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PROBS—FAIR

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AUSTRIANS DRIVEN FROM LUTSK WHILE GERMAN LINE IN GALICIA WEAKENS BEFORE RUSSIAN ONSLAUGHT

RUSSIANS RETAKE LUTSK, 4,000 OF ENEMY PRISONERS

Czar's Army Pushes Back Von Mackensen's Line in Galicia, Forces Austrians From Fortress They Captured in Great Drive and Force Von Hindenburg's Advance to Slow Down—German's Admit Reverse in Vilna Section.

LUTSK RE-CAPTURED BY RUSSIAN FORCES

London, Sept. 25.—"The battle north of Lutsk was a great success for the Russians, who took 4,000 prisoners and re-captured the town of Lutsk," says the Petrograd correspondent of Reuters' Telegram Company.

London, Sept. 24.—As "a measure of elementary prudence" Greece has ordered the mobilization of her naval and military forces. Thus the action of Bulgaria, in making military preparations, has brought the last remaining Balkan state under arms, for Roumania, while not fully mobilized, for some time has had her troops ready for an emergency.

What plans Bulgaria really has in mind, and what Greece and Roumania will do when these plans mature, are still matters for speculation. One thing seems clear, however, Bulgaria and Turkey, for so many years sworn enemies, have composed their differences.

The successes which the Russian General Ivanoff has been having in Galicia and Volhynia, it is considered in military quarters here, may still have an influence in more than one way in the Balkans. Gen. Ivanoff has been so successful in the German Field Marshal Von Mackensen, who is fighting north of the Pripiet marshes, eastward of Brest-Litovsk, has, according to the German official report, been compelled to withdraw his line somewhat, as it was in danger of being encircled, while the Austrians have been driven back across the Stry, and, according to one account, have evacuated the fortress of Lutsk, in the Volhynian triangle of Fortresses which they captured during the great drive.

These successes, which extend to the Rumanian frontier, would, in the opinion of military observers, serve to ease the situation on the Rumanian flank, should Rumania join Russia, and in addition might well prevent the Austro-Germans from sending an army, which, it is estimated, must consist of at least a half million men, to make an attack on Serbia.

In the centre the Russians are still falling back, while in the north, Field Marshal Von Hindenburg continues to make progress with his offensive against Dvinsk, although at a much slower rate than formerly, as the Russians are stiffening their resistance. East of Vilna the Germans admit a temporary check, during which they lost guns to the Russians.

There has been a continuation of the furious artillery struggle in the west. According to the Berlin official report a British attack south of the La Bassee Canal broke down under the German fire.

After a fortnight of comparative inactivity, during which they sank only five British merchant ships, German submarines again are on the move off the Irish coast. Since Tuesday they have sent five British steamers to the bottom.

French Artillery Destroys German Block House

Paris, Sept. 24.—The following official statement was issued by the French War Office tonight:

"The enemy today bombarded our trenches near the villages and the castle of Boesinghe (Flanders)."

"In Artois the same activity prevails on both sides on the part of the artillery. The fire of our heavy pieces caused the explosion of an important depot of ammunition near Thelus, north of Arras. A few shells of large calibre have been fired on Arras."

"Between the Somme and the Oise, towards Canny-Sur-Matz and Beuvrains, we have shelled the enemy positions."

"On the front of the Aisne and in

Champagne a very violent and reciprocal bombardment is reported. "Between the Meuse and the Moselle, at Nonsard and Pannes, some German groups were hit by our fire. We also destroyed a blockhouse in the Remonville section."

"The cannonading has been rather serious in Lorraine, where we badly damaged some German organizations, on the Remobals and on the Vesouze, and also in the Vosges, in the region of Linze Braunkopf."

Crew Escaped in Ship's Boats
Queenstown, Sept. 24.—The Houston liner Hestone, bound from Liverpool for Buenos Aires, was sunk yesterday. The crew of the vessel escaped in two lifeboats. One of these boats, containing the captain and twenty-two men, was picked up and landed here. The other boat with eighteen men in it, is reported to have made for the Sicily Islands.

The boats lost touch with each other during last night. The Hestone was a vessel of 3,663 tons gross. She was built in 1889, and belonged to the British and South American Steam Navigation Company.

Heavy Reinforcements for Crown Prince's Army
Geneva, Sept. 24.—Word reached Basel, Switzerland, that the German Crown Prince has received from 35,000 to 40,000 reinforcements in the forest of the Argonne during the past ten days. Several batteries of light and heavy guns also have been sent to him.

The garrison at Colmar, capital of Upper Alsace, is reported to have been reinforced and hundreds of soldiers are hastily constructing new trenches around the southern portion of the town.

DOMINION STEEL REPORT VERY ENCOURAGING

Million and Half Notes Due Nov. 1 Will be Paid and Preferred Dividends Will be Considered at End of Fiscal Year.

Montreal, Sept. 24.—It was stated by Sir Henry Pellatt after the meeting of directors of the Dominion Steel Corporation held here today that the \$1,500,000 notes due November 1, would be paid. Sir Henry stated that the corporation's bank loan had been reduced to about \$1,800,000, that the business being effected was in every way satisfactory, and that earnings by November 1 would justify the redemption of short term notes. By the end of the fiscal year, Sir Henry continued, the company would be in a position to consider the resumption of preferred dividends. Present earnings of the corporation justified the payment of these, but the directors were desirous of improving the financial position of the company further before taking up that question.

The directors passed a resolution of condolence to be forwarded to the family of the late Sir William Van Horne. The vacancy caused by the former vice-president was not filled. Mr. William McMaster acted as chairman of the meeting.

KING FERDINAND HEARS SOME PLAIN SPEAKING FROM THE OPPOSITION MEMBERS

Bulgarian Statesmen Opposed to Alliance with Teutons Tell King They Hold Him Responsible for Disastrous Policy in 1913, Which Brought Defeat to Nation, and Warn Him Against Danger of Repetition of His Folly — Premier Cables Bulgarian Legation at Washington Mobilization Not to be Interpreted as Intention to Attack Neighbors

BERLIN TRIES TO BALK ANGLO-FRENCH LOAN

Participation by German Financial Houses in States will be Regarded as Disloyal to Fatherland.

Berlin, Sept. 24.—By Wireless to Sayville.—The Overseas News Agency says today:

"A committee representing a combination of the largest industrial association has published a statement dealing with reports from New York that banks which have London connections with German houses intend to participate in the Anglo-French loan, which is being raised in the United States. The statement says there is no room for doubt that German industrial and mercantile quarters would regard direct or indirect participation in the loan as intentional support of our enemy. It states that it is the natural and honorable duty of German firms doing an American business to break off all connections with the loan."

The Vossische Zeitung adds the remark that English papers again mention Kuhn, Loeb & Company, of New York, as inclined to participate in the loan."

MORATORIUM IN GREECE

London, Sept. 25.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Athens says:

"Without distinction of parties the press unanimously approves the measure taken by the government in defence of Greece."

"All Greek steamers have been requisitioned. A moratorium will be immediately established."

Chamber of Deputies to Be Convoked
London, Sept. 25.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Athens says:

"A decree has been promulgated convoking the Chamber of Deputies on Wednesday to pass an act of martial law, and to put at the disposal of the government all the state railways. The transportation of merchandise has been forbidden."

EX-MEMBER FOR RICHMOND CO. N. B. SELLS OUT FOR \$19,000,000

Sydney, Sept. 24.—The death of Joseph Matheson, ex-M. P. P., occurred today at L'Ardoise, C. B., in the 83rd year of his age. Mr. Matheson represented Richmond county in the House of Assembly from 1886 to 1897, and sat in the House of Commons from 1900 to 1904. He retired from public life in the latter year.

Milan, Sept. 24, via Paris.—Additional details of the recent interview between King Ferdinand of Bulgaria and a number of opposition leaders are given in a despatch from the Corriere della Sera, who states that he received his information from a trustworthy source in Nish. The Bulgarian statesmen who went to the king representing the parties opposed to the Radoslavoff ministry, were: M. Mallinoff and Dr. S. Danoff, former premiers; M. Geshow, former Bulgarian minister at Berlin; M. Zanoloff and M. Stambulivsky.

"The audience was a historical one," the correspondent writes, "since seldom has royalty heard such plain speaking. One by one, the opposition leaders protested against the adventurous policy of allowing Bulgaria into the arms of Germany and attacking Serbia, stating that it was contrary to popular sentiment and the interests of Bulgaria."

"They warned the king that they held him responsible for the disastrous policy of 1913 (Bulgaria's defeat in the second Balkan war), which they called 'criminal folly.' They protested solemnly against the present policy of making common cause with Germany against Russia. Bulgaria's friend and liberator, saying it would be the ruin of the country and that Ferdinand would be held responsible."

"All were agreed in demanding the convocation of parliament, inasmuch as the Radoslavoff ministry was supported only by a small minority, and asserted that if the government continued its present course, disturbances of the gravest character would be provoked."

M. Stambulivsky, representing the peasants, told King Ferdinand that if he obstinately continued this policy his dynasty and his life would be imperilled."

"The king showed resentment at the frankness of his interlocutors. He contented himself with replying merely that he would inform the premier of their opinions."

The correspondent added that these were the precise facts in regard to the interview, though it was to be expected that the Bulgarian government would deny any such statement.

Does Not Mean Intention
To Attack Her Neighbors.
Washington, Sept. 24.—A statement cabled to the Bulgarian legation here today by Premier Radoslavoff announces that Bulgaria does not intend aggressive action against any of her neighbors, and that her mobilization is not to be considered as indicating that she is about to enter the war.

Minister Panaretoff called at the state department today on his return to the city after some weeks absence. He said Premier Radoslavoff explained his government's action as parallel to that taken in other countries adjacent to the belligerents, like Switzerland and Holland, which were under arms for their own protection.

Sofia, Sept. 24. (3 p. m.)—Although a partial mobilization of the Bulgarian army has been announced here as imminent, it is now general and comprises all the reserves since 1886, thus including men approaching their fiftieth year.

The total Bulgarian forces, including Macedonia, is likely to reach 700,000. These not included so far are untrained men and a small class which is exempt under taxation.

Save for an outburst of enthusiasm interests which founded the plant, nearly a half century ago, to purchasers whose identity has not been disclosed. The sale price approximates \$19,000,000. The deal was completed this morning, when an agreement of sale was signed, after negotiations lasting several weeks. Payment, it is said, will be made later in cash through the Girard Trust Company, of Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Sept. 24.—The Midvale Steel Company, one of the largest of the so-called independent concerns in the country, was today sold by the Philadelphia.

CANADIAN'S TRENCHES LIKE IDEAL COMMUNITY

Surroundings Comfortable, No Discord, but All Cheerful and Willing to Do Their Share — "Good as Regulars with Clean Record" — Their Reputation for High Solderly Qualities Grows Steadily.

By Special Cable to The Standard.

London, Sept. 24.—On his recent Sir Robert Borden and Sir George Perley obtained from the War Office leave for Canadian Press representatives to visit the battle front. It is therefore through the courtesy of Canadian ministers that your correspondent was enabled to visit our Canadian boys in the firing line. The programme provided for 75 hours in France with visits arranged to three Canadian hospitals, to lunch or dine at the various headquarters staffs, visit the trenches of the three brigades and ruined Ypres.

The details were admirably organized by Colonel Sir Max Aitken and his assistants.

On landing we saw Lady Perley and went on a visit to the Canadian hospitals and the Red Cross. We found the hospitals as perfect as skill and money can make them. No. 2 Stationary Hospital, under Colonel Shillington is ideally situated. It has very few patients at present, with practically no Canadians. The medical officers report the patients are as delicately fed as in any hospital in Montreal.

No. 3 general, the McGill hospital, is housed in magnificent tents used at the India Durbar. Unquestionably it is the finest tent hospital in the field. Generous gifts of ambulances and costly apparatus from Canada and the United States make this hospital splendidly equipped in other respects. It is worthy of Canada's patriotism and of the cause.

AS GOOD AS REGULARS.

We passed unending columns of motor transports marked with the autumnal maple leaf excellently equipped. The Canadian contingent is steadily growing in size as it is also growing in reputation and esteem. British staff officers were unstinted in their praise to me of the high soldierly qualities of Canada's boys. The following statements speak for themselves: "As good as regulars and not a single case of crime against women."

There was extraordinary quietness in the trenches during our visit and a perfect autumn weather. The trenches are dry and clean enough for a bishop. There are no smells except at 6 p. m., when the trenches are savory with fried onions. The front trenches are like lilliputian streets of a new town, with cosy dugouts, cupboards, rifle racks and everything necessary for comfort, efficiency and defence. The Canadian trenches are filled with splendid specimens of manhood and bright eyes and clear complexions show the boys to be in tiptop condition. The cheery evidence of their well-being and complete confidence in themselves and their cause is most noticeable throughout the Canadian lines. Up in their front trenches you seem to be among an ideal community, no sore spots or jangling discords; all cheerfully willing to help others to complete the job for which they have already sacrificed so much and are yet prepared to sacrifice their all. The feeling between the men is admirable. Our boys are chivalrous warriors but the Hun has shown them he is not a white man, so they are wise to his tricks. I saw a notice-board put out by the Germans between the lines on which we read "Brestlitvovsk, the last fortified place of importance, in the Polanie has fallen. We only lost 3 torpedo boats in the Basin of Riga. All other news about that is not true. An exchange of trench bulletins varies the monotony in these quiet times.

Passing through the maze of trenches on the way to the firing line we noticed names such as "Seely Avenue," "Medicine Hat Trail," "Leckie Avenue," "Gas Trench," "Health Trench," "Currie Avenue," "Grand Alley," and "Neepawa," while the shell wrecked buildings skirted by the trenches are referred to as "Stinking Farm." One shell house is "Ration Farm."

The routine at the front now allows every man a few days of complete rest behind the trenches at regular intervals a few days in front of the trenches followed by a few days in supports then return to the firing lines. Afterwards comes a rest behind. This partly accounts for the excellent health and cheerfulness of the men.

Ypres is a ghastly desolation whose requiem is constantly sung by whining shells, an awful monument to German Kultur which but adds a keener edge to the Canadian bayonet. The widespread movement in Canada to supple-

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GERMAN SUBMARINES RENEW ACTIVITIES

FARMERS ALSO GIVE FREELY FOR AUCTION

Some of the articles promised by people in the country.

An abundance of farm, dairy and orchard produce is reported as the results of the canvass of the country districts within a sixty-mile radius of the city. The motor parties which went out this week were heartily received and they found that the people of the rural sections had been anticipating their visit and were ready to receive them and give as generously as they could afford. Their contributions will form one of the most attractive features of the \$50,000 auction. Only partial returns have thus far been made from this canvass, and the following is a list of only a few of the contributions made:

- Wellington Crock, butter, \$2.
- Frank R. Roden, apples, \$5.
- Forest Williams, apples, \$3.
- Samuel W. White, vegetables, \$3.30.
- Chas. Nichols, vegetables, \$3.
- Walter Moore, vegetables, \$1.80.
- Geo. Andrews, vegetables, \$1.60.
- Jas. E. Gannon, vegetables, \$1.50.
- A. J. Gannon, vegetables, \$2.
- Roy Carvell, vegetables, \$3.
- David Williams, apples, \$5.
- Geo. Rogers, fowl, \$3.
- Geo. McDougall, vegetables, \$5.
- Mrs. Holy Henderson, girl's dress, \$2.
- Mrs. Minnie Gorham, quilt, \$5.
- Alfred McKie, vegetables, \$2.25.
- C. B. White, vegetables, \$4.
- Judson H. White, vegetables, \$3.50.
- H. White, vegetables, \$1.
- James A. White, vegetables, \$2.
- White Bros., vegetables, \$3.
- Capt. E. P. Fullerton, vegetables, \$3.50.
- F. E. & H. G. Smith, apples, \$5.
- James Fullerton, produce, \$1.90.
- Warren Holder, cash, \$1.
- E. M. Holder, cash, \$1.
- S. Holder, cash, \$2.
- Greys Mills—
- Hamlin Bradley, vegetables, \$2.50.
- Robt. Bradley, vegetables, \$2.50.
- W. W. Bronk, vegetables, \$5.
- J. A. Seelye, vegetables, \$3.
- Chas. Hayter, vegetables, \$3.
- Chas. Rodgers, vegetables, \$3.
- L. A. Bostwick, vegetables, \$1.60.
- W. J. Johnston, vegetables, \$3.50.
- W. W. Patterson, vegetables, \$2.50.
- R. Gorham, vegetables, \$2.25.
- Wm. Hennessy, vegetables, \$1.50.
- E. Ryan, cash and atlas, \$15.
- W. McCleary, vegetables, \$3.50.
- N. Storratt, cash, \$1.
- Walter's Lake—
- Thos. Long, cash, \$50.
- The Bluffs—
- S. R. Hazen, vegetables, \$2.50.
- William Casman, vegetables, \$3.50.
- A. P. Shampier, cash, \$1.

