

# WEAPONS OF MAPLE LEAF WIN: BRITISH AND ITALIANS GAIN

## MADE THINGS WAR FOR MR. VENIOT

Women Chagrined at Defeat of Equal Suffrage Bill in House.

## CAUSE WAS LOST BY 25 VOTES TO 14

The Hon. Minister of Public Works Becomes "The Goat."

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, June 20.—The bill to amend the New Brunswick act providing for the extension of the franchise to all women in the province was killed in the committee of the whole of the legislature tonight following a lengthy discussion of the measure. The vote stood 25 to 14, only six supporters of the Carter-Poster party voting for the measure. Stormy scenes in the corridors of the House followed the rejection of the measure. Several well known women of the province confronted Mr. Veniot, who delivered the chief speech in opposition to the bill. Two well known local ladies, Mrs. Olanstead and Mrs. John Harvey, accused the minister with having used his influence to defeat the measure and for several moments the ladies made things interesting for the minister, declaring the vote as taken in the right to equal franchise with the men of New Brunswick.

## MR. VENIOT AND MR. SMITH HAVE LIVELY TILT

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, June 20.—Just before the House adjourned about 12.30 o'clock this morning, a somewhat lively tilt occurred between the Minister of Public Works and the Hon. G. F. Smith. The minister intimated that the ex-minister had paid for road machinery before it had been received. Hon. Mr. Smith—"That is not so. I had the receipt of the C.P.R. It was in the department."

## 108,965 NATIONAL SERVICE CARDS WERE LEFT UNANSWERED

Canadian Postmaster Able to Forward Replies from 1,324,755 Men.

## MUST STAND BY THE MEN IN FRANCE

Hon. Mr. Crothers Delivers Patriotic Address on Conscription Measure.

## NO WAY TO GET MEN SAVE BY CONSCRIPTION

D. D. McKenzie of North Cape Breton Stands by Laurier.

Ottawa, June 20.—(Leased wire)—Hon. Mr. Crothers was received with government applause on rising to continue the debate in the House of Commons today on the military service act. He declared he only proposed to speak briefly, as it requires very little to show the justification of the bill. Canada had determined to go into the war and to stay in it until it was won, (hear, hear). Now more men were needed to support our soldiers at the front. It was admitted that more men could not be secured under the voluntary system. The time had come when in order to fill the gaps and answer the call of our men fighting in the trenches we must have compulsory service and this principle was the only sound one at issue before parliament.

## TEUTONS OUSTED FROM A POSITION IN EAST AFRICA

Enemy Cleared from Shores of Estuary of Lukeledi River.

## NATIONALIST SURPRISES PARLIAMENT

J. A. Barette Moves Six Months Hoist for Conscription Bill.

## CITY OF MONTREAL MUST GET BUSY AND RAISE FUNDS

Wants To Borrow \$1,400,000 But Finds No Bidders.

## MURRAY AND DYSART ARE CONFIRMED

Government Votes to Maintain Them in Legislative Seats—Lancaster Sidewalks Bill Killed.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, June 20.—The city of Montreal didn't ask for bread and receive a stone, but it tried to borrow \$1,400,000 and got nothing. When the time expired today for opening tenders on the loan as authorized by the legislature to cover the deficit for the current year, it was found there were no bidders. Referring to the matter afterwards, Controller Villeneuve said the Bank of Montreal, which is the city's financial agent, had asked some twenty financial houses in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Montreal and Toronto to submit quotations on the city's securities for the said amount and when the time had expired today not a single offer had been received. Controller Villeneuve said that the city must get the money from some source.

## BRITISH STATEMENT

London, June 20.—The official report from British headquarters in France tonight reads: "The offensive against the German positions in the Somme region, reported in this morning's communiqué, the enemy made a fourth attempt, later in the night, to recover lost positions and was again completely repulsed."

## ITALIANS ACTIVE

Rome, June 20, via London.—The Italians resumed their offensive yesterday against the German positions on Monte Ortigara and 834 prisoners.

## CANADIANS TAKE HUN TRENCHES

Canadian Headquarters in France, via London, June 20. (By Stewart L. on Special Correspondent of the Canadian Press.)—The approach to Lens has been made less difficult by a successful minor operation north of Souchez river. The object of the attack was a nest of German trenches lying at the foot of Reservoir Hill. These trenches were from the ruins of mining buildings which are to be the chief place of shelter for the enemy between our front and Lens. Yesterday afternoon parties of bombers went out to capture these trenches by bombing operations. The attack was entirely successful. The trenches were cleared and the dugouts in which the Germans were believed to have been lurking were blown in and the ground incorporated into our system. Thirty-five prisoners were taken.

## LEGISLATIVE UNION

The Baxter-Magee resolution asking that the government take up with the administration in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island the question of Maritime legislative union was unanimously adopted in the house today. Hon. Mr. Baxter and Mr. Magee were

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, June 20.—The compulsory service issue took a new and unexpected turn in parliament tonight, when J. A. Barette, Nationalist member for Sherbrooke, moved the six months hoist. This sudden move means that the Nationalists have out-Lauriered Laurier by going him one better in his dangerous bid for the racist anti-victory vote in the Province of Quebec. It also insures the passage of the government's proposals by a greater majority than expected, and for this reason, the Nationalists, who are opposing compulsory service, have now committed themselves to a line of action which will compel them to vote even against a referendum. And with the anti-compulsory service faction split into two camps, one camp supporting a referendum and the other supporting a referendum, the voting strength for both amendments will be weakened, and a majority for the main motion assured.

## THE ELEPHANT

New York, June 20.—The passenger steamship Ansonia of 8,155 tons gross register owned by the Cunard line, was hit by a torpedo and badly damaged on her last trip from a Canadian port. It was learned here today.

## WARREN LINE BOAT FROM BOSTON SUNK

Cunard Line Steamer Ansonia Badly Damaged By Torpedo.

## SUBMARINES ARE ACTIVE ONCE MORE

Thirty-Two British Vessels Sunk in Week, a Marked Increase.

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London, June 20.—Twenty-seven British ships of more than 1,000 tons have been sunk, according to the weekly British summary given out today. Five British vessels under 1,000 tons also were sent to the bottom. No fishing vessels were destroyed.

## WARREN LINE BOAT FROM BOSTON SUNK

The foregoing figures of British shipping losses as the result of German submarine warfare show a larger number of vessels sunk than in any of the six preceding weeks. Not since the seven day period ending April 28 has a greater number of ships been destroyed. During that week 51 vessels—38 over and 13 under 1,000 tons—were sunk. The heaviest total since the Teutons submarine campaign was opened, in February last, were registered in the week ending April 21, when forty steamers of more than 1,000 tons were sunk and 15 vessels of the smaller tonnage were sent to the bottom.

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London, June 20.—The sinking of the British steamer Elele, presumably by a German submarine, was reported in a cable message received today by the Leyland Line from Captain Pierce, her commander.

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The addresses today were of entirely non-political character and were listened to with rapt attention.

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Several able addresses were delivered during the debate. Mr. Tilley in one of the ablest addresses heard in the House for a long time championed the cause of the women, saying that for two chief reasons the valuable work the women had accomplished since the outbreak of the war, and the fact that the political atmosphere on both sides needed clarifying, he supported the measure. Hon. Dr. Roberts and Hon. Mr. Robinson were the only government supporters to speak in favor of the bill.

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Hon. Mr. Murray, leader of the opposition, made an eloquent appeal for the extension of the franchise to the women, while Mr. Potts in an able address strongly supported the bill. Hon. Mr. Baxter spoke briefly, expressing his approval of the bill, but regretting that the proper machinery had not been provided for placing the names of the ladies on the election list.

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## ROTHESAY CLOSING EXERCISES LARGELY ATTENDED YESTERDAY

### Head Master Hibbard Reports Successful Year— Says Accommodation Was Insufficient—The Old Boys on Battlefield—Result of Competitions —Bishop of Fredericton Presents the Prizes.

The closing exercises were held yesterday at the Rothersey Collegiate school and were largely attended by the parents and friends of the boys. The prizes were presented by His Lordship the Bishop of Fredericton and in the afternoon the annual sports were held. The report of the headmaster, Rev. W. R. Hibbard, showed that the year had been a prosperous one. The number of names on the honor roll had increased from ninety to one hundred and forty and of this number seven had given their lives in defence of the Empire during the year. Mr. Hibbard was able to announce that the school had outgrown the present accommodation and in the near future more room would have to be provided to care for the increasing number of applicants. He referred to the following old boys who had won distinction on the field of battle during the year:

The Military Cross was won by Lieut. William Adams of Toronto, and by Sgt. Earl Scovel of St. Stephen. The D. S. O. was conferred upon Major Alexander McMillan of St. John, and Lieut. Cecil Porter of Montreal.

### The Honor Roll.

He named the following who had fallen during the year: Lieut. John Brock, Rothersey, Flight Lieut. Franklin Rankin, Woodstock, Capt. Hugh Tied, St. John; Lieut. Herbert Montgomery Campbell, Apohaqui; Capt. Frank R. Fairweather, St. John; Pte. Theophilus Brown; old boys, and Lieut. Jack Oliver, a former master of the school.

The boys of the school had undertaken to help in the increased production campaign and had done well, particularly in the clearing of land, which would be available next year for crops. He also referred to some changes in the teaching staff for the coming year. L. H. S. Bent and Howard Caswell were leaving and Charles Scott and T. H. Dewhurst were coming to take their places.

### The Prize List is as follows:

1st, general scholarship, gold medal, Edsforth; 2nd, general scholarship, silver medal, Pugasley.

### Form Prizes.

Form 5—1st, general proficiency, Starr; 2nd, general proficiency, Old Boys' essay, McKenzie; I. O. J. E. essay, (1st prize \$10), McKenzie; (2nd prize \$5), McKean.

Fairweather memorial prize, given to the boy who, in the opinion of the boys and masters, has done the most to elevate the tone of the school, J. Smith.

Form 4—1st, general proficiency, F. Dooe (presented by the Deanery of Chatham); 2nd, general proficiency, Carson; Bishop's prize for divinity, Ulovan; Mr. Cooper's prize for French and Latin, Edsforth.

Form 3-A—1st, general proficiency, Burchill; 2nd, general proficiency, Gregory; Bishop's prize for divinity, Gregory; Deanery of St. John, prize for mathematics, H. Plummer.

Form 3-B—1st, general proficiency, J. Inge; 2nd, general proficiency, Crase; 3rd, general proficiency, Thomas and Hayden (equal); Deanery of Woodstock prize for divinity, Tuffs; Deanery of Fredericton prize for mathematics, J. Lennox.

Form 2—1st, general proficiency, (presented by Deanery of Kingston), Goodlife; 2nd, general proficiency, Armstrong (presented by Deanery of Shediac).

Form 1—1st, general proficiency, (presented by Miss West), T. Plummer; 2nd, general proficiency, Bigelow; headmaster's prize for divinity, G. Turnbull.

Manual training prizes—1st, box of tools (presented by H. B. Schofield), E. Tuno; 2nd, (Mr. Secord's prize), Scott.

Shooting prizes—General average, Senior, F. Dooe, medals, presented by Rev. Lafontaine Thompson, junior, A. Diago; Dept. of Militia match prize, Starr.

The finals in the sporting programme were held yesterday afternoon on the school athletic field before a large crowd of interested parents and friends of the students. The day was all that anyone could desire and the different events were pulled off without a hitch as follows:

### Morning Results.

Putting shot (senior)—1st, Flewelling; 2nd, Starr. Distance 33 ft. 6 in.

