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WEATHER—FAIR

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TEUTONS LOSE LONG SECTION OF FAMOUS HINDENBURG LINE

LENS SET ON FIRE EARLY YESTERDAY

Germans Expected Big Battle and Let Their Artillery Loose.

BRITISH GUNS REPLY VIGOROUSLY TO FRITZ

Canadians Having Light Work and Casualties Are Much Less.

Canadian headquarters in France, May 21, via London.—(By Stewart Lyon, special correspondent Canadian Press)—During the past two days there have been no infantry actions on the Canadian front except trifling affairs between patrols.

The enemy's artillery has been more active again. His observation balloons, well back from the front, are having a hard time of it, and the British aviators often destroy them. Another means of putting them out of business has been tried with success. A long range gun was trained on a balloon yesterday and its observers were forced to descend hastily in parachutes.

A large fire was seen in Lens early this morning. Our guns were shelling the enemy's position throughout yesterday and during the night, but the origin of the fire is, of course, not known. Its outbreak was followed by a pyrotechnic display of rockets from various parts of the German front in the vicinity of Lens. The rockets lit up the sky, and in a very few minutes the enemy guns put up a barrage along sectors on our front. An attack was apparently expected. The British guns to the north of us joined in the reply to the bombardment, which continued for some time, and sounded like that preceding an important battle. It died down in the vicinity of Lens, but continues to the north.

People at home will learn with pleasure that the daily average of casualties in the Canadian corps has been much lower recently than at any time since the battle of Vimy Ridge. While holding the line the men are having a quiet time, at least by comparison with their great exertions immediately before and after the attack on the ridge. Meanwhile our artillery steadily works away at the task of destroying enemy gun positions and defensive lines.

NEWFOUNDLAND MAY ENFORCE CONSCRIPTION

St. John's, Nfld., May 21.—A selective conscription law in Newfoundland, along the lines of that now in force in the United States and proposed in Canada, will probably be introduced at the annual session of the legislature, which opens May 23. Such action was forecasted today in a statement by Premier Sir Edward Morris.

Urges Military Service.

Melbourne, May 21, via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.—Sir W. Irvine, in a speech delivered here today, strongly urged universal military service. He said that until that step was taken Australia would not have done her full duty. This sentiment was loudly applauded.

Wants Compulsion.

Perth, Western Australia, May 21, via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.—The recruiting committee of this state has passed a resolution declaring that following the unmistakable mandate of the people of the Commonwealth Premier Hughes be asked to introduce immediately legislation compelling every eligible man, in his proper turn, to take his place at the front.

MOTHER SEES SON KILLED

Amherst, N. S., May 21.—A sad accident occurred in Amherst today when the ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Leary was run over by a heavy freight train and instantly killed. His mother was a spectator to the death of her son.

CONFERENCE, CONCILIATION AND CONSENT NECESSARY TO SOLVE IRISH PROBLEM

William O'Brien, Independent Nationalist Leader, Declares Government Learning How To Settle Great Issue.

JOHN REDMOND'S OFFER TO STEP DOWN IS DECLINED

Premier Says Settlement of Irish Question Would Help Win War — Wants Sinn Feiners at Momentous Conference — Carson Hopeful.

London, May 21.—It was announced by Premier Lloyd George in the House of Commons today that the government proposed to summon immediately a convention of representative Irishmen in Ireland to submit to the British parliament a constitution for the future government of Ireland.

The Premier said the chairman will be nominated by the crown. "If a substantial agreement is reached regarding the character and scope of the constitution framed by the convention the government will take the necessary steps to enable the Imperial parliament to give legislative effect to the convention. The convention will be held with closed doors."



THE RIGHT HON. D. LLOYD-GEORGE

Former Premier Asquith commended the government's proposals heartily. "If the convention fails, then heaven help us," he said.

Summarizing his impressions of the discussion, Mr. Asquith said he hoped and believed there was no party in Ireland that would be willing to assume the responsibility of repudiating the proposed convention which Mr. Redmond explicitly and wholeheartedly had accepted. He specially hoped that the Ulster Council would do nothing to discourage the proposal.

Sir Edward Carson, leader of the Irish Unionists, said he did not hesitate to assert that he found no reason to modify the opinion he had always held that the best solution of the Irish problem lay in maintenance of the Union. He did not know whether the Ulster Unionists would accept the government's invitation, but he did know that no threats would have the slightest effect. Whatever decision they took—and he hoped it would be a wise one—he would be with them to the end. He had not the least intention of deserting them.

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Wants Sinn Feiners.

Regarding finances, Mr. Lloyd George said the treasury would not forget that preparations and restitution began at home. In the judgment of the government, the Premier continued, a settlement of the Irish question would help materially in a successful conclusion of the war. Evidence had accumulated from many quarters of the importance, from a war point of view, of having this controversy settled. Irishmen had a passionate love of liberty and he desired to have them ranged on the side of the Allies and not torn by conflicting emotions.

"We need all our strength to win a triumph worthy of the sacrifices we have made," he added. The Premier cannot afford an unsecured score that saps her vigor. I appeal to the patriotic spirit of Ulster to help heal it.

The Nationalist Leader.

Mr. John Redmond said that if there were any feeling that he had said things which had left bitter memories he would be willing to step down in order to promote the harmony of the proceedings of the convention. This was received with cries of "No" from all parts of the House.

Mr. Redmond said that for the first time in his history, Ireland has been asked virtually to settle a problem for herself.

"I have the sure hope, Mr. Redmond continued, that the result of the

convention will be a blessed one for Ireland and the Empire. With all my heart I hope the convention will be animated by the true spirit of conciliation among Irishmen."

"I take it for granted," he added, "that all sections of Irishmen feel it their duty to come in."

Member for Cork.

William O'Brien, leader of the Independent Nationalists, said no Irishman would discuss the proposal of the government without grave and anxious consideration. A home rule settlement by the consent of all parties and by his countrymen of all persuasions had been the great object of his political life. The government's plan might well make the ears of every Irishman who had fought with him tingle with satisfaction because it showed the government had begun to find out that the only way to deal with the Irish difficulties was by conference, conciliation and consent.

O'Brien warned the government there would be grave difficulties to overcome in the election or selection of the members of the convention.

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LONDON MARKET MORE CHEERFUL YESTERDAY.

Special to The Standard.

London, May 21.—The better Russian news continued a cheerful influence on the stock exchange today. Gold and Russian securities were prominent, Russian bonds advancing 2 points. Other allied bonds were quiet but Brazilian and Mexican issues were active and firm. Leading gold mines and industrial received good attention and the American shares hardened. Money was plentiful and discount rates were dull. Consols for money

Special to The Standard.

London, May 21.—Traffic in still being delayed by the strike of Longshoremen here. The Canadian government finding itself in a peculiar position, as the strikers, who are union men, insist on the removal of Checker W. B. Month, a member of the Brotherhood of Railway Employees. The enforced removal of the checker would mean trouble for the brotherhood.

It seems to be up to the unions to settle the trouble themselves.

THE TEUTONS SACRIFICE MEN IN VAIN

French Defeat Germans, Inflicting Heavy Losses Along the Chemin-des-Dames.

(From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press.)

With the French armies in France, May 21, via London. While the Germans were throwing masses of men against the French positions along the Chemin-des-Dames, only to suffer defeat with terrible losses, the French last night effected an attack in the Moronvillers section and drove the Germans from some of their strongest positions. The French plans were brilliantly conceived and executed without a hitch. Their objective was most difficult, a hilly range filled with deep caverns afforded shelter to hundreds of men and machine guns, but the French infantry stormed the heights of Casque and Teton, respectively 786 and 754 feet in height, and carried them with a rush while other columns captured the trenches lining the northern slopes of Mount Carnil.

The result of these operations gives the French a commanding view of their left. The value placed on the possession of these hills is shown by the violence of the German counter-attacks in the course of the early morning, which everywhere broke down. They left more than 600 prisoners in the hands of the French while hundreds of bodies of Germans strewn the ground and lie in the cavernous shelters.

French Statement.

Paris, May 21.—The war office statement tonight reads: "The day was comparatively calm. The artillery actions were intermittent over the greater part of the front, except in Champagne, where the enemy violently bombarded the positions we occupied yesterday in the region south of Moronvillers. There was no infantry action."

"On the night of May 19-20 our airplanes dropped 2,200 kilos of explosives on railroad stations and bivouacs in the region of Bethenville. On May 20 the aviation group at Habsheim and bivouacs at Font-Faverger and Bethenville were bombarded with numerous projectiles."

The support line also was badly "strafed," some 6,000 yards of it now being in British hands, leaving the Germans holding the remaining 2,000 yards. The Hindenburg front line between the south end of the captured trenches and Bullecourt is in "dire danger," as it is flanked on both sides by the British.

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The engagement was really made up of two attacks, one in the early morning, when seventy prisoners were taken, and the second late in the afternoon, the two netting some 150 prisoners for the day's work in this sector. The German artillery response was very feeble, and the counter-barrage during the attack was particularly weak.

The prisoners taken came mostly from the 49th Reserve Division, which was recruited in the region of Posen and Breslau. It came to the west front from Roumania in February. Three officers are among the prisoners. The men showed by word and action that they are thoroughly tired of war. They had been in the line 21 days and constantly under the British shell fire. All of them said they had never seen anything like the artillery fire.

Italians Win Again.

Rome, May 21.—"In the Trentino the enemy artillery activity which began on Saturday grew more intense and more extensive yesterday," the Italian statement reads: "It was particularly violent between Adige and the Terragnola Valleys. The enemy was repulsed yesterday in the Campo area in the Doane Valley, southeast of Lake Poppo, at Rio di Camosca in the Adige Valley, and on the Maso torrent line in the Sugana Valley."

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Special to The Standard.