- Holderville—
- Wm. Beesley, produce, \$8.
- Leonard Williams, potatoes, \$1.50.
- Thurlow Henderson, potatoes, \$2.
- B. G. Henderson, cash, \$1.
- Jas. Henry F. Whelwell, cash, 50c.
- John Henderson, cash, 50c.
- Kingston—
- Leonard Crawford, vegetables, \$3.50.
- B. D. Lyons, vegetables, \$2.
- Boston—
- Wm. McDougall, cash, \$1.
- The Cedars—
- Mrs. Clara F. Emery, vegetables, \$2.
- Aaron Kimball, cash, \$1.
- Mrs. James Kierstead, feathers, \$2.
- Fred Vanwart, cash, \$2.

DIAMOND CROSSING MAY BE ORDERED TODAY

It was announced yesterday that the curved rails for the western approach of the street railway line across the new highway bridge have been shipped, and soon will be here. H. M. Hopper, manager of the company, said that he had not yet placed the order for the diamond crossing on the eastern side, owing to the difficulty in securing a satisfactory delivery date, but hoped to close the matter today.

OBITUARY.

Michael J. McCarthy.
Vancouver News-Advertiser—Michael J. McCarthy, one of the well known pioneers of the Cariboo District, died Thursday evening at the St. Paul's Hospital in this city. Death came suddenly from pleuro-pneumonia. Mr. McCarthy was born in St. John, N. B., on July 4, 1849. Four sons and five daughters survive, his wife having pre-deceased him several years ago.

NOTES WILL BEAR INTEREST AT 5 PER CENT.

Loan to Allies May Not Reach Half Billion Mark—To Be Held Largely by the Banks.

New York, Sept. 24.—Negotiations over the proposed credit to Great Britain and France continued today without noteworthy development. For the first time since the Anglo-French commission reached New York, a fortnight ago, there was talk today that the loan might not be so much as half a billion dollars. It seemed definitely established that it would not exceed this sum. Authority today it was said that this was the amount on which negotiation at present were based, but there prevailed in some quarters the belief that half a billion dollars represented the hopes, rather than the actual assurances of the commission and its American advisers. "The loan will not be more than half a billion dollars, and will not be invested more than five per cent," said one banker who has seen the commission almost daily. His assertion was interpreted as meaning that the five-year notes to be issued by Great Britain and France would bear interest at five per cent, and would be offered to the public below par. So far, members of the commission, it was reported, have refused to entertain the proposal that the interest rate be greater than five per cent. Only by being purchased at less than par could the notes be made to yield more than this. "This loan will not be a popular loan in the sense that it will be widely distributed among investors," another banker said, "but it will be held largely by the banks of the country. I should think it would be possible to float a loan of half a billion dollars, but I do not think that a larger loan can be floated." One banker was authority for the statement that the commission was before proceeding further with negotiations. Both parties to the negotiations, it was said, had taken into account this phase of the matter at the beginning of the commission's work here. Members of so-called pro-German banking houses of New York conferred today with the commission, and are believed to have signified that they would subscribe to the loan.

TWO BRITISH STEAMERS SUNK

London, Sept. 24.—The British freight steamer Urbino, of 6,651 tons gross, from New York, Sept. 18 for Hull has been sunk. The crew was saved.

NEW DRAFT OF COMMON BOOK OF PRAYER APPROVED

Church of England Synod to Send Address of Loyalty to His Majesty the King.

Toronto, Sept. 24.—After having spent a period of almost forty-eight hours, many of which were characterized by debate of the most lively character, the Anglican general synod this afternoon approved the draft book of common prayer, as amended, prepared by the committee on prayer book revision. The motion to this effect was presented by the Bishop of Huron, chairman of the committee; seconded by Chancellor Worrell, K. C., Toronto, and carried by practically unanimous vote, the delegates rising to their feet and applauding the vote. The Bishop of Huron's original motion called for the "adoption" of the report, but Chancellor Davidson of Montreal, insisted on the substitution of "approval." The question was then raised whether the revised book would have to go back to the provincial synod. As general synod sits only once every three years, it will be three years anyway, and possibly six, before the book will be ready for use in Canada.

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NEXT WEEK
"The Goddess"—Gretta Green—Trip Through Rockies, etc. etc.

Canadians' Trenches Like an Ideal Community

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ment by private subscription the number of machine guns is thoroughly appreciated by Canada's fighting men and if a fleet of standard aeroplanes could be built and manned by Canadians it would provide an opportunity for winning fresh laurels and worrying the Huns. From my visit to the front I can say our Canadian boys seem to want for nothing that money, organization and sympathy can supply. The atmosphere of the lines charged with cheerfulness, well-being and efficiency and when the time comes to move it will be forward.

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GREY MOBILIZATION OF GREEK ARMY IS ORDER

Government, in view of Bulgaria's action, orders mobilizing of army and navy necessary with caution.

London, Sept. 24.—The Greek minister formally announced to the secretary of state for foreign affairs the telegrams of the mobilization of the Hellenic government as a measure of elementary prudence in the event of a general mobilization of the Hellenic navy and military forces. It is estimated that, in addition to the Greek navy, 350,000 Hellenic troops will be mobilized within a few days.

AN OPEN LETTER

From a Well Known Methodist Clergyman of Interest to All Who Are Sick.

One of the best known ministers of the Hamilton conference is Chas. E. Stafford, of Elora, Ontario. He writes as follows: "Some years ago I was severely ill for a period of nearly four weeks. I was then stationed in my case as one of complete prostration, brought on by an influenza which superinduced intestinal neuralgia and muscular rheumatism from which I suffered the excruciating pain night and day. So weak and helpless became that my attendants handled me like an infant, raising and laying me down with greatest care, so intense were the sufferings. Acting on the advice of a doctor, and taking his medicine, I did not seem to improve. One afternoon, while suffering great pain, the editor of the paper published in this city, who was a member of the church, called on me and presented me with a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was sceptical as to the merits of the pills, but on the recommendation of the editor, who had great faith in the medicine, I decided to try them. To my great surprise and delight, I soon found that the pills were giving me relief, and after I had given boxes I was fully restored to health. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People made me a stronger man physically than I have been for many years. Three years ago, after a ministry of forty-six years, I attended the conference of the Methodist church to grant me superannuation, which it did, but for two years I have been supplied with a charge which necessitates a twenty miles every Sabbath. I am strong and hearty, with a good appetite, and for my physical condition I am indebted to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I heartily recommend them to all who are afflicted."

STEAMSHIP LINE BETWEEN FRANCE AND CANADA

CAPITAL OF MILLIONS

Special to The Standard
Ottawa, Sept. 24.—New company incorporated this week is the Schooner Viola Pearl Company, with capital \$1,000,000, the incorporation being J. A. Harris, A. Mayer, Desy, M. Raymond, France and Canada Steamship Company, Montreal, with capital \$1,000,000, and Electro Zinc Co. of Brockville, \$24,000. It is evident that a large amount of money is going to be taken in government bounty on zinc. The company are Americans.

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BRIGHT'S DISEASE
DIABETES
RHEUMATISM

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AMLAND BROS.

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DIED.

CUNNINGHAM—In this city, on the 22nd inst., Ada M., beloved wife of Wm. J. Cunningham, leaving a husband, four brothers and one sister to mourn.

Funeral on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late residence, 55 Richmond street. Friends invited to attend. (Funeral notice and Boston papers please copy.)

DAVIS—In the General Public Hospital, on September 24th, William J. Davis, leaving a wife and four children to mourn their loss.

Funeral from 215 St. George Street, West, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

FUNERAL NOTICE.
The members of King Edward Lodge No. 30, "Pretence Boys," are requested to meet in their hall, Guilford street, West End, at 2 o'clock, on Sunday afternoon, September 26th, to attend the funeral of their late brother, W. J. DAVIS.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES FOR COMING WINTER

East St. John Presbyterians have arranged for a busy season.

The Presbyterian church, East St. John, of which Rev. W. W. Malcolm is pastor, held a business meeting on Wednesday evening in their rooms at East St. John.

Many improvements were made to the church and the adjoining premises. Chief of these were the installing of electric lights and the repairing of the walks, to which the pastor, credit goes to Dr. Striving for his work.

Work was planned for the winter and the following classes agreed upon for the different nights:
Monday—Gymnasium classes.
Tuesday—Red Cross Society.
Wednesday—Prayer meeting.
Thursday—Gymnasium classes.
First and Third Fridays—Motion picture shows.
Saturday (afternoon and evening)—Gymnasium classes.
Sunday—11 o'clock, morning worship; 12 o'clock, Sabbath school; 6 o'clock, evening worship.

Still Some Good Fruits

There are yet a few days' grace for those who have not preserved all the fruit they will require for winter's use. The late peaches, Libertes and Craw-

GREECE READY SHOULD BULGARIA STRIKE

MOBILIZATION OF GREEK ARMY IS ORDERED

Government, in view of Bulgaria's action, considers mobilizing of army and navy necessary precaution.

London, Sept. 24.—The Greek, Rumanian and Serbian ministers successively visited Sir Edward Grey at the foreign office this afternoon. The Greek minister formally communicated to the secretary of state for foreign affairs the telegram from his government, announcing that, "in view of the mobilization of Bulgaria, the Hellenic government considers it a measure of elementary prudence to order a general mobilization of the Hellenic naval and military forces."

AN OPEN LETTER

From a Well Known Methodist Clergyman of Interest to All Who Are Sick.

One of the best known ministers in the Hamilton conference is the Rev. Chas. E. Stafford, of Elora, Ont., who freely admits that he owes his present good health to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mr. Stafford writes as follows: "Some years ago I was severely afflicted for a period of nearly four months, which I was then stationed diagnosed which was then stationed diagnosed my case as one of complete nervous prostration, brought on by over-work and which superinduced intercostal neuralgia and muscular rheumatism from which I suffered the most excruciating pain night and day for weeks. So weak and helpless did I become that my attendants had to handle me like an infant, raising me up and laying me down with the greatest care, so intense were my sufferings. Acting on the advice of my doctor, and taking his medicine, I did not seem to improve. One afternoon, while suffering great pain, the editor of the paper published in the town, and who was a member of the church of which I was then pastor, urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was sceptical as to the medicinal qualities of all proprietary medicines, but on the strong recommendation of the editor, who had great faith in the medicine, I decided to try them. To my great surprise and supreme delight, I soon found that the pills were giving me relief, and after I had taken seven boxes I was fully restored to health. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, under God, having made me a new man. Ever since I have been better and stronger physically than I had been for a number of years. For three years ago, after an active ministry of forty-six months, I asked the Hamilton conference of the Methodist church to grant me superannuation relation, which it did, but for more than two years I have been supplying a charge which necessitates a drive of twenty miles every Sabbath. Today I am strong as a horse, without an ache or pain, and for my present physical condition I am indebted to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and can most heartily recommend them to the afflicted."

STEAMSHIP LINE BETWEEN FRANCE AND CANADA HAS CAPITAL OF MILLION

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Sept. 24.—New companies incorporated this week include: Schooner Violette Company, St. John, capital \$1,000, the incorporators being J. A. Harris, A. Mayer, L. A. Desy, M. Raymond; France and Canada Steamship Company, Montreal, \$1,000,000, and Electro Zinc Co., Sherbrooke \$24,000. It is evident that advantage is going to be taken of the government bounty on zinc. The incorporators of the new Sherbrooke company are Americans.

GUN FIRE OF THE BRITISH FLEET TOO HOT FOR TURK TRANSPORTS IN STRAITS

Lost several Transports in Sliman Bay and have abandoned attempts to land troops in Daylight—British submarines have performed some marvelous feats, French War Office reports.

Paris, Sept. 24.—A review of recent operations in the Dardanelles was issued by the French War Office today, reading as follows: "In the Dardanelles the last weeks of August saw little activity. They were marked chiefly by artillery duels and sapping and mining warfare. On Aug. 30, our mountain cannon forced the defenders of the field fortification located in the valley of Kerveres to evacuate the work, and when night came our soldiers finished its destruction. During the time our artillery continued its fire upon the batteries located by our aviators in the stone fortifications of Achil Baba and on the Asiatic coast. The Turkish artillery is capricious. On certain days it appears to be lacking in ammunition and its silence, especially that of the heavy guns, is almost complete. On the other hand at times its bombardment of our zone is as abundant as the possible. We have suffered only material damage and of small importance. "The work of our aviators on the Bay of Sliman, the principal point of debarkation for Turkish supplies and reinforcements for the southern zone has been happily completed by the fire of the fleet. Many vessels have been thus sunk by our allies. The Turks have been forced to abandon the work of debarkation during the day time. "The British submarines whose activity in the Sea of Marmora is marvellous, have accomplished even in the Straits some particularly difficult operations. On the 23rd of August they sank two Turkish transports in the Bay of Achil Elman, and two others between Nagara and Gallipoli. "In the northern zone our allies obtained on August 21, a particularly advantageous result in effecting the junction of the troops debarked at the heights dominating Gaba Tepe."

CANADA CAN'T COMPLAIN OF HIGH COST OF LIVING

Statistics show Dominion has suffered less from increased prices than any of the nations at war.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Sept. 24.—Canada has suffered less from the increased prices of commodities owing to the war than any of the belligerent nations, except France, according to an official statement issued by the labor department today. In France the cost of living is slightly less than it was a year ago. In Great Britain the retail cost of goods has increased 34 per cent over the cost one year ago. In Berlin it is 58 per cent, higher. Austria reports show 300 per cent increase on peas, 202 per cent on beef but only 6 per cent on sugar. As to Canada there is both an increase and a decrease. While the index number of the department of labor shows that the average wholesale price of all commodities entering into the cost of living has increased from 136.3 to 147.6 during the past twelve months, yet there is a reduction in the average cost of food, fuel, rent and light. The cost of a week's food for a workingman's family of five is placed at \$7.78 as against \$7.70 last year at this time, but the cost of rent has dropped from \$4.80 to \$4.08. The average weekly budget for a workman's family is placed at \$13.74 which is 68 cents less than a year ago. This average is based on reports from 60 cities.

PERSONAL

Senator Thorne returned to the city on the Boston train yesterday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Shannon, Campbellton, announce the engagement of their second daughter, Annie Loretta, to Wm. J. S. Welsh, the marriage to take place the latter part of September. Mrs. Don Seely, Pitt street, has returned home, much improved in health, after an operation in the Sisters' Infirmary.

ITALIAN ARTILLERY BEING HAULED ALONG A MOUNTAIN PASS



ITALIAN HEAVY ARTILLERY MOVING THROUGH THE DOLOMITES. The heavy gun seen above is being hauled along a mountain pass by two big motor lorries fitted with caterpillar wheels. The power is evidently not sufficient to haul the monster, as the few hundred soldiers are also hauling on ropes attached to the foremost lorry. The wooden bridge across which the gun will pass has been strengthened from beneath to prevent a collapse.

BULGARIAN ARMY READY TO STRIKE SERBIA

Troops being rushed to Serbian Frontier for several days—Army of 233,500 men ready for word.

Paris, Sept. 24.—A despatch to the Temps from Salonki states that Bulgaria has been sending troops toward the Serbian frontier for several days. Five cavalry regiments, recruited on a peace basis, have been despatched toward the border and the infantry regiments in the frontier have been reinforced by troops from regiments in the interior. A battalion of sappers from Sofia has been sent to Dupnitsa, near the Serbian frontier, mounted artillery has departed for an unknown destination. The Temps says that operations against Serbia will be entrusted to the direction of General Boyadjeff, a commander in the field. It is said Crown Prince Boris will be at the head of the Bulgarian armies and that the chief of the general staff will be General Zosheff, now commander of the Seventh Division, or the Minister of War, Gen. Scott, who would be replaced by Gen. Koutincheff, now Inspector General. The Temps correspondent says that the strength of the army is estimated at 233,500 men with 1,080 cannon. Students at the military schools have rejoined their regiments.

ADVISES FRENCH GOVT TO LIMIT PURCHASE OF ARMY SUPPLIES ABROAD

Paris, Sept. 24.—Albert Metin, general reporter of the Chamber of Deputies, in explaining to the chamber today, on behalf of the appropriations committee, the budget for the remaining three months of the year, alluded to the extensive purchase of army supplies abroad by the government. He urged that such purchases ought to be limited, as much as possible, in the interest of French industry and French finance.

MONTREAL MAN SAW HIGHLANDER CRUCIFIED BY THE GERMANS

Montreal, Sept. 24.—Private Bofind of the 14th Battalion, one of the wounded soldiers now being cared for at the Khaki Convalescent Home, Montreal, states that he witnessed a Highlander crucified to a tree. This was after the section with which he was fighting at Festubert had gained German trenches. The crucified soldier was not dead when seen by Private Bofind, but expired shortly afterwards.

Claim Several Victims in Mediterranean

Berlin, Sept. 24.—The newspapers of Tuckerton, N. J.—the newspapers of Spain says the Overseas News Agency report that German submarines in the Mediterranean have sunk several French and British vessels and one Russian vessel.

TRANSPORT CARRYING 900 HORSES LOSES OUT IN RACE WITH GERMAN SUBMARINE

British Horse Ship Anglo-Columbian torpedoed off Fastnet after crew took to boats—Sailed from Montreal Sept. 11th.