Intermediate—1st, Goff; 2nd, Jones. Distance 36 ft. 9 in.

High jump (junior)—1st, Naftel; 2nd, Kubring. Height 5 ft. 13 in.

Throwing hammer (intermediate)—1st, Goff; 2nd, S. Jones. Distance 62 ft. 8.5 in.

Running broad jump (midgits)—1st, Turnbull; 2nd, Hamilton. Distance 11 ft. 9 in.

220 yards dash (senior)—Flewelling; 2nd, Coster. Time 25.5 sec.

Pole vault (senior)—1st, E. Brydone; 2nd, Starr. Height 9 ft. 4 in.

### Afternoon Results.

High jump (intermediate)—1st, Goff; 2nd, Cudlip. Distance 4 ft. 11.5 in.

Senior—1st, Coster; 2nd, Jones. Distance 4 ft. 11 in.

75 yards dash (junior)—1st, Peters; 2nd, Naftel. Time 10.3-5 sec.

100 yards dash (senior)—1st, Flewelling; 2nd, Coster; 1st heat.

2nd heat—1st, Brydone; 2nd, L. Diago. Time 10.4-5 sec.

Hurdle race (120 yards)—Intermediate—1st, Cudlip; 2nd, Goff. Time 20.5-5 sec.

100 yards dash (senior)—1st, Flewelling; 2nd, Coster. Final.

220 yards dash (junior)—1st, Naftel; 2nd, Peters. Time 33 sec.

100 yards dash (intermediate)—1st, Cudlip; 2nd, S. Jones. First heat.

2nd heat—1st, Pugasley; 2nd, West. Time 11.5-5 sec.

75 yards dash (midgits)—1st, Hamilton; 2nd, Robertson. Turnbull. Time 14 sec.

Hurdle race (senior)—1st, Coster; 2nd, Flewelling. Time 18.3-5 sec.

100 yards dash (intermediate)—1st, Cudlip; 2nd, West. Time 11.2-5 sec. Final.

220 yards walking race (junior)—1st, Randolph; 2nd, Kubring. Time 1 min. 3.3-5 sec.

440 yards dash (senior)—1st, Coster; 2nd, Brydone. Time 59 sec.

220 yards dash (intermediate)—1st, Cudlip; 2nd, S. Jones. Time 27.1-3 sec.

Old boys' race, Nichols.

## TUCKETT'S MARGUERITE

### THE 3 FOR A QUARTER CIGAR

One of the few cigars popular 25 years ago and still popular to-day. Marguerite quality holds Marguerite smokers.

## SEVEN MEN ENLIST FOR OVERSEAS DUTY

### Canadian Engineers Receive Four of Number Yesterday

### HONOR ROLL.

R. E. Edwards, Fredericton, N.B.; Forestry Unit.  
P. W. Barnett, Queens Co., N.B.; Machine Gun Det.  
M. Kinisid, Kings Co., N.B.; 8th Field Ambulance.  
J. Mortimer, St. John; Robert Matchett, Red Bank, N.B.; Charles Norton, St. John; Medley Weldon, St. John; Canadian Engineers.

Following Tuesday, which was quiet in recruiting circles, yesterday saw seven men enlisting in the local recruiting office. Since the order from military authorities, stopping enlistments in the artillery, there has been a decided falling in recruiting, not only in the city but throughout the province in general. However, it is expected by military men that the other units, which are in dire need of men to bring them up to full strength will soon reap the benefit of the recent order.

### Drafts for Upper Canada.

Two drafts for Upper Canada military depots left last night on the C.P.R. About fifteen men comprised the party. The men for the most part are natives of New Brunswick, although there were several from the United States but were born in Canada. Lieut. McBeath of the Canadian Engineers will leave on Tuesday for Ottawa in charge of a party of signallers for the Signalling Depot, Major Powers, who is in charge of the depot, was expected to arrive in the city last week, and to return on Tuesday with the men taking enlistments, which he received yesterday. He will be unable to come. There will be about forty men in the party leaving on Tuesday. This is the largest draft to leave at one time for the Signalling Depot at Ottawa.

While in Upper Canada it is likely that Lieut. McBeath will visit the Engineers' Signalling Depot, Major Powers, since taking over the duties of recruiting officer for the Engineers in New Brunswick, Lieut. McBeath has been sending a steady stream of recruits to St. John, and with the possible exception of two or three men, all have been accepted by the officer commanding the depot.

### Up to Full Strength.

The second draft of the 12th Battery stationed at Newcastle is now up to full strength. The complement of the draft is one officer and fifty rank and file. The names of the recruits are: B. Diago, starter; J. DeWetber, timer; J. Gilbert and J. Nichols, judges. Supper was served later while the school band played popular selections. Last evening an informal dance was held at the school, the school orchestra being in attendance.

## PIMPLES and BOILS

### ALL OVER FACE AND BODY

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Burdock Blood Bitters has been manufactured for the past forty years by The T. McEburn Company, Limited, Toronto, Ont. See that our name appears on the wrapper.

Moncton, June 20—The marriage of Edward Thomas Swift, C. G. R. station agent at Coal Branch, to Miss Mary Udesma Breaux, daughter of A. J. Breaux of Moncton, was solemnized this afternoon in St. Bernard's church, Rev. Father Savage officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Swift went to Montreal on a wedding trip.

## BASEBALL

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York 3, Boston 2.  
New York, June 20.  
First game.  
New York ..... 100000010—2 9 2  
Boston ..... 000000000—3 8 1  
Batteries—Leonard and Agnew; Thomas; Mogridge, Russell and Alexander.  
Boston 3, New York 1.  
Second game.  
Boston ..... 010000002—3 5 0  
New York ..... 000000100—1 8 3  
Batteries—Ruth and Thomas; Culp, Russ and Walters.  
Washington 5, Philadelphia 3.  
Washington, June 20.  
Philadelphia ..... 20001000—3 7 1  
Washington ..... 010011112—5 11 1  
Batteries—Schauer and Schang; Shaw, Gallia and Henry.  
St. Louis 3, Detroit 2.  
Detroit, June 20.  
St. Louis ..... 000200010—3 8 2  
Detroit ..... 10000100—2 7 1  
Batteries—Plank and Hale; Mitchell, Boland and Spencer.  
Chicago 3, Cleveland 2.  
Cleveland, June 20.  
Cleveland ..... 100000001—2 7 1  
Chicago ..... 000000000—3 8 1  
Batteries—Telepsky, Klepach and Billings; O'Neill; Williams and Schalk.  
NATIONAL LEAGUE.  
Boston 7, New York 4.  
Boston, June 20.  
First game.  
New York ..... 010200100—4 7 2  
Boston ..... 000400000—7 11 1  
Batteries—Anderson, Salles, Middleton, G. Smith and Raibrin; Krueger, Tyler and Gowdy.  
New York 1, Boston 0.  
Second game.  
New York ..... 100000000—1 6 1  
Boston ..... 000000000—0 5 1  
Batteries—Perritt and Ratriden; Barnes and Traggerson.  
Philadelphia 7, Brooklyn 3.  
Philadelphia, June 20.  
First game.

## Couldn't Keep Back Tears

### When the Nervous System Broke Down—Queer Feelings in Back of Head Caused Much Alarm.

Midland, Ont., June 20—Collapse or breakdown of the nervous system leaves one in a most pitiable condition. Strong, healthy-looking women, and men too, will weep from helplessness and despair.

The case reported here was a most severe one, as is indicated by the hysterical condition, the pains in the back of the head and the fatality of the many treatments used.

This is further evidence that the regular and persistent use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food for a reasonable length of time will positively restore the most exhausted nervous system.

Mrs. S. Shearn, Midland, Ont., writes: "About seven years ago I had a serious nervous breakdown, and was so bad at times that I could not keep my back tears. I also had a queer feeling in the back of my head. Some times I seemed to be going backwards. I could not do any sewing, and finally could do no work at all. I tried other remedies and doctors' medicines which only gave me temporary relief. Last fall I commenced using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and had not taken very many when I found myself able to get on with my work, and am at present greatly improved. I am now able to do my work, and they have strengthened me splendidly. I can highly recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food for nervous troubles of any kind."

### First game.

Brooklyn ..... 000201000—3 7 3  
Philadelphia ..... 310040000—7 11 1  
Batteries—Smith, Cheney, Dell and Snyder; Rixey and Killier.  
Philadelphia 9, Brooklyn 2.  
Second game.  
Brooklyn ..... 000100000—2 6 1  
Philadelphia ..... 023004000—9 13 1  
Batteries—Coombe, Cheney, Dell Miller; Meyer and Burns.  
Pittsburg 4, St. Louis 4.  
St. Louis, June 20.  
Pittsburg ..... 003001—4 3 1  
St. Louis ..... 010100—3 10 4  
Batteries—Steele and W. Wagner; Doak, Horstman, Packard and Gonzalez.  
(Called 15-15 visitors catch train.)  
Cincinnati 5, Chicago 4.  
Cincinnati, June 20.  
Chicago ..... 100000210—4 11 1  
Cincinnati ..... 000201011—5 12 1  
Batteries—Caughas, Seston and Wilson; Elliott; Mitchell and Wingo.

### INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Toronto 8, Providence 4.  
Providence, June 20.  
Toronto ..... 002300012—5 11 1  
Providence ..... 200002000—4 7 1  
Batteries—Warhop and Kelly; Eayre and Sm.  
Second game.  
Providence 6, Toronto 2.  
Toronto ..... 000100001—2 6 1  
Providence ..... 000011113—5 11 1  
Batteries—Cunney and Lalngne; Peters and Mayer.  
Newark 3, Montreal 1.  
Newark, June 20.  
First game.  
Montreal ..... 100000000—1 5 1  
Newark ..... 030000000—3 8 1  
Batteries—Lyons and Howley; Wilkinson and Egan.  
Montreal 5, Newark 3.  
Second game.  
Montreal ..... 100002110—5 10 1  
Newark ..... 000000000—2 8 1  
Batteries—Duffy, Hoyt and Madden; McGraw, Ross and Blackwell.  
Richmond 5, Buffalo 4.  
Richmond, June 20.  
Buffalo ..... 220000—4 2 1  
Richmond ..... 040001—5 11 1  
Batteries—Tyson and Onslow; Adams and Reynolds.  
Baltimore 3, Rochester 1.  
Baltimore, June 20.  
Rochester ..... 000000000—1 7 1  
Baltimore ..... 000000002—2 8 1  
Batteries—Cunney and Wendell; Thormahlen and Schanfle.

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adopt the measure, the logical result must be an immediate appeal to the people, for members sitting there could not consistently continue to represent constituencies which would have become obsolete.

The country was at present in the midst of a great war and it might well be to a master of this importance remain until after the war was over.

Sir Robert Borden had promised to take up the matter of woman suffrage in the wider field of Dominion politics. It might be well for the legislature to postpone action until the Dominion parliament had pronounced on the question. It might, of course, be asked why if the Dominion government in the midst of such a crisis as present existed could find time to take up this matter which could not this legislature do so?

His reply would be that the matter should have the fullest consideration beforehand. He was not unmindful of the great part women were playing in the present Empire struggle, which was now going on, and he felt that they deserved the handsomest recognition for all they had done. All that he asked for was time to consider the matter.

No Emergency.