Woodstock, May 21.—Charles E. Dunn, prohibition sheriff of Woodstock, has issued an edict against druggists and restaurants in Hamilton and other places in his jurisdiction. He is enforcing an old "blue" law which prohibits the sale of groceries, fruit, candy, soda water, etc. on Sundays. He is opposed to the druggists handling anything except prescriptions on Sundays. In consequence of the sheriff's order he drug stores of Hamilton refuse to open on the Lord's Day. As far sales of liquor in the county any day of the week the subject is not to be mentioned across the border, so

MILES OF LENGTHY GERMAN DEFENCE LINE FALLS INTO HANDS OF THE BRITISH

Hindenburg Barrier from Bullecourt to Arras, with Exception of 2,000 Yards, Now in Possession of Gen. Haig's Men.

ENEMY AIRPLANES BROUGHT DOWN BY BRITISH AVIATORS

German Prisoners Heartily Weary of War — Italian Arms Win More Successes in the Trentino and in Daone Valley.

London, May 21.—The British troops are now holding the entire Hindenburg line from the east of Bullecourt to Arras, with the exception of trench elements on a front of about 2,000 yards west of Bullecourt, according to the official communication issued tonight. The recent gains northwest of Bullecourt have been consolidated. The statement says:

"Our new positions in the Hindenburg line northwest of Bullecourt have been secured during the day with little interference from the enemy. All information received confirms the severity of the German losses in the recent fighting in this area."

"With the exception of a sector about 2,000 yards long immediately west of Bullecourt we now hold the whole of the Hindenburg line from a point one mile east of Bullecourt to Arras."

"The hostile artillery has again shown considerable activity on the north bank of the Scarpe."

Enemy's Lines Crumbles.

(From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press.)

British Headquarters in France, May 21, via London.—So completely did the British artillery do its work before the attack between Croisilles and Bullecourt that 3,000 yards of the Hindenburg line are totally missing, this segment of the German defences was completely wiped out.

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G. A. HAYES SUCCEEDS GUTELIUS

D. A. Story Takes Hayes' Place — F. P. Brady in Charge West of Quebec.

W. A. COWAN ASSISTANT TO GEN.-SUPT. BRADY

Important Promotion on Staff of Canadian Government Railways.

Ottawa, May 21.—Mr. C. A. Hayes, at present general traffic manager of the Intercolonial Railway, will succeed Mr. F. P. Gutelius as general manager of the Canadian Government Railway system, according to an announcement made by the Minister of Railways and Canals to your correspondent this afternoon.

Mr. Hayes will take charge of a railway system of 4,063 miles. Mr. Hayes is recognized as a railway man of exceptional ability and came to the Intercolonial from the Grand Trunk about four years ago when Mr. Gutelius was appointed general manager of the government system. As a traffic expert he has few equals in Canada and his promotion is regarded in government circles as well deserved.

Mr. Story Promoted.

Other important changes are also announced. Mr. D. A. Story, at present general freight agent, becomes general traffic manager, succeeding Mr. Hayes. He has been for many years with the Intercolonial and has been of great assistance in helping to build up the I. C. R. to its present position. Mr. L. S. Brown, now superintendent, to have charge of the eastern lines of the government system to Quebec city.

F. P. Brady's Position.

Mr. F. C. Brady will be in charge from the Quebec Bridge to Winnipeg. This will mean that Mr. Brady's present jurisdiction will be divided at the St. Lawrence and he will have charge of all the lines west of that river, and Mr. J. K. McNellie and Mr. Brown will have charge of all lines east of the river. Mr. W. A. Cowan will be assistant to Mr. Brady.

TWO GIRLS AND BOY HELD FOR CHURCH FIRE

Will Be Tried Shortly at Hampton for Burning White's Mountain Edifice.

Special to The Standard.

Sussex, May 21.—The preliminary examination of Mary Perry, aged 17 years, Lily Perry, 15 years, and Charles Perry, aged 15, charged with burning St. Michael's Roman Catholic church at White's Mountain on the 4th inst., was held before Judge Folkins today. Several witnesses gave evidence of the accused being in the vicinity of the church on the day of the fire and of finding candles which were supposed to have been taken from the church in a clump of bushes which the children were seen to enter that afternoon.

Judge Folkins sent the accused up for trial at the first competent court of jurisdiction. The prisoners have elected for a speedy trial and will come before Judge Josiah at Hampton in the course of a few days, when it is believed they will tell all they know regarding the matter of which they are accused.

J. H. McPhaden, barrister of Sussex, represented the crown and Harris Ouseck of Havrelock appeared on behalf of the prisoners.

COMEDIAN KILLS HIMSELF.

New York, May 20.—Frederick Herbert Tyler, character comedian, and for twelve years with Maude Adams, committed suicide in a hotel yesterday by shooting. He was fifty years of age.

LIBERAL PARTY APPARENTLY FACING GRAVEST CRISIS IN ALL ITS HISTORY

Conscription Threatens to Rend Laurierites in Twain—Sir Wilfrid May Have to Swallow Promise to Quebec and Support Member

MANY ONTARIO LIBERALS FAVOR CONSCRIPTION

Telegrams Poring in to Liberal Leader from All Over Country Urging Him to Support Government.

Special to The Standard.
Ottawa, May 21.—The Liberal party appears to be facing the gravest crisis in its history. Conscription threatens to rend the party in twain, and indications are that unless Sir Wilfrid Laurier can be induced to abandon his well known hostility to conscription he will find himself at the head of a small faction from Quebec, repudiated by the overwhelming majority of his followers from the Maritime Provinces, Ontario and the west.

Telegrams are pouring in upon Sir Wilfrid Laurier from all over the country imploring him to rise to the nation's necessity and support the government. Fred Pardee, chief Liberal whip, left Toronto for a trip through the Ontario constituencies to sound public opinion. Before going he is known to have confided to friends that he believed Sir Wilfrid could be got to support the government's proposal. A close canvass of Liberal members today and on Saturday reveals the fact that if the Liberal leader surrenders to Quebec influence he will hardly carry with him a single Liberal west of the Ottawa river, with the possible exception of Edmonton.

"TIZ"—A JOY TO SORE, TIRED FEET

Use "Tiz" for aching, burning, puffed-up feet and corns or callouses.



Good-bye, sore feet, burning feet, swollen feet, tender feet, tired feet. Good-bye, corns, callouses, bunions and raw spots. No more shoe tightness, no more limping with pain or drawing up your face in agony. "Tiz" is magical, acts right off. "Tiz" draws out all the poisonous exudations which pull up the feet. Use "Tiz" and wear "musher shoes." Use "Tiz" and forget your foot misery. Ah! how comfortable your feet feel. Get a 3-cent box of "Tiz" now at any drugist or department store. Don't suffer. Have good feet, glad feet, feet that never swell, never hurt, never get tired. A year's foot comfort guaranteed or money refunded.

Children's Aid Society Agent, George Scott, a recent graduate of Yale Hill, but who has not yet been ordained to the ministry, has accepted the position of agent for the Children's Aid Society. He was in Sussex yesterday in connection with a case of child neglect charged with indifference.

TASTEFUL SATISFYING KING COLE TEA

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CONFERENCE, CONCILIATION AND CONSENT NECESSARY

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The Sinn Feiners already have announced their determination to stand aloof from such a convention, but may strong influences for harmony, and Baron Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company,



SIR E. CARSON.

decide to enter it, largely in the hope of preventing an agreement.

Earl Curzon made a statement in the House of Lords similar to the Premier's in the House of Commons. He said the subject was one which called for restraint, moderation and forbearance.

Uster Stands Firm.
There is no great optimism respecting the success of the plan apparent for Uster stands where she has always stood.



JOHN REDMOND.

was stood. Sir John Lonsdale, whip of the Irish Unionists, predicted the same deadlock, declaring that Uster would not be driven into a home rule conference and predicting that the Nationalists will not consent to the exclusion of six Uster counties.

Funerals.
The funeral of Hugh Gillen took place yesterday morning from the residence of his son-in-law, Joseph Kealey, 181 City road, to Holy Trinity church, whose region that mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Very Rev. J. J. Walsh, N. C. The floral tributes included a handsome cross from the members of No. 3 Home Company, 874 northwest corner of St. John's street. The funeral was held at the new Catholic cemetery.

MT. ALLISON GIRLS GIVE "GYM" DRILL

Anniversary Exercises of Academy and Ladies' College Held Afternoon and Evening.

Special to The Standard.
Sackville, May 21.—In spite of unfavorable weather this morning's physical culture drill held on the Ladies' college campus was very largely attended and proved to be of much more than ordinary interest. The young ladies, clad in black and white, presented a strikingly pretty picture as they marched, counter-marched and performed various gymnastic evolutions.

At eleven o'clock a splendid concert by the senior students of the Ladies' College was given in Fawcett Hall. This afternoon the anniversary exercises of Mount Allison Academy were held. Dr. Palmer reported that the annual mathematical and classical scholarships had been won by R. Merrill, Sackville. The Nelson shield for efficiency in bookkeeping was won by Gordon Atard West, Sackville.

Campobello.
Campobello, May 19.—The Red Cross Society were entertained at the factory recently by the Women's Auxiliary. The report from the recent convention held at St. John was read with satisfaction. Refreshments were served at the close.

WANT LIQUOR PROHIBITION.
Special to The Standard.
Moncton, May 21.—Local evangelical alliance today forwarded a petition to the Dominion Government calling upon parliament to take immediate action to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors for the duration of the war, also that a committee of experts be appointed to immediately investigate the high prices of the necessities of life, controlling prices whenever possible.

HOPEWELL HILL.
Hopewell Hill, May 21.—Lester H. Smith, judge of probate, returned from a week's trip to St. John. Mr. and Mrs. David Tingley are receiving congratulations on the advent of a son.

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Red Atrial Attacks of Heart Trouble FOR 5 OR 6 YEARS.

Diseases and disorders of the heart and nervous system have become frightfully prevalent of late years. One can scarcely pick up a paper but he will find reported instances of sudden deaths through heart failure, or of prominent men and women unable to prosecute their ordinary business or profession on account of a breaking down of the nervous system. We do not desire to unnecessarily alarm anyone, but to sound a word of warning.

When the heart begins to beat irregularly, palpitate and throbs, has shooting pains through it, it is time to stop and think. To all sufferers from heart and nerve troubles Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills can give prompt and permanent relief.