Washington, Sept. 24.—The British horse ship Anglo-Columbian was torpedoed and sunk today off Fastnet after being chased 75 miles by a submarine, according to a message from Consul Frost at Queenstown. The message said warning was given, and time allowed for the crew, six of whom were Americans, to take to the boats. There was no casualties. The ship was bound from Montreal to Liverpool. The Anglo-Columbian sailed from Montreal for the other side with over 900 horses at noon Sept. 11. The Anglo-Columbian is well known in Montreal. A sister ship, the Anglo-Californian, had a thrilling chase with a German submarine last summer. She was chased and shelled for four hours before being almost disabled. The last shot killed Captain Parslow at the wheel. British warships arrived at that moment and the foe dived. Under her own steam she reached Queenstown later. When in Montreal afterwards she caught on fire at the wharf.

F'CTON FAIR AN ASSURED SUCCESS

Total attendance for five days 28,282—Maj. P. A. Guthrie guest of Management tonight.

Special to The Standard.

Almost 5,000 people attended Frederickton Exhibition today. Despite threatening weather and one ineffectual shower early this evening, the official attendance figures for today were 4,973, bringing the total for five days up to 28,282 which makes it sure that the total attendance for the week will be brought up to over the 30,000 mark tomorrow. Major Percy A. Guthrie will be the guest of the exhibition management tomorrow evening upon his arrival in Frederickton. He will be met by two bands and escorted to the exhibition where addresses from the city of Frederickton, County of York and 71st Regiment will be presented and he will reply. The management promises that the show will remain intact until close at 10 p. m. tomorrow night.

Retail Market.

Provisions in the local market yesterday were of good quality, especially meats, but there was only a moderate quantity on hand. No important changes in prices have occurred during the week. Chickens were fairly plentiful at from 25c to 32c per pound. Wild ducks brought 80c per pair; moose steak, 20c to 24c per lb.; venison, 10c to 20c; eggs were a trifle dearer, case being sold for 28c to 30c a dozen; henney, 40c. Butter, creamery, sold at 35c to 40c; tub, 32c to 35c. There was a good supply of vegetables, and fruits were again on hand in sufficient quantity at prices usual at this time of the year.

JUST A LITTLE POSLAM WILL CLEAR THE SKIN

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WAS ONLY ONE TENDER FOR MANITOBA PARLIAMENT BUILDING CONTRACT

Ass't Deputy Minister of Public Works on stand yesterday—Hearing adjourned until Tuesday.

Winnipeg, Sept. 24.—The tenth day of the preliminary hearing of the charges against the ex-cabinet ministers opened with the evidence of Miss Mary Smith, who was housekeeper for Simpson left for the front on May 2nd, giving her only one day's notice. She said Horwood had visited Simpson and telephoned him, and Simpson had telephone conversations with "Caldwell." Witness said she saw Simpson take to his apartment a Gladstone bag full of money. She saw twenty dollar bills, and afterwards she saw a memorandum on the table with figures totaling \$50,000. An hour later Simpson took the money away. She thought this was about the first of April of this year. She told of Simpson telling a Mr. Sweeney, over the telephone, that he "would not mind giving three or four thousand dollars to quiet it down." She believed the parliament buildings were mentioned. J. R. Russell of the Canadian Pacific Telegraphs, who had been subpoenaed to produce some telegrams, said he could not bring any sent last year, since these telegrams were destroyed after six months. Russell identified the telegrams produced before the commission. These included a series directed to Sir Rodmond Roblin and Hon. Robert Rogers regarding sending F. H. Pilpen to Winnipeg. H. A. Bowman, assistant deputy minister of public works, stated that when the original tenders for the parliament building were called for he was instructed to take any tenders to the premier's office. He saw only one tender, and gave it to Sir Rodmond Roblin. He never saw it again. Bowman described his meeting with Cold-

well, Simpson and Horwood, in which witness recommended the change from a piling to a caisson foundation, at a cost not exceeding twenty-five per cent, above the piling.

Malcolm McLean, clerk of the legislative council, was asked about the \$802,000 dome contract. Witness said he was ordered to go to the lieutenant-governor, obtain from him the certified copy of the order-in-council sanctioning this contract, and take it back to the premier. Either Roblin or Montague gave him this order and he got the document and gave it to Rodmond. An adjournment until Tuesday morning was granted the defense this afternoon, for unstated reasons. When court resumed after the noon adjournment, A. J. Andrews, for the defense, asked for the adjournment. The crown did not oppose the request and session was immediately concluded, no evidence being taken.

MONTREAL The Fifth City in North America.

New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, Montreal. Thus ranks Montreal, the fifth largest city in point of population (over 700,000) in North America, and also the largest city in English speaking portions of the British Dominion beyond the seas. Mount Royal, the magnificent public park, than which no city in the world has a superior, never presents so beautiful an appearance as in its autumnal tints. The Canadian Metropolis with its immense stores, theatres, concert halls and other places of amusement in full swing is particularly attractive at this season of the year. Special excursion fares on Government Railways will be in effect Sept. 30, Oct. 1 and 2, good for return until Oct. 18. The fare from Halifax to Montreal and return on these dates will be \$19.45, and proportionately low rates will prevail from all points in the Maritime Provinces. With the excellent accommodation on the two through express trains, the Ocean Limited and Maritime Express, passengers from the Maritime Provinces are assured of an enjoyable fall holiday.

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

CANADA AND THE NAVY.

The feeling of disappointment among Canadians that there are no Canadian war vessels in the splendid British fleet in the North Sea, receives fresh impetus whenever thought is directed to the marvelous work being accomplished by the British navy. "Thank God for the navy," is the manner in which Major Percy Guthrie, himself wounded in the Empire cause, referred last night to this phase of England's participation in the world war. And the statement might be amplified many times before reaching the limit of truth.

The British navy has kept Britain and the Overseas Dominions safe from the enemy. Had the squadrons at the disposal of Admiral Jellicoe been less powerful the German High Canal fleet would have emerged from its hiding place long ago and ravaged British coasts and British shipping. As it is the navy of Germany, a navy built and equipped for the sole purpose of attaining the mastery of the seas and bringing about the wreck of Britain's power, has not dared to join battle with the ships under the command of the brave Jellicoe.

Canada has bravely borne her part in the land operations in which the Empire's troops have been engaged, but it is a matter of sincere regret that there are no Canadian Dreadnoughts in the Empire's armada. Australia and New Zealand have not only won their laurels in the land fighting but were also ready with the ships when the call came. Canada alone was remiss in her duty. Why?

Was it because the Canadian people were one wait behind their brothers in Australia and New Zealand in the quality of their loyalty? Not for one minute. Canada is not represented in the British battle fleets because Laurier barred the way. Because after entering in the House of Commons all his power to defeat Sir Robert Borden's proposal for naval aid, he passed the word to his parasites in the Senate and they strangled the bill which would have brought to this country an added glory and a very comforting sense of having assisted the Empire when assistance was required. But the Canadian people have not forgotten. Given the opportunity they will, with certain voice, pronounce their verdict upon the men through whose agency they were so humiliated. Until then they must bear the shame that will come with the realization that when the cry is raised "Thank God for the navy," Canada can not pride herself on having contributed to the splendid achievements that call for that expression of thankfulness.

THE BALKAN SITUATION

Bulgaria faces a crisis. The decision of her government to mobilize the army and the fact that this action gave rise to an impression that the turbulent Balkan nation was about to side with the Central Powers in the world war has occasioned much opposition on the part of the Bulgarian people and last night's despatches told of a stormy interview between representatives of the Opposition parliamentary party and King Ferdinand. Some of the statesmen who met His Majesty did not mince words with him. Plainly they told him that he would be held personally responsible for the result of his desire to throw the Bulgarian people into the arms of the Huns.

From this it is assured that if the Bulgarian government should decide to commit itself to a policy of alliance with Germany the people will be seriously divided, and internal opposition may prove sufficiently strong to seriously interfere with the nation's fighting force. Coincident with news of the development at Sofia comes word that Greece has determined on a bold stand and that if Bulgaria attacks Serbia, Hellenic aid will at once be placed at the disposal of the Serbs.

In the meantime the Russian successes have been responsible for stiffening the Roumanian attitude and it is not unlikely that the most powerful of the near eastern nations may decide to throw her lot with the Allies. Should she do so and the Bulgarians continue along the lines indicated by recent developments the future for

King Ferdinand's country is decidedly gloomy. Bulgaria could not actively side with Germany now unless absolutely assured that the Central Powers would be victorious, and if King Ferdinand and his Prime Minister are as well informed on conditions as they should be, they must realize that victory for Germany is impossible. Defeat for the Central Powers would mean Bulgarian ruin, for assuredly she would be heavily penalized in the future and her dream of securing Macedonia would never be realized. Consequently the most recent developments in Athens and Sofia favor the opinion that Bulgaria will take one more look before leaping to what could mean nothing but disaster.

CONCERNING OVERDRAFTS.

Dealing with Commissioner Potts and street work the Times intimates that this journal of the home and fire-side approves of a policy of overdrafts for public expenditure and, evidently, with a new found desire to criticize the civic administration under the commission form of government, remarks: "To admit the wisdom of a general and continuous policy of overdrafts would remove every safeguard against extravagant expenditure." Evidently the Times does not approve of overdrafts for public work even when mitigating circumstances might be urged in their favor. This revelation of the Times' present opinion is refreshing and, to quote the words of the eminent journalist at the helm of that newspaper, "suppose we carry this argument a little farther." What is the Times' opinion, for instance, of overdrafts in the provincial service, such overdrafts, shall we say, as might be represented by the borrowings of a former premier who permitted the cryptic initials, "W. P., \$5,000," to stand for real cash until the government which he formerly led was defeated at the polls and exposure became imminent? If it is wrong for a civic commissioner, in order to complete public work, to overdraw in his department, (and The Standard does not defend the practice) how much worse is it for a politician to create, for his private accommodation what "overdrafts" in public funds? Any information the Times may care to supply on this point will, doubtless, be interesting.

THE BRIDGE AND CAR SERVICE.

The Times last evening said: "It was announced today that the curved rails for the western approach of the street railway line across the new highway bridge have been shipped and soon will be here."

This is the work proceeding which will soon give the people a through street car service from all parts of the city to the West End and Fairville. It was also reported late last night that the splendid new bridge at the Reversing Falls, which stands as a monument to the energy and capacity of the members of the Clarke Government, is still secure and unshaken, despite the editorial fulminations from the Telegraph.

It will require more than "hot air bombs" from Canterbury street to cause the people to forget that during all the years the Telegraph's friends were in power in Fredericton no move was made to span the falls with a structure over which the street railway system could run and thus improve the facilities for local transportation. This work was done by the Clarke Government which explains the Telegraph's attempt at criticism.

Major Percy A. Guthrie, who arrived in the city last evening, was accorded a welcome fitting to a man who made sacrifices for the cause of Empire, served with distinction on the battlefields of France and Flanders, gave his blood for his country, and, while on his way home, played a leading role in a drama of personal heroism on the occasion of the sinking of the Hesperian. Such men as Percy Guthrie have caused the name of Canada to take on a new lustre. No honor the people of this country can show him would be more than he deserves.

An interesting cable from a special correspondent of The Standard at the battle line in France and Flanders is

published in this morning's issue of this paper. His report, that he found the Canadian troops in good health and spirits will be read with gratification by all. It is through the courtesy of Sir Robert Borden and Sir George Perley that representative Canadian newspapers are receiving these cables. The premier personally urged on the British War Office that Canadian press representatives should be permitted to visit the battlefield, a request which the Imperial authorities were very willing to grant.

ST. JOHN PEOPLE ALIVE TO NEED OF THE AUCTION

A partial list of donations promised in the city yesterday.

The big campaign continues. The widespread canvass for gifts to the \$50,000 patriotic auction still goes merrily on. And the promise of donations increases each day in both city and country districts with many handsome offers of a greatly varied nature. The canvassers will remain at work until all districts have been solicited thoroughly, though they will be unable to make a house-to-house canvass, relying upon the patriotism and generosity of private citizens to be sufficient to cause them to send in their offerings without further appeal. A partial list of the contributions sent in yesterday is given as follows:

- Mrs. J. D. Maher, sofa, \$30.
- C. B. Pidgeon, suit men's clothes, \$23.
- A. W. Adams, paint, metal polish, etc., \$25.
- S. McDiarmid, toilet articles, \$30.
- R. W. W. Frink, furniture, \$40.
- E. Ryan (Greys Mills), cash and atlas, \$15.
- Mrs. Irvine (Hampton Station), sofa \$25.
- Harry I. Cowan (Hampton), moose head, \$30.
- R. G. Flewelling (Hampton) carriage.
- S. H. Flewelling (Hampton) sleigh.
- Dr. P. H. Wetmore (Hampton) books \$50.
- Mrs. T. W. Barnes (Hampton) organ, \$75.
- Miss McGrath, toilet articles, \$15.
- Phillip Grannan, stove, \$15.
- Order of Moose, billiard table (American) \$200.
- Mrs. W. C. Matthews, history of Canada, \$25.
- Amdur & Co., violin, \$25.
- James Pender Co., Ltd., nails, thirty-three kegs, \$107.
- James Robertson Co., Ltd., bathroom outfit, \$100.
- Carl C. Schmidt, ring, \$15.
- Gilbert O. Bent, books, \$50.
- H. J. Dick, toilet articles, \$21.60.
- J. S. Harding, carriage, \$125.
- A. R. Corbett, goods, \$15.
- Mrs. F. G. Scott, Persian lamb coat.
- Chas. Fawcett Ltd., Sackville, range.
- C. E. L. Jarvis, sideboard, \$115.
- Mrs. Jas. Gerow, books, \$20.
- Mrs. E. Archibald, books, \$75.
- A. W. Peters, \$50.
- D. Magee & Sons Ltd., sable furs, \$210.
- Macaulay Bros., & Co., sugar and \$122.20.
- K. Pedersen Ltd., plants, \$25.
- Sirhan Robertson, suit, \$25.
- John Flood, driving harness, \$20.
- R. N. Dean, chair and davenport.
- Mrs. R. M. and Miss L. Hazen, \$25.
- J. S. Knight, sleigh, \$75.
- S. Hayward Co., Ltd., goods, \$51.55.

NINE BOYS ARE REMANDED ON THEFT CHARGE

Magistrate will decide how many to commit for trial in higher Court.

The nine boys charged with breaking, entering and stealing from Thomas Dean's grocery store on the corner of Wall street and the City Road, also into Song Lee's laundry, 32 City Road, were arraigned in the police court yesterday afternoon.

Song Lee told of finding the door of the laundry broken open one night and of losing ninety-two cents from the till. For this theft Fred Wilson and Roy Northrup were charged with the stealing and Detective Barrett testified that the reason he arrested them on suspicion was because Kinsella and Abe Lavine, who are charged with breaking into Dean's, informed him that if he went out and arrested Wilson and Northrup he would get the right persons for breaking into the laundry. They stated to the officer that

Little Benny's Note Book.

BY LEE PAPE.
I wasn't aloud out last nite awn akkount of pop not allowing me, and pop was setting in the morris chare in the setting room reading the papir and I was setting awn the floor with my feet undirneath of me wishing I was aloud out, and awl of a suddin sumboddy startid to wisel out in the street, being Skinny Martin wiselling for me to come out, me reckerinial the wisel awn akkount of noboddy but Skinny Martin being abel to wisel that loud, I listen to the mocking bird, sed pop atir Skinny had wiselod about 17 times. And he rattled his papir and kepp awn reading it, and jest then Puds Simkins startid to yell, Ho Benny, ho Benny, and Skinny Martin kepp awn wiselling and Puds Simkins kepp awn yelling Ho Benny, ho Benny, making twice as mutch noise as eethir wan of them wood alone, with is sayng a good seel.

O well, thars bound to get tired in a minit or so, sed pop. And he kepp awn reading the papir and jest then Sid Hunt startid to go, Yoo hoo Benny, yoo hoo, Benny, yoo hoo, yoo hoo.
Darn it, this thing has ceesed to be a joak, Benny, go and call out the front window to those boys to stop thare racket, tell them its no use, you cant com out, sed pop.
How about if I write them a note and drop it out the window, I sed.
Awl rite, thats bettir yet, sed pop, thars snuff noise going awn awl riddy without you adding to it, rite a note by awl means.
Wich I did, and awl the time I was riting it Skinny kepp awn wiselling and Puds kepp awn yelling, Ho Benny, and Sid kepp awn going, Benny, yoo hoo, yoo hoo, wat I rote being, I aint aloud to come out, pleeze kepp awn making awl the noise possibl. And I went and dropped it out of the 2nd stoary window and calm back in the setting room, and in about a minit they awl startid agen worse than evir.
Bloo blases, sed pop, Benny, did you drop them that note.
Yes sir, I sed, and pop sed, Well then go down and take them away, take them as many miles as possibl.
And wen do I haf to come back, I sed.
I dont care if you nevir come back, sed pop.
And I went out and startid a gain of primers base about half way up the block.

they received this information from Northrup's brother, City. Kinsella testified that he told the officer the story from the information he had received from City Northrup. City Northrup took the stand and said that he did not tell any such thing to Kinsella. The nine boys were remanded to jail until this morning when the magistrate said he would decide how many he would commit for trial.

