was carried the Blessed Sacrament. Coming to the last after the little girls spread the flowers on the ground in front of the Blessed Sacrament. We picked up most of the flowers afterwards. I am sending you one and I think that it ought to be worth keeping.

"After the procession the soldiers were

**Water Tax Bills Show No Increase For Individual**

**Extra Number of Properties Supplied With Water Produces Increase in Total Assessment For 1916—More Meters Installed—Schools to Pay For Quantity Used**

The water assessment schedule has been prepared by the officials of the water and sewerage department, and will be presented to the Common Council today.

The schedule, as given herewith, shows an increase of \$2,206.88, in the total warrant, as compared with last year, but this by no means represents the increase of the city during the last year.

For one thing, the city assessors found a couple of million dollars worth of additional values in making up the 1916 assessment, but the water and sewerage department did not take advantage of this. Another reason why the increase in the schedule does not represent an indication of the growth of the city is the fact that the schedule does not include the taxes paid according to meter readings. Many of the largest consumers pay for their water according to meter and this does not appear in the list. In 1915 the income from this source amounted to more than \$40,000 and during the year many new meters were installed, thus removing the properties from the schedule of service rates and valuations. One effect of this is shown in this year's total for the eastern division of the city, in which the total taxes on the schedule show a falling off from last year.

The chief reason for the reduction is the fact that meters have been installed in the public schools and these properties are removed from the lists of services and valuations. Complaints have been made that the schools are among the worst offenders in the wasting of water and the meters were placed on the buildings to show just how much water is being consumed and wasted. If the bills appear too great, the trustees will have the option of exercising more care in the use of the water.

The total of the schedule this year is \$1,697,821.10, as compared with \$1,675,557.77 last year, not including the more than \$40,000 collected from metered properties.

The schedule for 1916 is as follows:

Valuation	Stock	Assessment	Total
North . . . . .	\$4,549,700	\$841,700	\$5,391,400
East . . . . .	14,251,700	2,888,100	17,140,800
West . . . . .	1,384,800	42,800	1,427,600
Lancaster . . . . .	1,288,400	128,800	1,417,200
	\$28,074,600	\$5,889,400	\$33,964,000

**LOCAL NEWS**

**RECENT CHARTERS.**  
The Norwegian bark Froulla, 1,880 tons, has been chartered to carry lumber from Bridgewater, N. S., to Buenos Ayres, B. S. Schooner Harry Miller, in here a few days ago with hard coal for Wm. Law & Company, will take deals from a Bay of Fundy port at \$84.

**GETTING ALONG WELL.**  
Work on the new concrete sidewalks in Lancaster is making favorable progress and now has reached a point below St. Rose's Church, Milford. Perhaps no improvement in this section of the parish has met with more hearty approval than this effort permanently to improve the sidewalks through a district much traversed and which would have been in a bad state this year with the prevailing wet weather. Out of the Manawagonish many holes in the road, largely caused by autos when the roadbed was in soft condition, have been filled in and the general condition of the highway has been considerably improved already this year.

**AUTO, WITHOUT A DRIVER, CRASHES INTO IMPERIAL POST**

George Crow's automobile was quite badly damaged this morning as a result of the machine colliding with one of the large lamp posts opposite the Imperial Theatre. Mr. Crow had occasion to leave his car standing outside his house on the south side of King square the car was facing Charlotte street. While he was in the house the car which was left out of gear was started ahead. His son, a small boy, was responsible, as it proceeded it gradually gained speed until it shot across the road and crashed into one of the lamp posts, where it came to a standstill. The large ornamental electric lights badly damaged crashing down on top of the car. Mr. Crow had left the power of on going into the house.

**COMMISSIONER FISHER EXPLAINS STAND HE TAKES**

In explanation of the course pursued by him at the meeting of the common council yesterday afternoon when he refused to vote for a bond issue for the purchase of an aerial ladder truck for the fire department, Commissioner Fisher said this morning:

"I firmly believed that a survey should have been made of the whole situation regarding the condition and needs of the fire department and that the council should have been asked to vote money for the purchase of equipment only if it had been shown definitely what apparatus is most urgently needed.

"I also felt that purchases of this size should not be made privately, but that the commissioner, after securing quotations, should submit to the council the list of companies and their prices, with his recommendation regarding the purchase of the particular apparatus of which he approved; the council must share the responsibility and the other members should have some opportunity to express their approval or otherwise.

"One reason why I wished for a survey was that it would give citizens who are qualified to give opinions an opportunity to express their opinions to the commissioners and we would thus be better able to estimate the direction of public opinion. The real proposition was not known until yesterday and we had no opportunity to give the matter consideration.

"Even so, if Commissioner McLellan had been willing even to bring his proposals for the purchase back to the council for ratification, I would have withdrawn my request for a survey and would have supported the expenditure."

**THE CITY HEALTH**

Of the seven Board of Health inspectors three have completed their rounds. The parts of the city inspected includes Dukes, Sweeney, Guy and Brooks wards. The conditions reported are better than last year, generally speaking, although there is room yet for improvement.

An epidemic of measles is reported on the decrease. In April there were ten cases reported to the board. In May 28, in June 50 and up to date of the present month there have been 28. During this month there have been almost two cases a day, but now a decrease has set in.

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**LETTER BRINGS FIRST WORD OF CASUALTY**

**Corp. Fred Breaux in Hospital—Wounded on Anniversary of Leaving For the War**

The following letter was received from Corporal Fred Breaux of the Grenadier section of a N. B. Battalion, by his mother, Corporal Breaux, who is a Northumberland county boy and a brother of Mrs. Stanley H. Taylor of this city, has been through the thickets of the fighting with his battalion from the first, but was wounded in the right hip from shrapnel in the heavy fighting in the vicinity of Ypres just prior to the big allied drive in which the Canadians distinguished themselves. He received his wound on June 18, the anniversary of his departure from St. John. The letter is written from St. Luke's War Hospital, London, and follows:

Dear Mother:

Just a few lines to let you know that I am getting along all right. I have been sent to a hospital in London and have the best of treatment. I was operated on on Monday, June 12th. While in hospital in France I was looking to be sent back to the firing line in two or three weeks but guess now that I am good here for some time longer. It is certainly wonderful what is being done for the wounded in these hospitals. They bring them through alive without arms or legs.

I am keeping the piece of shrapnel that removed from my hip. It was necessary to make it out eight inches long to get it; I feel no pain, however, and feel quite comfortable. We get plenty to eat, four meals a day and we can get anything we want. I tell you it is some change to get away from the trenches; it was awful where we were; the dead were lying all around, Canadians and Germans, but about five dead Germans to one Canadian.

We got a lot of prisoners the last time we were up at Ypres. The day before we went to the trenches for our last fight our sergeant was sent to hospital with sore eyes and I had to take his place. The day of the fight our officer was wounded and left me in charge of our bombing section. Just after I had posted the bombers, about four o'clock in the morning, I got mine. I had to stay in the trenches, however, all day and until dark. I could not get out and had no place to get into. I was very tired and I was up to us. The Canadians are doing fine work but are getting cut up pretty badly. Well, Mother, this will do for this time. With love to all the family and kindest regards to all friends, I am as ever,

Your loving son,  
FRED.

Corporal Breaux has never appeared in the official list as among those wounded.

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