Mrs. Frank Arsenau, Newcastle, N. B., writes: "I had awful attacks of heart trouble for the past five or six years, and as I had tried many kinds of medicine without getting any better I decided to give Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills a trial, and to my surprise I found ease from the second dose. I continued taking them until I had used six boxes, and now I feel as well as can be."

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For this season selections were made with the utmost care and we can truly say that never have we offered a better choice in Men's Suits and Overcoats or a greater variety of models.

It's worth your while to come and see. Prices range \$12.50 to \$35.

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Make known your wants and we will ship your order the same day as received.

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Police Court.
In the police court yesterday James Jordan was charged with stealing a gold watch from J. E. Barry in the Lancaster Hotel, Fairville. After some evidence had been taken the prisoner was remanded. Harry O'Neill a teamster was told he was liable to a fine of \$10 for allowing his horse to trot on the new bridge and with using insulting language to the caretaker. A small fee was accepted and he was allowed to go.

Rotary Club.
A delightfully interesting talk descriptive of a ten weeks' trip to the West Indies, by R. L. Hunter, was the feature at yesterday's Rotary Club luncheon. Mr. Hunter took his hearers with him in R. M. S. Caraquee from Halifax to Bermuda, and on from island to island, giving an account of the characteristics and interesting features of each, as novel to a man from the north. He found all the people eager to trade with Canada, partial to Canadian goods and fond of Canadian people. There was also considerable talk favorable to union with Canada.

PERSONALS.
Mr. J. J. Walker, retired mechanical accountant of the Canadian Government Railways who has been in the city for some time, is visiting his son, Father Francis Walker and his daughter Madeline, left today for Sheldrake Cape where he intends to spend the summer.

DIED.
KYLE.—In Vancouver (B. C.), on the 19th inst., Mary, wife of John Kyle, formerly of Gibson (N. B.), leaving four sons and two daughters to mourn.

YOUNG.—In this city on the 21st inst., Walter B. Young, son of Edward and Ella Young, of Jemseg, leaving his parents, brother and two sisters to mourn.

FUNERAL.—At Jamaica Plain, Mass., on May 20, Florence A. Carpenter, wife of J. Allan Bolyes, leaving besides her husband, one son to mourn.

FUNERAL.—On Tuesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock from the Waterloo Street United Baptist Church. Burial at Fernhill Cemetery.

Don't Doubt That Works Like A Charm

Read how to lift pain (or callouses off your feet).

Lift your corns out with Not a twinge of pain or sore applying wards. This has a dramatic effect. Tired women have been cutting their toes, wearing their shoes, and calluses you will find of this kind.

Ask any druggist for a small tin. They here shown had for some time a few of these. They are not only sold in these little wooden boxes, but also in a little wrapper, anything else.

SHIPPING NEWS

| Date | Ship | Agent | Time | Time | Time |
|--------|---------------|------------|-------|------|------|
| May 21 | Full Moon | 8th | 10:10 | | |
| May 21 | Last Quarter | Bridgetown | 10:10 | | |
| May 21 | New Moon | 29th | 10:10 | | |
| May 21 | First Quarter | 28th | 10:10 | | |

PORT OF ST. JOHN

Arrived Monday, May 21: Valinda, Bridgetown; Breton, Sydney; Chignecto, Harbor, N. S.; Sheba, Nova Scotia.

Clear: Valinda, Digby; Breton, Sydney; Chignecto, Sch Emily R. Meteghan.

A TOTAL WRECK.
The tern schooner F. bound for St. John, and ashore on St. John's Ledge, Me., during a thick fog on May 21, is reported as wrecked.

SCH. HILLCREST CHARTERED

The tern schooner Hillcrest chartered to load lumber, yorks, thence case of Madport in the Azores.

NOTICE TO MARINE

The agent of Marine reports that Grindstone alarm will be discontinued three weeks commencing for the purpose of installing a new alarm plant.

A Wonderful Tonic for Women

A tonic that drives off distressing feeling of nervousness. A tonic that strength and vigor—the Headache, Biliousness, or indigestion—that purifies and clears the complexion and blotches.

Dr. Wilson's HERBINE BIT
The best of tonics for especially because it is of Nature's healing herbs used by the women of Canada more than half a century.

BRITISH FO

Captured Supply Line Yesterday—French

London, May 21.—British last evening captured trench behind the Hind trench taken during the war office so announced text of the statement read: "Our operations in the line between Bullecourt and Croisilles were continuing during the night, who had carried a front Hindenburg line yesterday and had repelled several attacks, renewed the attacking and anti-hand-to-hand captured a support trench. Hostile counter-attacks beaten off with heavy loss, whose troops were open by our massed artillery number of the enemy."

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PORT OF ST. JOHN

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BRITISH FOLLOW UP THE SUCCESSSES OF SUNDAY

Captured Support Trench Behind Hindenburg Line Yesterday and Repel Several Counter-Attacks—French Also Take Trench Line.

London, May 21.—British troops during last evening captured a support trench behind the Hindenburg line taken during the morning. The war office so announced today. The text of the statement reads: "Our operations in the Hindenburg line between Bullecourt and Fontaine-l'Évêque were continuing with success during the night. Our troops, who had carried a front trench in the Hindenburg line yesterday morning and had repelled several counter-attacks, renewed the attack in the evening and, after hand-to-hand fighting, captured a support trench also. "Hostile counter-attacks were again beaten off with heavy loss to the enemy, whose troops were engaged in the open by our massed artillery. A large number of the enemy's dead were

found in the captured positions. About 100 prisoners have so far been taken by us in these operations. Two German divisions have been engaged in the fighting in this neighborhood since yesterday morning. "We carried a successful raid last night near Loos. Early this morning an enemy party endeavored to enter our trenches southwest of Messines, but was driven off. "Another French Victory. "Paris, May 21.—Several lines of German trenches in the Champagne near Moronvilliers were captured last night by the French. The war office so announced. The French took eight Hun prisoners. They found the wrecked German shelters filled with dead. The Germans lost heavily in ineffectual counter-attacks.

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ROOSEVELT BOWS TO COMMANDER IN CHIEF

Oyster Bay, N. Y., May 21.—Colonel Roosevelt announces that all men who had volunteered to serve with him under the American flag had been absolved from all further connection with the movement, and that the only course open to them now is to enter military service in some other way if they were able to do so, and if not, to serve the country in civil life.

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CONSCRIPTION BILL READY FOR FRIDAY

Not Expected Agricultural Interests Will be Affected Seriously.

What Laverne Says. Montreal, May 21.—A despatch from Quebec to the Star says: "Being an officer in the militia, I shall be one of the first to be called out. I shall present myself without scrupling, and be a good soldier, for the government will have spoken and I shall obey. But the whole thing is wrong. Canada is already practically bankrupt through this war, and now she is taking another step toward ruin and annihilation. Such was the comment made by Col. Armand Laverne to the Star at Quebec regarding the conscription announcement. "I believe in Canada first," he said. "If it came to a question of Canada's interest, I would let that little island which governs us so, just as she would let us go were the allies beaten by Germany, and Canada demanded as a condition in the terms of peace. I would not fight voluntarily except for home defence."

Canada Will Profit. "The measure to be introduced in Canada will profit by this experience. All enrollments of the local boards will be forwarded to Ottawa and the selection of men will be made by a special board. Appeal from the decisions of this board will be taken to the county court. If, for example, a man be taken who is engaged in an essential industry, such as agriculture or munitions manufacture, he can appeal to the county court, and the military authorities would be guided by the decision of the judge. This system is now being worked in Britain with very satisfactory results. "It can also be stated that it is not intended to have local enrollments taken by the national service board. It is the intention to keep the National Service apart from enlistments for military service. It is not anticipated that conscription will impose a hardship upon agriculture or any other industry. According to figures brought down in the House the other day there are in Canada 58,000 single men without dependents who are not engaged in an essential employment."

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Ottawa, May 21.—The government's conscription measure will be introduced this week, probably on Friday. The cabinet met all day Saturday working out the details of the bill. While the final draft of the measure has not yet been decided, The Standard's correspondent is able to state that the bill will probably contain the following provisions: "The British system will be carried out as far as conditions in this country will permit. "From 18 to 40, "All males in the Dominion between the ages of 18 to 40 will be compelled to enroll. "Enrollment will be made with local boards created for the purpose. No class will be specifically exempted by the bill, but all selections will be made from the list of enrollments by the

Choquette Opposed.

Quebec, May 21.—Speaking on conscription, Senator Choquette, Liberal, said last night that those who had recognized the principle that when England was at war Canada was also at war could hardly be justified in opposing conscription. For himself, as he had opposed the former, he would oppose the latter also. He thought that the people should be considered on the question either by referendum or general election.

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May—Phases of the moon.

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| Full Moon, 6th | 10h. 43m. p.m. |
| Last Quarter, 13th | 7h. 59m. p.m. |
| New Moon, 20th | 5h. 49m. p.m. |
| First Quarter, 27th | 1h. 33m. p.m. |

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Sira Valinda, Brigetown, N. S. Cape Breton, Sydney, Chignecto, Advocate Harbor, N. S.; Sheba, North Sydney. Cleared.
Sira Valinda, Digby, Cape Breton, Sydney, Chignecto, Advocate Harbor, Sch Emily R. Meteghan.

A TOTAL WRECK.

The tern schooner H. S. Lanfair, bound for St. John, and which went ashore on St. John's Ledge near Ellsworth, Me., during a thick snow storm on May 2nd, is reported a total wreck.

SCH. HILLCREST CHARTERED.

The tern schooner Hillcrest has been chartered to load lumber for New York, thence case oil Maderia and two ports in the Azores.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

The agent of Marine and Fisheries reports that Grindstone Island fog alarm will be discontinued for about three weeks commencing May 24th, for the purpose of installing a new alarm plant.

Rotary Club.

Very interesting talk of a ten weeks' trip to the west, by R. L. Hunter, was the feature of yesterday's Rotary Club meeting. Hunter took his hear- ing in R. M. S. Carquet (fax to Bermuda, and on to island, giving an ac- curate characteristics and in- terest of each, as he traveled on the north. He found all eager to trade with Canada, Canadian goods and fond of people. There was also con- siderable favorable to union with

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ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, MAY 22, 1917.