AGENT GENERAL SUMNER AND W. S. FISHER VISIT SIR CHARLES TUPPER

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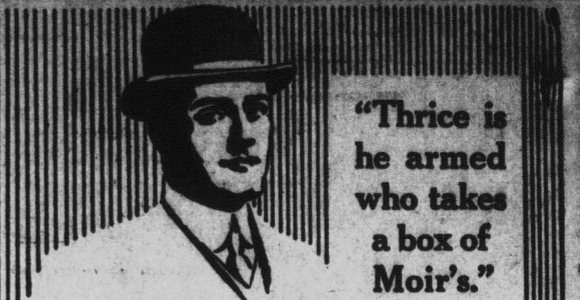
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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert B. Tobin, who have been visiting Mr. Tobin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Tobin, City last evening for a short vacation to Redd, have returned to their home in Boston.

RECRUITING MEETINGS LAST EVENING MADE DEEP IMPRESSION ON CITIZENS

Nine Men Were Enlisted But It is Expected that the Results Will be Far Reaching and that Many More Will Come Forward Within Next Few Days.

- YESTERDAY'S HONOR ROLL Clarence Cameron, St. John. Percy Arley, St. John. Arthur McDonald, St. John. James Davis, St. John. Nezerino Benourdin, Russia. John A. Kierstead, St. John. Wasyi Lawadnusi, Russia. John Cunningham, Ireland. Ernest Ingalls, Grand Manan.

Four enthusiastic recruiting meetings were held in different parts of the city last evening and while the immediate results were not particularly large it is expected that many more men for the Empire forces will be more forcibly brought home to many young men and good results will be made later.

The meetings were all well attended and the day's work resulted in many men being signed on for the overseas contingent. Several more applied but they had not been before the examining physician last night.

In Fairville. The chairman of last evening of much enthusiasm in the patriotic way, Bud Tippett, returned hero, being of course the man of the time. The school space allotted for the purpose of the meeting was crowded long before eight o'clock by a concourse of those interested in the occasion for the gathering, and genuine interest in the proceedings was shown throughout.

Although the programme of speakers was not altogether a success, there were several good speeches, among those addressing the large number present being W. E. Earle, chairman, Mayor Frink, Hon. H. A. McKeown, A. M. Beiding, Rev. W. H. Barracough, Councillors O'Brien, Bryant and Golding and Bud Tippett. The Carleton Cornet Band played patriotic selections at intervals. Although the gathering was successful in many ways and will be sure to have good results, no recruits were signed on. The names of two men were taken as intending to join the colors, and enquiries were made by some others, but there appeared to be an absence of facilities for enlistment in a building at the time. So far as could be learned no room or other place where intending recruits could be met and dealt with was available on the spot. Two bonfires were lighted close at hand and were made specially in evidence when Bud Tippett appeared on the scene. This was the occasion for more than three cheers and then the speakers of the evening were listened to with deep interest. After the chairman had expressed his pleasure at being present and had paid a tribute to the worth of the returned hero, Mayor Frink was called upon to speak.

Mayor Frink said that it was hard to realize that so large a number of the people of Fairville could have assembled in such numbers as they had done. But they had come as a token of appreciation of a man and a cause, the man was Bud Tippett who a year or so ago left Fairville, knowing his responsibilities to fight for the cause. He wanted no coaxing. He knew his duty and did it. He joined the forces and after reasonable preparation he went to the front and had done good service there. "His is a living record to encourage you. When you see and hear of men like this you should realize their worth, their patriotism, their suffer on behalf of the Empire. There will, I am sure," he remarked, "be many more men in this country who will continue to do their duty to the end. There should be no more of that time has come for the exhibition of courage, not talking ability. When I look on the common purpose I feel in my own heart that you have not only one man here in Fairville who knows what duty is but many more who will do as he has done."

Commissioner Wigmore said he was pleased to say a word in honor of the hero of the evening. The Parish of Lancaster must be congratulated for having such a man. He was glad to see Bud back again after his splendid work. "He has fought for the flag to the best of his ability, the flag of liberty and justice. You have heard what His Worship has said. When we realize what Bud Tippett has done and how he has suffered in your place and in mine in the cause of the grand old Union Jack you will recognize, I am sure, that there are responsibilities resting with us. Claims such as Tippett has will be entertained. And let us provide for those still at the front. We are apt to forget these. As to the Patriotic Fund, it is up to us to make sacrifices, and to do all in our power to increase the amount available for this fund. I welcome tonight on behalf of the citizens of St. John our hero, Bud Tippett."

His Honor Judge McKeown said, in part: "I think the women should take up these questions as well as the men. It is, I know, a hard thing to ask people to leave their homes, to leave their associations, but I wish to say that any woman who keeps back her husband, son or brother from taking up arms is running the risk of taking a part in encouraging the perpetration of such atrocities as have been witnessed in Belgium and in France. The issues of the war are in the balance. There is no certainty we will gain the day. Every ounce of manhood in the country is required to ensure success. Those who are holding back, whether

from reluctance to place themselves in danger or for any other reason should remember that if we are unsuccessful in this war Canada is the price Britain will have to pay. There is no doubt Germany has her eyes on this Dominion. Are we to become the slaves, the slaves of Germany? The Germans would like to take revenge on Canada, for there is no soldier more hated by the German than the Canadian soldier. This war is not a military pageant, it is a fight for freedom. More men must go to the front, more men from this Dominion. Fairville will do its part, and should be proud, as it clearly is, of the honor of knowing that Bud Tippett has 'done his bit.'"

Mr. Beiding. A. M. Beiding said that he would like to know who would take the place of Bud Tippett. Had it not been for men like him we would have been in sorry plight. A time had come when we must forget we had feelings; we must be ready to suffer and endure. We should remember the boys in the trenches, and it was up to each man and woman to do his or her part in the war.

The chairman then called upon Councillors O'Brien, Bryant and Golding for a few words. They each spoke with appreciation of the hero of the evening. Rev. W. H. Barracough also welcomed Bud Tippett, who after a neat little speech of about thirty words, thanking everybody for their kindness, descended the platform to the front of the hall, where he was met by a bouquet of flowers. He was preceded by an escort of Boy Scouts and disappeared 'midst cheers that must have been heard miles away.

In King Square. A large crowd assembled in King Square last night to listen to the speakers, provided by the committee for recruiting. Miles E. Agar, Rev. Gordon Dickie and Corporal Griffin addressed the meeting. Richard O'Brien presided.

The chairman in introducing Rev. Mr. Dickie said: "This meeting is purely one for business. I am not going to discuss the rights or wrongs of the countries engaged. Britain is right. It is up to us to do our part. We have done very well, but not enough. The idea of holding these meetings is to impress you with the seriousness of the situation and the pressing need for men."

Rev. Gordon Dickie. Rev. Gordon Dickie said in part: "The object of these meetings is to bring you face to face with the true motto, 'Your King and Country need you now.' The light is ours, for the land we live in and it is the land we should be willing to fight for and if need be, die for."

"The slim victories of the Allies during the progress of the war must make it plain to all that the country needs men. The situation is serious, the call to arms is loud and insistent. In indifference to the call is a mark of making the people of Germany enthusiastic. They think you will not fight for the Empire and it is to them a source of comfort. "We must stand behind the Empire and our Allies in this world war. I fought to a successful finish. "Many men are standing by the sidelines criticising those who are doing things, but they are not willing to take up arms and go forth and do their duty."

"Women, if there is any truth in the stories that you are holding back the men, then I would point out to the women of France, who have sent their sons and husbands to the battlefield, and ask you to follow their example. "The Duty of Man. "It is not for me to tell the men in this audience what their duty is, you all know, and if you are physically fit, and in a position to go, and will not do so, then you should stand ashamed before your fellow men."

Miles E. Agar. The next speaker was Miles E. Agar. He said in part: "Great Britain is the central figure in this world war and we are part of Britain. As a part of this great Empire we have a duty to perform. We must realize that this country is in the fight, just as surely as England or any of her Allies. This war will not be settled in a few months as we were prone to believe in the early stages of the struggle. All the energy, all the resources of the British Empire are staked on the outcome. "If we all take the position that Great Britain cannot lose, then by that very fact may it be achieved. We must feel that this is our fight. We must stand shoulder to shoulder with all our Allies until victory is assured. If there is anyone in this audience physically fit who can leave his present responsibilities and come forward to help the Empire it is of the greatest importance that he should come now. "Take up the defence of our country and help the boys who are already on the firing line doing their part with enthusiasm, determined to win. "While in England I saw some of our troops and my heart bounded with happiness as I saw the splendid appearance they made and I felt proud that I was a Canadian. If we want to remain part and parcel of the British Empire, if we do not want to come under German rule, if we do not want to suffer, as Belgium and Poland have suffered. Then we must do our part and use all our efforts to help the Motherland. Now is the time the fight must be made. Peace today at any price would be defeat. The only way

for victory for Britain and her Allies can be consummated is for every physically fit man to come to the assistance of the Empire."

Corporal Griffin. Corporal Griffin, of the artillery stationed on Partridge Island, was the next speaker called. He said in part: "Every man in the British Empire today is expected to do his duty. Get into uniform. There are hundreds of men in this audience tonight wearing civilian clothes who ought to be in khaki. "This war will not be won by standing on the corner and singing patriotic songs. We are in need of men today and badly in need of them. Why aren't you at the front? What are you going to do for your country. "I every man in Canada will put his shoulder to the wheel will drive the Germans further back into their own country than they have ever been driven back. If there is any man in this audience who is willing to come forward tonight and do his little bit I would be glad to have him with me."

In North End. A largely attended and well managed recruiting meeting was held at the corner of Main and Simonds streets last evening. A. M. Rowan, the chairman, opened the meeting by reminding the crowd that it was young men of the married men as have been enlisted. "In the first place," he said, "young men are the fittest, and there are surely enough of them to keep the flag flying without calling on the older men to enlist. But if the time should come when the older men are called out, I for one, will be ready and willing to go, and I am sure that many of the older men of St. John will be ready to go with me. You have seen the men who are wounded men are anxious to return to the firing line, and with Germany's fifteen to twenty millions of an army to contend with, they will all be needed, but the young men who have not yet gone should be at least willing to go with them. We must have the men of the trouble will result, and right here in St. John, too."

Rev. Mr. Barracough. Rev. W. H. Barracough then took the platform and began by saying that the large number of people present was surely a good beginning of a successful meeting. "This war is the most repelling history," he said, "While my regular work is to teach peace and call will, yet I am not unwilling to call young men to go to war, when it is a war for right against wrong, as in the present war. For that matter, there is fighting blood in my veins, for I am the son of a soldier of Bonnie Prince Charlie."

"To Britain alone we are indebted for our freedom of today. Then it is largely the trade with the Mother country that is responsible for our wealth at present, and if we have so much for which we are indebted to the Mother land, why should we not be ready to take our share in her struggles? I have two fine promising boys, but the other day, I consented to allow one of them to go to the front and if it should be necessary, I would be willing to allow the other to go. I would go myself, if it were possible, but I am unable, so I will do the best I can, and no one can do any more. Now, young men of St. John, are you ready to do as much?"

Rev. Dr. Hutchinson. Rev. Dr. Hutchinson said he had not come to the meeting to speak but to listen, and that he had been taken unawares, but that he would do his best to get the young men to enlist. "If I were a young man, I would be rushing off to the front, not as a chaplain, either, but as a private. I envy my friend Rev. Mr. Conroy, who has enlisted as a private in the 55th. If I were only thirty-five or forty, instead of sixty, I would not be here now to speak to you. About forty men have gone from my church, and several of those went from my own Bible class. They have pledged themselves to defend their freedom with their lives and anything else that is needed."

Corporal Burris. Corporal Burris made an appeal to the North End young men to rally to the colors. "We ought to realize what it will mean if Germany wins this war," he said. "Are you going to allow it? You are just helping it along by staying at home. But mind you, if you go, don't go expecting to have a good time, but expect to have some real hard work. You all know of the German atrocities. You know that her little army, could offer no resistance whatever to her hordes, but as soon as war was declared, that little army was no longer little, but grew with amazing rapidity to an immense size, but yet it was not large enough. More men are needed yet. But though you will have to work very hard, you will find a wonderful improvement in your health."

The Temple of Honor band was in attendance and a recruiting office was opened in the store of J. Johnson, nearby, and while several men applied yet it is not yet definitely known how many of them were passed and sworn in. Haymarket Square. In Haymarket Square there was also an enthusiastic gathering and the addresses were listened to with great interest. It is expected that good results will be shown later. Hugh H. McLellan presided and there were several entertaining features besides the speakers. The proceedings were

centered around the flat car loaned by the I. C. R.

In Carleton. The meeting intended to have been held outside the City Hall, Carleton, at which Lieutenant H. M. Teed, Rev. F. S. Porter and John Keeffe had been announced to speak, did not take place. These gentlemen with the small gathering present went over to Fairville to attend the meeting there. They were escorted by the Carleton Cornet Band.

Meeting Sunday. There will be a large sacred mass meeting in aid of recruiting, held in the Imperial Theatre on Sunday evening at 8.30 o'clock for men. The chief speaker will be Dr. Morrison, who will speak tomorrow evening in the Imperial theatre. It is expected that volunteer singers will assemble on the stage and it is requested that a large volunteer orchestra will be present.

CITIZENS' COMMITTEE ARRANGE MEETINGS

R. T. Hayes will look for suitable halls for meetings during the campaign

At the meeting of the citizens' recruiting committee held yesterday afternoon several matters of detail in connection with the campaign were dealt with. It was announced that Rev. Dr. Morrison will speak tomorrow evening in the Imperial theatre. R. T. Hayes was appointed a committee to find out suitable halls or other buildings where meetings may be conveniently held during the progress of the campaign. E. P. D. Tilley reported that two good meetings had been held in Christie's Mills. Col. Wedderburn was added to the executive.

OBITUARY.

Jennie Frances Hazen. Friends will sympathize very deeply with Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Hazen, of 83 Marsh road, whose only child, Mabel Jennie Frances, died yesterday morning, at the age of eleven months and fourteen days, after an illness of only twenty-four hours. The funeral will take place from the parents' residence on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock, to Fernhill.

Vernon D. Peters. The sympathy of many friends will be extended to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Peters in the loss of their youngest child, Vernon D., whose death occurred today. He was one year old. The funeral will be held this afternoon with service at 2.30, from his parents' home, 28 City Road.

Mrs. J. R. Hagerman. On Sunday last at East Florenceville the death took place of Mrs. J. R. Hagerman, at the age of 75 years. She leaves her husband, Dr. Hagerman, and three sons to mourn. Prof. H. H. Hagerman of the Normal School at Fredericton, is a son, as are also Dr. R. B. and William of Florenceville. She was a Miss Hammond and born at Kingsclear, York Co. The funeral was held on Tuesday, Rev. H. F. Rigby conducting the services, assisted by Revs. M. H. Manuel and G. A. Ross.

Overseas Tobacco Fund. Edward Sears, postmaster, steward. The following contributions were received yesterday: C. D. Jones \$1.00 Frank G. Bent 2.90

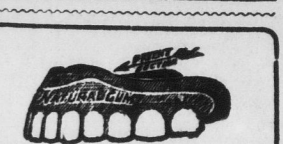
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GRAND CIRCUIT RACING

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 24.—Each of the three classes raced for the fifth day of the Grand Circuit racing proved excellent sport. The programme itself was completed, Mirthful and St. Frisco making it long with a six heat trotting battle.

St. Frisco was the first choice for the 2:09 trot, but Mirthful proved to be the best stayer.

Summary:

2:06 Class Pacing (3 in 5) Purses \$1,200
 Rastus, br g, by Liberty Boy (McDonald) 2 1 1 1
 John D. h, (Rhodes) 1 2 2 4
 Blagen Pointer, b h, (Snow) 3 3 3 2
 Our Colonel, b h, (Childs) 5 4 4 3
 Frank Patch, br h, (Monahan) 4 5 5 0
 The Assessor, ch g (McMahon) 6 6 6 0
 Ben Locanda, b h (Murphy) 7 dr
 Time—2:04 3-4; 2:05 1-2; 2:05 1-4; 2:06 1-4.

2:09 Class Trotting (3 in 5) Purses \$1,200
 Mirthful, b m, by The Star
 St. Frisco, b s (Geers) 5 1 4 2 1 1
 Vaster, g g (Glasdale) 1 5 5 4 4 3
 Laramie Lad, b k (McDonald) 2 2 2 3 3 0
 Harry J. S., blk h (Tyson) 4 3 3 0
 Hazel Laing, ch m (White) 4 3 3 0
 Time—2:08 1-4; 2:06 1-4; 2:07 1-4; 2:08 1-4; 2:11 1-4.