There was no emergency and nothing would be lost by delaying the matter for the present time. He was prepared to admit in the fullest possible manner that to extend the franchise to women would undoubtedly tend to elevate the standard of public life, but he still had his doubts as to whether the time was yet quite ripe to put the measure into operation.

Hon. Dr. Roberts.

Hon. Dr. Roberts said that this important measure affecting approximately one-half of the population, had on the present occasion been advanced

ed two steps further than at any time in previous history. He indicated upon the reception accorded to it, thus far, as being congenial and as an indication that it was recognized as a just and popular measure. He admitted that when first approached to take charge of the bill he looked upon the question in a somewhat disinterested manner, representative of the other members. When he first took the matter up he was something of a "doubting Thomas," but the more and more he looked into its true significance he had become an ardent convert to it and an active supporter of the cause. He was therefore anxious to see the measure become law as a tribute to the loyalty of the women of New Brunswick.

Mr. Magee.

Mr. Magee said that the matter had occupied the minds of legislators the world over with what results members well know. In many countries woman suffrage had been in existence for years. Personally he favored the principle, but was one of the principles of the Liberal party and he believed that the state would be benefited if woman suffrage were universal, but whatever his personal views might be he must consider first the views of those who sent him to the House to represent them. He was not aware of any agitation in Westmorland for the extension of the franchise, and until he had further consulted his constituents he did not think he would be doing them any benefit on a matter of so much importance without knowing just what their views were.

Mr. Mersereau.

Mr. Mersereau agreed entirely with what had been said by the Hon. members for York and Westmorland. Until there was a universal movement for woman suffrage he could not vote for the bill. He moved that the bill stand over for twelve months.

Mr. McGrath also agreed and said he had no requests from constituents to support the bill.

Hon. Mr. Robinson said he had received petitions from the lady school teachers in the city of Moncton also from the members of the Sunshine Bible Class asking him to support the measure; also a resolution from the Trades and Labor Council to the same effect. He noticed no very strong arguments in support of the measure, as far as he could see the arguments used for it were unanswerable. He could never understand the whole situation. Women were their equals in intelligence and loyalty, and falling any convincing arguments to the contrary he would support the bill.

### The Opposition Leads.

Hon. Mr. Murray (Kings) said that when this measure came up in the House in 1906 he moved that it be given a 3 months' hiatus. That was 9 years ago and he had the opportunity of thinking the matter over considerably since then. The plea had been put up that the matter should receive further consideration but the cause of woman suffrage had been before the country for years and was now a live issue. The same remarks that he wanted to dominate the whole situation. He would not say that he had come to the conclusion that he

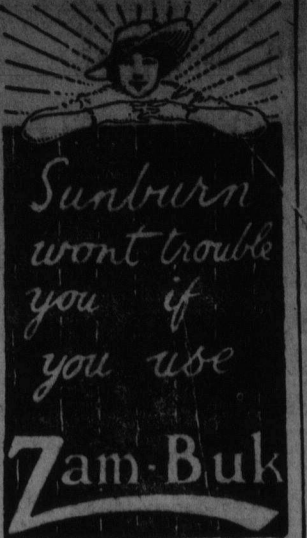
The debate was continued in the evening by Messrs. Campbell, Potts, Robichaud, Ventot, Baxter and LeBlanc.

On the vote being taken on an amendment to hold the bill over until the next session it was declared carried by 24 to 15.

The House then went into committee and passed several bills.

At eleven o'clock consideration of supply was resumed and all of items with two or three exceptions disposed of.

House adjourned at 12.30 a. m.



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work of the House on the John assessment bill has been finished by the thorough consideration of the municipalities committee. Hon. J. E. has been especially active in this legislation in order that it will be satisfactory to the members.

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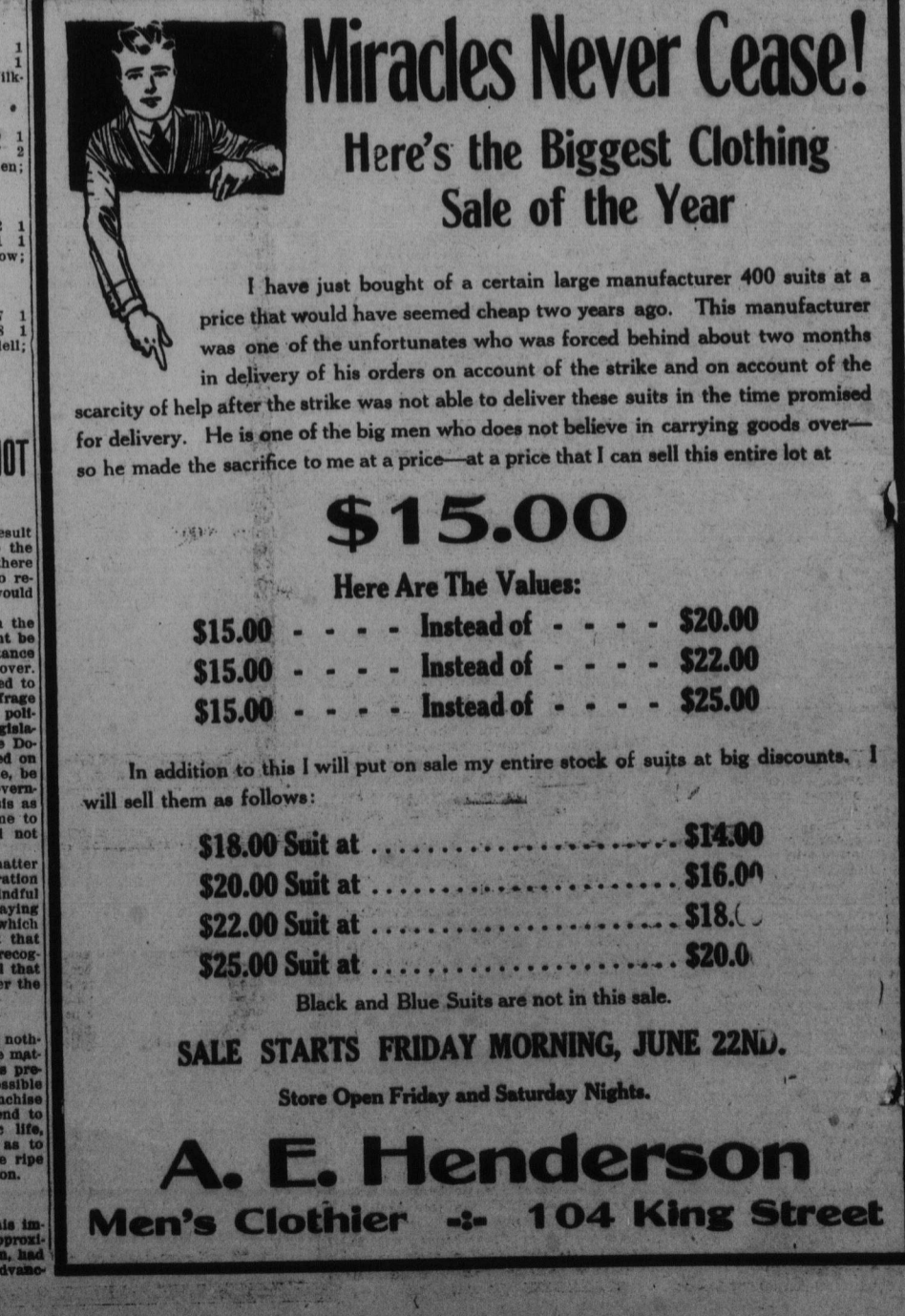
### ROOSEVELT LETS OUT AT KNOCKERS OF OLD ENGLAND.

Oyster Bay, June 20—Colonel Roosevelt has taken up the fight against individuals and organizations seeking to foster unfriendly feeling for England in this country. His first broadside was denunciation of the circulation of an appeal against "fighting England's war."

Addressing a Red Cross meeting here, the Colonel declared that the only reason why the war hasn't been brought to this country rests with French armistice.

"There actually are Americans who recently have been asking why we fight on the same side as England, our ancient foe. I would like to see any man here unpatriotic enough to say that at this time. Any man who hates England more than he loves the United States should be thrown out of the country.

"A nation must be judged by its conduct in any crisis. An unfriendly attitude against England is as base as an attitude against any other nation. The sentiment is that of a traitor."



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## THE ASSESSMENT

### THOROUGH

#### COMMITTEE

Commissioner M. the Facts in Commissioners' Members—H. tion to This L.

Special to The Standard: Fredericton, June 20—work of the House on the John assessment bill has been finished by the thorough consideration of the municipalities committee. Hon. J. E. has been especially active in this legislation in order that it will be satisfactory to the members. During the consideration in committee, the members impressed with the business of Commissioner of the City of St. John, who was before the committee shape. A portion of his

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### OBITUARY

Mrs. Julia Ward  
The death took place at Hospital yesterday morning at 10 o'clock Mrs. Julia Ward, of 14th Street, died at the age of 64 years. She had been suffering from illness for several days. She was formerly Miss Calais, leaves six sons and daughters: John D. Galt, Walter J. of Seattle, Wash. E. Joseph B., Gregory T. Mary, Margaret and Alice. She was a member of the St. John Church. Her funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 8 a. m. from her late residence, 151st Street.

Wm. McConnell,  
Wm. McConnell, 71 M Street, who fell from the wharf into the Kennedy's 14th instant, died at the Hospital at 4 o'clock yesterday following a sinking spell at night. Shock resulting from his fall was the cause of his death. He leaves five sons and daughters. The sons are John of this city, Joseph, James and William of Boston. His wife is Mrs. J. R. D.

### DIED.

DORMAN—At Moncton, N. B., Wednesday, June 20, 1917, A. youngest daughter of Dorman.  
Funeral Friday, at 2.30 p. m. the residence of Mrs. J. E. Princess street, St. John. HENDERSON—In this city, June 20th, Joseph Henderson, wife and two brothers to (Fredericton and Boston please copy.)  
Funeral on Friday afternoon is given at the residence of late residence corner of Watson streets, West Service to commence at 2. Friends invited to attend. WARD—in this city, on 2 after a short illness, Jul loved wife of J. A. Ward her husband, six sons and daughters to mourn.  
Funeral on Friday morning from her late residence, 151st Street, to the Cathedral of the Most Holy Trinity, Mass at 11 Friends invited.

### IN MEMORIAM.

In loving memory of H. J. Ward, of Cove Road, N. B., who passed away June 21st, 1916. "He giveth His beloved."

## THE ASSESSMENT BILL WAS VERY THOROUGHLY CONSIDERED BY THE COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPALITIES

### Commissioner McLellan in Able Address Presents the Facts in Concrete Shape and Impresses the Members—Hon. Mr. Baxter Gives Much Attention to This Legislation.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, June 20.—Much of the work of the House on the lengthy St. John assessment bill has been eliminated by the thoroughness of the consideration of the measure before the municipalities committee. The city solicitor, Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, has been especially active in getting this legislation in shape so that it will be satisfactory to the House.

During the consideration of the bill in committee, the members were much impressed with the business-like address of Commissioner H. R. McLellan of St. John, who placed the facts before the committee in concrete shape. A portion of his address follows:

Mr. Chairman and Members of the Municipalities Committee:

As one of the commissioners of the city of St. John and thereby representing a majority of the taxpayers, I wish to express my approval of this bill, which you are now asked to consider.

My remarks will be confined to its necessity and its production, leaving the matter of its uniformity to those who represent the drafters of the bill, and who are better versed regarding its comparison with other assessment acts in force and the special features embodied in them as required to meet local conditions where they may be applied.