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

FOOD CONTROL.

The regulation of food prices is a troublesome question, not to be settled by open-air mass meetings or newspaper demands for "leadership." The necessity for some sort of public control of prices of food in Canada has been recognized by the Government, and legislation has been provided for the punishment of those who usually exploit prices. The initiative, in such a case, has rested with the municipalities and they have not always used it as aggressively as circumstances seemed to warrant, as, witness the situation in St. John a few months ago when the milk dealers decided to advance their prices.

If it is advisable to take further steps in the direction of setting a maximum figure at which articles of food shall be sold the Government can be depended upon to effect the required action, but sane men, not carried away by political partisanship, or the desire to get just a little bit better treatment than their fellows, will realize at once that the problem is a difficult one, and can scarcely be arbitrarily settled without working an injustice somewhere.

Consideration of the price of flour brings more or less wild talk concerning the forcing up of wheat prices by speculators in the west. Those who make such allegations forget that the chief advance in the price of wheat was due to the purchases of the Allied grain-buying commission which bought hundreds of thousands of bushels of grain in Canada and the United States, not for the use of speculators, or that the grain-growers might benefit, but that the Allied armies might be fed. This increase in price was directly traceable to the war and could not be prevented by the Government unless by forbidding the commission to purchase at a figure higher than a certain limit. The fact of the matter is, as is generally recognized throughout the west,—despite the allegations of the promoters of a recent open-air meeting and the fiery declarations of our morning contemporary,—that the price offered for wheat by the Allied Commission was so attractive that many brokers sold short and when called upon to deliver found they could not do so without paying a much higher price. Thus the broker lost, the grain merchant got the extra price and the Allied Commission got the wheat.

It must also be remembered that the grain crop of last year, in Canada and in the United States, was hundreds of millions of bushels short. The shortage naturally tended to increase prices. The Government could not regulate that, or provide for a larger crop.

What is true of grain holds good in almost every item of foodstuffs. The raising of beef cattle was going behind in Canada for years before the war, the farmers devoting their attention to lines of agriculture and husbandry which brought larger returns. When the war caused an increased demand for meats the cattle were not there in sufficient quantity to supply that demand and at the same time to care for the needs of the people. Consequently, all meat prices advanced.

About the same time labor felt that with higher prices for food it was being insufficiently remunerated and rates of wages commenced to increase. Since the outbreak of war wages have increased in Canada at last twenty per cent, while the cost of living has experienced a sixty per cent advance.

The increase in wages is responsible, therefore, for at least one-third of the total increase in living expenses, yet if the Government were to step in any way in order to bring down the price of flour and bread, millers and bakers must work for so much less wages; or, to bring down the price of meat, butchers and drovers must be satisfied with smaller remuneration; to bring down the price of coal, miners must be content to sell their labor more cheaply, and to reduce the cost of freight,—an important factor in all estimates of prices,—railway men must accept a twenty per cent cut; what an outcry would go up from all those affected.

There is no doubt that the cost of living is a serious problem. There is also no doubt that the authorities will not stand for exploitation in 1917, but it must not be imagined that the high cost of food is due only to any one act or condition. Scores of factors contribute their little to make up the whole.

Regulation of food prices may be necessary, but those who demand it should carefully consider all the attendant causes for the present situation before condemning the Government, which, after all, is not to blame. But, of course, it is easier to blame the Government, or the capitalists, or

some "evidence of leadership" suddenly discover that it isn't conscription they want after all. It will be the same way with any other step the Borden Government takes.

Senator Choquette has announced that he is opposed to conscription. Those who recall the former utterances of this doughty member of the Upper Chamber will not be surprised at the information. Senator Roche of Halifax has yet to be heard from.

Coal goes up another dollar a ton. Well, there is some satisfaction in the thought that it soon won't be necessary to burn any for at least a month. That month of summer weather which we sometimes get is certainly a great boon to St. John.

Ontario undertakers are considering the advisability of increasing the cost of funerals. If that movement ever strikes New Brunswick the high cost of living will be rivalled by the high cost of dying.

The production campaign is now going well—except for the sweet unreasonableness of the weather man.

the grain-growers, or the millers, than to give serious and intelligent consideration to the whole matter and try to get at the real root of it.

LIBERALS AND CONSCRIPTION.

During the past few days the newspapers opposed to the Borden Government have had a great deal to say about "the need for leadership" and a great deal less to say about the evidence that in the Premier this country has a strong leader, as manifested by his courageous stand on the most vexing question of compulsory military service. Liberal newspapers are absolutely silent on the failure of Sir Wilfrid Laurier to embrace the opportunity to announce at once that, in a matter of this sort, there should be no opposition, but that the whole country should stand untidily behind the Government.

When the conscription resolution was announced in the House of Commons the Liberal leader made a speech more remarkable for what it did not contain than for what he actually said. It was phrased with all the Laurier craft, but it very carefully evaded any whole-hearted support of the policy. Instead, Sir Wilfrid pleaded for delay, for consideration, and at the same time rushed his chief whip post-haste to Ontario to learn how the plan would be regarded by the Liberals of that province. Presumably one of his French lieutenants, possibly, his "Dear Lucien," will undertake a similar mission in Quebec.

The conscription proposal is now receiving the attention of the Government and will be introduced in the House of Commons on Friday of this week. It will either pass without much discussion or it will be "talked to death" until the Government is forced to rely on its majority to put it through. The attitude of the Liberal party will be determined by the reports its leader receives from his agents. If he learns that the people of English Canada are strongly in favor of any action the Government may deem it wise to take in the interest of the Empire, the Liberals, with the exception of the irreconcilable Quebec minority, will probably "come through" and support the plan, while newspapers like the Telegraph and its imitators will attempt to convey that the party was in favor of it all the time.

If, on the other hand, Laurier is advised that Canada contains enough slackers to make compulsory service unpopular, he is likely to put up his talking machines to debate the measure and thus kill precious time while the Canadian armies in France and Flanders are in need of reinforcements.

The attitude of the Liberals on conscription as on all questions of aid to the Empire will be dictated by political expediency rather than patriotism. If they can make capital for themselves by opposing it they will do so; if their organizers and whips advise them that the people are in no mood to be trifled with, they not only will support it but will also seek to steal the credit for first introducing the legislation. And the Telegraph and other journalistic party hacks will feebly follow in the train.

The esteemed Times is inclined to be skeptical over the statement that the Canadian statesmen, recently returned from England, accomplished anything of value by their visit. It sneers at the thought that Canada is to stand in a new relation to the Empire after the war and in a clumsy attempt at satire intimates that, if such is the case, the admission was "wrong" from British statesmen by the Canadian visitors. The whole purpose of the Times' paragraph is to take a side-swipe at the Standard, but our friend is in error. The statement that Canadian representatives at the Imperial Council and war conference had done a great work was the opinion of Dr. George R. Parkin, Imperial Rhodes' Scholarship Commissioner for the Empire. And most sane people will prefer to take Dr. Parkin's opinion on any question under the sun in preference to that of the editor of the Times.

A party of American newspaper men has invaded New Brunswick on a fish-killing expedition and the Frederickton Gleamer naively informs its readers that they are fully supplied with "all necessary" equipment. Let's see, isn't there something about fishing trip "equipment" that is not supposed to be in evidence in a prohibition province?

And now that Sir Robert Borden has announced that he will introduce a measure providing for compulsory military service the Liberal newspapers which have been shouting for

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The end.

THREE ST. JOHN SOLDIERS FIGURE PROMINENTLY IN THE CASUALTY LIST

Pte. P. R. Allaby Killed in Action — Pte. R. B. Chesley Seriously Ill — G. R. Climo Also Reported Ill.

G. R. Climo.

H. Climo received another telegram yesterday morning informing him that his son, Driver Gilbert Robertson Climo, is officially reported seriously ill in a hospital in Huddersfield. Recently he sustained a gunshot wound in the back. The news of today will be heard with regret by many friends.

Private R. B. Chesley.

A few days ago Mrs. Charles Berryman of 6 Canon street, was advised from Ottawa that her nephew, Private Roger Bert Chesley had been wounded in the war. Yesterday morning she was advised that he was seriously ill, and had been admitted to Christ Church Hospital, England, on May 18. Private Chesley is twenty-one years old.

Private Percy R. Allaby.

Mrs. A. E. Allaby, of Victoria street wife of Rev. A. E. Allaby, now acting pastor of Port Elliot and Bayville Baptist churches, received word yesterday morning that her son, Pte. Percy Richard had been killed in action on May 10. Pte. Percy was one of three sons who donned the uniform. He went overseas with the first contingent as a member of a well known New Brunswick unit. He is the first of the three sons to receive injury.

Hard Coal Prices.

The Board of Trade recently wrote to the department of Trade and Commerce in connection with the price of anthracite coal, and yesterday the secretary received a communication from Sir George Foster stating that the department had the matter under consideration and would do every-

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DIVISIONAL ENGINEERS TO BE APPOINTED?

To Supervise Road Work—
John L. Feeney, C.E., Turns Down Offer of Job with Carter-Foster Government.

The provincial government is being severely criticized for its delay in announcing a road policy. No question is of more vital importance to the people of New Brunswick than that of good roads and the people naturally want to know what the new administration is going to do with respect to their maintenance.

The Carter-Foster government before coming to power pledged themselves to hand the management of the roads of the province over to a commission. This, however, they now seem reluctant to do. The services of the provincial engineer of roads, John L. Feeney, C.E., an engineer of standing and repute, have recently been dispensed with. Mr. Feeney was offered a position as divisional engineer on the highways under his successor, Burton M. Hill, a railway constructional engineer of experience, but with little or no experience in road work. This offer Mr. Feeney promptly refused.

It is felt that Mr. Feeney was removed because the sympathies of his family are not directed in support of the present administration. The fact that the Carter-Foster government is offering appointments as divisional engineers would seem to indicate that the administration had in mind the carrying out of a plan somewhat similar to the new road policy of the Hon. Mr. Smith.

MARRIAGES
Robichaud-Pitman.