2:18 Class Pacing (3 in 5) Purses \$1,200
 (Unfinished.)
 Thistle Patchson, blk h, by Joe Patchen (Snow) 4 1 2
 Bud Mike, ch g (McAllister) 8 2 1
 Budd Elliott, br g (Geers) 1 8 6
 Spring Maid, ch m (White) 2 3 5

BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE
 Chicago 7, Philadelphia 5
 Philadelphia, Sept. 24—Chicago won both games here today, the scores being 7 to 5 and 12 to 5. In the opening event the visitors won by bunting their hits off Richardson. In the second game Chicago drove Turner and Crowell off the mound, but Sherman did excellent work. The score: (First game) Chicago 401001001—7 7 1 Philadelphia 10000013—5 3 1 Batteries—Cicotte and Mayer; Richardson and McAvoy.
 Chicago 12, Philadelphia 5
 (Second game) Chicago 425100000—12 13 2 Philadelphia 000401000—5 10 3 Batteries—Russell and Schalk; Turner, Crowell and Lapp.
 Cleveland 4, New York 1
 New York, Sept. 24—Garret, a Cleveland pitching recruit from Mason City, Iowa, held New York to four scattered hits, and enabled Cleveland to win the first game of a series with the Yankees by a score of 4 to 1. The score: Cleveland 021000100—4 8 1 New York 001000000—1 4 2 Batteries—Garret and O'Neill; Vance, Shawkey and Alexander.
 St. Louis 8, Boston 4
 Boston, Sept. 24—The Red Sox string of victories stopped at seven when they were defeated by St. Louis. Virginia Brooks, br m (Lane) 3 5 3 Goldie C, b m (Rhodes) 5 4 4 Prince Jolla, b s (Hedrick) 6 6 8 Miss Rejected, r m (Sweeney) 9 7 7 Hedgewood Patchen, ch h (McDonald) 7 7 dr
 Time—2:09 1-4; 2:06 1-4; 2:09 1-4.

games, when St. Louis outplayed the league leaders at every stage today and won, 8 to 4. The score: St. Louis 001000700—8 11 3 Boston 000000004—4 11 3 Batteries—Kook and Agnew; Ruth, Gregg, Cooper and Cadey, Haley.
 Washington 11, Detroit 4
 Washington, Sept. 24—Washington won from Detroit today, 11 to 4, driving Coveleskie from the box in the second inning and continuing to score when Boland, and Bostler, successively took up the task. Johnson allowed the visitors twelve hits, but had no trouble holding them in check after the first inning. The score: Detroit 200000011—4 12 6 Washington 52011010—11 12 2 Batteries—Coveleskie, Boland, Poshler and Stanage, McKee; Johnson and Almsmith.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
 Cincinnati 7, Brooklyn 5
 Cincinnati, Sept. 24—Cincinnati hit Smith hard today and Brooklyn went down to defeat, 7 to 5. The score: Brooklyn 000050000—5 9 3 Cincinnati 140001010—7 11 1 Batteries—Dell, Smith and Miller; Schneider, George and Wingo.
 Boston 2, Pittsburgh 0
 Pittsburgh, Sept. 24—Boston shut-out Pittsburgh here today, 2 to 0. The score: Boston 000000002—2 5 1 Pittsburgh 000000000—0 4 1 Batteries—Neft and Whaling; Kannehner and Gibson.
 Chicago 6, Philadelphia 0
 Chicago, Sept. 24—Philadelphia and Chicago split a double-header here today by the same score of 6 to 0. The contests were marked by tight pitching on the part of the winning pitchers. The score: (First game) Philadelphia 000000000—0 4 3 Pittsburgh 110020000—6 11 1 Batteries—Mayer and Burns, Adams, Humphries and Archer.
 Philadelphia 6, Chicago 0
 (Second game) Philadelphia 01000401—5 7 1 (Eight innings, called account darkness.)

FEDERAL LEAGUE
 Pittsburg 2, Newark 1
 Pittsburg, Sept. 24—Pittsburg defeated Newark 2 to 1 here today in a game, after ten innings. The score: Newark 000100000—1 7 4 Pittsburg 000000011—2 9 0 Batteries—Moran, Kaiserling and Raldeen; Rogge, Dickson and Berry.
 Chicago 3, Brooklyn 0
 Chicago, Sept. 24—Bill Bailey, Chicago's new southpaw pitcher, shut-out Brooklyn here today 3 to 0. The score: Brooklyn 000000000—0 3 3 Chicago 000102000—3 8 1 Batteries—Falkenberg and Lead; Bailey and Fisher.

American League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Boston	97	46	.678
Detroit	94	52	.644
Chicago	85	61	.582
Washington	80	62	.563
New York	79	61	.561
St. Louis	62	84	.425
Cleveland	55	91	.377
Philadelphia	40	103	.280

National League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	84	60	.583
Brooklyn	77	65	.539
Pittsburg	77	67	.535
Cincinnati	68	75	.475
St. Louis	69	78	.469
New York	66	77	.462
Chicago	66	77	.462

Federal League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Pittsburg	81	62	.566
Chicago	80	64	.556
St. Louis	81	65	.555
Newark	74	68	.521
Kansas City	75	69	.521
Brooklyn	72	74	.493
Baltimore	70	78	.472
Baltimore	45	98	.315

GETTING READY IN PHILLY.
 Philadelphia, Sept. 24.—On the expectation that the Philadelphia team will win the National league baseball championship, applications for world's series tickets are pouring into the offices of the club. An official said today that all applications received are merely being filed.
 Builders have looked over Nationals League Park with a view to increasing the seating capacity in the event the Phillies land the flag. One of the tentative plans is to erect bleacher seats outside the grounds on the sidewalks of the streets bounding the right and left field sides of the park.

WILL SOON BE READY.
 Chicago, Sept. 24.—Jess Willard will be back in the ring within sixty days to defend his title of heavyweight champion. He will take on any heavyweight fighter, but he prefers to start with Jim Coffee, the Dublin giant, or Tom Crowler who is being coached by former champion Jim Corbett.
 This was the information brought here today by "Tex" O'Dowd, one of Willard's trainers. "Tex" came in from Racine, Wis., where Willard was appearing with a circus today. He said Willard will wind up his circus tour in three weeks and will then begin preparing himself to re-enter the ring.
 "There will be no wrangling over matches," said O'Dowd. "Willard is not going to fight for his health. He wants a reasonable purse, but promoters can get him for far below thirty thousand dollars."

GAFFNEY OFFERS THE BRAVES' FIELD

Boston, Sept. 24.—The Red Sox, leading the American league by four games, were acclaimed as pennant winners by Mayor Curley, in a letter received by President J. J. Lannin of the Boston club, today.
 "It is a great honor which you have brought to Boston," the mayor wrote. "No baseball team in the country has ever played a fairer game."
 Red Sox officials are engaged in preliminary activities looking toward preparations for the world's series. Until the title is clinched more securely, Mr. Lannin said, no announcement of plans will be made, but the office staff is caring for the many details that precede such a series. Between 2,000 and 3,000 applications for seats already have been received.
 Mr. Lannin has under consideration an offer from President Jas. E. Gaffney of the Boston Nationals, inviting him to use the Braves' field, should the Red Sox go into the world's series. It was said that the greater seating capacity of the field, which can accommodate approximately 50,000 spectators might prompt acceptance of the courtesy.

THE WORLD'S SERIES.
 August Herrman, chairman of the National Baseball Commission, in a statement said that the world's series would probably start on Saturday, October 3. Mr. Herrman said that the championship season in the east does not close until October 7 and it is the custom to give the contending teams a day to get ready for the big event.

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SOLDIERS' COMFORT LEAGUE FORMED
 Alexandra Circle formed for North End—Good work already done by members.

A new branch of the Soldiers' Comfort League has been formed in North End, with a charter membership of fourteen, the infant in the ranks being known as Alexandra Circle. The enthusiasm with which the members are entering upon the work augurs well for its success as already they have accomplished considerable. Officers appointed and all the members are taking actively to the preparation of the little "extras" which lighten the burden of the men at the front.
 Mrs. Bond of 48 Kennedy street, wife of Sergt. J. C. Bond, now in France with the Canadian Army Service Corps, is president of Alexandra Circle, and would be pleased to hear from any others desirous of joining and helping in the work.
 A feature of the endeavors of the

new circle has been to get the children in the homes of the members and their little school friends working in addition to themselves. They have been doing this by means of yards of ribbon so arranged as to be able to receive deposits of coppers, each child to be given a yard of such ribbon to have filled in.
 The little ones have returned many yards of pennies. The "kiddies" who have been doing this collecting are Marjorie White and Elsie Coleman, who have each returned three yards of ribbon filled; Marjorie Christie, John Andrews, Gertrude Andrews, Vera Roberts, Alice Hutchinson, Vera Campbell, each two yards; and Florence Lingley, Gertrude Gallop, Helen Dunham, Helen Black, Florence Gallop, Baby Jack Wilson, Phyllis Anderson, Maude McLean, Muriel Scribner, Ruth Watters, Helen Gorrie, Lois McLean, Verner Watters, Isabel Gasikin, Frank Wilson, Ronald Roberts, Harry Jones, Helen Chase, each one yard. Mrs. A. L. Roberts of Metcalfe street, is attending to this branch of the work of the new circle.

MOOSEPATH RACES TODAY.
 Two good races are booked for Moosepath today, a pace and a trot. Among the lot are three imported horses which will start for the first time on Moosepath track. A three year old colt imported by Thomas Hayes will be given an exhibition mile and will be driven by a twelve year old boy.

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IF THE JANITOR HAD WATCHED THE HOUSE AS WELL AS HE DID ME—DID YOU'LDNT HAVE HAD PENED!

TROW UP YOUR MITTS I'M A TOUGH GUY—I JUST BEAT UP THE JANITOR TO GIT UP HERE—

OH THE SQUARE—DID YOU REALLY BEAT UP THE JANITOR?

SURE—I KNOCKED HIM COLD.

HERE—HAVE SOME MORE CIGARS—HAVE SOME MORE!—EATS IM SCRRY—I HAVENT ANY MORE CHANGE.

YOU'RE ALL RIGHT—CUL—I'LL GIVE HIM ANOTHER PUNCH WHEN IM GOIN' OUT!

All the CLOSING LETTERS N. Y. MARKET E. & C. RANDOLPH

(Published by McGraw-Hill & Co., New York, Sept. 24.—The closing letter in the railroad list which began opening mid-day, but was resumed this last hour and steadily gained until the close of the business day. In that department of the et the activity became greater at any other time recently, a supply of blocks was made, an omission by the Berlin war office, was considered very important. Berlin has not been inclined, agitate the seriousness of the war which it has suffered in the matter may prove to be a very important one to facilitate the loan of the Allies' loan in this case. In the event that a loan of such amount were floated to remedy danger of foreign liquidation of American stocks and bonds, the issues would probably make good response to the highly favorable statements of earnings now forward. The large gain in growth not being shown for August would be an isolated case. In the month still larger gains are made and the improvement in headway instead of losing force in the year. Only a small part business contracted for by Sto other industrial plants has yet to move, and it will add enorm to earnings, particularly of the etc roads in the comparatively future. Total sales 564,000, \$5,900,000.

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SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC
 September—Phases of the Moon
 Last Quarter . . . 1st 10h 57m
 New Moon 9th 6h 53m
 First Quarter . . . 16th 3h 21m
 Full Moon 23rd 5h 35m

PORT OF ST. JOHN.
 Arrived Friday, Sept. 24, 1915
 Str Captn Broome, 1102, from
 burg, R F & W F Starr, coal.
 Sailed.
 Str Calvin Austin, 2853, for
 Boston via Maine ports, A C C
 Co.

DOMESTIC PORTS.
 Hawkesbury, Sept 22—Ar-
 Allan White (Am), Ireland, 30
 will load at Halifax.
 Mulgrave, Sept 22—Passed
 tern sch George E Dudley.
 Halifax, Sept 22—Ar: Str H
 Cardiff, ship Elgor (Rus)
 deals; tern sch Annie Alnall
 York.
 Yarmouth, Sept 22—Ar: Sc
 metto, New York.
 Str Stephen, Sept 21—Sld: Sch
 dlke, Parrsboro, N S.

BRITISH PORTS.
 B. Badoes, Sept 7—Ar: Sch
 The Nutt, Pernambuco (and
 11th for Honduras); 9th: Sch
 Josiah, Bridgewater; 14th: Sch
 Silver, Cambridge.
 Sld Sept 4: Sch Hazel Trache
 fax; 5th: Sch W S Wynot,
 Island.
 Preston, Eng., Sept 18—Ar-
 Earl of Aberdeen, Crossley,
 Boro.
 Manchester, Sept 21—Ar-
 Dagrun (Nor), Biering, Fugwas
 Crandley, Henderson, Botwood
 via Bristol.
 Liverpool, Sept 21—Ar: Str
 gama, Webster, Montreal.
 Kingston, Is, Sept 16—In po
 E A Seabean.

FOREIGN PORTS.
 Perth Amboy, N J, Sept 22
 Str Mimor (Nor) New York (o
 on return; Sch E B Hardwic
 York (and sld for Meteghan).
 Sld Sept 22: Sch H H Kil
 Gaspe.
 City Island, Sept 22—Passed
 Nettie Shipman, Port Liberty
 als, Me; Charles J Jeffrey, Po
 erty, for Calais, Me.
 Calais, Sept 17—Ar: Str Co
 Kelly, Montreal.
 Vineyard Haven, Mass, Se
 Ar: Sch Silver Lear, Turks
 for Bucksport, Me, with sail.
 Str Sept 22: Schs Pio F 7
 from Perth Amboy for Liverpo
 D B White, from do for Sydney
 Genoa, Sept 23—Sld: Str
 Abbott, Oran and Sand Hook
 Calais, Sept 23—Sld: Sch t
 Baker, St George, N B.
 Eastport, Sept 22—Ar: Sch
 Harold, Philadelphia.
 Gloucester, Sept 22—Ar: Sc
 Nova, New York; N B Ayer, S
 N B; Sld: A Kimball, Port
 N S.
 Vineyard Haven, Sept 22—A
 Bravo, Perth Amboy.
 Portland, Sept 22—Sld: Sch

All the Latest News and Comment from the World of Finance

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

(Published by McDougall & Cowans) New York, Sept. 24.—The advance in the railroad list which began at the opening was suspended temporarily...

BROAD DEMAND FOR INVESTMENT SHARES ON WALL ST. YESTERDAY

Heavy trading in these stocks in final hour overshadowed specialties—All Railways figured in advance, C.P.R. gaining 4 1/2 points in the rise.

New York, Sept. 24.—The most impressive and wholesome feature of today's market was the broad, if somewhat belated, demand for investment shares comprising the railroad group...

STOCK QUOTATIONS ON N.Y. EXCHANGE

Table with columns: (McDOUGALL & COWANS), Open, High, Low, Close. Lists various stocks like Am Beet Sug, Am Can, Am Loco, etc.

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

Table with columns: (McDOUGALL & COWANS), Morning, Montreal, Friday, Sept. 24th. Lists various transactions like C. P. R. Notes, Cedars, etc.

PRODUCE PRICES ON MONTREAL MARKET

Table listing various produce items and their prices, such as Wheat, Flour, Beans, etc.

RAILWAYS

Advertisement for CANADIAN PACIFIC EXCURSIONS, listing rates for Montreal and Boston, and other railway services.

SHIPPING

Table titled 'MINIATURE ALMANAC' showing moon phases and other astronomical data.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Friday, Sept. 24, 1915. St. Cape Breton, 1108, Kemp, Louisburg, R.P. & W.F. Starr, coal. Sailed.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

Hawkeberg, Sept. 22—Ard: Sch Allan White (Am), Ireland, 35 days, will load at Halifax.

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NEW YORK COTTON MARKET SALES

Table with columns: (McDOUGALL & COWANS), High, Low, Close. Lists cotton market sales for various months.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Table with columns: (McDOUGALL & COWANS), High, Low, Close. Lists grain and produce prices for Chicago.

MONTREAL MARKET

Table with columns: (McDOUGALL & COWANS), Bid, Ask. Lists various market items and their prices.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecasts. Maritime—Fresh to strong northerly winds; fair and cooler, danger of frost Sunday morning. Washington, Sept. 24—Forecast: Northern New England—Fair Saturday and probably Sunday; moderate northwest winds. Toronto, Sept. 24.—The weather of today has been much cooler and rainy throughout the western provinces. In Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces it has been fine and fairly warm, but is turning cooler with northerly winds. Min. and Max. temperatures: Prince Rupert 48 58, Victoria 48 66, Calgary 34 54, Vancouver 52 66, Kamloops 44 72, Regina 39 48, Prince Albert 32 36, Winnipeg 36 44, Harry Sound 56 68, Toronto 56 68, Kingston 56 66, Ottawa 52 64, Quebec 50 58, St. John 48 60, Halifax 46 66.

Around the City

Men to Sussex. Seven men went forward to Sussex last evening. They are: Nezirino Berardini, Arthur McDonald, Robert Buchanan, Heurson Arrow, Alex Longon, James Smith and James W. Davis.

Agricultural Implements. The secretary of the Board of Trade has received a communication from the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, Toronto, calling attention to the probable effects of recent legislation in Saskatchewan respecting the agricultural implement business in Canada.