To draft an assessment act which will be both efficient and unanimously approved of has been and will no doubt continue to be the perplexing problem of drafters of such acts.

That a necessity existed for a change in the present St. John Assessment Act, was evidently appreciated by the drafters of the commission charter, who inserted a clause which made it compulsory for the commissioners to take some steps towards a change and the time for so doing was limited.

When the time limit was about expiring, an assessment commission was appointed by the Common Council or Commission, to go thoroughly into the matter and advise the council as to what would be most applicable as a cure to the ills of the present assessment act.

The members of the commission were chosen from different walks in life, professional, mercantile, contractors and artisans, who were acknowledged to be fair and reasonable in their judgment and they produced the report which promoted this bill.

That the members of this commission were efficient and earnest in their endeavors, are best on producing a report which would measure up to the standard of any city's requirements for assessment purposes I firmly believe.

That they were desirous of consulting the opinions of the different classes of taxpayers was evident by the fact of their holding meetings open to all and inviting the taxpayers to express their ideas.

They visited different cities and consulted expert authorities regarding the success of the different assessment acts in force and their application to the different communities.

After they had completed their report they held open meetings and invited criticism of their findings and were most anxious to hear the opinions for or against the different features embodied in their report.

The bill before you is one which in the opinion of the mayor and commissioners of St. John should become law.

The present system of taxation in St. John needs reform so as to make wealth bear its proper share of the cost of civic government, as already the inadequacy of the present assessment act has been revealed in its practical operation.

The civic needs of the present day are stronger than ever in their demand for a system of taxation which will insure a more just and equal placing of the cost of civic government upon the taxpayers.

Any assessment law should be general in its application and its administration should be uniform.

We do not claim for this bill that it is a "self-executing instrument of righteousness" but that it creates an efficient mechanism for the administration of the city's assessment.

The evil example of permitting individuals or corporations to nullify any portion of such an act, which would insure its uniform administration because it crosses some selfish interest or prejudice, is full of danger.

Any individual or class opposition to this bill should not be considered, when such opposition does not carry with it a benefit to all taxpayers alike.

It certainly is class legislation to require a portion of the taxpayers to reveal their wealth for assessment purposes and exempt another class.

Railway and other corporations may oppose this bill and why? Because they do not wish any change from present methods of assessment whereby they will be required to further participate in expenditures necessary to civic or municipal government. They forget that the taxpayers in which they were vested the rights which they now control gave liberally to furthering their promotions.

The individual of wealth by his opposition to this bill will simply reveal his or her natural selfishness in trying to evade their just liabilities in maintaining the different departments necessary to a city's welfare.

Mecklenburg street, with whom Mr. McConnell made his home; Mrs. Charles H. Knodell, of Princess street and Mrs. J. H. Sharpe of Nova Scotia. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon.

Christen Albertson.

The death of Christen Albertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Albertson of 225 Sydney street, occurred yesterday morning from tuberculosis. He was fifteen years of age, and came to this country four years ago with his parents from Denmark. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

Paris, June 20.—Heavy artillery fighting is in progress on the Aisne and Champagne fronts, says today's official statement. Early this morning the Germans carried on a severe bombardment of French positions near Laun aux Mill and in the region of Mont Carnillet. A German infantry attack was dispersed.

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In loving memory of Hugh Reid, Young's Cove Road, N. B., who passed away June 21st, 1916.  
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OBITUARY

Mrs. Julia Ward.

The death took place at the Public Hospital yesterday morning, at 4.30 o'clock of Mrs. Julia Ward, wife of Josh Ward, Dorchester street, after a few days' illness. The deceased who was formerly Miss Hogan of Calais, leaves six sons and three daughters: Joseph D. of Chatham; Walter J. of Seattle, Wash.; William E. Joseph B. Gregory T. Francis, Mary, Margaret and Alice of this city. Also three sisters and two brothers, Mrs. C. Morris, St. John West; Mrs. Edward O'Mella and Miss Agnes Hogan and John Hogan of Starwood, Wash., and Edward Hogan, of St. John. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late residence, 19 Dorchester street.

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Funeral Friday, at 2.30 p. m., from the residence of Mrs. J. E. Edwards, Princess street, St. John.

HENDERSON.—In this city, on June 20th, Joseph Henderson, leaving a wife and two brothers to mourn. (Fredericton and Boston papers please copy.)

Funeral on Friday afternoon from his late residence, corner of Tower and Watson streets, West St. John. Service to commence at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend.

WARD.—In this city, on 20th inst., after a short illness, Julia J., beloved wife of Josh A. Ward, leaving her husband, six sons and three daughters to mourn.

Funeral on Friday morning at 8.45 from her late residence, 19 Dorchester street, to the Cathedral of Immaculate Conception for Solemn Requiem High Mass at 9 o'clock. Friends invited.

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## BRITISH MAKE GAINS ON ARRAS BATTLE FRONT

London, June 20.—British forces have made gains on the Arras front, south of the Cojeul river and also north of the Sanches river, where we east of Messines in the advance last Thursday. The text of the statement follows:

"On the Arras battle front our troops gained ground slightly during the day south of the Cojeul river and also north of the Sanches river, where we captured thirty-five prisoners. In addition to the captures already reported, four German field guns were taken by us east of Messines in the course of our recent advance in this area on Thursday night."

Paris, June 20.—General De La Croix publishes in the Temps the results of his study, supposedly from authoritative sources, on the present number of German reserves. He estimates that the grand total of German troops of all kinds and classes up to June 1 reached 18,150,000 and that this total was depleted by losses of 3,680,000; 2,200,000 rendered unfit through wounds and 1,130,000 resident in foreign countries.

J. D. Chipman, C. P. R. ticket agent, left last night for his home in Halifax. While in St. John he was entertained by his many friends.

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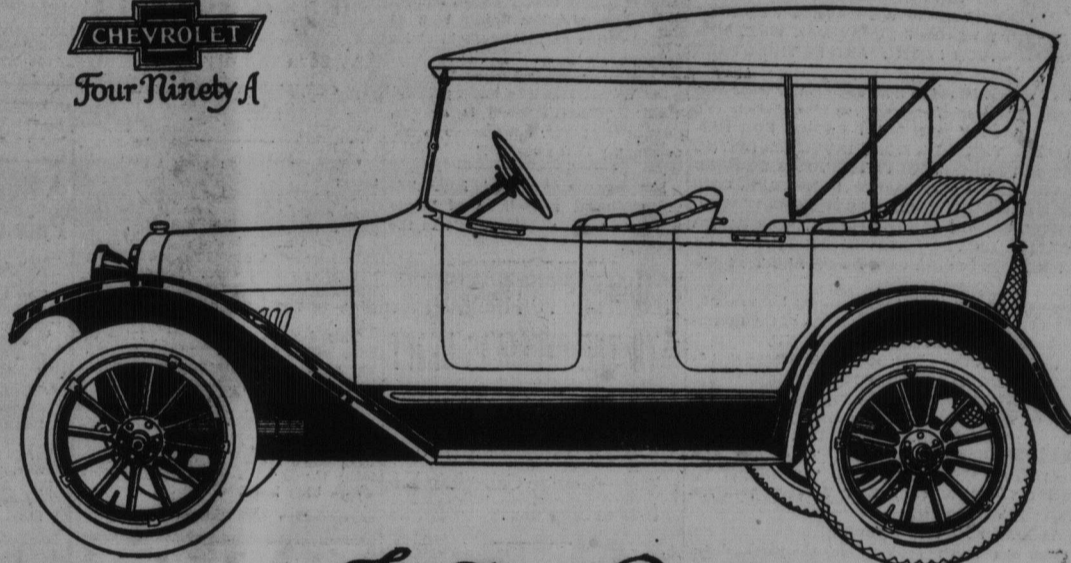
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ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1917.

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

IS LAURIER'S WORD GOOD?

What is the value of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's word? is a question that will naturally arise in the light of the fact that on Monday of the present week, in the House of Commons, when advocating the submission of the conscription measure to a referendum he pledged himself that if the people of the country pronounced in favor of that measure he and his colleagues would accept and support it. In presenting his amendment Sir Wilfrid made copious promises of good behavior if a referendum should decide in favor of the Government's measure. Here are his words:

"We are diverse races but we are all British subjects and we must respect one another. The French Canadian people have not enlisted as they should have done. THAT I ADMIT AND IT IS WITH REGRET THAT I DO SO. But there is in British countries a means to settle all differences. That is an appeal to the country, to the whole country. When the country has spoken ALL MUST RESPECT THE LAW."

Sir Wilfrid then went on to say that he proposed a referendum, "BECAUSE THE IDEA OF THE REFERENDUM HAD MADE PROGRESS IN THE COUNTRY, AND MOREOVER, BECAUSE, IF UNITY IS TO BE PRESERVED PARLIAMENT CANNOT DO BETTER THAN SUPPORT THE WISHES OF THE LABORING CLASSES. IF WE HAVE A VERDICT I PLEDGE MY WORD THAT THAT VERDICT EVERY MAN WILL SUBMIT IN THE PROVINCE FROM WHICH I COME AND IN THE OTHER PROVINCES."

"In presenting this motion, I do not intend to bind any man of those who sit by me and with whom I share the honor of representing Liberalism in this House. THIS IS A TIME WHEN EVERY MAN MUST DECIDE FOR HIMSELF AND ACT FOR HIMSELF. THE QUESTIONS INVOLVED IN THE MEASURE ARE OF TOO FAR-REACHING IMPORTANCE TO BE DECIDED BY ANY VOICE SAVE THE VOICE OF EACH MAN'S INDIVIDUAL CONSCIENCE. I BELIEVE THAT WHEN THAT VOICE HAS SPOKEN, IT WILL BE THE TEST AND REVICINDICATION OF THAT SYSTEM OF DEMOCRACY WHICH WE BELIEVE MUST BE THE SOCIAL GOSPEL OF ALL THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD."

No one will deny that these are fine words, mighty words; but are they spoken from the heart, and do they represent the real intention of the Liberal leader during a referendum campaign and afterwards?

WILL ANYONE DOUBT THAT IF A REFERENDUM SHOULD BE CALLED LAURIER, AND THOSE WHO, WITH HIM, OPPOSE CONSCRIPTION, PRACTICALLY OPPOSE ANY FURTHER EFFORT IN THE WAY OF WINNING THE WAR, WOULD GO OUT AND WORK WITH MIGHT AND MAIN TO DEFEAT THE MEASURE, TO TRY TO INFLUENCE THE VERY MEN HE HAS PROMISED TO LEAVE TO FREE MIND, AND TO CARRY ALL THE WEIGHT OF HIS ABILITY AND POSITION INTO A MOVEMENT TO HAVE A MAJORITY RETURNED THAT WOULD NOT FAVOR THE APPLICATION OF THE COMPULSORY SYSTEM?

In the autumn of 1894 there was much pressure for the passage of a Dominion-wide prohibition measure, and on September 6th of that year Sir Wilfrid Laurier, then leader of the opposition, said to a deputation of prohibitionists who waited upon him:

"HE WOULD PLEDGE HIS HONOR AS A MAN THAT AS SOON AS THE LIBERALS CAME TO POWER AT OTTAWA THEY WOULD TAKE A PLEBISCITE ALL OVER THE DOMINION. BY THAT DECLARATION THE LIBERAL PARTY WOULD STAND, AND THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE WOULD BE CARRIED OUT, WERE IT TO COST POWER FOREVER TO THE LIBERAL PARTY."