The Cathedral was the scene of a pretty wedding early yesterday morning when Miss Jessie Edna Pitman of this city became the bride of Henry H. Robichaud of Annapolis, N. S., in the presence of relatives and friends. The ceremony took place at nuptial mass, celebrated by Rev. William M. Duke. Following the ceremony, the wedding party returned to the home of the bride's parents in Brindley street, where a dainty wedding breakfast was enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Robichaud will reside in the city for the present, but will later remove to Annapolis, where they will make their home.

Plumbers' Strike.
The plumbers' strike is still in force and those who want plumbing done have to wait. No advances have been made by either side looking toward a settlement of the difficulty and from present indications the strike will far away. Yesterday one man broke away from the ranks of the strikers and it is understood went to work for G. and E. Black. Mr. Black, when asked about the matter said he knew nothing of the strike and had no interest in it. "I know nothing of what the master plumbers are doing and am not interested one way or the other," was his statement to the representative of The Standard.

Clergyman Has Recovered
Was Unable to Fill Appointments and Greatly Discouraged by Continued Ill-health.

Ganaouque, nt., May 21—The many friends of Rev. George Alton are pleased to learn of his recovery after a long period of ill-health from biliousness, stomach troubles and severe headaches.

Mr. Alton had become very much discouraged over his inability to obtain relief, and thought he would have to quit the ministry, when fortunately he read about Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and began their use. He tells the particulars of his case in this interesting letter:

Rev. George Alton, Ganaouque, Ont., writes: "I had been suffering from bilious attacks for four years. I was very weak, had headaches, and my stomach was so bad that I could hardly eat anything without being troubled by it. I had tried many cures, herbs, pills and salts, and was under the doctor's care for some time, but instead of getting better I seemed to get weaker. I was unable to fulfill my appointments on Sabbath and had to secure help. I used to take dizzy spells and could not walk across the floor straight. I had almost given up all hope, and my wife said that if I did not get better we would have to quit the work of the ministry. However, in looking over the 'British White', the well-known Kingfisher paper, I saw Dr. Chase's advertisements in it, and read how Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills had helped others who were troubled as I was. I resolved to give these Pills a trial, and I must say that in a short time I obtained relief. I continued taking them for some time, and now I am able to resume my work again. From the benefit I have obtained from these pills, I would recommend them to all who suffer as I did."

Rev. C. Cunningham, 124 First Avenue, Toronto: "This is to certify that I am personally acquainted with Rev. George Alton of Ganaouque, and believe his statement with reference to Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to be true and correct."

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Farming operations in the upper St. John river valley have been greatly retarded by the cold and wet weather of the past few weeks, according to L. M. Mitchell of Woodstock, who is in the city. Mr. Mitchell has travelled extensively this month through Carleton, Victoria and Madawaska counties. The farmers who make a specialty of potatoes are short of fertilizer and quite a percentage of them are short of seed as well, they having sold large quantities of the tubers during the bull market of the past winter and early spring.

The ground is cold and in the wet sections damp. It will probably be June before the potato grounds are all seeded. Similar conditions prevail on the Maine side of the border.

In Madawaska the maple sugar makers have had an excellent season, and the industry of the importance to the people of that county.

At the headquarters of the St. John and its tributaries there is still much snow in the woods and the water is quite high.

OBITUARY.
Miss Laura Stafford.
The sudden death of Miss Laura Stafford, daughter of the late Patrick Stafford, occurred at her home, Sewell street, Sunday. The funeral will take place this morning at eight o'clock to the Cathedral.

Michael J. McCarthy.
Many residents of St. John will regret the death of Michael J. McCarthy, formerly of this city, which occurred recently in East Boston. Mr. McCarthy was about fifty-two years of age and quite a native town when but a boy. He leaves his wife and seven brothers, all of whom now reside in the states. Mrs. E. J. Broderick and John Abbott, Britain streets, are cousins.

Mrs. J. Allan Belyea.
The death of Mrs. Florence A. Carpenter, wife of J. Allan Belyea, formerly of this city, took place in Jamaica Plain, Boston, on Sunday afternoon, May 20. Besides her husband she is survived by one son, Ralph, of Boston, and two sisters, Mrs. G. D. Jones, Pet-wood, and Mrs. V. V. Hatfield, Waterloo street. Mrs. Belyea was a daughter of High Sheriff Coles Carpenter of Carleton county, and was born in Woodstock. The body will be brought here by noon train today and the funeral held from Waterloo street Baptist church at three o'clock in the afternoon. Mr. Belyea, husband of the deceased, was at one time buyer for M. R. A. Ltd., later connected with his goods store in King street with his late brother, Robert, and about ten years ago moved to Boston with his

family, taking a position with Jordan, Marsh & Co., Boston.

Hamilton Ray Travis.
R. B. Travis, druggist, Main street, has received a despatch telling of the death of his brother, Hamilton Ray Travis, which took place in Dorchester, Mass., on May 17. The late Mr. Travis was about forty-eight years of age and was born in this city. He leaves besides his wife, two sisters and three brothers. The sisters are Mrs. Harold Climo and Mrs. Atkinson Morrison of this city; the brothers are John S. of St. Louis, Charles of White Head, Kings county, and R. B. Travis of this city, to whom the word came.

Walter E. Young.
The death of Walter E. Young, of Jemseg, occurred last night at the General Public Hospital after an illness of nine days of pneumonia. Mr. Young was 24 years of age and was well known around Indiantown where he had worked for a number of summers, and was very popular with the younger members of the community. He is survived by his parents, Edward and Ella Young, of Jemseg, one brother Arnold at home, two sisters, May of this city, and Vivian at home. The body will be taken to Jemseg by the steamer Champlain today, and the funeral will be held at Jemseg Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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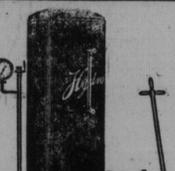
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NEWS AND COMMENT FROM THE FINANCIAL WORLD

AUTOMOBILE SHARES HIT LOW LEVEL

Although Motors Heavy Metal Stocks Were Strong as Were Other Departments—Steel Rises to 125 3/4.

New York, May 21.—Industrial, notably the steel and iron stocks, ruled today's active but relatively restricted market to an extraordinary degree. Inquiry for these issues seemed to be prompted by additional trade advice of a highly favorable tenor. Extensive short covering and growing public participation were accelerating factors.

Other Metals Strong. Related stocks like Lacksawana, Crucible, Midvale and Superior Steels and Republic Iron and Colorado Fuel took rank among the other strong and active issues at gains of two to three and a half points.

Metals, oils and sugars were in less demand, but finished at irregular advances. Shipings were variable, the strength of Atlantic, Gulf and West Indies being more marked because of the comparative heaviness of cargoes.

Rails Fairly Strong. Rails were intermittently prominent but failed to register more than moderate gains, despite cheerful comment and reports of increased western tonnage.

Bonds were firm, a condition to which an enlarged enquiry for international contributions appreciably.

Total sales, par value, aggregated \$2,075,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call, but the coupon 4's fell 3/4 cent on a sale.

MONTREAL SALES.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Montreal, Monday, May 21st—Steamships Com—50 @ 28. Tran Debentures—11,000 @ 74 1/2. Steamships Pfd—4 @ 87. Brazilian—25 @ 40 1/2. Textile—15 @ 88.75 @ 88 1/2. Can Cement Com—5 @ 60 1/2. Steel Canada—5 @ 59.10 @ 59 1/2. 10 @ 59 1/2. Dom Iron Com—280 @ 61 1/2. 35 @ 59 1/2.

Civic Power—30 @ 77 1/2. 300 @ 78. Dom War Loan, 1925—300 @ 96 1/2. 1917 Loan—3,000 @ 94 1/2. 2,000 @ 95. Smelting—25 @ 26 1/2. 500 @ 27. 27,100 @ 37 1/2.

Ridgdon—50 @ 124. Wayagamack Bonds—1,000 @ 84. Illinois Pfd—10 @ 83. Brompton—25 @ 49 1/2. 225 @ 49 1/2. 325 @ 60. Can Cotton—10 @ 52. Penmans Ltd—25 @ 72.5 @ 71 1/2.

Afternoon. Steamships Pfd—1 @ 87 1/2. Brazilian—10 @ 40. Textile—3 @ 85 1/2. Steel Canada—75 @ 59 1/2. 35 @ 59 1/2. 40 @ 59 1/2. 135 @ 60. 10 @ 59 1/2. Dom Iron Com—235 @ 61 1/2. 15 @ 61 1/2. 20 @ 62. Shawinigan—35 @ 122 1/2.

Civic Power—100 @ 77 1/2. 117 @ 78. Dom War Loan, 1925—300 @ 96 1/2. New War Loan, 1931—300 @ 95 1/2. 1937 Loan—30,000 @ 94 1/2. 1,000 @ 95. Canada Car Com—10 @ 28. Toronto Ry—10 @ 81 1/2. Smelting—10 @ 27. Laurentide Pulp—75 @ 17 1/2. General Electric—10 @ 107. Scotia—100 @ 95. Quebec Ry—105 @ 27 1/2. Illinois Pfd—10 @ 83. Brompton—300 @ 50 1/2. 15 @ 50. 105 @ 50 1/2. 25 @ 50. 30 @ 50 1/2.

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| Ames Holden Pfd | 40 | 40 |
| Brazilian L H and P | 40 | 40 1/2 |
| Canada Car | 28 | 30 |
| Canada Cement | 60 | 60 1/2 |
| Canada Cement Pfd | 92 | 92 |
| Can Cotton | 52 | 52 |
| Civic Power | 77 1/2 | 78 |
| Detroit United | 112 | 112 |
| Dom Iron Com | 61 1/2 | 62 |
| Dom Iron Pfd | 61 | 61 |
| Dom Tex Com | 88 | 89 |
| Laurentide Paper Co. | 178 | 180 |
| MacDonald Com | 11 | 12 |
| N Scotia Steel and C | 92 | 94 |
| Ogilvie | 144 | 146 |
| Quebec Railway | 27 1/2 | 28 |
| Shaw W and P Co | 122 | 124 |
| Spanish River Com | 14 | 15 |
| Steel Co Can Com | 99 1/2 | 100 |
| Steel Co Can Pfd | 91 | 91 1/2 |
| Toronto Halls | 81 1/2 | 82 |

TRADING NARROW IN MONTREAL MARKET

Canadian Investors and Traders Refuse to Enthuse Over Bull Market in Wall Street.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, May 21.—The general tendency prices in the Canadian stock markets today was upward, but the movement was narrow and trading continued relatively in small volume. On the whole the response to the pronounced strength and great activity in the New York market remained disappointing, but some encouragement was again derived from greater breadth of trading, a few more stocks of but rare activity recently making their appearance in day's business.