Pals' Platoon. Twenty-five young men gathered in the Board of Trade rooms last night and decided to form a pals' platoon. They will start drilling on Monday night at eight o'clock. More men are wanted. Drill will be carried on in the armory.

Fox Company Creditors. At a meeting of creditors of the Provincial Fox Company held yesterday afternoon L. P. D. Tilley was confirmed as assignee and G. M. Barker and J. A. Sinclair were appointed inspectors. It was decided to call for tenders for the foxes and the ranch at Renforth.

Had Trip to States. Policeman John Kane and his wife returned home on Tuesday on the Governor Cobb, having spent two weeks visiting New York and Boston. They speak of the intense heat there, the people not knowing of such heat at this time of the season for years.

Girls' League. An invitation is issued by the Lancaster Red Cross Society to all young ladies of Lancaster and West St. John to meet at the residence of Mrs. J. V. Anglin at seven o'clock on Monday evening, Sept. 27, to discuss the formation of a Girls' League for Red Cross work.

Again Arrested. Frank Bell, better known in police circles as "Spider," was arrested on Garden street yesterday afternoon by Inspector Wickham and Detective Barrett on the charge of being drunk and profane. Bell is also charged with escaping from the chain gang on July 7th, 1914.

Fish Market. No important changes in the prices of fish have taken place during the week. Haddock and cod have been a little more plentiful than last week when these fish were somewhat scarce. The price remains 5c per pound. Mackerel and halibut have found a ready sale. Retailers say that the demand for fish during the past few days has been quite brisk.

Newest Neckwear. One of the daintiest collections of neckwear for this season has just been received at F. A. Dykeman & Co.'s store. Made from sheer materials in neat designs and the newest styles these collars are attracting great attention. They are also showing some very pretty styles in the new muslin ruffs. The prices of these collars are from 25 cents to \$1.00 each.

Beautiful Kitchen Cabinets. A representative of The Standard visited the furniture establishment of Amland Bros. Ltd., Waterloo street, yesterday, and who appealed to his eye was a beautiful assortment of the famous Hooser Kitchen Cabinets, which is largely advertised throughout the country. These cabinets are made in solid oak and have forty labor-saving devices, and no kitchen is complete without one. The Messrs. Amland Bros. will hold a sale of Hooser Kitchen Cabinets today on the famous club plan, and every woman who joins the club can have this cabinet delivered to their home by paying \$1.00 down at the rate of \$1.00 weekly quick pay for it. This sale has been held by Hooser Mfg. Co., and good housekeeper who wish to do health and more leisurely her family should not be without one of these cabinets.

MAJOR PERCY A. GUTHRIE, WAR SCARRED HERO, GIVEN ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME

Thank God For the Navy, Says Major Guthrie.

Interesting Interview with the Hero of Festubert.

England Just Commencing to Realize Seriousness of Situation—Canadians Making Good—His Hesperian Experience.



MAJOR PERCY A. GUTHRIE, M.L.A.

"Thank God for the British navy." In this way Major Percy A. Guthrie succinctly summed up the war situation in conversation with The Standard last night. He said there was no doubt in the minds of the British people about the outcome of the present struggle, but that they were beginning to realize that they were up against a tremendous task.

"The opinion in England, among military officers," said Major Guthrie, "is that the war will last two years more at least. The English people have only begun to awake to the seriousness of the situation. Two or three months ago in England one would hardly realize that Britain was at war, but the air raids brought home to the people the fact that they were engaged in a life and death struggle for their very existence."

The Navy's Work. Referring to the navy, he said it had performed its duty well, and English ships were free from invasion. Supplies came and went as in normal times and no hostile ship was able to do serious damage to the "tight little island." Major Guthrie said that the coal supply of France was in the hands of Germany and that France was getting present supplies from England, "thanks to the navy."

Conscription Coming. "Recruiting in England is going on all the time, but the response is not as great as it should be and from present indications the conscription law is not far from becoming a certainty. They are building huge munition factories in England now," continued the major, "and ammunition is being manufactured rapidly. The difficulty that had been encountered on account of inadequate equipment will soon be overcome."

Was on the Hesperian. Major Guthrie was a passenger on the ill-fated Hesperian and spoke interestingly of his experience. He was in bed when the ship was struck and thought for a while that he had escaped with his life from the battlefields of France only to lose it on the journey home.

After crawling out of bed he secured a life belt and made his way to the companionway, where he encountered a woman and child; he promptly surrendered his life preserver to them and went back to his cabin for another. A fellow officer came down and helped him to the deck, where owing to the excitement he was pushed

Subject of Great Reception at Union Depot.

Looks Well Though Still Suffering from Wounds.

Shows His Interest in Cause by Addressing Recruiting Meeting Within an Hour After His Arrival.

Major Percy A. Guthrie, M. L. A., of Fredericton, and one of New Brunswick's heroes, who was seriously wounded while doing "his bit" for the Empire on the plains of Europe, arrived in St. John last evening. The people of the loyalist city were on hand at the Union Station and their welcome was unmistakable. The arrival of his train was greeted with cheers and when he appeared in the doorway of the car on crutches the cheering was taken up by everyone in the vicinity. His progress through the train shed was rather slow on account of his wounds but this gave the people ample opportunity of seeing him at close range. There were many comments as to his appearance but all agreed that he bore his wounds manfully. At times people crowded close and when the pressure became great Major Guthrie smiled as he made his way along.

The crowd accompanied him through the station and after he was in the auto, he was escorted through the streets to King Square where he was given another ovation. After the crowd had calmed down, Mayor Frink spoke a few words in appreciation of the work done by Major Guthrie, "Citizens of St. John," said he, "we are here tonight to welcome to our city a man. In daylight or dark we feel the greatest admiration and appreciation for one who has done 'his bit' for our beloved Empire and it is with the greatest pleasure that I welcome Major Guthrie to our city."

The wounded man rose to his feet but it was several minutes before the cheering subsided sufficiently for his voice to be heard. His words rang clear, however, and carried to the outskirts of the crowd. "People of St. John," he said, "I thank you for this kind reception, which was entirely unlooked for on my part. It is, however, gratifying to know that the people of my native province appreciate what the Canadian boys are doing for them in Europe. I can tell you, you may well feel proud of the record made by Canadians. The City of St. John and the Province of New Brunswick have sent many men to the front and they as well as the other officers, non-commissioned officers and men of other parts of the Dominion have brought honor to the name of Canada. (cheers.) I hope at some future time to be permitted to speak to you about this great war but at present I feel I can say no more. I thank you for this hearty reception."

Canadians at Shorncliffe. While in England the major spent a day at Shorncliffe and spoke highly of the Canadian boys he saw there. Speaking of the first division he said they had established a reputation in France that would be hard to beat. At Shorncliffe he saw Colonel H. H. McLeod, who had just returned after two months on the firing line. "Ronald McAvity has made good," said Major Guthrie. "He has been promoted to major and holds an important position at Portsmouth."

The major was very enthusiastic in his praise for the British navy, and said that many Canadians to whom he had talked were disappointed that Canada was not represented by single ship. The major looks well, considering the terrible experiences he has been through, and feels badly that he will not be able to go back and take another crack at the Hun.

He was wounded in the battle of Festubert on May 26th after having been through the battle of Ypres. His wounds were very serious. The bones of his right leg, below the knee, being shattered and he sustained other injuries. Major Guthrie will be in the city today and will leave for his home in Fredericton on the C. P. R. tonight. Major Guthrie was then escorted to the Royal Hotel.

FOUR EXTRA MACHINE GUNS TO EACH CANADIAN BATTALION

The contributions made by the public for supplying machine guns for the use of Canadian troops in Europe will be used for the purchase of additional guns over the regular number supplied. The government provided four machine guns for each battalion and the public subscriptions will give each battalion four more guns, or a total of eight. There has been a tendency on the part of some supporters of the opposition to intimate that the fund would be used to pay for the guns regularly supplied, and that no additional ones would be available. This idea is entirely wrong, for the money subscribed will be used solely for extra instruments.

Each battalion now going from Canada will have eight machine guns, and this will materially increase the fighting strength of the Canadian troops.

The information concerning the popular fund was sent out from Ottawa last night as follows: Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Sept. 24.—The contributions made by the public for machine guns for the Canadian forces are being used to provide additional guns over and above the regular number provided by the government. The government provides four machine guns for each battalion, which is considered the necessary number. With the public contributions that have been made so liberally, an additional four guns are being obtained for each battalion. This will materially increase the fighting strength of the Canadian troops.

PROVING POPULAR

A pleasing innovation at the Sign of The Lantern Tea Room takes the form of Primecrest Farm Certified Milk served in carefully sealed individual glass jars, another addition to the menu being Primecrest Cream Cheese, a new and most delightful relish. To the coffee and tea is imparted an exceptional richness by the use of Primecrest Choice Cream. The Sign of The Lantern management express themselves as delighted with the uniform high quality and perfect cleanliness of these products of Primecrest Farm.

HOW LIEUT. MARCH WENT TO THE FRONT

H. A. Porter has received a letter from his brother, Lieut. Cecil Porter, 26th Battalion, in which he speaks of Lieut. Edgar A. March with particular reference to the way in which the latter was successful in obtaining a position on the strength of the battalion that would enable him to proceed to France. Before the 26th went to France it had been decided by the military authorities to leave behind all supernumerary officers. Lieut. March, being most anxious to go to France with his battalion, learned that this might be accomplished by success in taking a bombing course, the military regulations providing that supernumerary officers passing in this course might be taken on the strength of the regiment. Lieut. March passed in the bombing course, with honors and was thus able to proceed to France at once, as he had wished to do. Evening classes will reopen for the winter term at the St. John Business College Monday, October 4th.

RECRUITS WANTED ARMY SERVICE CORPS

Recruits wanted to join the Army Service Corps of St. John (Home Service). After a sufficient number have been enrolled, a course of instruction, lasting six weeks, will be opened at St. John. This will consist of night classes so as not to interfere with the daily employment of the men. Applications will be received by F. T. Harbour, of G. E. Harbour Co., Ltd., or the undersigned. H. R. GUNTER, Lieut., Officer Commanding, No. 7 Co. C. A. B. C., Fredericton.

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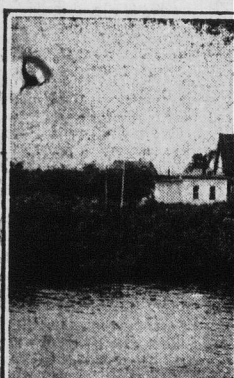
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NEW BRUNSWICK IS ONLY NOW BEGINNING TO UNDERSTAND WHAT AGRICULTURE MEANS

FOR MANY YEARS LUMBER WAS REGARDED AS THE ONE GREAT SOURCE OF REVENUE

But People Are Gradually Coming to Realize That in the Farm Will be Found the Most Substantial Foundation for Provincial Prosperity—As a Fruit Raising District New Brunswick Stands in a Class by Itself.

For many years the lumber industry was the mainstay of New Brunswick. Seventy-five per cent of the farmers were to a greater or lesser degree lumbermen. The farm was a side issue—a place on which to stay during the summer months. The soil was indifferently tilled. The breeding of and caring for live-stock was not a serious consideration. The farmer and his sons went to the lumber woods with the large operators, or conducted operations on their own behalf during the winter months. Some twenty years ago a change began to come to the lumber business, and gradually the lumber lands have passed into the hands of large operators and with the increased cost of operation the small man has been eliminated.

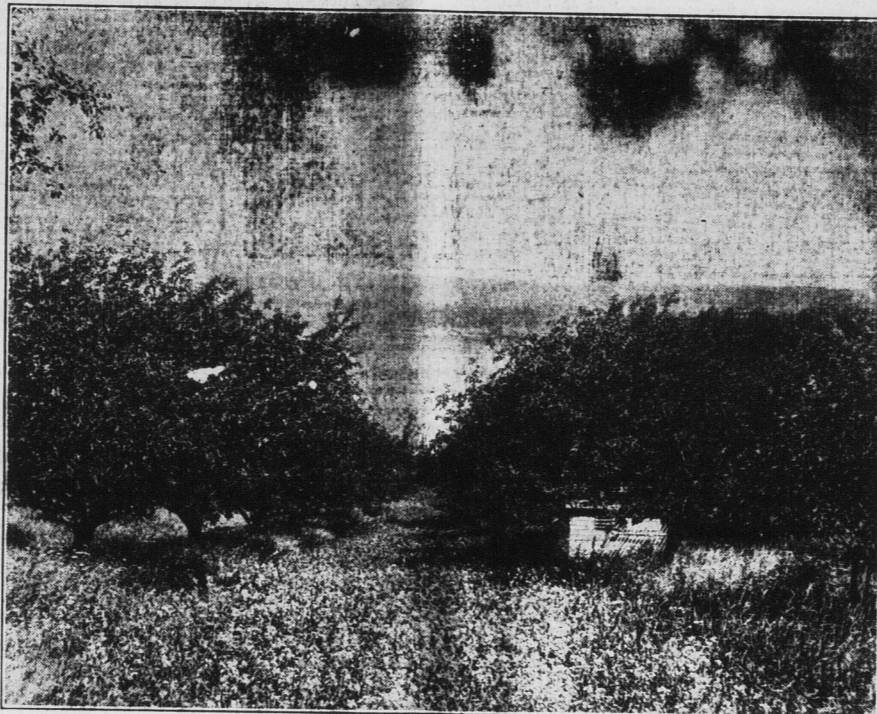
When this change began to make itself felt, there was a corresponding spirit of discouragement and unrest among the farming population of the province. The west was opening and many of our people heard its call. The vast prairie lands of our western provinces were a great attraction, and scores sold their holdings here for whatever they could obtain, and left for the west. A fair percentage of those who left us have succeeded in their new homes, but very many have simply existed, and many regret having left New Brunswick.

Gradually our people at home have awakened to the fact that New Brunswick possesses splendid agricultural possibilities, second to none in the Dominion. The valley of the St. John river is especially well adapted to apple growing and large areas have recently been planted to fruit trees. The outlook is that within the next two

stock business cannot be successfully conducted until the farmer has solved the question of food for his stock at a reasonable price. The basis of successful farming and for the production of cheap feed is clover. Up to within very recently the question of the successful raising of clover in the province was always a live one, and caused much warm debate at the farmers' gatherings. There were those who vigorously contended that clover could not be successfully produced here and others always had faith in the clover, maintaining that with proper handling it was a reasonably reliable crop. Many farmers adhered closely to timothy and declined to give clover a reasonable trial, and the results in the raising of timothy were not satisfactory. While it found a ready market yet it was easily proved that the tax upon the soil was altogether too great, and that it did not possess feeding qualities which made it profitable as food for live-stock. Necessity, therefore, drove many of the farmers to look carefully into the clover question, with the result that the debate concerning the possibilities of clover raising has in a large measure ceased. Scores of farmers now have their farms well under clover, and they are proving that it is exceedingly profitable both as a soil builder, and as a food stuff. A number of experiments have been carried on with alfalfa, but the results have not been of a character to warrant any large expenditure in this connection, although many are keeping at it, and it is possible that in some districts alfalfa may be successfully raised. In almost every part of the province

In the Past Fifteen Years or so More Has Been Accomplished in the Introduction of Progressive Methods Than in the Several Preceding Generations—No Finer Soil and Climate for Mixed Farming Can be Found Anywhere in Canada.

WHAT ONE UP-TO-DATE COMPANY HAS DONE



FRUIT GROWING IN ST. JOHN VALLEY ABOVE FREDERICTON

tion of the Federal Government, is doing good work and will prove of great assistance to the farmers in future. In the past we have had to rely upon data from the experimental farms in the other provinces, but under the direction of Mr. W. W. Hubbard, who knows New Brunswick conditions thoroughly, there will be very satisfactory data gathered, by which the farmers of the province will, no doubt, profit.

There has sprung up throughout the province during the past few years a number of farms conducted by business or professional men, along experimental lines, but always with an eye to profit. One of the most striking examples of a successfully conducted farm is at Hartland. A recent visit to this farm was of great interest, for the management were very willing to give a detailed history of its development. When the farm was purchased, several years ago, it was in a badly run-out condition. For years it had been cropped with timothy hay and oats, without a proper rotation of crops. The result was that it was in exceedingly poor condition. The farm was not purchased with the idea of carrying on general farming, but as a poultry plant, and there came into existence what has become known throughout the Maritime Provinces as the Hartland Poultry Yards. Gradually general farming was developed and today the poultry business, while still quite extensive, is only a minor factor. Every line of agriculture is being successfully carried on at this plant. The road to success has not always been a smooth one, and the management have met with many difficulties, but never became discouraged. Instead of giving up the venture when difficulties and losses were met, they sought to ascertain the causes of the failure, and to remedy them.