The Liberal party was returned to power in 1896 and on September 29, 1898, the Laurier government did take a plebiscite or a referendum on prohibition. What was the result of that referendum? Here it is from the records: EVERY PROVINCE EXCEPT QUEBEC GAVE MAJORITIES IN FAVOR OF PROHIBITION. QUEBEC GAVE AN ADVERSE MAJORITY OF 94,932. OUTSIDE OF QUEBEC THERE WAS A MAJORITY FOR PROHIBITION OF 107,948. THROUGHOUT THE WHOLE DOMINION THE NET MAJORITY IN FAVOR OF PROHIBITION WAS, THUS, 13,916.

In favor of prohibition was, thus, 13,916. Yet, despite Sir Wilfrid Laurier's pledge of 1894, the Liberal government did not enforce prohibition. Their action on that occasion is a matter of history and cannot be disputed. LAURIER FAILED TO KEEP HIS PLEDGE, BUT, INSTEAD, STOOD BEHIND THE LIQUOR MAJORITY IN QUEBEC.

Viewing the present in the light of the past, what reason is there to believe that Laurier is more sincere today than he was twenty-three years ago when he gave his pledge to the prohibitionists?

Suppose a referendum on conscription should be taken and that every province in Canada except Quebec should emphatically vote "yes," while Quebec voted "no," would Sir Wilfrid's pledged support be more valuable than he has shown it to be in the past?

There can be in all fairness but one answer to such a question. Laurier is heart and soul against the measure to provide further aid to the soldiers and will stop at nothing to defeat it. His promise to support it should the people decide in its favor is simply a subterfuge in the hope of delaying putting the law into effect. He has no intention of implementing his pledged word. Therefore his pledge is valueless.

LAURIER'S INCONSISTENCY.

That Sir Wilfrid Laurier is inconsistent will neither surprise nor shock those familiar with the political career of the wearer of the "white plume." Always during that career has he championed the cause he has been led to believe would best advance his party interests. It mattered not that one year he would be found in opposition to a policy the adoption of which he had previously advocated. With every veering wind he trimmed his political sails and, to that extent at least, he occupies the paradoxical position of being consistent in inconsistency.

When, in his address to the House of Commons on Monday, he urged that the Military Service measure should not become law until after it had been submitted to, and approved by, the people, in a referendum, he executed another of those turning movements so characteristic of his entire public life. This time he urges a referendum but, a few years back, when it was proposed that a measure providing for the extension of the Manitoba boundaries should not become law until a referendum had been held, Sir Wilfrid was the first to rise in his place and denounce such a proceeding as dilatory, unfair, and, while not exactly unconstitutional, establishing a dangerous precedent which in time might strike against the power and right of constitutional government.

But Laurier has probably forgotten all about that. He is no longer concerned about the safety and sanctity of the constitutional right of a Government to legislate by reason of its

A DISHONEST ARGUMENT.

Liberal newspapers who argue that Sir Wilfrid Laurier should have been consulted about conscription before being asked to join a coalition Government, offer insult to public understanding. The Government knew that Sir Wilfrid was opposed to conscription. To have taken him into the Government without an understanding that he would support conscription would be to create a condition of things under which conscription would have been rendered impossible. The Government did the only wise and reasonable thing. It laid down a principle, the principle that Canada dedicated its complete strength to winning the war, and asked Sir Wilfrid to join it upon that basis. And Sir Wilfrid, despite the fact that Sir Robert Borden went to the most generous lengths to make his course free from difficulties, declined the offer. He preferred to keep his pledge to the Quebec slacks that "we will not have conscription." Let us keep the record straight.

A LOST OPPORTUNITY.

What a splendid thing it would be for Canada if on the fiftieth anniversary of coalition to achieve Confederation there could have been coalition to perpetuate Confederation. By trucking to Quebec Nationalist sentiment and declining to unite with the Prime Minister, Sir Wilfrid Laurier lost an opportunity of doing the Empire a service which would have ranked him in history with George Brown. Instead, it may have been his ignoble lot to have struck a deadly blow at Confederation on the threshold of its fiftieth anniversary.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's latest political creed: "When England is at war, Canada is at war, but Quebec is not necessarily in the conflict."

If a coalition of minds is impossible in Parliament a coalition of hearts and hands is not impossible in the country.

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Me and Lew Davis and Leroy Shooter was standing on the curb looking at a horse attached to a empty milk waggin, and all of a sudden it started to wawk up the street as if it thart sombody was driving it. Har, wo, wo, me and Lew Davis and Leroy Shooter all started to yell, wo. Oay the horse didnt, jest keep on wawking with its head down. G, I sed, its a runaway. Its a wawkaway, anyhow, sed Leroy Shooter. And we kep on wawking, saying, Wo, wo, wo, wo, wo, wo, wo, wo, wo, wo. Wich the more we kep on saying it the more the horse didnt wo and Leroy sed, I know how to stop a runaway, you wawk in frunt of him and stand there with your arms out, and hes so surprized he jest stop. Thats sounds like a pritty good way, Leroy, sed Lew Davis. Yes, wy dont you go ahead and try it, Leroy? I sed. It might not werk with a wawkaway, sed Leroy, if he started to run I d try it, all rite. Well if it warked with a runaway woodent it werk with a wawkaway? sed Lew Davis. Because a wawkaway mite have more time to make up his mind not to stop, sed Leroy Shooter. And the horse kep on wawking and we kep on wawking with him, tawking about diffrent ways to stop him and not trying any of them on account of not knowing wat wood happen if they didnt werk, and pritty soon the horse stopped all by itself, and sumbody sed, Well, you took your time, Benny, you sarteny took your time. Being the milkman standing there waiting for him with a thing full of milk bottles. And he got in the waggin and drove away, and Leroy Shooter sed, G, he wasnt even a wawkaway. Wich he wasnt.

THIS WILL MAKE MILLIONS HAPPY

Any corn will dry up and lift out, says a Cincinnati authority.

Let folks step on your feet hereafter: wear shoes a size smaller if you like, for corns will never again send electric sparks of pain through you, according to this authority. He says that a few drops of a drug called freezeone, applied directly upon a tender, aching corn, instantly relieves soreness, and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out without pain. This drug is sticky but dries at once and is said to simply shrivel up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue. It is claimed that a quarter of an ounce obtained at any drug store will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. Cut this out, especially if you are a woman reader who wears high heels.

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**HON. COL. R. O'LEARY HEADS RECRUITING ASSOCIATION OF N. B.**

The Kent O'Learys—3—79—Wa. Among the New Brunswick families who have earned more than the ordinary share of honor at the front, are members of the O'Leary family of Kent county. This group enjoy the honor of having three representatives in France, all holding commissions in Canadian corps, of whom one has been awarded the Distinguished Service Order and another the Military Cross, for bravery in action. These three are Captain Fred A. O'Leary, recently of Campbellton, Lieutenant E. O'Leary of Richibucto, and Captain Harry O'Leary of Richibucto.



CAPT. FRED A. O'LEARY, D. S. O. Campbellton, N. B.

O'Leary of Richibucto, and a brother of Wm. J. O'Leary of Montreal, of Bishop Louis O'Leary of Chatham, and of Bishop Henry O'Leary of Charlotte-town. He is a half-brother of Richard O'Leary of Richibucto, and of Arthur E. O'Leary, also of Richibucto, chief game warden for New Brunswick. Fred O'Leary enlisted as a private with the 26th Battalion, and while still in Canada took the qualifying course and won his commission as lieutenant. He transferred to the 104th Battalion under Lieut-Col. Fowler, and after reaching England was drafted to his original battalion, the 26th, in France, in which corps he recently won the Distinguished Service Order and his captaincy.



LIEUT. E. L. O'LEARY of Richibucto, N. B.

The 8th Heavy Battery under Colonel Anderson. In that corps he served for nine months as a gunner, and in January, 1916, was recommended for a commission, for which promotion he qualified in three days. In May, 1916, Lieutenant O'Leary volunteered for service on heavy trench mortars, and was attached to one of these batteries, with which he remained until disabled through shell shock, when leave of absence was granted. He returned to his home in Richibucto in December, 1916. After a brief rest Lieut. O'Leary went back to the firing line, and is now recovering from a serious illness in a hospital in France. He is hoping to shortly be able to resume service and intends going back as an early date as possible to Colonel Anderson's Brigade, where his captaincy is awaiting him.

Captain Harry O'Leary, the third member of this group of officers, is the only son of Richard O'Leary of Richibucto, and is now only twenty-three years of age. When war broke out he was a student at McGill University, but left there to take a military course at Halifax in the spring of 1915. After securing his lieutenantancy, and later his captaincy, he obtained a commission as lieutenant with the 64th Infantry Battalion under command of Lieut-Col. H. Montgomery Campbell, sailing on April 1st, 1916, for overseas. Shortly after his arrival in England he was drafted as lieutenant into the famous 48th Highlanders of Toronto, and later was put in charge of the 3rd Stokes Trench Mortar Section, attached to this regi-



CAPT. HARRY O'LEARY of Richibucto, N. B. awarded Military Cross in France.

ment. On September 28th last Lieut. O'Leary was promoted to captaincy on the Somme front. He was slightly wounded at Vimy Ridge on Easter Monday, April 9th, but remained on duty and his valor on this occasion he has recently been awarded the Military Cross. While at McGill, Capt. Harry O'Leary was prominent in athletic circles, and at the time of leaving was president of the McGill College Union. He was also a member of the McGill Council of 1914, and it is worthy of note that the entire eleven members of that body are now serving at the front.

Although beyond the age for active service, Honorary Colonel Richard O'Leary of Richibucto, father of Captain Harry O'Leary, has devoted a great deal of time and energy to the service of Canada at home. Besides being active in patriotic movements of various kinds, he has for the past year and a half, or thereabouts, been president of the New Brunswick Recruiting Association, travelling all over the country, and doing his utmost to forward the work. He has taken an active part, as well, in the national service movement, having been one of the delegates to the big convention held a short time ago in Montreal.

**THE THISTLES DEFEATED IN FOUR INNING GAME**

Maples managed to creep out the winners with the score 10-7. The first inning did the trick, when 10 less than five runs were tallied for the victors. The Thistles were somewhat crippled on account of Hansen being out of the game.

Up until the end of the second it looked to be all Maples, but the Thistles came through with the goods and succeeded in tallying three runs, thus with the two they scored in the first making the score 5-5.

The Maples handed out the wallop in the two final innings to the extent of five more scores. Although every strategy known in baseball was resorted to by Dever's party, they were unable to take the lead, and the game ended in 197.

"Darby" Doyle had his punch with him all through the act and the box score shows two hits for the sturdy ball tosser. Leatham was also in the game from start to finish and had two hits, both of a clean cut nature. In fact every artist of hitting renown closed the door on the mischievous Leatham and H. Dever going the limit with two baggers.