Against the low record price of 46 touched few days ago Brompton sold at 50 1/2 today, closed at 50 1/2, with a gain of 1/2 for the day. The dealers were on a fairly large scale, upwards of 1,200 shares changing hands.

Other paper issues did not share in Brompton's activity, but prices generally were well maintained. Ridgdon sold at 124 or unchanged. Laurentide, inactive for a long period, came out at 17 1/2, a net decline of 2 1/2 which was representative of the rest of the stock rather than any new selling pressure.

Bids on Spanish River common and Wayagamack were advanced fractionally to 114 and 112 1/2, respectively. An advance of 1/2 to 3/4 in the third Canadian war loan was the feature in bonds.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS

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| Am Bt Sugar 90 1/2 | 90 1/2 | 90 1/2 | 90 1/2 |
| Am Car Fdy 69 | 70 1/2 | 69 | 70 1/2 |
| Am Loco | 69 | 71 | 68 1/2 |
| Am Sugar 10 1/2 | 10 1/2 | 10 1/2 | 10 1/2 |
| Am Smelt 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 |
| Am St Fdy 63 | 64 1/2 | 63 | 64 1/2 |
| Am Woolen | 51 1/2 | 51 1/2 | 51 1/2 |
| Am Tele 120 1/2 | 120 1/2 | 120 1/2 | 120 1/2 |
| Anaconda 80 1/2 | 81 1/2 | 80 1/2 | 81 1/2 |
| AH and L Pfd 60 | 61 1/2 | 60 | 61 1/2 |
| Am Can | 46 | 46 1/2 | 45 1/2 |
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| Balt and O | 69 1/2 | 69 1/2 | 69 1/2 |
| Bald Loco | 59 | 60 1/2 | 58 1/2 |
| Beth Steel | 128 1/2 | 131 1/2 | 128 1/2 |
| B Rap Tran | 58 1/2 | 60 | 58 1/2 |
| Butte and Sup | 44 1/2 | 45 1/2 | 45 1/2 |
| C F I | 51 1/2 | 53 1/2 | 51 1/2 |
| Ches and O | 58 | 58 | 57 1/2 |
| Chino | 55 1/2 | 56 1/2 | 55 1/2 |
| Cent Lead | 8 1/2 | 8 1/2 | 8 1/2 |
| Can Pacific | 16 1/2 | 16 1/2 | 16 1/2 |
| Cruc Steel | 69 1/2 | 71 1/2 | 69 |
| Erie Com | 25 | 25 1/2 | 24 1/2 |
| GT Nor Pfd | 105 1/2 | 106 1/2 | 105 1/2 |
| Good Rubber 40 1/2 | 40 1/2 | 40 1/2 | 40 1/2 |
| Gen Electric | 158 1/2 | 159 1/2 | 159 1/2 |
| Gen North Ore | 34 | 34 1/2 | 33 1/2 |
| Indus Alco | 130 | 130 1/2 | 128 |
| Inus Copper | 58 1/2 | 58 1/2 | 58 1/2 |
| Kan City | 80 | 81 1/2 | 78 1/2 |
| Kenn Copper | 46 1/2 | 46 1/2 | 45 1/2 |
| Mer Mar Pfd | 81 1/2 | 81 1/2 | 79 1/2 |
| Mex Pet | 91 1/2 | 92 1/2 | 92 1/2 |
| Miami Copper | 40 | 40 1/2 | 40 1/2 |
| Mid Steel | 59 1/2 | 60 1/2 | 59 1/2 |
| NY NH and H | 39 | 39 1/2 | 39 |
| NY Central | 89 | 89 1/2 | 89 1/2 |
| Ont and West | 121 1/2 | 121 1/2 | 121 1/2 |
| Nor Pacific | 101 1/2 | 101 1/2 | 101 1/2 |
| Nat Lead | 36 1/2 | 36 1/2 | 36 1/2 |
| Nev Cons | 24 1/2 | 24 1/2 | 24 1/2 |
| Penn | 33 | 33 1/2 | 32 1/2 |
| Press Stl Car | 25 1/2 | 25 1/2 | 25 1/2 |
| Read Com | 89 1/2 | 90 1/2 | 88 1/2 |
| Rep Steel | 84 1/2 | 84 1/2 | 84 1/2 |
| St Paul | 74 1/2 | 74 1/2 | 73 1/2 |
| Sto Pacific | 92 1/2 | 92 1/2 | 92 1/2 |
| So Railway | 25 1/2 | 25 1/2 | 25 1/2 |
| Sloss | 54 1/2 | 54 1/2 | 54 1/2 |
| Studebaker | 80 1/2 | 81 1/2 | 79 1/2 |
| Union Pac | 125 1/2 | 125 1/2 | 125 1/2 |
| U S Stl Com | 123 1/2 | 123 1/2 | 124 1/2 |
| U S Rubber | 56 1/2 | 56 1/2 | 56 1/2 |
| Utah Copper | 113 1/2 | 114 | 113 1/2 |
| Westinghouse | 54 1/2 | 54 1/2 | 54 1/2 |
| West Union | 92 1/2 | 92 1/2 | 92 1/2 |
| US Stl Pfd | 118 | 118 1/2 | 118 1/2 |

CHICAGO PRODUCE

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| Chicago, May 21.—Wheat—No. 2 red, and No. 3 red, nominal; No. 2 hard, 3.08; No. 3 hard, nominal. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 1.70 to 1.73; No. 3 yellow, 1.69 1/2 to 1.71; No. 4 yellow, nominal. Oats—No. 3, white, 72 to 73 1/2; standard, 73 to 74. Rye—Nominal. Barley—20.24 to 20.80. Timothy—5.75 to 3.00. Pork—12.00 to 17.00. Lard—22.45 to 22.55. Hams—20.20 to 20.60. |
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COTTON MILLS IN DOMINION PAYING MORE

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UNITED STATES STEEL STILL SKY-ROCKETING

Hits 125 3/4, Another High Mark for the Year and Rise of Three Points for Day.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, May 21.—United States Steel continued to set the pace by making a new high record for the year every hour, the highest at 125 3/4 up three points for the day. The pace was one that not all other stocks kept up with but the list was strong almost throughout. The Motors after some early weakness did a little better but the Copper stocks were sluggish.

There was a great volume of public buying in the steel issues, and the railroad equipment issues, and the trading public is evidently convinced that these corporations are in for a long run of prosperity regardless of the Liberty loan and a good run of moderate sized takings make the prospect for the government's first big war issue steadily brighter and in fact now leaves no room for fears of an unfavorable influence upon stock prices from that quarter.

Supreme court dismissed two cases against the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company for violations of the Commerce Act. Supreme court restored toocket for re-argument of cases against steel corporations. No other important decisions were rendered.

NEWS SUMMARY

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, May 21.—Market comment: The immediate bull factor in the market is the Liberty loan campaign. When the effectiveness of this is demonstrated, as it will be sooner or later, the response thereto by quoted values should be vigorous. Meantime irregular improvement is expected. Under such conditions conservatism and discriminating purchases of standard steels, equipments, copers and leading specialties on recessions should give satisfactory results. The rails may lag temporarily, pending the action of the I. C. C. on increased rates. The underlying trend of financial affairs as we see it is becoming more definitely constructive.

Short Items—Copper metal prices, declares a well informed copper interest, are not likely to go higher even with prolonged war. It is conceded now that war demands are responsible for enormous metal supplies and the high prices. The next big movement of metal prices must of necessity be downward. That is the reason why the Copper stocks are not materially higher than they are today. Rock Island would be among the first to respond to an advance in freight and according to well informed interests. Purchases of equal amounts of the various issues are being recommended. The common is held in an excellent speculative attraction.

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COAL STRIKE IN WEST MAY HAMPER MINING

Gold, Silver, Zinc and Other Metal Mines Likely to be Handicapped by Lack of Coal.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, May 21.—The new refinery of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company at Trail turned out 83,000 pounds on Saturday, a new high record, according to a wire from Rossland. An output of 4 1/2 tons zinc compares with a production of 25 tons a day aimed at when the original plans in connection with the zinc plant were drawn up.

The steep in the coal mining industry of the west may temporarily retard some of the company's activities. The treatment of the customs ore, that is ore from outside companies may be restricted and silver and gold production may be halted. But the latter can wait a more favorable day if there is no interference with the company's production of metals like zinc and lead called for in munition making and selling at war prices.

The electrolytic process employed in the zinc plant eliminates very largely the dependence on coal. As it is the company has two to three months supply of coke on hand which it is considered will amply protect the company's activities in the production of war metals.

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Base Ball, Basket Ball, Other Sporting News

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TROUNCED WINSTON'S

NOVICES LAST NIGHT

Score 10-3—Game Called at
End of Second—Good
Crowd Saw Initial Game at
St. Peter's Yard.

With saddened hearts and low-bent
heads Winston's diamond performers
left the St. Peter's ball yard after the
opening game of the season, wonder-

LOCAL BASEBALL

Schoolboy Game at Y. M. C.

Senior League Contests

at Y. M. C. A.

BASKETBALL

First Game Last Night in Boys'

Boys' Club League.

The "A" team was defeated by "D"

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ST. JOHN IN SORE NEED

OF A RECREATION GROUND

SAYS Y.M.C.A. DIRECTOR

Mr. Winston Advocates a
Movement for Provision of
Facilities for Out-Door Sum-
mer-Time Recreation.

"I am surprised and disappointed at
the lack of facilities in St. John for
outdoor summer recreation," said
James F. Winston, physical director
of the Y. M. C. A. in an interview with
The Standard yesterday. "Why, there
hasn't even one good baseball diamond
on which the young men might avail
themselves of the favorite pastime."