A second great mistake was made in the employment of cheap labor. They learned the lesson that in this day a cheap man is dear at any price. A cheap man gives cheap results, and is never satisfactory. It was found impossible to carry on this plant successfully with the ordinary method of "hired help." A solution of the help problem was found in the cooperative idea. A young man, born and brought up on one of New Brunswick's best farms, was taken into the business as manager, upon the following basis:

The original owners were to furnish the plant and all its equipment, in-



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Commissioner for Agriculture
including farm buildings, horses, cattle, machinery, in fact everything to work with, and the manager was to provide all the labor necessary for the operation of the plant for one-half the gross receipts; the owners to be consulted as to all methods of seeding and general operation. The results have been very satisfactory to both sides. Following is a general outline of the methods pursued, with results.

First year, root crop. Some commercial fertilizer is being used under the root crop, but not to so large an extent as many of the farmers are using.

The third year is hay. Thus far there has been no difficulty in obtaining splendid catches of clover. If it were the first rotation only one crop of hay is taken. It is then broken up and the rotation repeated. After the second rotation the plan is to lengthen the rotation to four or five years, having two crops of hay instead of one; but while the fields are in the process of building up, they have been kept to the three-year rotation. As a proof of the wisdom of this method, when the farm was purchased thirty tons of hay was considered a good yield. Last year over one hundred tons was taken off about the same area. There were a number of fields which gave as high as three tons of clover hay to the acre in one cut. The average was over two tons over the entire farm, ninety per cent of it being clover. It has been clearly proved that New Brunswick soil responds very quickly to proper rotation. At the time this farm was purchased there was ample room in which to store all the farm could possibly produce, but last year it was found necessary to pull down the barns and build greater. A fine large barn has been erected on the site of the old buildings. In the building of this barn, the idea of economy of labor has been kept in view. The old barn floor has been eliminated, thus saving considerable space for crop storage. There is a large root cellar on the ground floor, also a hundred grain room. The cattle are kept in the basement and are stabled with modern appliances and special care is taken to preserve the manures which are produced. This was one of the very interesting points given by the management. All the natural fertilizers produced are immediately hauled out and placed on the land. The system of top dressing is followed. No large quantity is allowed to gather around the barns, but is placed upon the land at once. During the winter months it is hauled out and put in large piles in the fields and spread with a manure spreader in the

TRANSFORMED ABANDONED FARM INTO AN EXAMPLE FOR THE PROVINCE TO FOLLOW

Prosperity in Carleton County Has, by Systematic Management, Become a Model of Its Kind—Only the Best Classes of Stock are Kept and it is the Policy of the Owners Not to Sell an Ounce of the Feed Grown on the Land.

spring as early as possible. The farm is now well stocked. When taken over it could not possibly carry more than ten head of horned cattle, with a reasonable number of sheep and horses. Now it is carrying thirty head of horned cattle, with a large flock of sheep, pigs and the necessary horses to carry on the work.

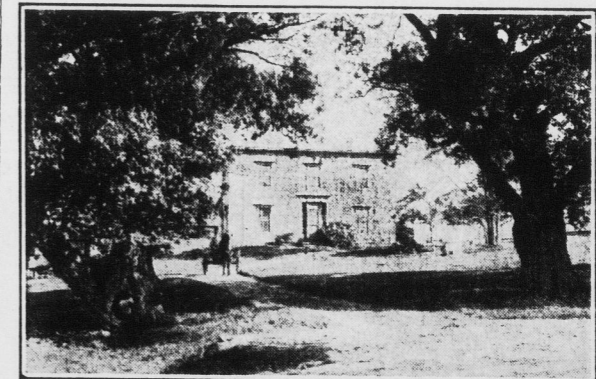
Briefly stated, the policy of the management is not to sell a single pound of food stuffs. Everything raised up on the farm is fed. Close rotation of crops is followed. Every hoof that the farm can carry is placed upon it. No mongrels are kept. Ayrshire and Holstein cattle, Tamworth and Berkshire pigs, Oxford and Down sheep and Clyde and thoroughbred horses are raised. A careful record is kept of the production of every milch cow. All "boarders" are promptly sent to the butcher and only paying animals are kept. The standard which they have set is to keep no cow which produces under six thousand pounds of milk per year.

The management are looking to the development of the seed business. It is purposed in the near future to announce a policy by which they will place upon the market New Brunswick grown seed, such as potatoes, turnips, oats, barley, wheat, peas and

and so many people from the Old Country fruit lands. Yet, in the face of the great geographical, social and natural advantages possessed by Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Ontario, she has accomplished it. In the east we have a less rugged, a more beautiful country; we are within a week's journey from the best market in the world, and the old home of our immigrants. We do not have to resort to artificial methods such as irrigation and frost fighting appliances, and our apples are better flavored.

There is only one explanation, British Columbia is awake and the east is asleep. The signs of the times are, however, not without hope—the east stirs uneasily in its sleep—presently it will rub its eyes—and then let us hope that it will open one and with just one open and its great natural advantages, British Columbia, wide awake as it is, will have to look on.

To my mind British Columbia with its lands already at fancy prices, with its higher cost of production and enormous transportation expense, can never seriously compete with the Maritime Provinces, the European market, if we exert ourselves at all. Now is the time for the Province of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, each keeping to the production of varieties for which they are best adapted, between them to take a large and commanding place in the supplying of the European apple market from September to May of every year. It is a matter of great satisfaction



COMFORTABLE HOME NEAR PENOBSCUS

that it was as good as ten or fifteen per cent. dividend per annum upon the money invested, and they are perfectly satisfied with the venture. It is their purpose in the near future to add largely to the acreage. During the past year the name has been changed from the Hartland Poultry Yards to the Clover Nook Stock Farm.

Apples Growing in the Maritime Provinces—Awakening in New Brunswick

By A. G. TURNEY, Provincial Horticulturist, recently with the Ontario Department of Agriculture.

New Brunswick's premier apple lands are to be found in the Lower St. John Valley, between St. John and Fredericton, and are only from twenty to eighty miles by river transportation from St. John, the national winter port. The valley is one of great scenic beauty and fertility and is a great natural apple belt. To the man who desires to grow apples commercially, I do not know in all Canada of a country where the prospects and markets are better or the environment more ideal.

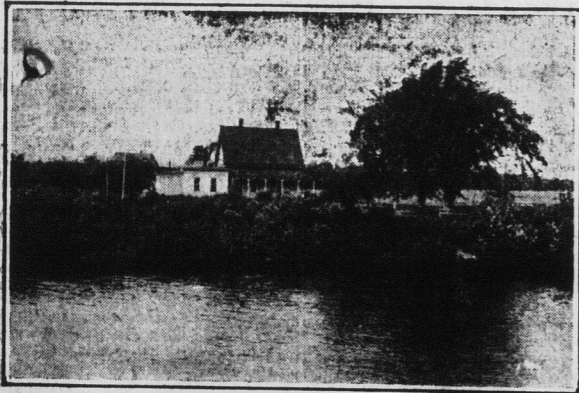
to be able to say that companies to develop our fruit lands are already being organized and will soon be in active operation, and I am confidently expectant that the development of fruit growing in the St. John Valley will be the most remarkable feature in the next ten years of Canadian horticulture.—From The Canadian Horticulturist, July 1911.

To Study for Church.

Walter S. Dunlop, of North End, left last evening for Toronto, where he will enter Wycliffe College to study for the Anglican ministry. He has been an active member of St. Luke's church for several years, particularly energetic in young people's endeavors. Mr. Dunlop has been in the employ of Hall and Fairweather since graduating from High School, latterly being in the office of cashier. A host of friends will wish him success in his studies.

Cannot Go to War.

Arthur McKinnon, of 256 Main street, who has been with the 55th Battalion since last May, returned home from Valcartier last night, having been given his discharge as medically unfit. He is quite lame.



A TYPICAL FARM ON THE ST. JOHN RIVER

decades the valley of the St. John will rival the celebrated Annapolis Valley in Nova Scotia. Already such varieties as McIntosh Red and Fameuse apples for the valley are becoming famous not only at home but abroad.

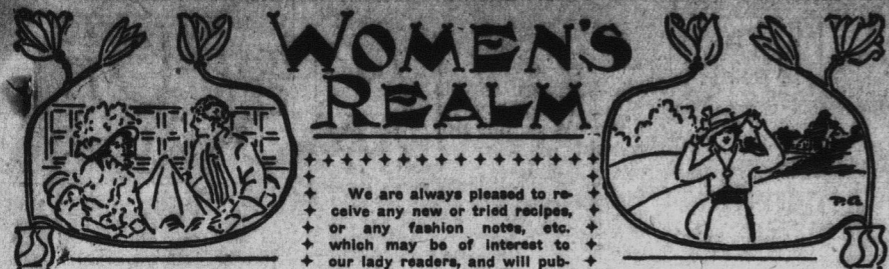
New Brunswick potatoes have an international reputation for excellence. Unfortunately certain sections of the province during the past few years have gone too largely into raising potatoes, with the result that there has been great over-production, with consequent low prices; but the potato districts are beginning to realize the truth of the old saying: "It is unwise to have all one's eggs in one basket." The process of readjustment is taking place, and New Brunswick will soon find her balance and will take her proper place as a great agricultural province.

There are sections of the province which are especially adapted to dairying and live-stock. One of the great problems in the dairy and live-stock business is the production of food stuffs at a minimum cost. The live-

ince, roots, such as turnips, mangel and sugar beets, can be grown in large quantities at a very small cost. All the grains, such as oats, barley and peas, can be easily produced. These conditions are being largely recognized, and there is a turning to stock raising throughout the province, which means much for the future. The Provincial Department of Agriculture has instituted a bonusing system, by which, through Agricultural Societies, the keeping of pure-bred stock is being greatly encouraged.

There is a general recognition of the need of better methods and the applying of scientific principles to the work of agriculture, and our farmers are seeking the necessary education. There has been a decided increase in the attendance of especially the younger men at the various agricultural colleges and the Short Courses instituted by the Provincial Government during the winter months are being well patronized. All over the province there is the adoption of better methods. The Experimental Farm at Fredericton, under the direc-

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Fashion Notes

Embroidered Black Hats

The hand embroidered black velvet hat which made its appearance very early in the season is not a Paris importation, as some houses would lead you to believe. It was originated in New York by a Fifth Avenue specialty shop, about the middle of June. The designer did not know at the time whether it would take or not.

First of the models was a black velvet sailor shape embroidered on brim and crown with daisies—yellow daisies with brown centers and white daisies with yellow centers. The designer put it in his window, and within three weeks these hats were copied in machine embroidery and shown everywhere.

One beautiful model is embroidered on top in daisies and has two ostrich plumes coming from under the brim and falling over the hair in the back. Any woman who embroiders could easily get her milliner to mark off on velvet the shape of the pieces required for crown and brim and do her own embroidery, getting the milliner to build the hat afterward, and could have something really refined, chic and individual, not to mention the saving in expense of such a hat had the embroidery been done by the milliner. Seventy-five dollars is the price asked by the originator. The hand-embroidered hats will never become common.

A quill striped of its flukes is called a feeler, and is very smart on tailored hats.

Soutache braid is being used on sailor hats of velvet. A blue velvet model shows Vandykes of white soutache on the upper side of the brim with two feelers crossed smartly at the front.

Barrel Muff
The old-fashioned barrel muff is a predicted new shape in fur.

Black Velvet Basques
Black velvet basques are made to wear with skirts of silk or cloth.

New Princess Robe
The new princess robe shows the normal waist line and full gathered skirts.

Borders
Borders of black ribbon velvet appear on the black grosgrain costumes.

One-Piece Princess
One-piece princess effects make a new and becoming feature for autumn models.

Dark Plaid
Dark plaids faced with scarlet are among the most delightful autumn dresses.

Capes of Fur
Capes of fur are to be worn this winter. Some new models noted were of kolinsky. These had attached cravats the long ends of which fell down the front or were thrown carelessly over the shoulder. A small flat muff of the fur accompanied cape.

Something New
One suit of soft green gabardine was elaborately trimmed with braid and buttons. The suit was made red, ingote with short bolero at the front.

Invisible Checks
Invisible checks are exceedingly popular, often the checked material is combined with plain one-toned material.

New Styles
Long waistcoats and flap pockets will be seen on autumn coats.

New Fall Corset
The new fall corsets have an unmis- takeable nip-in at the side.

Dark Blue Serge
A dark blue serge is charming trimmed with black taffeta.

Colored Applique Trimming
Colored applique trimming, such as was used a number of years ago, has been seen upon one recently created gown. It is doubtful, however, if it this season of comparative severity.

New Autumn Combinations
Black and brown is one of the new autumn combinations.

Chiffon Cloth
The favorite materials for dark waists, are chiffon cloth, Georgette, crepe, taffeta and satin.

Striped Voile
Striped voile and small checked taffeta are used as trimming for plain white serge and linen dresses.

The Daily Fashion Hint.

When the steak is placed within, so it is well to light the gas in the oven about five minutes before the steak is ready, and when the broiler is hot put the steak on it as near the gas flame as possible without letting it touch.

Sear on each side from one to two minutes, turning it with a fork inserted as near the edge as possible. When the searing is completed turn the steak again, lower the pan about six inches and turn the burners half way down, so that the steak may broil slowly on each side about five minutes. This will give you a rare steak.

Time Required For Cooking
It is something well to give the steak a little more time and turn it oftener, never allowing it to broil on one side longer than four or five minutes.

When frying a steak in an ordinary pan remember to stick the fork always near the bone in turning. The fried steak requires about twenty minutes.

A French Sweet
Cut a number of slices of bread about half an inch thick from a stale loaf; remove the crust and give them all an equal shape. As a rule, square shaped is the best. Boil a sufficient quantity of milk to soak them. Sugar the milk and flavor it with vanilla or lemon and when cold pour it into a deep dish and add the bread. Let the milk soak well into each slice, then drain on a clean cloth. Beat an egg in a bowl and dip each slice therein, and fry in the following manner: Place a frying-pan on the fire to warm it, put into it sufficient butter to cover the surface; when the butter smokes, place the slices of egg-covered bread side by side in the pan, but not close enough to touch; when they are browned on one side, turn them on the other. Sift powdered sugar upon each slice as it is removed from the pan. Dress in a circle, one piece overlapping the other, and fill the interior with jam or marmalade. Serve as hot as possible.

In French household cooking, good fresh butter is always used. Scrupulous cleanliness is observed, china or earthenware saucepan being used instead of copper.

Currant and Raspberry Jam
Put up by the directions given for other jams, using one-third stemmed currants and two-thirds raspberries, either red or black, and allowing three-quarters of a pound of sugar to every pound of fruit.

Helpful Hints
Regular Care of the Teeth
The business of cleaning the teeth cannot be overdone. One must brush the teeth often, at least three times a day, and wash out the mouth with an antiseptic wash very frequently. Of course if upon arising in the morning the teeth must be brushed and the mouth washed out.

After the morning meal comes the real brushing. This time a reliable paste or powder should be used, the teeth scrubbed with a brush up and down as well as across the surface so as to get out every particle of food. Now rinse out the mouth with water several times to free it of all paste or powder. Inspect the teeth with a looking glass held close to the mouth, and if they are perfectly clean in the crevices take a piece of dental floss and force between the teeth. This will free them of all particles which remain in the mouth.

If you wish to keep your teeth in the best condition, go through this process after each meal.

Cooking Meat
One of the questions that puzzle the cook of little experience is how long to cook meat. The estimates given below will serve as a guide for the different kinds.

Beef, sirloin, rare, per pound, ten minutes; well done, fifteen; lamb, well done, fifteen; veal well done, fifteen; pork, well done, thirty.

Turkey, ten pounds weight, three hours; chicken, three or four pounds, one to one hour and a half; goose, eight pounds, two hours. Venison, fifteen minutes a pound.

Fish, six to eight pounds of a long thin fish, one thick halibut, one hour. Small fish are cooked from twenty to thirty minutes.

For Nervous Headaches
For summer headaches there is nothing better than an aromatic sponge. Any good cologne or toilet water can be employed for this, though Florida water, bay rum or lavender water are perhaps the most effective.

Fill a basin with very hot water. Add cologne until the vapor or steam arising from the mixture is pungent; then with a bit of old, soft table linen dipped into the water, bathe the face gently, patting it rather than rubbing it.

Use a rotary motion on forehead and temples, and when the face feels soothed, reheat the water or add more, dip the cloth into it, wring out a little and allow the dripping cloth to rest at base of head behind the ears. Then lie with body raised and eyes closed for at least fifteen minutes.

No better cure for nervous headache has ever been invented.

The Art of Lacing The Corset.
Not one woman in 50 wears her corsets correctly, and that is the reason we hear so many complaints about their discomfort.

The usual way is to lace them up to the required size once and for all, and let them stay like that till they are worn out, or the lace breaks, but the proper way is to adjust it each time of wearing.

How to Lace the Corset

You must have a very long lace—not shorter than eight yards; but if you can't get one so long, two or four yards may be tied together. Start at the top and lace through the holes from side to side until you reach the band which marks the waist-line. Then make a loop at each side by passing each end back through the next hole below on the same side. Then continue lacing until half way between the waist line and the bottom of the

corset. Make two loops as before, and continue the lacing to the bottom, where the ends must be tied.

Before you put on the corsets, see that the lace is drawn as loosely as possible. Place the corsets round the figure very low down and fasten the lowest hook. Next fasten the top hook, unfasten the bottom one, and fasten each in turn from the top to the bottom.