The box score follows:

Maples: AB R H PO A E  
H. Dever, 1b. . . . . 2 1 2 4 0 0  
Doherty, r.f. . . . . 2 1 0 0 0 0  
Harrington, s.a. . . . . 3 0 1 1 1  
A. McGuire, 3b. . . . . 1 2 0 2 0 0  
J. Doherty, c. . . . . 3 1 3 4 0 0  
Giffin, c.f. . . . . 3 2 1 0 0  
Giffin, 2b. . . . . 2 2 1 0 0  
J. Harrington, l.f. . . . . 1 1 0 0 0  
Lobb, p. . . . . 2 0 1 0 0 2

21 19 6 12 1 4

Thistles: AB R H PO A E  
J. Dever, c. . . . . 2 0 0 7 0 0  
Mooney, 3b. . . . . 2 3 1 0 0  
Leatham, s.a. . . . . 2 2 2 0 0  
Doyle, l.f. . . . . 2 1 2 0 0  
McAuliffe, 1b. . . . . 2 0 1 1 0 0  
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SPECULATIVE STOCKS FALL IN WALL ST.

Prices Firm at Opening but Decline Several Points Later— Rally Just Before Close.

New York, June 20.—Withdrawal of public participation; an advance in call money to 6 1/2 per cent, the high rate of the day; fresh complications in the foreign situation, and unfavorable weather over western and southern agricultural centres accounted in varying degree for today's further impairment of quoted values.

Partial rallies. Partial rallies were invariably followed by renewed selling for both accounts, the short interest displaying especial activity in the war group.

In the final hour United States Steel led the active list in a general recovery of one to four points from lower levels, while Crucible Steel, Distillers Securities, Corn Products and a few other issues which owe their prominence to post-war activity, made actual gains of one to three points.

Liberty bonds held at par for full lots, and other United States issues, were unchanged on call.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS (McDOUGALL & COWANS) table with columns for Open, High, Low, Close and various stock symbols like Am Sugar, Am Car, etc.

ADDITIONAL SHIPMENTS OF GOLD FROM CANADA. Special to The Standard. New York, June 20.—An additional shipment of gold amounting to \$1,000,000 was received here today by J. P. Morgan and Co. from Canada.

LARGE SHORT INTEREST IN NEW HAVEN STOCK

Higher Prices Looked for in Near Future—Large Reserve Buying Power for Outside Account.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, June 20.—That an immense reserve buying power for outside account is dormant in the market ready to spring into activity on encouragement is declared to be indicated by a canvass of sentiment just completed by a leading wire institution which is advising the purchase of standard issues during reactions.

Gold imports now coming in and expected to continue for two or three weeks are expected to banking offices to prevent any tight money over the period of July disbursements and government loan financing.

Domestic iron and steel. Domestic iron and steel prices were unchanged on call. The market for iron and steel was quiet today.

NEW YORK COTTON (McDOUGALL & COWANS) table with columns for Jan, July, Oct, Dec and various cotton grades.

BANK NATIONAL BONDS DIVIDEND TO 5 PER CENT. Special to The Standard. Montreal, June 20.—Prosperity in the province of Quebec was reflected in an increased dividend announced by the Banque Nationale today when it advanced its rate from 4 to 5 per cent.

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DRIVE AT PRICES IN EARLY AFTERNOON

Sensational Recommendations of Federal Trade Commission of U.S.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, June 20.—The sensational recommendations of the federal trade commission were made the basis of a drive at prices in the early afternoon in which U. S. Steel rose down nearly three points below the morning's high and other stocks went up in proportion.

Steamship equals. Steamship equals its high record. Common rises to 45—Nova Scotia Steel Slumps 6 Points to Par—Market Listless as Whole.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, June 20.—Strength in Steamship common which rose 1 1/2 to 45, equaling the high record price established for this market in December last, and weakness in Nova Scotia Steel which broke 6 to 7 points were conflicting features of the Canada stock exchanges today.

NEWS SUMMARY. (McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, June 20.—Am Ry's Association says car shipment reduced during May from 142,927 to 108,137.

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Steamship strength was based on now familiar gossip as to the prospects of common stock dividend. The first dividend carried the price up sharply to 45 against 43 1/2 at the close Tuesday, and after sagging a point, there was recovery towards close to within 1/2 point of the early high.

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|----------|-------|--------------------|
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| "        | 17.1  | "                  |
| "        | 20.7  | Pier and abutments |
| "        | 29.3  | "                  |
| "        | 24.9  | Two Piers.         |
| "        | 29.9  | "                  |
| "        | 101.3 | "                  |

**GROUP NO. 2.**

| Sub-Div. | Mile. | Description.   |
|----------|-------|--|
| Sydney   | 4.0   | 12-ft. Concrete arch                                 |
| "        | 14.4  | 10-ft. Double Rein-<br>forced Concrete Cul-<br>vert. |
| "        | 22.3  | 10-ft. Concrete arch                                 |
| "        | 54.4  | 6-ft. Reinforced<br>Concrete Culvert.                |

**GROUP NO. 3.**

| Sub-Div. | Mile. | Description. |
|----------|-------|--------------|
| Mulgrave | 16.2  | Three Piers. |
| "        | 77.7  | Pier.        |
| "        | 82.5  | "            |
| "        | 85.5  | "            |
| "        | 99.2  | "            |
| "        | 105.7 | "            |

**GROUP NO. 4.**

| Sub-Div. | Mile. | Description.                                      |
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## HOUSE FAVORS ENQUIRY AS TO MARITIME UNION

Hon. Mr. Baxter's Pro-Union Resolution Adopted Unanimously — Changes in Game Laws in Interest of Conservation.

Fredericton, June 20.—The House met at 2:30 o'clock. Hon. Mr. Smith (Minister of Lands and Mines) introduced a bill to facilitate the collection of stumps under which licensees of Crown lands are required not later than the first of October every year to furnish the department with a sworn statement of their operations. The failure to comply will forfeit the license. He also introduced a bill respecting the taxation of wild lands which authorizes the government-in-council to impose an annual tax of 2 cents per acre upon all areas of five hundred acres or more of wild lands, the tax to go into consolidated revenue.

Hon. Mr. Robinson introduced a bill to amend the act relating to taxes on telephone companies, Cap. 75 George V., which increases the tax from 25 cents to 50 cents per phone. On the ground of urgency the above bills were read the second time.

**Maritime Union.**  
Pursuant to notice, Hon. Mr. Baxter moved the following resolution: Whereas, the growth and development of the western provinces of Canada have been much greater in the past than that of the Maritime Provinces and are likely to be still greater after the war;  
And whereas, the representation of the Maritime Provinces in the Dominion parliament is not likely to increase and possibly may be decreased if the population of such provinces shall not increase proportionately to that of Canada as a whole;  
And whereas, it is becoming more and more important that there shall be unity of aim and action among the representatives of the Maritime Provinces in the Dominion parliament so that the said provinces may obtain from the development of Canada such advantages in commerce and transportation as will give them a fair share in the benefits accruing from development of our country;  
And whereas, the assembling together of representative men of the Maritime Provinces in the transaction of public business would tend to promote community of aim, unity of action and a wider understanding of the needs of these communities;  
Therefore resolved, that this House would favorably regard any action which the government may be disposed to take for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provinces of Nova Scotia and P. E. I. or either of them would be willing to consider the question of legislative union of the Maritime Provinces.

**Relations of Provinces.**  
In speaking to the motion Mr. Baxter said that he realized the desire of the House to get through the business as quickly as possible, therefore the remarks that he would make would not be on such an extensive scale as they otherwise might have been. He thought there could be no question that the people of Canada, in their political, social, business and other relations would be much closer than they were before the war. They had had a lot of co-operation forced upon them for the sake of the Empire but despite the sacrifices they had been called upon to make good would come out of it. Therefore he thought the people of this province should take the opportunity to go into the consideration of a question that had on previous occasions occupied the attention of the people of the Maritime Provinces. He need not refer to those previous occasions. They were aware of what the outcome had been of the meeting at Charlottetown in 1904 which had resulted in the birth of this great Dominion. At that time the smaller project was lost sight of but the time had now arrived when the provinces ought once more to consider their relations to each other. The west was filling up and would fill up more quickly when the war was over which in turn meant increased representation in the Dominion parliament. The people of the eastern provinces do not know each other as they should. There ought to be community of mind and great thing that would come from co-operation would be the proper handling of the winter traffic of the Maritime Provinces.

**Abolish Rivalry.**  
Instead of having Halifax and St. John vying with each other it should be working together. From every point of view the provinces could do much better if their interests were united instead of working alone. Leading men from all three provinces were taken to help to build up the Dominion in parliament and the supply of these men must continue.

He was struck by a remark made by the hon. member for Westmorland who would in a minute or two second that resolution, in his speech on technical education last evening. There was a subject undoubtedly would benefit by united action instead of each province working along its lines. The same principles applied to all questions. Unity of action would bring about mutual understanding and respect and the people of each province would get a fair increase of justice to the three. He did not say there was an injustice, but people in the western provinces were enjoying advantages which the people in the Maritime Provinces did not have notwithstanding the fact that the latter had made great sacrifices in order to build up the western provinces.

**Not Binding.**  
The resolution was only intended to authorize the government to inquire into the matter and nothing further. It aimed at nothing binding but was merely to indicate to the people of the other two provinces that New Brunswick was willing to open negotiations

for a tentative discussion looking to union. There should be more conferences between the provinces. The provinces were only small yet each had its own administration, its own laws and its own policies and he thought the time had arrived when these three provinces which had played so important a part in the promotion of the Dominion would not be lacking in foresight as to see that community of interest and action would result in a lasting benefit to each.

**Mr. Magee (Westmorland).**  
Mr. Magee said he had very much pleasure in reading the resolution just moved. It was purely non-political. There might be many resolutions moved by his hon. friend which he (Magee) could not see his way to second, but this one he could move heartily. The mover had referred to the conference to bring about Maritime union and he (Magee) need not repeat it. Circumstances however had changed in the last few years. Whatever reasons there were in the past for each of the provinces to stand alone he thought were hardly of much account now. Probably, however, one of the most particular reasons for consolidation was on account of the representation in the Dominion parliament. The population in the three provinces was at a standstill, there had been an increase in the last ten years of 40,000 only whereas the western provinces had increased enormously. That went to show that the people of the Maritime Provinces should take concerted action for some aggressive policy to bring in new people. The loss in representation of five members as against a gain of twenty to the western provinces should make the people of the Maritime Provinces stop and think. There is no foreign population here and instead of competing with each other and engendering antagonistic feelings under one government all would unite to make the best in every respect. That was the policy that should be adopted.

**The Fisheries Industry.**  
He trusted the matter would be taken up and discussed and a committee appointed from the three provinces to consider ways and means. Co-operation would enable the three provinces to advertise their advantages. Take the fishing industry for instance; the value of that industry in the Maritime Provinces is \$16,000,000, half the value of the whole industry in Canada, and it was only in its infancy. Perhaps maritime union would enable the three provinces to control their own fisheries and if that were done they might reasonably hope to increase the value of them to double

### what they are at the present time.

#### The Game Act.

The committee went into consideration of a bill to amend the game act. The first section proposed to prohibit the shooting of moose under three years old, and having less than five points. Another section fixed the open season for ducks from September 1st to December 1st, excepting in the county of Westmorland, where September 15th was fixed for the opening date.

Hon. Mr. Smith, minister of lands and mines, explained that Westmorland was made an exception in order that the act would conform with the Nova Scotia law. He explained that the present law only allowed game for private use to be kept in cold storage for ten days after the season closed. An amendment to the bill would permit storage for a longer period. He added that the shooting of woodchuck had been prohibited at the request of the International Commission.

Another section of the bill prohibiting the shooting of brant geese and ducks in the spring was adopted. Hon. Mr. Smith, minister of lands and mines, explained that he had made a reduction of \$1.00 in the total license at the request of a large number of people. He added that permission was not given to dealers to purchase game in cold storage after the season closed. Another section of the bill prohibited the issuing of a hunting license to boys under 18 years of age.

Mr. Dickson thought that September 1st was too early a date for the opening of the shooting season for ducks, and suggested that it be made September 15th.

Hon. Mr. Smith said he would accept the suggestion that it be made September 15th.

Hon. Mr. Smith said he would accept the suggestion and have the bill so amended.

Hon. Mr. Smith said that he had suggested the change from three to five points in the shooting of moose in the interests of conservation, but if there were any objection he would not adhere to it. It was not his wish to work any hardship on any class of people, therefore he would amend the law.

Mr. Melanson said that he was pleased to notice that the minister was prepared to retain the present

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law, and would not insist upon the five points in the horns. He also expressed the opinion that 18 years was quite young for any fellow to be permitted with a license to shoot. Mr. Robichaud protested against the section which prohibited shooting of black duck. He said these birds came to the coast in large numbers in the spring of the year.

They were not natives, and he could not understand why people should be prevented shooting them.

The bill was agreed to. The bill to amend the act relating to compensation for injuries to workmen, which had been referred back to the committee for further consideration, was also agreed to.

**City's Swimming Scows.**  
The city swimming scows are placed in position at Sand Point with instructor Mark Burns in charge.

### MARRIED.

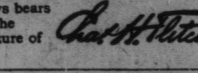
Dorion-Haley.

At 9 o'clock yesterday morning in the Church of the Assumption, Miss Annie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Haley, 15 Victoria street, West Side, was united in marriage, with nuptial mass, to C. F. Dorion of this city, formerly of Chatham. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. McDougall, C.S.C., St. Joseph's University, acting pastor. The bride was given away by her brother, John, Miss Louise Dooley, her cousin, was bridesmaid, and Sidney Haley, brother of the bride, supported the groom. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents. The happy couple left by train at six o'clock last evening on a honeymoon to Chatham. On their return they will take up their residence at 71 Leinster street.

Heans-Cunningham.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Cunningham, 68 City Road, was the scene of an interesting event at four o'clock yesterday afternoon, when, in the presence of immediate relatives of the family, Rev. Neil McLaughlin, pastor of Portland Street Methodist church, united in marriage their daughter, Miss Florence Olivia, to Ernest Osborn Heans, the well known traveller for the Maritime Hide Company. The bride was attended by Miss Gladys Tweedie, played the wedding march. The happy couple will spend their honeymoon on a motor boat cruise on the river. Upon their return they will take up their residence at 70 City Road.

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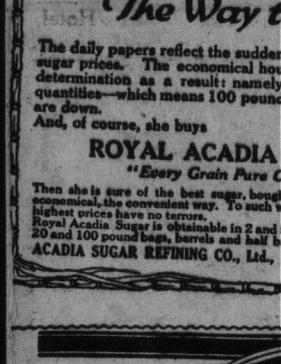
THE HOME THE WORK  
Here are Related Activities of Home, Fashion...

**HOUSE WIVES LEAGUE MEETING**  
With twenty-eight new names added to the list at yesterday's meeting the membership of the Housewives League is increasing rapidly. There was a large attendance yesterday afternoon in the King's Daughters' G. and a marked note of enthusiasm and interest is characteristic of the meetings of the League.  
Mrs. J. W. V. Lawlor presided. At the regular business was over in the evening reports were heard from the committees. For the vigilance committee Mrs. Arthur W. Adams told of visiting the grocery stores in Can and finding them clean and well received and found the merchants anxious to be classed as endorsed the Housewives League and to receive a card to that effect, which he displayed in the shop window.  
Mrs. Flewelling described the very inspection which is only partly completed all, bakeries except were found perfectly clean and inspection was welcomed. The members had a good receipt and the excellent state of the places where our bread is made. Here the members had a good receipt and the excellent state of the places where our bread is made. Here the members had a good receipt and the excellent state of the places where our bread is made.  
For the membership committee Mrs. Branscome gave a very encouraging report. A large number of women have joined the League and are active. The membership has reached the 2,000 members aimed at.  
Several new names were added to the committee on conservation. M. Heans, Miss Isabel Sydney and Miss Cullinan.  
This committee will soon begin its work getting in touch with Home Clubs and tabulating the results available at such places. The Associated Charities will be the channel through which the food will be distributed.

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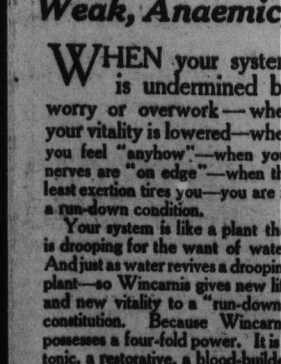
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NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

THE MOVIES THE PLAYERS

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A letter was read from Miss Hazel E. Winter...

Mr. O'Connor the chairman of the High Cost of Living Commission, will be in St. John next month and it is hoped will address the Housewives League.

WEATHER.

"Mother, I wish the man in the sky would turn on the sun," said a little boy in Roddesy lately.

WEDDINGS

Thorne-Lasky. A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Lasky.



The Way to Buy Sugar. The daily papers reflect the sudden daily ups and downs of sugar prices.



Weak, Anaemic, Nervous Run-down

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NERVOUS CHILDREN

The Trouble is Often Really St. Vitus Dance—Do Not Neglect It.

Many a child has been called awkward, has been punished in school for not keeping still or for dropping things when the trouble was really St. Vitus Dance.

The finest actor on the screen," was the comment of a well-known theatrical man in St. John, speaking of William Hart.

Mr. Harris interpretation of the Cowboy of olden days is different from the gun-shooting swaggering one of other actors and his ideas have been most successfully worked out so that he has become well-known as the "Bill Hart."

A quiet wedding took place last evening at the office of the officiating clergyman, Rev. F. Patrick Denison, 127 Wright street, when he united in marriage Miss Mary Yeomans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Yeomans of this city, and Edward S. Hayward, son of Newton Hayward, of Goshen, Albert county.

At a quarter to five yesterday morning in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Rev. Miles P. Howland united in marriage with nuptial mass, Harry P. Forrestell to Miss Katherine M. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. McGrath, 38 Charles St.

At the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, the Rev. Harold L. Coughlan united in marriage Francis L. Donahue to Miss Martha Ann, daughter of Mrs. Agnes and the late James Leitch, 179 Union street.

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IMPERIAL

The Square Deal Man. If you ask almost anybody who formed one of the Imperial's audience yesterday, I think you will be told that "The Square Deal Man" is a very fine picture.

Who's Who and What's What in the Picture World and on the Stage—Favorites and What They Say and Do.

THE STAR

Featured at the Star Theatre yesterday was Valeka Suratt the Fox favorite who is noted for the beauty and original design of her many gowns.



Way and is the story of a woman who was cast off and unjustly accused by her husband.

wears a gown trimmed with real lilies. Others in the cast are Clare Whitney Glenwhite who plays Dan Walters the convict, Herbert Hayes who gives a good characterization of John Madison the Governor and T. Tamamoto (you can easily guess his nick-name).

WILLIAM S. HART.

It is now more than three years since Hart left New York as one of the featured players with Charlotte Walker in "The Trail of the Lone Pine" company.

acted his own plays. As a matter of fact, he has no rival in his own particular field of production, and if he retired from the screen to-morrow could earn an equally attractive salary as one of the great directors of the industry.

Prior to his entrance into the film, William S. Hart spent over fifteen years on the legitimate stage. He was leading man for Madame Modjeska during her farewell tour, played the heavy lead in the original company of Ben Hur, and created a veritable furor on Broadway in the part of "Cash Hawkins," with William Faversham when the latter produced "The Squaw Man" for Lederer & Company some time ago.

OPERA HOUSE THE VALDARES 4 Sensational Cyclista, Singers and a Real Novelty McCLOUD and CARP A Unique Musical Offering with Violin and Banjo. PAUL BRADY Some Singer, Dancer, Tumbler and a Little Live Patter. BERT and VERA MORRISSEY Classy Singers and Dancers. CAPLANE and WELLS Comedy Juggling Novelty. CHAPTER 3 THE VOICE ON THE WIRE



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### THE WEATHER.

Forecast:  
Maritime provinces to fresh southerly winds, fair and warm today, some local showers or thunder storms during the night or on Thursday.

Washington, June 19.—Forecast: Northern New England—Probably local thunder showers Wednesday. Thursday fair, moderate south winds.

Toronto, June 19.—The depression which was over Lake Superior last night is now situated to the northward on the Georgian Bay. Showers have occurred locally today in Alberta and Saskatchewan and thunder storms have been almost general in Ontario.

|               | Min. | Max. |
|---------------|------|------|
| Dawson        | 30   | 64   |
| Prince Rupert | 43   | 56   |
| Victoria      | 48   | 60   |
| Vancouver     | 50   | 70   |
| Saskatoon     | 47   | 59   |
| Prince Albert | 48   | 62   |
| Medicine Hat  | 58   | 74   |
| Regina        | 44   | 72   |
| Winnipeg      | 54   | 68   |
| Parry Sound   | 58   | 82   |
| London        | 58   | 84   |
| Toronto       | 57   | 84   |
| Ottawa        | 54   | 76   |
| Montreal      | 58   | 78   |
| Quebec        | 58   | 78   |
| St. John      | 48   | 66   |
| Halifax       | 56   | 70   |

## Around the City

### Towed into Yarmouth.

A report reached the city yesterday that the schooner D.W.B. has been towed into Yarmouth with loss of sails and rigging. She was bound from New York to Yarmouth with coal.

### Settlement Made.

Settlement has been effected in an action brought against the Atlantic Refineries Company for \$2,000 by Mrs. Elizabeth Morrissey, mother of George Morrissey, who was killed on May 11 while employed at the Sugar Refineries. The full amount of the claim was recovered. J. A. Barry acted for Mrs. Morrissey.

### Lancaster Water Extension.

The contractors for the Lancaster water extension are likely to make a new record for this class of work if they keep up the pace they have started at. The ground was broken on Tuesday morning and today they expect to start the present work. The main, which is a 24-inch, will replace a 12-inch and will increase the quantity of water coming from the lake just 48 times as each inch in the size increases the capacity four times. This should result in giving the residents of the West Side a much better supply than they have at present.

### The Tourist Association.

The offices of the Tourist Association are now located at the old stand 43 King street. The association is desiring information may call and their queries will be answered as far as possible. C. B. Allan has been secured as secretary and will be on the job next right along to help the tourists enjoy their stay in the city. Mr. Allan will make an ideal official, as he knows all the beauty spots and the best way to reach them. The association are distributing the booklets through the usual channels, but the outlook for tourist travel this summer is not very bright.

### Successful Entertainment.

One of the largest audiences that ever gathered in City Hall, West Side, was there last night to see the comedy "Breedy Point" put on by the young ladies of the West Side Field Comfort Circle, for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A. overseas work. The young ladies made a splendid impression and were greeted with loud applause for the finished manner in which they handled the production. Between the acts a number of specialties were introduced. Baby Lorna Waring danced the "Dying Swan" dance and this is the first time this dance has been seen in Canada. Mrs. Murray Long sang a patriotic number, and as an encore the well known "Blighty" song; Miss Gibb and the Messrs. Gibb delighted those present with a number of Scotch dances, and the City Cornet Band under the direction of Bandmaster Waddington, played the overture. Mrs. Galbraith held the lucky ticket and won the handsome plant donated by Mrs. J. R. Richards.