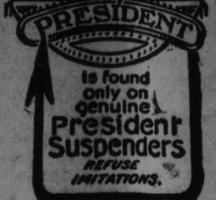
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genuine
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suspenders
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IMITATIONS.

WALKS AND SEASONAL FLORAL EXHIBITIONS

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

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Meadow plucked slight ball. The
score was 4 to 3. The score:
St. Louis . . . 44010100-4 11 3
Brooklyn . . . 00000100-1 1 1 1
Batteries—Meadows and Gonzales;
Cheney, Marquard, Dell and O. Miller.
Cincinnati 2; Boston 1.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

NOTICE TO MARINERS

OPPOSITION ASKS SOME QUESTIONS

Hon. Mr. Murray, Hon. Mr. Smith, Mr. Jones and Mr. Sutton Put a Few Timely Queries to Carterites.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, May 21.—The following notices of enquiry have been filed:

By Hon. Mr. Smith, Carleton: Has the government awarded the contract for the building of the Upper Jemseg Mouth Bridge, in the County of Queens, for which tenders were called by the ex-Minister of Public Works?

If so, to whom was the contract awarded, and at what price?

Who are the contractors that tendered for this work, and what was the amount of each tender?

What amounts of money were paid and charged to ordinary roads and bridges from the first of November to the first of April in each year—1909 to 1917 inclusive?

Has the government adopted a uniform rate of wages for the supervisors of roads throughout the province? If so, what rate is paid per diem?

Has the government adopted a uniform rate of wages for teams throughout the province? If so, what is the rate?

By Hon. Mr. Jones (Kings): Mr. Jones of Kings filed the following questions:

At what points in the province has the government established free ferries, and upon whose recommendations were such ferries made free?

Did the government receive any petitions or communications respecting free ferries; if so, from whom, and what was the nature of such petition or communications?

Hon. Mr. Murray of Kings presented the following:

Who acted on behalf of the government in the purchase of seed oats on Prince Edward Island?

What are the names of the large number of farmers in Carleton county from whom enquiry was made by telephone regarding seed oats?

What are the names and numbers of the agricultural societies with the address of the secretary of each to whom seed grain or potatoes have been delivered or sold, and what amount has been paid in cash by each society, or what amount is owing on notes by each and for what time are the notes drawn?

What are the names and addresses of the responsible farmers to whom

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TWO NURSES MEET DEATH BY ACCIDENT

Pieces of Shell Fired by Naval Gun in Practice Hits Women on Way to Front.

New York, May 21.—The Associated Press today carries the following: Two American nurses, members of an ambulance unit on its way for service in France, were killed yesterday on board an American steamer, when pieces of a shell fired by a naval gun in practice ricocheted from the surface of the water and scattered among a group of nurses and surgeons. A third nurse was seriously wounded. The steamer sailed on Saturday evening for Europe. With her flag at half-mast, she came into an American port this morning, bringing the bodies of the dead nurses. These were brought ashore. The steamship will leave again at an unnamed time.

RAILROAD MEN MUST KEEP FIT

There is a splendid fraternal spirit among the men who earn their living on the railroad. Good news is passed along from man to man, and it was in this way Mr. Frank Ide, a well-known Buffalo Pullman car conductor, learned how he could free himself of terrible pains in the groin and back and painful urination from gravel, the result of his kidneys being out of order.

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"WOLF OF WALL STREET" AND RINTELEN GUILTY

New York, May 21.—Captain Franz Rintelen of the German navy, David Lamar, known as the "Wolf of Wall Street," and Henry B. Martin, described as a Washington lobbyist, were found guilty here last night on charges of having conspired, in 1915, to disrupt the munition traffic between this country and the Entente Allies. The jury, which had been out more than twenty-nine hours, disagreed as to four other defendants.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast: Maritime—Moderate to fresh winds, fair, not much change in temperature.

Washington, May 21.—Forecast: Northern New England—Cloudy Tuesday, followed by rain; Wednesday rain, moderate, variable winds.

Toronto, May 21.—A moderate disturbance is centred tonight over Missouri, moving slowly northeastward, and rain is falling in western Ontario. Some light local showers have also occurred in the Maritime Provinces and in Alberta. Elsewhere the weather has been fair. It continues cool in near all the provinces.

Table with columns: Location, Min., Max. Rows include Dawson, Prince Rupert, Victoria, Vancouver, Kamloops, Calgary, Battleford, Saskatoon, Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Parry Sound, Toronto, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, Halifax.

Around the City

Balfour Cannot Come. A communication from Sir George E. Foster to Mayor Hayes announces that on account of other plans having been made for the limited time at his disposal it is not likely that Right Hon. A. J. Balfour will be able to visit St. John.

The Harbor Fishing. Harbor fishermen yesterday reported a run of shad and a falling off of gaspereaux. The retail quotation for shad is 50 to 75 cents each. About forty of these fish were taken in waters yesterday morning and a few were landed by men operating drift nets. A run of salmon is expected soon.

Austro-Germans Captured. N. Rattenbory and K. Rebers, escaped Austro-Germans, were captured Saturday afternoon, five miles from Truro, N. S., by officers of the Intelligence Department, under District Intelligence Officer Captain F. S. Goodspeed. These alien enemies, with J. Boroski, who was taken into custody Thursday near Truro, escaped from Melville Island, May 13.

The Early Closing. The clerks in the C.P.R. offices, King street, and West St. John, will enjoy special hours during the summer commencing next Monday. They will go to work an hour later in the morning and leave an hour earlier in the afternoon, while on Saturday they receive a half holiday. The employees of the C.P.R. freight sheds on Mill St. will get the Saturday half holiday.

A New Wire. To accommodate increasing business the C. P. R. Telegraph Co. is now running a new copper circuit between St. John and Halifax. This will give the company new wires for commercial work between the two cities, enabling the public to enjoy a better service than ever before. The C. P. R. Telegraph Co. is also reconstructing its line between Sussex and Moncton, the remainder of the circuit having been rebuilt during the past couple of seasons.

Canadian Club Speakers. President James H. Frink of the Canadian Club has sent an invitation to George Bury, vice-president of the C. P. R., to address the members of the club in this city. Mr. Bury has recently returned from Russia, and in reply to the invitation says he would be happy to accept but as conditions have changed so much since he left Russia he would not feel justified at this time on basing an address on his observations. President Frink is in communication with W. H. Taft and Theodore Roosevelt, endeavoring to secure them as speakers for the club.

Arrested for Stealing Ride. An Englishman who gives his name as Arthur Johnson was arrested by a C. P. R. official last evening and charged with stealing a ride on the outward bound Boston express. The arrest was made near the Murray & Gregory siding before the train reached the cantilever bridge, and the prisoner was placed in a cell at police headquarters.

Looking for Diamond Bargains. A lady's announcement in answer to those in search of real bargains in diamonds, generally rings, that while there is no one special stone much cheaper than the others, that every ring in stock today is priced considerably below what it could be bought and sold for this spring.

Dykeman's Fully Prepared. That's the impression you have after you have strolled through at your leisure. The two bright floors at Dykeman's fully prepared for the holiday with everything in sport wearing apparel that will help you to make your holiday more pleasant. The splendid assortment of Sport Mitties, Sport Spots and Striped suits, and Wash Skirts, and at prices that you never dreamed that every pretty little styles could be bought for. A visit will convince you, and Don't forget, it's Neckwear Week at Dykeman's.

EMPIRE DAY OBSERVANCE IN SCHOOLS

Picture of Late Lieut. Charles M. Lawson Will be Unveiled During High School Exercises.

At the Empire Day services in the public schools of Canada this year special emphasis will be laid on the fact that this is also the jubilee year of the Dominion. In the city all the schools which have exhibition halls will have programmes dealing with the Empire and Confederation. Those schools which have no exhibition hall will have special exercises in the rooms along the same lines. The schools which will have public exercises are High School, Alexandra, Winter street, Albert and Victoria.

At the High School the special feature will be the unveiling of the portrait of Lieut. Charles M. Lawson by an officer of the 26th Battalion. All returned members of the 26th are invited to attend the exercises and take seats on the platform. The programme is as follows: Essay, "Confederation," John Jordan; chorus, "O Canada," essay, "St. Leonard Tilley," Marion Thompson; mandolin duet, Redvers Maasie and John Humphrey; recitation, "Pro Patria," Marjorie Manning; solo, "The Motherland," Yveta Tansman; essay, "Development of Canada," Douglas Frits; chorus, "The Lads of the Navy," address, Rev. Dr. Hutchison; cello solo, Traumerle, McGregor Grant; address, Dr. J. H. Frink, president of Canadian Club; flag salutation; God Save the King.

At the Alexandra school the programme will be largely Canadian and will well repay the time spent in visiting the school to hear the children, who, under the teaching of Miss Ella McAlary, have been studying for some time. The first number will be a reading on "Jacques Cartier" by four boys from grade 8, this will be followed by an essay on "Confederation" by a grade 6 pupil from Miss McLennan's room, next will be an essay on "Canada since Confederation" by a pupil from Miss Scott's, grade 7, then will follow a cantata "The Key of Jack Cawback's Treasure House" in addition Mrs. B. L. Gerow will sing and Dr. Elias Alward will deliver an address.

THE INDUCTION OF ARCHDEACON CROWFOOT

Impressive Services in St. Paul's Church Last Evening in Presence of Large Congregation. The induction of Archdeacon Crowfoot took place last evening in St. Paul's church before a large congregation. Amongst the clergy present were Bishop Richardson, Rev. Canon Daniel, Rev. Canon Armstrong, Revs. E. B. Armstrong, Loweth, A. H. Cody, Holmes, J. W. Millidge. At the close of the evening prayer Rev. Mr. Armstrong read the first lesson and Rev. Canon Daniel the second. After the Bishop had delivered the customary questions he delivered the Bible and prayer book to the Archdeacon exhorting him as to the use of the holy books. Rev. J. W. Millidge read the mandate of induction and the church warden inducted the new rector at the door, giving him the keys to the church. The rector then gave several strokes on the bell to notify the parishioners of his induction. The solemn service concluded with prayers. After the service a reception was held in the Sunday school room when the parishioners met their new rector and a social hour spent.