Fasten the front garters to the stockings at the inside of each knee, the side garters to the side of the stockings, and the back garters to the seam at the back. All this time the corsets will be quite loose round the figure. Now take hold of the upper part of the combinations and pull them up well.

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ROUMANIA "GENDARME OF THE BALKANS" NOT LIKELY TO REMAIN NEUTRAL

Stopped the Last Balkan War in 1912 by Show of Force and Got the Dobrudja Province, Promised Her in 1878, and Has No Love for Teutons or Bulgaria.

(By a student of the Balkans.)
Diplomats of all countries, neutral as well as belligerent, are watching anxiously the third struggle between Latin and Teuton that has begun since Austria's ultimatum to Serbia. This third struggle is between Roumania and Bulgaria; the earlier two were, of course, that between Mr. Cambon and Prince Lichnowsky in London and that between Prince von Buelow and Baron Sonnino in Rome. In both the earlier tussles the German profotatist failed in his endeavor. What will result from the present encounter?

Such lack of affection as exists between Roumania and her neighbor, Bulgaria, is no mere difference caused by propinquity. To be sure, the Bulgarians chant dimly about the fruits of victory being snatched from them by the treaty of Bucharest in August, 1913; but it is an old fact that Roumania asks nothing from Bulgaria and covets no possession of her neighbor. All that she wants is a square deal. And if a Roumanian talks rather cynically about his country's hopes of ever getting a square deal from Bulgaria one must remember that the cynicism is not without some reason.

A fruitful, generous country sustains an easily governed population as a rule, and to this axiom Roumania is no exception. Her last participation in actual warfare was in 1878, when her troops, defeating Osman Pacha at Plevna, saved Russia from the Turk to a far greater degree than even Belgium saved France and England at Liege last year. It is no exaggeration to say that the people have trusted their rulers and their governments, and that her statesmen, for the most part, subordinating personal ambitions to the desire for the country's industrial development, have deserved well of that confidence. Bulgaria, on the other hand, has had new programs forced on her by a rapid procession of Prime Ministers, each of them having the ear in turn of a weak vacillating monarch.

Roumania held only one international treaty for thirty-three years and changed it almost overnight, having discovered that being an appanage to Austria was unprofitable and reactionary. Thirty-three years of pipe dreaming came to an end. Thereafter, since 1911, Roumania has leaned toward her natural relative and educator, France.

Now, above all nations, it was Bulgaria which was responsible for that change. At the conference of Berlin, in 1878, which settled peace between Russia and Turkey, Roumania was forced to give up her rich productive vineyards of Bessarabia—because that province was strategically necessary to Russia, and rights for the Little States, in the eyes of Bismarck, who presided at that conference, were about as real as dreams of Elysium—and to accept in exchange the small Dobrudja province, marshy, sandy and utterly infertile, which was to be handed over by the newly created State of Bulgaria, envisaged to Turkey by the treaty of the conference.

Bulgaria holds the Dobrudja. No Bulgarian statesman has ever explained why Bulgaria did not hand over the Dobrudja, as the treaty stipulated. For Roumania the plain fact remained that the conference had done its work, signed its treaty and gone away, and that Bulgaria's dishonored acceptance was never met; it was the Balkan prologue to Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg's "secret of paper." It may well be imagined that starting hard for thirty years at a broken promise imbued Roumania with no kinder feelings toward Bulgaria as time went on. And yet the desolate Dobrudja was not worth a war. Nor was the Concert of Europe vastly concerned by Roumania's grievance. To the Concert, indeed, it was as academic as somebody else's toothache. Roumania was incensed against Russia, which had snatched away Bessarabia, and turned to Austria. It paid Austria to act the part of the big brother; for one thing, such attitude kept the Balkan question in Transylvanian quiet. Public opinion in Roumania began to waver, then to alter. And then came the Balkan War of 1912.

At this point a bit of secret diplomatic history is worth recording. The present writer was in Bucharest in September, 1912, when the war between Bulgaria, Greece, Montenegro and Serbia on the one side and Turkey on the other was begun by the withdrawal of the Montenegrin Minister from Constantinople. Three months previously it was known to a few, but never disclosed, that King Ferdinand of Bulgaria had privately met King Carol at Sinaia to obtain Roumania's promise of neutrality in the forthcoming war. King Carol, consulting with his ministers, agreed, subject to King Ferdinand's assurance, readily enough given, that the war was to involve no territorial acquisition for any of the Balkan League but was to be a war for the amelioration of the Christians in Macedonia suffering tortures under the Moslem yoke.

When the Turks fell back at Lule Burgas and Kiri Klisse, as the result of German army contractors' plundering in ammunition and their own Young Turk's backsheesh, the Bulgarians decided that they would like to keep the land they had won in the fighting. I make no doubt that King Ferdinand was quite sincere in June, 1913, but six months later Dr. Danef had his ear, and Gueshoff, with his English commercial training and his notions of playing fair, had been deposed. Viewing the change of mind seeing themselves being hoodwinked again by another power, the third time in thirty-five years, Roumania's army was mobilized, and strolled casually, like a lot of gamekeepers, into Bulgaria while that unhappy land was engaged in fighting Greece and Serbia.

Not without some irony, in reply to King Ferdinand's protests, King Carol refused to regard the march of his own army as a military manoeuvre; his attitude earned him the sobriquet of the "Gendarme of the Balkans." The Roumanian army fired not a shot, but King Carol made the warring States compose their differences, and the treaty of Bucharest was signed and sealed in a fortnight. Incidentally, the Roumanians got the Dobrudja, a little State, after all this waiting, and King Ferdinand got another Prime Minister. In less healthy countries Dr. Danef would have had a fatal

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Although the highway commission has no power to grant a request by Miss Katherine Dahlgren for permission to race her 128-horsepower auto-

mobile against the motorcycle of G. E. Turnure, Jr., over the State highway near Lenox, where she is spending the summer, the young woman may try her speeder against Turnure at the Narragansett Park Speedway, Providence.

Dear Miss Dahlgren—The management of the Narragansett Park Speedway respectfully wish to offer you the use of their absolutely new and unique asphalt automobile race track at Narragansett Park, Providence, that you may be able to try your speed against the motorcycle ridden by George E. Turnure, Jr.

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Trusting you will advise us at your earliest convenience when you and Mr. Turnure will accept our invitation and on what date, we beg to remain, Narragansett Park Speedway.

F. J. Perkins, Secretary.

The highway commission has no authority to grant permission for such a race as was proposed to take place between Miss Dahlgren and Turnure. Only the Legislature may grant the right. A city council or town authorities may authorize a hill-climb but cannot sanction a race.

According to Secretary Bieler of the commission, Miss Dahlgren applied for a chauffeur's license last July, but did not send enough money with her application. She was informed that she would have to pass an examination to prove her fitness. Later she registered her machine and obtained an owner's license, giving her age as twenty-one years.

Miss Dahlgren who is a prominent young society lady has been fined twice for speeding at the rate of ninety miles an hour on the roads near her summer home, at Lenox, Mass. The last time the judge, who tried her case, threatened to have her license to time cancelled.

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FORD DAY AT THE FREDERICTON FAIR

UNIVERSITY MEN WANTED FOR THE PRINCESS PATS REGIMENT

Three Companies, composed of University, professional and business men, have already gone as reinforcements—A Fourth Company at Montreal authorized by Militia Department.

Unfortunately it is known to only a few of the many university, professional and business men throughout the Maritime Provinces, who would otherwise be greatly interested, that Canada's famous regiment, the Princess Pats, has now become practically a University Battalion. Reinforcements, a company at a time, are recruited exclusively from this fine type of Canadian manhood. Already three companies have gone overseas and a fourth has recently been authorized by the Canadian Militia Department and a platoon is asked from the Maritime Provinces to go as a unit with this company.

Heretofore our eastern provinces have certainly not sent their proper share of this class of men for the successive "Universities Companies" as they are called, the upper provinces and the west supplying most of the recruits. This has been due, however, to the regrettable lack of information available through the press concerning this splendid effort to reinforce the Pats with a type of man who may well be entitled to uphold the highest traditions of this famous regiment. It is therefore earnestly hoped that our Maritime newspapers will lend a hand in giving the facts herein stated as wide a circulation as possible so the required number will be forthcoming to make up the complete platoon of 50 men. Already enough have volunteered to form a nucleus but the time is short and there is still room for a good many more.

For Varsity Boys. How about the university men in particular, both under-graduates and graduates? If the universities of Edmonton and Saskatchewan can each send a platoon and McGill a full company of 250 men, surely the six maritime universities should be able to furnish together at least one platoon. What about it? Dalhousie, Mt. Allison, Acadia, Kings, U. N. B., St. F.X. Get together boys and let us have at least a half section (6 men) from each university. This would leave a fourth section (12 men) open to professional and business men who may not be identified with any particular maritime college. There are in nearly every city and community, representatives of the various universities who are always ready to help forward the good work and we appeal to them to pass along this information to men anxious to enlist but looking for the proper corps to join.

The need today is for men, men to join the ranks, regardless of whether they feel themselves capable of becoming efficient officers or not, for at present there appears to be a large over supply of officers for the maritime regiments. In these university companies in particular the men enlisting in the ranks is given every chance for promotion according to ability, not only to N. C. O.'s rank but to commissioned rank, this system being but a natural consequence of the fine type of men enlisting. Here, therefore, is a splendid opportunity for this type of men, for which the appeal is being made to come forward and join Canada's premier regiment every platoon of which is worthy of our best manhood and which will secure for these men the great advantage of good comradeship with fellow countrymen of similar tastes and ideals.

Headquarters at Montreal. The headquarters of the successive companies is at Montreal and the recruiting, organizing and training of these corps is in charge of Captain A. S. Eves. Each company is given a thorough training in Montreal for about two months, after which it is sent overseas to complete its training at an excellent camp near the sea on the south coast of England—the training base of the regiment.

Anyone wishing to get into the maritime platoon of the 4th Universities Company, now assembling at Montreal, should fill in at once the application form given below, being careful to name references, and forward same to Captain A. S. Eves, 282 Sherbrooke St., West Montreal. The applicant will then be sent a medical examination sheet to be filled in by an army medical officer and an attestation paper to be executed before a magistrate in the nearest city and as soon as these are returned and approved a warrant is at once issued for the transportation of the applicant to Montreal.

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The above picture shows some of the Ford cars after they arrived in Fredericton on Monday last from St. John.

ST. JOHN AUTOS IN GOOD TRIP TO THE CAPITAL

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FORD SALES TRIPLED

Phenomenal Increase this year—Especially in Rural Districts.

Ford, Ont., Sept. 23.—August Ford sales in Canada more than tripled those of the same month last year. This is a remarkable increase for the first month of the new sales year, and doubtless results partly from the price reduction of \$60 on every Ford car, announced August first. The exact increase of sales for the month was 206 per cent over a year ago.

In rural districts, especially, the number of Ford owners is steadily on the rise, and the increase of these sales alone for August was no less than 222 per cent. This demonstrates the ever close relation between successful crop conditions and motor car sales.

At the Winnipeg Ford Branch, the cars sold during the first ten days of August ran well over the total sales of July and August of last year. Orders are still coming in and seven car-branch. It is figured that the finest motoring of the year is in the late summer and fall, and furthermore, the Ford is an all-weather-around car.

The small city of Chatham, Ont. reports the sale of six cars in one day, and sales for the first two weeks of August far in excess of the same period last year. The Calgary branch reports the closing of 50 contracts with various dealers of that territory which average a one hundred per cent. increase over last year. Similar reports are coming from other sections, and Ford officials believe that more and more the light, strong motor cars is becoming a utility and that the current season will be far in excess of anything this company has ever known.

AROUND WORLD TO REACH CANADA

Canadian Trade Commissioner who was war prisoner in Germany returns to Dominion.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Sept. 24.—Mr. C. F. Just, Canadian trade commissioner, who was detained by the Germans in Hamburg for six months after the outbreak of war and upon his release was sent to Russia to investigate opportunities for Canadian trade, has reached Canada again by going around the world. He travelled over the Trans-Siberian Railway, through Japan and across the Pacific. He is now in Vancouver and will visit all the industrial centres of the Dominion, meet Sir George Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce, in Ottawa, and then go right back to Russia. Canadian manufacturers are very optimistic about the possibilities of trade between Canada and Russia and the government intends to do all it can to encourage the development of that trade. A great deal depends on the Canadian manufacturer studying

the Russian market and taking the proper steps to get a footing there. Some large orders for British Columbia timber have been given by the imperial government as a result of the representations of Mr. H. R. McMillan, chief forester of British Columbia, who was sent over by the Trade and Commerce Department as a special trade commissioner. Similar orders had previously been going to the United States. It is learned also that one of the biggest timber dealers in Great Britain and a large contractor for the imperial government has come to Canada for the purpose of making extensive purchases. He had formerly imported his timber from other countries.

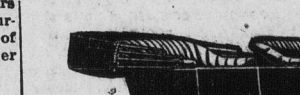
The Postmaster General has satisfactorily concluded arrangements whereby the rate postage on parcels despatched from Canada to Fiji has been reduced from sixteen cents to twelve cents for each pound or fraction of a pound and the maximum weight of a single parcel has been increased from seven to eleven pounds. The new arrangements will take effect on the 1st of November.

C. P. R. SUBURBAN SERVICE. On Saturday, Sept. 18th, and Sunday, Sept. 19th, Canadian Pacific will operate extra suburban train St. John to Welsford and return. Going leave City 1:10 p. m. local time, returning leave Welsford 8:40 p. m. All suburban stops.

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WILLARD USES EXTRA HARD OAK FOR BOXES. An interesting fact in connection with the manufacture of Willard Storage Boxes is that the oak which they use for boxes is so hard that furniture makers are unwilling to use it for any except special purposes, inasmuch as it is difficult to work and dulls the edges of ordinary tools. The Willard Company searched all over this country before they discovered this material, which they believe is superior to any other for the purpose. In addition to using very hard wood, they groove the corners of their boxes and lock them together with hard maple dowels securing the bottoms with lead-coated, acid-proof screws. They say that as a result of these precautions many months are added to the battery's life in service. Ordinary cheap battery boxes are quickly rotted apart by the bumps which they get over rough roads and car tracks.

On Thursday a barrel of very fine apples, grown at "Lone Water" farm at Westfield, N. B., was received at Partridge Island from Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Burden with the accompanying note: "We thought if the men on the island were at their homes now they would be enjoying their own apples, so we send this barrel for a little treat." Needless to say the gift is greatly appreciated.

On Thursday evening about forty young ladies met at the home of James Estey, King street east, and tendered Miss Maud Crisp daughter of the Rev. R. S. Crisp, a handsome linen shower in anticipation of her approaching marriage. The shower included an entire cluny ladies' luncheon set as well as numerous other valuable presents. At the close of the festivities a luncheon was enjoyed by the young ladies.

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The above prices f. o. b. Ford, Ont., effective Aug. 2, 1915. No speedometer included in this year's equipment, unless wired in to the equipment. Cars on display and sale at St. John Branch, Mall 226.



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No. of children.....

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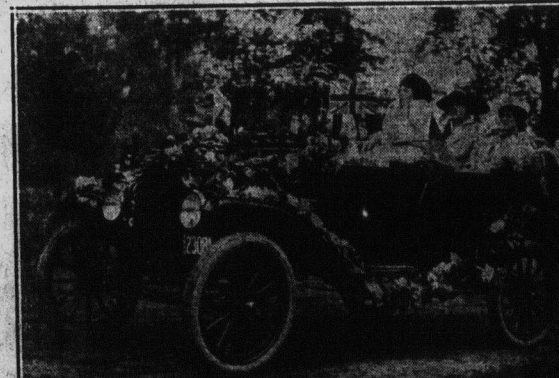
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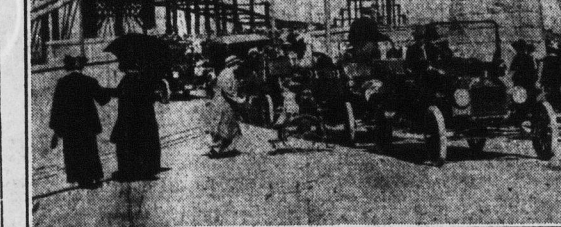
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This is one of the Fords which made the trip to Fredericton last Monday. The occupants evidently enjoyed the outing.

REAL ESTATE NEWS. Transfers of real estate in St. John county have been recorded as follows: Mrs. Minnie R. Brown to John Armstrong, property in St. Martins. East St. John Land Syndicate to Annie M. Storm, property in St. Martins.

FRENCH GENERAL'S SON KILLED IN FALL FROM AEROPLANE. Toul, France, Sept. 24.—Lieut. De Maudhuy, son of Gen. De Maudhuy, of the Sixth Army Corps, has been killed by the fall of an aeroplane he was piloting. He was well known for having made an attack single-handed on six hostile aeroplanes.



Ford automobiles at the old Suspension Bridge on their way to the capital. Those in the party stopped at this interesting point and surveyed the old bridge, which is being dismantled, and the new highway bridge.

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