### RETIRED CONDUCTOR DIED YESTERDAY

The many friends of Joseph Henderson, a retired C. P. R. conductor, will learn with regret of his death, which occurred yesterday morning at his home corner of Tower and Watson streets, West St. John. He leaves to mourn besides his wife, two brothers, John, a conductor with the Canadian Government Railways, and Frederick W., engineer with the C. P. R. The funeral will take place from the late residence on Friday afternoon, the services beginning at 2.30 o'clock.

Joseph Henderson was a man who was connected with railroad life for about forty-six years, and being one of the most popular officials, counted a very wide circle of friends.

He was first employed with the Intercolonial railway. From this road he went to the old St. John and Maine railroad and when this company ceased to be employed with the New Brunswick railway, and later on with the Canadian Pacific Railway, with which company he remained until he was superannuated about six years ago.

During many years of service with the C. P. R. Conductor Henderson was in charge of the Boston and the Fredericton express trains, and was a staunch member of the Order of Railway Conductors. He had been ailing for the past five years, but was not looked on as being in a serious condition until about three weeks ago.

## LIVE HOME DEFENCE COMPANY ARE NOT SO BADLY USED AS INDICATED FROM COMPLAINTS

### Investigation into Conditions at West St. John Recently Completed—Complaints Came from Soldiers—Major D. F. Pidgeon with Col. Powell Investigate—They Show No Ground for Complaint.

That the men serving in the Home Defence Company doing duty at West St. John, are not so badly used as might be indicated by complaints in circulation is now established as the result of investigation into conditions there which has been recently completed.

It will be recalled that a member of the Citizens Reception Committee to Returned Soldiers receiving complaints of improper treatment of the men at West St. John, visited the complaints to The Standard. A representative of this newspaper in company with Mr. S. H. Mays, the gentleman referred to, visited the quarters, and talked to the men, and from what he saw and heard gave publicity to the complaints referred to.

At once an effort was made to remedy such conditions as could be improved by the local military authorities. A few days later in the House of Commons Dr. Pugsley, casting about for an opportunity to criticize the Government, as has been his consistent custom even in war time, seized upon The Standard's story as good material for complaint and asked for official information as to the allegations it contained.

The Minister of Militia promised an investigation and Major D. F. Pidgeon was sent from Halifax to St. John to act in conjunction with Col. Powell regarding the matter. These officers visited the quarters, investigated conditions and probed every complaint and it is fair to say that their report, consisting of evidence taken under oath which has now been forwarded to Ottawa, places an entirely different complexion upon what at first appeared as most objectionable and unwarranted conditions.

The complaints were practically of four classes: dirty quarters, insufficient supply of underwear and uniforms, difficulty on the part of the soldiers in securing their pay promptly, and undue delay in the discharging of men no longer fit for service. All these were investigated and the result of that investigation may be summarized as follows:

### Delay in Receiving Pay.

There were several complaints in this class, but all are capable of satisfactory explanation. In one case a soldier who claimed he had not been paid since before the 15th went overseas it was found that shortly before the departure of that battalion he was given a two days pass. He did not return for more than six weeks and in the meantime his unit had left Canada. Being absent at the last muster parade just before the men entrained he automatically became a deserter and all pay and allowances were cut forthwith. After he returned to the company at West St. John he was restored to the pay roll as speedily as possible and the proper adjustment of his account as established by receipts, up to the time of the investigation referred to showed that his wife and family had been overpaid by the department to the amount of \$40. Now he has been discharged from the service and the report in his case intimates that if there has been an error it was on the side of leniency.

In other cases it was found that men complained had been in hospital when their unit left and could not be transferred to other companies until recovered. As military regulations will not permit the receipt of cheques in hospitals their payments were delayed until their first pay day after they had reported for duty which in some cases meant a period of several weeks without money.

Mixture of names also caused delay. For instance in the unit referred to there were scores of soldiers whose names as signed to their papers appeared as "A Legere," or "A LeBlanc," these names being selected to illustrate the case. In such a situation there was inevitable delay in locating the proper "Legere" and "LeBlanc." In other cases, again, men forgot their own numbers or got them mixed. For instance Private "A Legere, 66782" would persist in reporting his number as "667823" and this idea would become so firmly fixed in his mind that he would appear on company documents under the wrong number. When the mistake was discovered it was necessary to trace him back through all the various documents connected with his enlistment and service until his original attestation and proper number was located. With many cases of this character the work and delay involved can be imagined.

### As to the Clothing.

Complaints of the insufficient supply of underwear were frequent but investigation revealed that every man serving at West St. John had been served with at least two suits of underwear within the past few weeks. Some men being in hospital could not be given changes until they were discharged as fit for duty but it was established that the supply was adequate, every man receiving at least two suits, in many cases, three and in one case five. The difficulty seemed to be that when served with new suits of underwear the men threw away their discarded garments or lost them.

As to uniforms being torn and in unsightly condition. This was in some cases the fact, but where so it was in the case of a man waiting

for discharge possibly a few weeks, who if served with a new uniform would have it charged to him under the condition of repayment.

When a soldier is served with a uniform from stores it is supposed to last him, with reasonable care for six months. If at the expiration of four months his uniform is unfit for use he can obtain a new one, but the new issue is charged to him for the balance of the period his first uniform should have given service—in this case two months. At the end of the two months, however, the amount charged is repaid to him but the second uniform must last the full period—in this case two months of the first term and six of the second or eight months in all.

In the case of a soldier waiting for discharge the department has refrained from forcing him to wear a new uniform at his own expense for the few weeks he remains in the service and in this they have acted wisely as any other course would result in a hardship on the man. Some of the men at West St. John at the time the complaints were made were in that position.

### Delay in Discharge.

Under the Canadian army regulations a man who has been in service for three months cannot be discharged as medically unfit until his case has been passed upon by the Pension Board for it may be that he has a claim against the department and will be discharged without fully investigating it would constitute another injustice. This involves delay. Particularly in this case in St. John, where all discharge recommendations must be sent forward from St. John to Halifax, from Halifax to Ottawa to be returned and then to St. John, where, finally, the soldier is discharged.

Such methods may seem burdensome but it is the same as employed in all branches of the British army and has been found more satisfactory than any other that could be devised.

### Unclean Quarters.

In this connection there was some ground for complaint in regard to the guard room, but none in reference to the bunk rooms. The broken bunks seen by The Standard man and complained of, were, upon investigation, found to be unusable and awaiting removal. The bedding was reported as clean and up to military standards.

Generally the investigation showed that there was no ground for the complaints, the men are being cared for as well as possible and pay and allowances are forwarded with all possible speed.

The report has been filed at headquarters Halifax and with the Department at Ottawa.

### TRUE BLUE LODGE FOR CONSCRIPTION

### Resolution Adopted at Meeting Last Night—Large Number of Members on Honor Roll—Some Were Killed.

The regular meeting of True Blue, L. O. L. No. 11, held last night in their hall Gullford street, West St. John, was largely attended and a resolution of informal conscription moved by Past Master B. J. Anderson and seconded by Past Master Ezekiel McLeod, was unanimously carried.

The resolution was:

"We the members of this worshipful lodge wish to place ourselves on record as being most sincerely in favor of conscription, and we pledge our support to those supporting this measure."

This lodge has a large representation at the front, and three of the men whose names are on the honor roll will never return, having laid down their lives in defence of the liberties of the smaller nations and as a protest against the German doctrine of "might is right." The names of those who have fallen are—Dr. J. L. Duval, who went with the first contingent; Samuel Ferguson, who sailed from here with Lieut. Col. McAvity, and J. G. Maxwell, who was reported killed just a few days ago.

**Fire Loss Adjusted.**  
E. H. Fairweather who is adjusting the losses in the recent Dock street fire has finished his work at Marcus and Jacobson's. The Marcus loss was adjusted total and they will receive from the insurance companies \$12,000, while Jacobson's have settled for a little under \$5,000. It will probably be a couple of days yet before the losses are all adjusted.

**Heavy Lightning Storm.**  
Passengers arriving in the city last night stated that a heavy thunder and lightning storm was raging west of Meadville. In addition to sharp flares of lightning and thunderous noises in the heavens the rain was terrific. Inquiries failed to ascertain any damage done by the storm.

## OTTE BOY REPORTED IN GYPSY CAMP

### Child Resembling Lost Son of Frank J. Totten Said to Be with Gypsies—Camp Near St. Martins Searched Last Night.

Last evening there was a report about the city that Ronald, the three and a half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Totten, had been found. The boy has been lost since last Sunday afternoon, and the report that he had been found was received with gladness by those who heard it. There were a number of reports. One was that the boy had been found locked up in a North End house, another had him located in West St. John, while a third was that he was found unconscious in the woods near Craggs Hill and taken to the hospital.

The cause for the circulation of reports that the little fellow had been found came from the fact that it was supposed that he was with a band of gypsies that were travelling in the county.

Chief of Police Simpson learned yesterday afternoon that there was a small boy with a band of Gypsies who were travelling towards St. Martins, and that the little fellow greatly resembled the picture of the Totten boy. The only difference was that the boy with the gypsies was attired in a khaki suit of clothing.

Chief Simpson got in touch with officials in St. Martins early last evening and learned that the gypsy band had encamped for the night at a place about six miles from the village. The chief made arrangements for men from St. Martins to visit the camp last night and make a search for the child which was supposed to be Ronald Totten.

When this news reached the parents of the lost child they were given fresh hope that their loved one was alive. It is said that the father of the boy was too anxious to await word from St. Martins, but intended to travel to the gypsy camp by automobile last night and make sure if the child seen with these people was his boy.

It is said that quite a large band of gypsies arrived in the city the latter part of last week. They called at police headquarters and asked permission to pitch their tents here, but were informed that they could not remain in the city, as their chief purveyor was a traveller in the direction of Lepreaux. At this place the band divided into two sections, one of the sections returning and passing through St. John, and this is the band that encamped in the vicinity of St. Martins last night.

At an early hour this morning no word from St. Martins had been received at Police headquarters as to the result of searching the gypsy camp for the lost boy.

### \$1,000 DAMAGE IN WATERLOO STREET FIRE

### Christie Estate Barn Occupied by Harold Cronin, 57 Waterloo Street, Badly Damaged and Contents Destroyed—Origin of Fire Unaccounted For.

A fire in a barn at 57 Waterloo street, owned by the William Christie estate, did about \$1,000 of damage to the building and contents yesterday afternoon. The building was occupied by Harold Cronin as a coach house and stable and he is unable to account for the fire, as he was the only person, so far as he knows, about the premises. He left about 11.30 to attend the Boston train and the fire was first noticed about 12.30 by Miss Martin who lives in the next house and she sent in the alarm. The firemen responded quickly and after about an hour's work succeeded in putting out the fire, but the roof had been burned off the barn and the end of an adjoining cottage had been scorched considerably.

The loss on the building will be about \$500 and this is fully covered by insurance. Mr. Cronin's loss will be between four and five hundred dollars, as all his winter equipment was destroyed. He was only partially injured.

### WHAT GERMAN'S CLAIM AS A NAVAL VICTORY

John S. Currie, broker, yesterday received from England, a German medal which had been struck in Germany, with the object of keeping in the minds of the German subjects the sinking of the steamship Lusitania, which the Germans look on as a naval victory.

The medal is of a very dark composition. On one side is a scene of the ship sinking in the German words over the top (as translated) reads: "A German Naval Victory."

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## Interesting Items In Whitewear Department

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