There is No Strike. Walter C. Brown, a meter inspector in the gas house, and Arthur C. Colwell, a meter setter, left their work last Friday and it is understood their grievance was that three dollars a week additional to their salary was not given by the company. Speaking regarding the matter last night, an official of the company said there was nothing in the line of a strike as mentioned in an evening paper. The two men in question walked out and would not wait for an increase which was due next month. Other men are doing the work and there has been no inconvenience in carrying on the business of the company.

INCREASED PRODUCTION CAMPAIGN

Employment Notice. Farmers can secure the help of boys for the season by writing (giving age and wages) to James Gilchrist, Supt. of Immigration, 108 Prince William street, St. John, N. B.

FOR SALE CHEAP FOR CASH.—Being unit for overseas service, will sell officer's uniform absolutely new cheap for cash. Write at once. Officer, care Standard.

Band Concert Today. The 217th Battalion band will render a concert on the King Edward stand, King Square, this afternoon. This is a good musical organization and an excellent programme has been arranged.

Presented With Watch. James Albert Dickson of the C.P.R. round house has joined the 24th Siege Battery and on Saturday his fellow employees presented him with a gold wrist watch.

SOLDIERS AT HALIFAX FOR THE PROVINCE

More Expected to Arrive Today — Recruiting Picked up a Little Yesterday—62nd Have Fourteen on Muster.

HONOR ROLL. W. Robt. Manning, Norton, N.B.; Stanley Segee, St. John, N. B.; 5th Field Ambulance. N. A. Milbury, Port Lorne, N.S.; H. B. Purchase, St. John, N.S.; Canadian Engineers. C. E. Conway, Milford, N. B.; Forestry Company.

In addition to the above names on the honor roll four others made application for enlistment yesterday. Two of the party requested that their names be withheld from publication for the present. The Canadian Engineers and the Field Ambulance Corps divided honors, each securing five men. The 62nd Regiment has now a total of fourteen men on the muster roll.

Engineer for N. B. Command. Lieut. H. S. McKee, C.E., who has been attached to the headquarters staff at Halifax, has been transferred to St. John and will take up his duties this week in the city. Owing to the increase in military activities in the province since the first year of the war military authorities are of the opinion that the services of an engineer in the province are required. He will have his headquarters in St. John.

Members of Kilties in City. Several members of the 236th Kilties Battalion who arrived in the city for the week end left last night for Fredericton. In the party were many St. John boys. It is reported that this was the last furlough to be granted in the province.

Arrived at Halifax. Among the soldiers to arrive at Halifax yesterday were the following New Brunswick men: Bandmaster F. W. McNicholl, Privates J. C. Berry, J. W. Christie, W. A. Pirih, J. J. Flood, A. E. Cooke, C. S. McLennan, J. H. Pitt, H. Price, I. Winchester.

Bandmaster McNicholl Home. Among the 850 returned soldiers who arrived in Halifax yesterday morning was Bandmaster F. W. McNicholl of this city. Mr. McNicholl is well known in musical circles in St. John, having for a long time held the position of bandmaster of the artillery band. When he enlisted for overseas duty he was director of the Temple Band and a member of his bandmen went to Montreal with him and enlisted in a band of which Mr. McNicholl had been appointed bandmaster. It is expected that he will arrive in St. John this morning.

With the Kilties. John Conway visited yesterday at Fredericton for the 236th Kilties Battalion. Major Morgan and Major Sturdee and Laurie of the Kilties passed through the city enroute to Halifax to complete a special course which they commenced several weeks ago.

Three Sons in Khaki. In a letter to his mother, Albert L. Thompson writes that he is well and enjoying the life at the front. He said he was not the only one of the bombardment of the German guns it was nothing compared with the terrific bombardment the Allies are able to parhioners of his brother, Harry, who enlisted in a provincial unit and is now at the front also. Mrs. Geo. F. Thompson of Hampton has three sons at the front. Besides the above two another son, Fred, is in khaki and is at present in England.

A SUCCESSFUL YEAR FOR EPWORTH LEAGUE OF CENTENARY CHURCH

Society Entertained Last Night — Farewell to Rev. W. H. Barraclough — About Seventy-five Present.

The Epworth League of Centenary church held a very pleasant supper and social evening last night in the Sunday school rooms of the church. The evening was of twofold significance. It not only marked the closing of a most successful year for the society, but it was the occasion of a farewell to Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Barraclough, who are soon to take up residence in Moncton.

There were about seventy-five present and all entered into the spirit of the occasion. Lawrence Hennigar made a capable and popular chairman. After doing justice to a sumptuous repast the party had the pleasure of hearing a choice programme consisting of instrumental and vocal numbers. The trio, the Misses Thorne, Israel, and Scott were heard advantageously in popular selections and were the recipients of an enthusiastic encore. The trio, the Misses Thorne, Israel, and Scott were heard advantageously in popular selections and were the recipients of an enthusiastic encore. The trio, the Misses Thorne, Israel, and Scott were heard advantageously in popular selections and were the recipients of an enthusiastic encore.

850 MEN WERE RECRUITED FOR 65TH BATTERY

Splendid Success of Popular Artillery Unit and More Recruits Joining Daily— Sergeants Have Unusual Success.

A St. John member of the 65th Overseas Battery, now stationed at Woodstock, writes that recruiting for this popular unit is progressing nicely and that a large number are expected to join the battery during the present week.

Three members of the battery have just returned from Kingston, where they were taking courses in field artillery. Officers and men were delighted with the showing made by those who went to take the N. C.'s course, but came back with lieutenant certificates. Sergt. R. K. Watson and Sergt. L. P. Ludgate of Woodstock are the men who qualified for their lieutenantcies, while Gunner A. D. Waterson of St. Stephen received his sergeant's papers, leading his class. Their excellent showing speaks volumes for the work of Major Evans, Captain Berrie and their assistants.

An evidence of the popularity of the 65th Battery it is stated that 204 men have proceeded overseas from this station within the past year. The total strength at present is seventy-four, and counting transfers to other units, about 30 men have been enlisted, a splendid showing for the artillery branch of the service.

General Benson, General McLean and Major Jones were in Woodstock on Monday for an inspection and they were well pleased with the showing made by the battery. They arrived at noon and left the same night for Fredericton to inspect the 236th. The battery was lined up in the armory and at sharp 2.30 the inspecting officers came on the parade, the general salute was given by our trumpeters, the usual preliminaries were gone through that the generals are entitled to, then the inspection of the men, foot drill, section gun drill and then they were taken by car to the field where the mounted parades are carried on, and inspected the horses. This over they returned to the hotel and departed for Fredericton. Shortly after the arrival at noon, the town council, headed by Mayor Burt, called on the inspecting officers to extend to them the welcome of the town, and if there had been more time the council had hoped to show them about the town. Lieut. G. H. Lutz, who had his arm broken a month ago, returned to Woodstock Wednesday to have the cast removed. It will be some time yet before he will be fit for duty as the break was a bad one.

THE GOLDEN WEDDING CELEBRATED YESTERDAY

Mr. and Mrs. James Buchanan Made Happy with Gifts of Gold, Glass, Flowers and Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. James Buchanan celebrated their golden wedding yesterday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. E. A. Benn, 45 Garden street. Their friends were received between two and five o'clock in the afternoon and seven to ten in the evening, and scores called to congratulate them. Eight children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan and of the six now surviving four were present. Mr. A. Benn, two other sons, George A. of Cincinnati, who is here with his wife; Mrs. Edward Smith, of Boston; Mrs. Walter Spruille, of this city; and Mrs. J. A. Benn. Two other sons, W. J. of Brooklyn, and Rev. Charles H. of Oden, Indiana, were unable to be present on account of their duties.

Gifts of gold were received by the fifty year old bride and groom. The firm of J. and A. McMillan, with whom Major Buchanan has been connected for over forty years, presented him with a handsome coin purse filled with gold and the staff of employees made a similar gift. The elders and session of Calvin church presented the Major with an elaborate electric reading lamp, while gifts of cut glass and flowers made Mrs. Buchanan were both numerous and beautiful.

HELP FOR THE FARMERS' WIVES

Farmers' wives can secure the help of teachers or stenographers during the summer holidays by applying to James Gilchrist, Provincial Immigration Office, 108 Prince William St., St. John, N. B.

Mrs. Fred W. Vincent. Mrs. Fred W. Vincent died in the Public Hospital on Sunday of pneumonia. Mrs. Vincent was only 28 years of age and leaves besides her husband, her mother, Mrs. Coffel, of Cody's, Queens county; one brother, Leslie, and two sisters, Josephine and Etie, all of Cody's. The pastor of the church the seatings of these present. The remainder of the programme was as follows: Mrs. A. P. Crockett, solo; Rev. W. H. Barraclough, address; Miss Hilda Galley, vocal solo; H. V. McKinnon, address; Miss Hilda Brittain, piano solo; and F. T. Barraclough, address.

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Flags for Victoria Day. WOOL BUNTING FLAGS OF ALL KINDS. Union Jacks—1, 1 1-2, 2, 2 1-2, 3 yards to 6 yards, \$1.50 to \$23.50. Dominion Ensigns—1, 1 1-2, 2, 2 1-2, 3 yards, \$1.75 to \$7.25. Red Ensigns—2, 2 1-2, 3, 5 1-2 yards, \$3.00 to \$14.00. White Ensigns—1, 1 1-2, 2, 2 1-2, 3 to 4 1-2 yards, \$1.25 to \$10.75. Flags of the Allies—France, U. S. A., Russia, Serbia, Italy and Japan; St. George, St. Andrew, St. Patrick, 3 yards, \$3.40. Scotch Standards—2 1-2, 3, 3 1-2, 4 yards, \$4.75 to \$11.00. U. S. A. Flags—All sizes in stock. HOUSE FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

Sale of Wash House Dresses TUESDAY MORNING. These dresses are very suitable for housecleaning time. Good Prints and Gingham in spots, stripes or checks, 34 to 42 in. best measure, All One Price \$1.00 each. COSTUME SECTION. Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited.